

ENZIAN SKI CLUB MEETING MINUTES
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2024

After our informal get-together with sandwiches, beer and wine, President Klaus Reh opened the meeting at 12:45pm and thanked everyone for coming. Twenty members were present.

Klaus asked for a moment of silence in remembrance of all members who have passed on, then reminded us of those members who are not well and reminded us that the Enzian Ski Club is a family. He introduced new member Barbara Girgos, who was welcomed by all.

Corresponding Secretary Susan Stonitsch read the minutes from the September meeting. They were accepted as read by all attendees. Susan thanked Laura again for taking the job as Recording Secretary.

Treasurer Inge Biehl read the current report and stated that membership dues received have been deposited. The club is still solvent.

Financial Secretary Karlheinz Wagner reported that out of 83 members, 53 members have paid their dues. Karlheinz reported that he had called the remaining 30 members, but many of them did not answer the phone.

Klaus continued the meeting with details about the club Christmas party on December 13. The club can no longer subsidize the cost. Members would pay a total of \$50.00 (\$45 for the buffet and \$5.00 for the tip), and \$55.00 for non-members. A motion was made to accept this cost, and it passed unanimously. Klaus suggested that a flyer advertising the Christmas party should be placed on the table in the lobby of the Deutscher Club so that their members could attend, since this year the party includes a one-hour concert by the Baroque Orchestra of New Jersey. Dinner is from 12:00 – 2:00 pm, concert from 2:00 – 3:00 pm and coffee/cake from 3:00 – 4:00 pm. Andy Weber suggested connecting to the Deutscher Club Wi-Fi and PA system to play Christmas music from his phone. Everyone agreed that it was a good idea. It was also agreed that there should be no walk-ins at the door, since the person collecting money misses a good deal of the party. Make out your check to the Enzian Ski Club and send it to Inge Biehl before December 7, 2024.

Everything for the trip to Grindelwald, Switzerland is still on track. Klaus is still pursuing the full schedule from the Boston Ski Club to see what other trips they are hosting.

Klaus asked for venue suggestions for the dinner dance in 2025. The Brownstone in Patterson and the new Manor in West Orange were brought up again, but most members were not in favor of these locations because the cost at these venues would be at least \$200.00 per person. Susan Stonitsch motioned to have the dinner dance at the Deutscher Club again. The motion was carried by all attendees. Suggested dates were either April 27 or May 4, 2025.

Andy Weber collected donations toward the sandwiches, beer and wine while members enjoyed coffee and delicious cake made by Laura.

Klaus closed the meeting at 2:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Laura Poteara
Recording Secretary