Enzian Ski Club Meeting Minutes
Thursday, November 12, 2026

After enjoying sandwiches, beer and wine from 12:15 to 1:00 pm, President Klaus Reh opened the meeting. Klaus welcomed 20 members in attendance, especially Horst and Marliese Dethlefsen and Peter Ulz, who have not attended a meeting for some time. A moment of silence was observed for members who have passed away and for those currently recovering from illness or surgery.

Recording Secretary Stacey Zegla called to report that she would not be unable to attend the meeting. Corresponding Secretary Susan Stonitsch read the minutes from the October 8th meeting. Andy Weber moved to accept the minutes as read, motioned seconded by Adolf Stonitsch.

Treasurer Inge Biehl reviewed our current expenses for last month's meeting and website renewal for three years. She also announced that more dues have been received and are now in our bank account. Please contact Inge directly for details.

Financial Secretary Karlheinz Wagner reported that he received dues from two more members. Karlheinz welcomed new member Walter Siegordner, who saw our advertisement in the DCC newsletter. Walter loves to ski and would like to connect with members to ski with locally. Klaus suggested Bellaire, Maintain Creek, Blue Mountain and Camelback. Julie Schlotterbeck made a motion to accept the report, seconded by Adolf Stonitsch.

Karlheinz reminded members that if they have not paid their dues after two years, he will remove them from the membership list. Six members have not paid in 2026, and another five members have not paid in 2025, for a total of eleven not paid. Ute Gruenfelder motioned to accept this new rule, seconded by Erika Jesacher.

Corresponding Secretary/Webmaster Susan Stonitsch asked for suggestions or ideas for the newsletter and website. Susan also reminded members that the 2026 Schwäbischer Sängerbund Christmas Concert at the Presbyterian Church in Westfield is on December 6th at 4:00 p.m. Members interested can purchase tickets from Susan or Julie Schlotterbeck or at the door.

Vice President Mark Sternefeld mentioned that there is still an opportunity to ski in Keystone, CO. The dates are March 6th - 12th. So far 4 members are going. Members interested in learning more were encouraged to contact Mark.

President Klaus Reh reported that the Lake Hopatcong cruise on Saturday, October 17th was a nice day out, despite the cold wind. The food was good, but unfortunately there was no Oktoberfest music. Three people who had signed up didn't make it. There are photos on the website. He also reminded members that the Enzian Ski Club's Annual Christmas Party is set for Friday, December 18th, from noon to 4:00 pm at the DCC and that Inge will collect money after the meeting. Unfortunately, many members will be in Florida by then and won't be able to attend.

Klaus commented that a cruise at our age is better than the rafting trips on the Lehigh River that the club used to take, especially since the water in the river is pretty low. He asked for members' ideas for things we could do as a club. Someone suggested Oktoberfest in New Paltz in New York, but members would have to arrange their own transportation. Also, the club could meet at a German restaurant. Diane Misinkiewicz recommended Oktoberfest at the Black Forest Inn in Stanhope, NJ. She and Rob have been there and said it was pretty good.

The next meeting is on December 18, our Christmas Party at the DCC. Since many members will be going on the ski trip to Austria in January, members voted to have the January meeting on Thursday, January 7 (first Thursday of the month) instead of on the usual second Thursday of the month.

Andy Weber moved to adjourn the meeting at 1:42 pm; Mark seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted By:
Susan Stonitsch, Corresponding Secretary
for Stacey Zegla, Recording Secretary