

LAKE EFFECT *SHOWSKI* CLUB

KICK - OFF MEETING 2026





Welcome!

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Note: Nyah (info@lakeeffectshowski.com) can be contacted for any general inquiries!

Club Communication & Information

How we will be communicating this season and where to find information



TeamSnap - Calendar / Setting your availability for practices and shows



Email - Direct contact to any leadership or production team member (see emails on second slide)



WhatsApp - Quick communication and notifications for the team



Website - General club information

- Sign ups
- Sponsorship information
- Gallery
- etc.



Sponsorships & Financial Update

Thank you SO MUCH to
all our sponsors!

**This summer would not be
possible without you.**

We still have a few
sponsorship opportunities
available for the summer, so
if you or anyone is
interested, please reach out
to Matt Steinburg or Neil
DePiero.



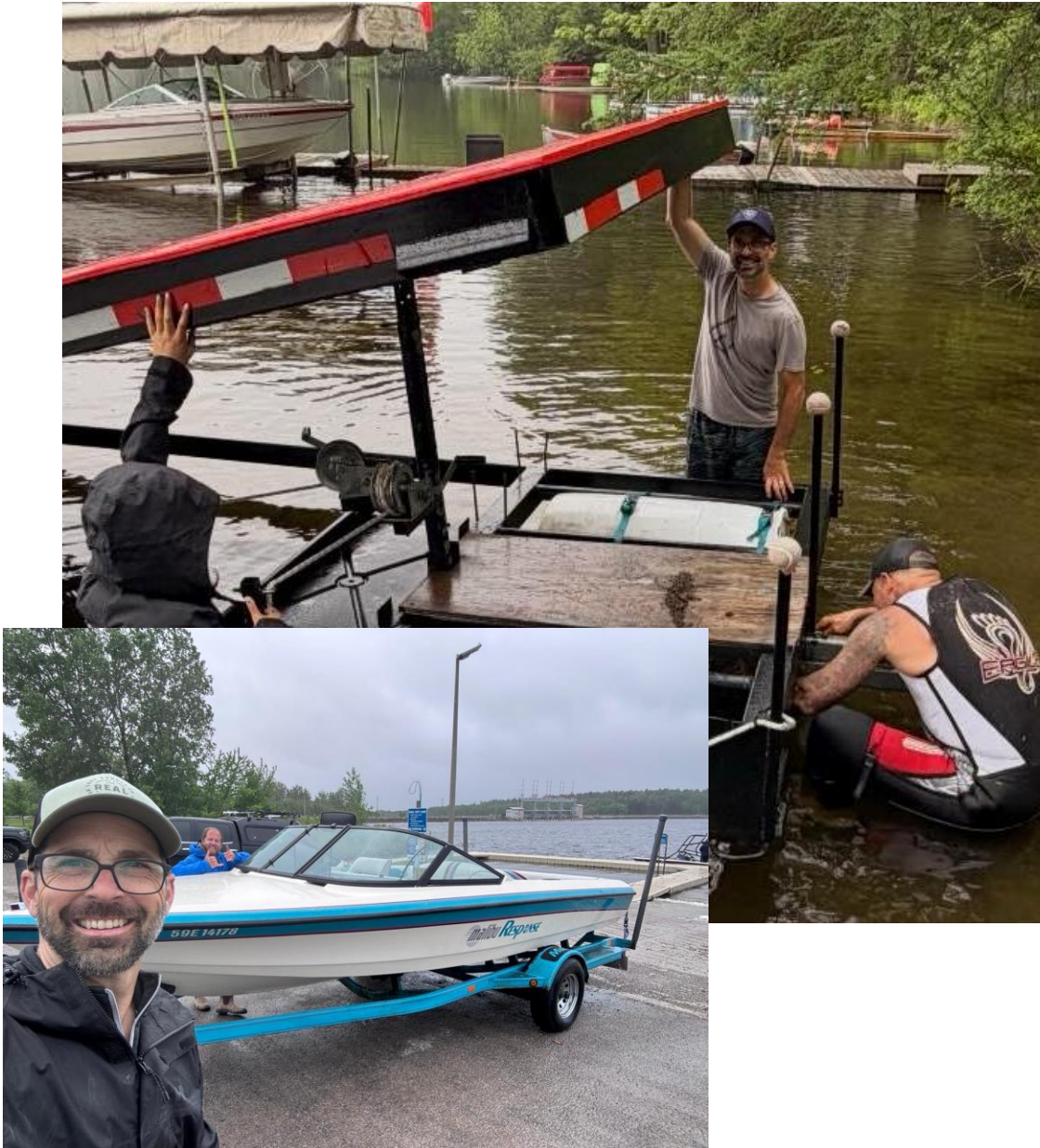
Boats & Equipment

The club has purchased/made:

- Show-trailer
- 2 boats!!
- Show-boards
- Ropes for all acts
- Drop skis (limited number)
- Wetsuits and jump suits (limited sizes)

Athletes are responsible for:

- Any specialty equipment (e.g., swivel skis, jump skis, trick skis, etc.)
- Personal floatation devices (e.g., impact vest or flo-mo)



If you need help finding equipment to purchase, please reach out to Emma Pham-Dinh or Jenn Hunnisett!

Health & Safety

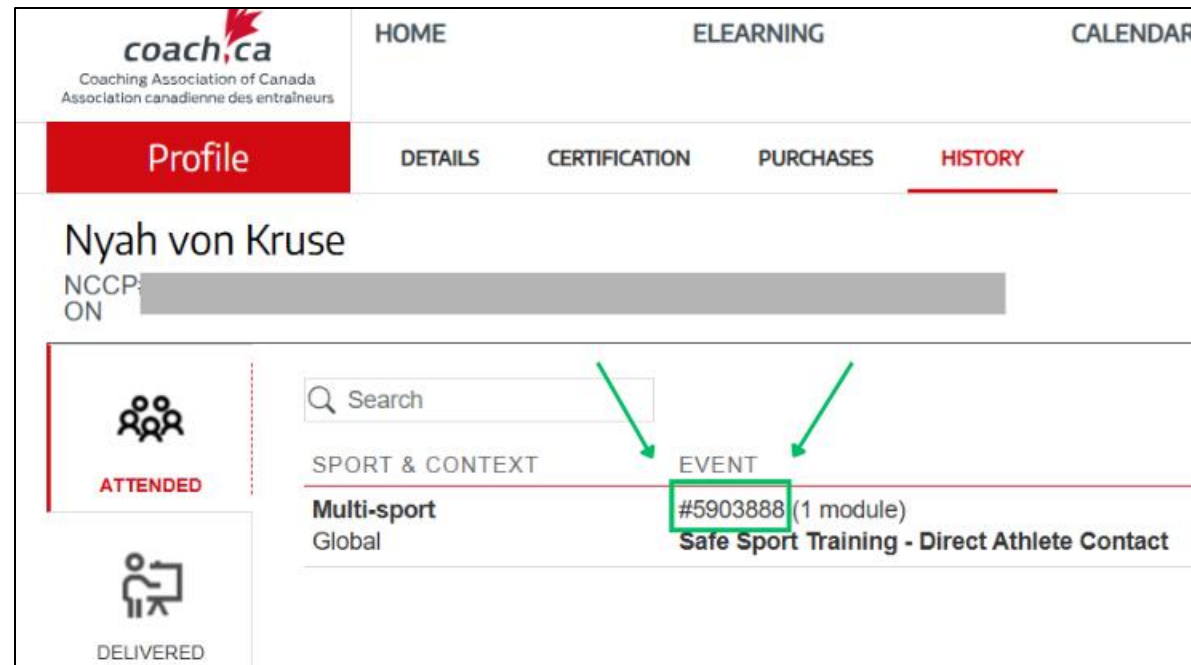
SafeSport Training

SafeSport training is REQUIRED for all athletes. LockerRoom offers the SafeSport training for free. You must be 14 years old to do the training, and you can access the training through your existing account or via the link below.

<https://coach.ca/sport-safety/safe-sport-training>

Once you have completed the training, **please email your course completion number to info@lakeeffectskishow.com**, as our club needs it to demonstrate you have taken the course. You can find the number by:

- Going into your "Profile"
- Clicking "HISTORY"
- Selecting "ATTENDED"



The screenshot shows the user profile for Nyah von Kruse on the coach.ca website. The 'HISTORY' tab is selected, showing a list of completed training modules. The 'EVENT' column is highlighted with a green box, and the completion number '#5903888' is also highlighted with a green box. Two green arrows point to the 'EVENT' and the completion number.

SPORT & CONTEXT	EVENT
Multi-sport Global	#5903888 (1 module) Safe Sport Training - Direct Athlete Contact

Your number will be above the Safe Sport Training title in "EVENT".

Mine is shown in green in the picture for reference!

Practices & Shows

Practices (Gull Lake Park)

Wednesdays: 3 - 6pm

3pm - 5pm: Focus on individual and small group pulls

5pm - 6pm: Focus on larger acts for the show

Saturdays: 9am - 12pm

Focus will alternate between general practices and focused clinics (e.g., barefoot, swivel, pyramid climbing, etc.). TeamSnap will have info on focus of practices.

Olympic Showdown

Wednesdays: 6 - 8pm

Gull Lake Rotary Park

WIP SHOW @ 6:00pm

MAIN SHOW @ 7:00pm

Muskoka Pirates

****Thursdays: 7 - 8pm**

Gravenhurst Wharf

Show is sponsored by the town of Gravenhurst via grants, and their goal is to bring more traffic to the wharf.

***Not every week. See TeamSnap for dates.*

Canada Day Show

Wednesday, July 1st : 1 - 2pm

Gravenhurst Wharf

Sponsored by the town of Gravenhurst to promote Canada Day event.

Muskoka Steamships Show

Saturday, August 1st: 10 - 11pm

Gravenhurst Wharf

Sponsored by Muskoka Steamships to promote an event.

Make a Splash Show

Saturday, August 1st: 2 - 3pm

Gull Lake Rotary Park

Sponsored by the town of Gravenhurst to promote an event.

Club Committees & Involvement

We need volunteers!

Fundraising Committee

Roles & Responsibilities:

- Organizing "pass the hat" at shows
- Working with Neil to generate small dollar donations
- Helping the Events Committee plan the year-end banquet/fundraiser

Equipment Committee

Roles & Responsibilities:

- Working with Kurt to maintain and repair all club equipment
 - Boats
 - Skis, wakeboards, etc.
 - Ropes

Note: you do not need to know how to repair anything - we are excited to teach you!

Events Committee

Roles & Responsibilities:

- Organizing any member-appreciation events/activities
- Helping the Fundraising Committee plan the year-end banquet/fundraiser

Member Development & Volunteers

We would love to teach you and your non-skiing members the different aspects of show-skiing!

A great way to become a better show-skier is to understand the whole show process by practicing different roles.

Drivers	Spotters	Pinner
Announcers	Sound	Dock Master



DON'T HESITATE TO REACH OUT!

For general inquiries:
info@lakeeffectshowski.com

Regarding committee
involvement:
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