**ECOS Winter Outings**

--Roy and Sue Keats

It's that time of year when we are looking forward to snow and winter activities!

ECOS will be running ski and snowshoe trips similar to the past couple of years which means that different people will need to volunteer for a certain day to lead a trip. The first trip day is scheduled for January 7. Sue and I expect to be able to take that day to get things rolling. The rest will be every Tuesday until the end of February.  Outings will be at locations within the Capital District similar to what has been on our outings list for many years. In general outing locations are chosen based on what the leader of the day can learn about ski conditionseach week.See the list of our potential outing locations and carpool locations for the different sites in the newsletter. The outings generally start about 9:30 am at the trailhead and run for 2 to 3 hours. We hope to get out every day even if we need micro-spikes when the snow does not cooperate. Please call 518-370-4125 or check our facebook page after 3 PM Monday to learn where Tuesday’s outing will be held.