



Wasi Cross Country News

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WHAT THE HECK IS A CHALET HOST

During the ski season, we've found that by having a "host" in the chalet on weekends, this assists newcomers and members alike.

The host greets people and explains the fees, sign-in sheet and general info as required. There's printed material at the chalet. It's often helpful to bring change to assist day pass users. One of the tasks is also to get and keep the fire going.

We have two shifts a day, 10:00 am – 12:30 and 12:30 to 3:00 pm. Help share the workload and sign-up at the chalet. For more info, give Allen Bale a call at 476-9190.

PS - this is a great way for teenagers to get some volunteer hours – come on out and join them.

WHAT'S IN A LOGO

We've had a number of members enquire about those spiffy blue/brown toques you see some skiers wear around the grounds which include our Wasi logo. Marks Work Wear embroidery shop has the logo on file and for about 12 bucks, they'll stitch it on your article of clothing.



Next Meeting

Our Wasi Cross Country board meeting will take place on Wednesday **February 4th – 7:00 p.m.** at the chalet. All members or interested parties are welcome.

I Think I'm Finally Starting to See the Light

There are a growing number of people using the trails later each day, especially as the days are getting a little longer. We have set up a light switch on a timer which will allow skiers to turn on sufficient battery operated light to enjoy your stay in the chalet. The switch is located behind the door as you enter the chalet and turns off automatically. [Many thanks to Bernie Stockermans.](#)

Ontario Trillium Foundation

We've been successful in our grant application to the Ontario Trillium Foundation this year. To celebrate this, we will be having a **recognition day** at some point in March – we'll confirm the date as soon as the dignitaries confirm to us.

This grant will be used for a number of things such as expansion of the parking area. If you've skied the past few weekends, you will know of this need. One of the major trail changes will be the widening of the 4K crossover trail to allow for two way skiing. This will allow skiers to go back and ski the trails without the need to return past the chalet and back up the first hill – stay tuned.

Web address!!! Visit <http://www.wasiski.com> for the latest info on what's happening at your club. If you have any questions or concerns re our club or any of its events, please feel free to contact Dianne Labrecque at 752-2822, Diane Decaire at 752-3950.