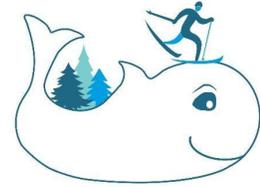


Whaleback Times

March 1, 2023



Whaleback Nordic Ski Club

Hello once again...finally warming up!

Whaleback Memorial Loppet, March 4th Start time 11:00AM

It is a go for Saturday. Weather conditions will be much improved as compared to last Saturday...but don't forget, it's still Winter.

Just like the good ole days, the Loppet is a trial run for the upcoming Marathon. Bibs available to any skier who wants their times recorded, kitchen well stocked with all kinds of hot food and treats, Sponsor banners highlighted, emergency services on standby, PA waiting in the wings. Can't wait. Oh yeah, there will not be any feed stations...please bring your own refreshments. Also, please bring your cell phone in case you or another skier takes a fall or get overcome with the excitement.

Registration between 10:15-10:50 am. Registration cost is \$5.00 individual, \$10.00 family, no charge for JR

Routes available are 2.5km, 7.0km, 12.0km and 21.0km.

Thank you to all the volunteers making this event happen.

Correction...the editor of WT needs to be shaken...in the last edition I indicated that the last Whaleback Memorial Loppet was in 2019! CORRECTION...it was in 2020 and the most recent member who passed away at the time was Jacko Lamond. How could I have forgotten?? Jamie Lamond placed first overall!!

Outfitters Marathon - March 11th Calling for volunteers.

We are in the final stretch towards the 53rd Annual Outfitters Marathon and need a few more volunteers to join our team! If you are interested in helping out in any of the areas listed below, please contact Greg Noonan (643-4993) or Karla Swift (283-2150):

- Registration kit pick-up: this will be in the chalet the morning of the marathon and you can expect to be working between 8-11

- Canteen: serving food at the canteen in the chalet; we hope to have two shifts (morning and afternoon)
- Finish Line Bib and Chip Collection: collecting the bibs and timing chips from the skiers as they finish including verifying the distance skied and helping them as necessary (getting water or warm drinks from refreshment stand, helping with skis, etc)
- Refreshment Station Attendants: there will be three refreshment stands, two on the trails and one at the finish line; you will be expected to hand out drinks/snacks to skiers passing by. Lunch will be provided and you will be transported to the trail stations on ski-do.

Whalebacker attending Canadian Masters

We wish Bruce Legrow his very best participating in the Canadian Masters held in Harwoods Ski and Bike Park in Oro Medonte, Ontario.

Reminder...please turn in your CCNL Ticket stubs to the chalet attendant. Thank You.

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