



OTAGO SKI CLUB

# SNOWLETTER

## **Death of Mr Bruce Barnes**

Older members of the ski club would like to point out the great way Bruce catered for our ski weekends many years ago. He had the grocery shop opposite Knox Church and packaged the club food on a Friday & a member would then collect the food and bring it up to the hut with them. He looked after members very well.

His funeral was on Monday 11th January.

## **AGM**

This year's AGM will be held on the 30<sup>th</sup> March at the Otago Rowing Club in Kitchener St (near the High Tide restaurant) at 7.30pm. Refreshments will be available. We need as many members as possible to come.

## **2010 Joel Lodge room and meal rates**

These are attached.

## **Newest member of the club**

Congratulations to Yuko and ex-committee member Max Ito on their birth of a gorgeous wee baby boy.

## **2010 Junior Ski Weeks - Week 1 - 4 to 10 July: Week 2 - July 4 to July 17**

Considerable interest for the 2010 Ski Weeks has been received during the summer. Registration information for the ski weeks will be emailed out in April. Those you would like to receive registration information please send email with name, contact number and email address to [skiweeks@osc.org.nz](mailto:skiweeks@osc.org.nz)

Registrations are provisional only until full payment is received. This will be required by 6 June 2010. The cost of the ski weeks has yet to be finalised.

Parent assistance is welcome, although places limited. Those who would like to offer assistance please send contact details (including email address) and preferred week to [skiweeks@osc.org.nz](mailto:skiweeks@osc.org.nz)

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## **Notes from the Family And Child Market Workshop from the Saanz Conference Queenstown 2009**

Groups discussed how to get kids more involved in skiing and perhaps the Ski Club could use some of the ideas?

- Real Estate – set aside for kids – separate/dedicated areas
- Make kids feel special
- Badges (level system with different colours)
- Maintain contact – birthday cards, database
- How do you convert school groups into regulars who bring their parents?
- ½ price parents pass
- Information sent home with them
- One stop shop for family – experience/convenience
- Kid's training
- Media Campaign
- Promoting spring skiing and conditions, No chains, Warmer for kids, Good snow still

