

Perisher Historical Society Inc.

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Profile

Today, Perisher and the surrounding high country provide a wonderful playground for skiers, snowboarders, walkers and even wombats. As time moves on, however, it is easy to forget 'the good old days' of rope tows or no tows, lodge building, homemade skis, lace-up leather boots and riotous lodge parties. To this end, the Perisher Historical Society (PHS) has been established to capture the memories of both the early days of the Perisher area and the emerging history.

With support and encouragement from both Perisher management and the NSW National Parks and Wildlife Service (NPWS), the PHS was incorporated on 6 August 2007. The aim of the Society is 'to research, collect, document, and display the history and development of the Perisher Range including its lodges, buildings and structures and activities emanating from them.

Perisher Range covers all the area accessed by Kosciuszko Road including but not restricted to the centres of Blue Cow, Guthega, Perisher Valley, Smiggin Holes, and Charlottes Pass.

Achievements & Projects

- Founded 2008
71 Family and Individual Members
25 Ski Clubs
- Achieved initial goal of gaining a reputation of trust worthy of caring for the memories and items used in the area.
- Newsletter - Published twice yearly
Issue 13 – Summer 2014 - 15 – Published December 2015.
- Website – to address the needs of the casual reader, the avid skier of the area and the academic researcher.
- Annual Dinner held Sunday of June Long Weekend
Seven very successful events – this year 2015 to be held at Marritz Hotel.
- Display Case maintained in the Perisher Skitube Terminal with rolling subject matter
- Conservation and care of memorabilia, photographic records, oral history, etc.
- Book – Published historical book of the area - *260pp and over 400 images*
"Highway to Heaven – A History of Perisher and the Ski Resorts Along the Kosciuszko Road"
Funded by NPWS and the Perisher Resort – published - June 2013.
Winner **Skade Award**: Presented for an outstanding work on regional ski history
– International Skiing History Association
- Recovery and conservation of the minutes of ski sport administration bodies.
 - NSW Ski Council
 - Perisher Ski Association
 - NSW Ski Association

Help us to capture the experiences of all before the detail is lost forever.

Do you know of people whose experiences should be recorded for posterity?

Call Philip Woodman on 0488 159 888

View the PHS website for more details

Membership Application on reverse.

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Membership Application

Corporate or Club Membership

Organisation

Please provide contact/nominee name below

Individual / Family Membership / Club Contact

First Name

Last Name

Address

Suburb

State Post Code

email

Phone Mb

Type Individual / Family / Club / Corporation (circle)

Annual Fee \$ (see below)

Additional Information

Do you belong to a Club? Y / N Club Name

Please contact me – I have memorabilia (Tell us more below).

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Applicant Signature Date

Annual Fees 2015

Membership year expires 31st December

New memberships after June expire end of the following year; this avoids pro-rata and part year membership issues.

Membership Type	1 Year	5 Year	10 Year
Individual	\$35	\$175	\$350
Family	\$55	\$275	\$550
Club	\$200	\$1,000	\$2,000
Corporation	\$1,000	\$5,000	\$10,000

Payment	Cheques make payable to	Perisher Historical Society
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