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May 22, 2007



PRESIDENT'S RECAP OF THE 2007 SEASON

I lied in my last hooray article on 3/18/07. I could not end the ski season on 3/18/07 at Ski Roundtop with a retro day. My goal each year is how many days can I get in after Ski Roundtop closes? Eight (Mammoth - 6 days, Okemo - 4 runs, Jay Peak - 2 days). Now for the recap.....

There was no 2006 this past season. The YSC had to cancel an Elk/Sno Mountain trip in early January and we pushed back our Camelback day trip one week. After Old Man Winter showed up disguised as Cupid, the real ski season started. YSC offered great trips to Big Mountain, MT and the snow conditions at Killington, VT were the best in years. Who said there are no glades there? Late season powder conditions at Mammoth and Jay Peak topped off my 2007 season. April was very kind to Vermont with 42" of snow at Jay Peak in the week prior to the IRS deadline and Stowe got 84" for the month. I hope others took advantage of Mother Natures last hooray.

Our Board members are busy reviewing proposals for next year. We'll put in some old favorites and added a few new destinations. Check out this newsletter for dates and places. Hope to see you on the Rail Trail, at the Microbrew Fest or the YSC picnic this summer.

Rick



**Spring Rail Trail Ride & Wine Tasting
Saturday, May 19**

The York Ski Club invites all to join us for a bicycle ride on the York County Rail Trail on Saturday, May 19. We plan to leave promptly at 8:45 a.m. from the Seven Valleys Parking Lot. The lot entrance is located on the east side of Eyster's Machine Shop at 97 Church Street (SR 214) in Seven Valleys .

We plan to ride about one hour south to New Freedom Rail Station (with restrooms). On the return trip, we will be stopping at the Four Springs Winery (50 Main Street) in Seven Valleys around 11:00 a.m. and then proceed to Serenity Station Restaurant (11 Church Street) for a light lunch. There will be at least one car parked at the winery to transport any purchases back to the original departure point.

Please plan to arrive at the Seven Valleys parking lot by 8:30 a.m. If it rains, we plan to skip right to the tasting (11:00-12:00) and eating and the bike ride will be rescheduled for Sunday, May, 20, 2007. Questions call Rick Resh (767-5951)



We need a new Meeting place

We need your help in finding a new meeting location from September to April. Are you a member of a club or organization, VFW or American Legion, that has a room available? Any suggestions, call Rick at 767-5951.

2007 - YSC CLUB MEMBERSHIP AWARDS

1. Cruise Missile Award - To the member who got run over the most times by Bob Gehley; Sam Fredo.
2. The Greatest Yard Sale Award - Tie between Bob Gehley and Sam Fredo on the Chute, at Killington, VT. Both lost ski & poles.
3. Lost Soul's Award - John Delong was telling Mike Byerts that his son takes 8 hours to get from Washington State to Big Mountain because he has to cross Iowa.
4. Cliff Hanger Award - Craig Wentz for tackling a tree on the traverse to the Saddles at Fernes, BC.
5. Dinner Bell Award - In 2006, Rick got a phone call from Mike March, while his son Chris March was hanging on a tree branch off the Cliff Face at Jay Peak. I indicted he was busy.

This year Mike called again about lunch time at Killington. I had to let him know Chris was currently lost in the middle of Nowhere, a gladed run off Cruise Control.
6. Chief Whitecloud Award - Scott Burford, our new telemark skier. Mike Lehman could be proud of this fearless brave with a free heel.
7. Full Moon Award - Actually failed to show up on our last night at Big Mountain. You can really see the slope in the dark, just not the person in front of you.
8. Best Use of Skiwear at a Non Ski Event - Joanne McClellan on the picket line at Harley Davidson.
9. Magic Hat Award - goes to the most unbelievable event of the year. For the second year in a row, Lee McClellan for his jump off an unnamed rock on Bear Run at Ski Denton and sticking the landing.
10. MVP Award - Mary and Gary Amsbaugh who are both Board members. Mary has been our Club Treasurer for decades and does a great job on tracking budget expenses and maximizing our investments. Gary is a Past President and has assisted with many of our bus trips. Mary is a primary point for our Annual Western Ski Trips. Thank you for your dedicated service and we hope to continue to work with you in the years to come.

I Dare You Award - Lee McClellan is always up for a dare. Biking down the hill at the Seven Valleys pavilion and almost decapitating himself on the edge of the railing.....and that was before we had any wine.

Lone Tree Hugger Award - Rick Bosco and his unfortunate date with a tree on Hogan's East at Big Mountain and being left by the group to painfully find his way down.

Atta Girl Award - Joanne McClellan for showing the guys that she can hang right in there with the best of them.

One Ringy Dingy Award - Sharon Resh and the many middle of the night calls to room 107?

Need to go Shopping Award - Having your boots disintegrate on the way to the lift is one way to get Mike March to buy Deb the new boots she's been wanting.

Hot Guy Award - Rick Bosco and his shorts. And for staying out the longest on that infamous Tuesday in Killington. The only questions remaining is....what time did he start that morning?

NOT a Boy Scout Award - Tim Rodencal for not being prepared for the -30 wind chill and making the rest of the "Big Dog" group wait while he went shopping for a face mask while they all stood outside and FROZE.

Gordy Wanna be Award - George Eveler kept the back seat of the bus warm and the music rock'n but he forgot the Bloody Mary's.

Hospitality Award - To both the Grouse Mountain Lodge and the Inn of the Six Mountains for the fireplace areas where we could all gather after dinner and rehash the days events.





Day of Play Sunday, June 10

Ullers is proud to offer its first York Ski Club Members
Customer Appreciation day! Sunday June 10

Ski Roundtop- Lake at the Ropes Course

- 10:00 Basic beginner kayak lesson – free to YSC members
- 12:30 Basic beginner kayak lesson – free to YSC members
- 11-3 Kayak “Try it” demos and.....
Climbing wall and high ropes course open
- 3:30 – 6 Kayaker rescue class – free to YSC members
prepare to get wet!
- 4 – 5:30 Picnic provided by Ullers to PAID, card carrying,
YSC members

You must call Ullers (747-0095) to register for lessons,
demo, climbing wall/ropes course and the picnic.
I need to let the caterer know how many people will be there
so there are no exceptions!!

Registration deadlines:

- Picnic only - June 4 before 5:00 PM
 - Lessons and rescue seminar - June 8 by 5:00 PM
- Ski Roundtop is opening the high ropes course and the
climbing wall for the day for \$5.00 per person trial time.

Golf Outing Sunday, June 17



It's Father's Day.....so treat yourself AND bring your
dad and mom too, to LIBERTY FORGE on Sunday,
June 17th for a 2:00 PM shotgun start round of golf,
followed by a delicious catered picnic. Golf package
includes golf, cart, snacks, picnic, prizes, beer and non-
alcoholic beverages. Cost is \$50.00 per person for the
golf package and \$20.00 per person for non golfers
(picnic, beverages, and prizes).....and **everyone is
welcome!!!** If we have more than 50 participants, one
lucky person will win a one-year membership at
LIBERTY FORGE. Prizes will not be based on score
so everyone can play, have a great day and win some
prizes. Contact Mike Oberdick at 717-246-5692 or
swissnutmike@aol.com no later than June 1st.

MICROBREW FEST JUNE 22, 2007



The York County Heritage Trust is sponsoring the
10th Annual Microbrew Fest on Friday, June 22. (7pm -
10pm) at the Agricultural and Industrial Museum (217 W.
Princess St.). Several YSC members plan to attend.
Individuals are responsible to purchase their tickets in
advance since seating is limited and normally this event
sells out quickly. Advance admission is \$25.00 (YSC
members) or \$30.00 (non-members) and includes a
souvenir tasting mug, food by Porky's Place BBQ, music
and samples from at least 7 local breweries. More
information is available at www.yorkheritage.org website.
No one under 21 will be admitted. Tickets may be
purchased at the Historical Society Museum and Library at
250 East Market Street (Phone: 848-1587). No babies or
pets. Tickets are required for all attendees - tasting and
non-tasters. Discounts available for designated drivers.
Rick



Revolution Baseball Game Sunday, July 15

YSC members and guests are invited to join us for
the War of the Roses. The York Revolution vs. the
Lancaster Barnstormers, Sunday July 15. Game
starts at 6:05 PM. The group price is only \$7 per
person so bring the whole family. We have 25
tickets available. Contact Mike or Bert Oberdick
for reservations at swissnutmike@aol.com or at
246-5692.

Picnic/Pig Roast Saturday, July 28



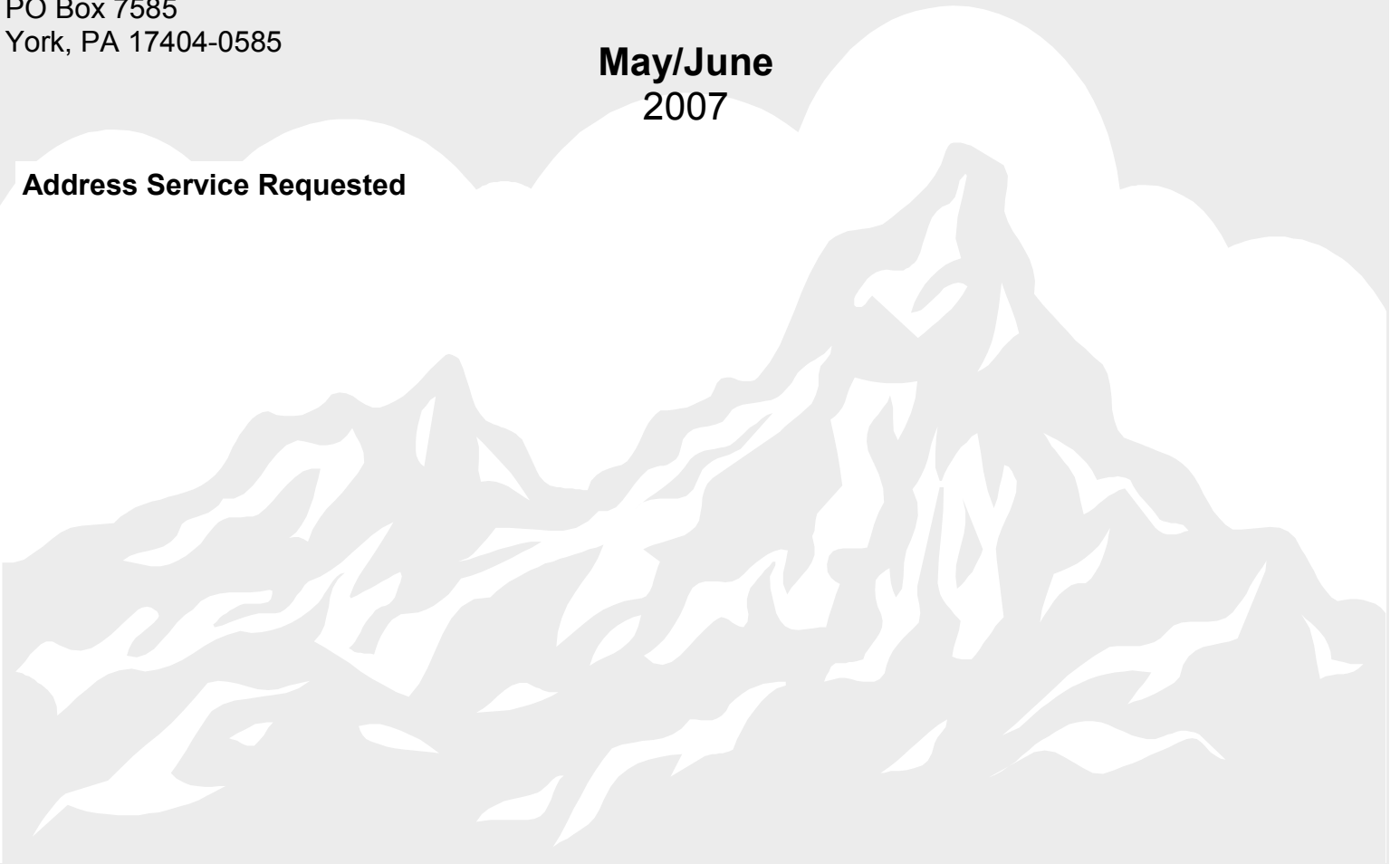
July 28 is the YSC Annual family picnic at the
Gehly home. Pig roast catered by Porky's Place.
Covered dish donations of desserts or snacks are
optional. BYOB. Cost is \$10/adults and \$5 for
children under 10. Reservations are required.
Contact the Gehly's at 266-0506. Maybe Bob
will get his award that day!

Welcome New Members

Quay and Darlene Smith

May/June 2007

Address Service Requested



Club Calendar 2007

Bike ride/wine tasting	May 19
Uller's Day of Fun	June 10
Golf Outing	June 17
Micro Brew Fest.....	June 22
York Revolution Baseball game	July 15
Picnic/Pig Roast.....	July 28
Maryland Wine Festival.....	Sept 16
YSC Meeting.....	Sept 18
YSC Meeting.....	Oct 16
YSC Meeting.....	Nov 20
YSC Meeting.....	Dec 18

Trips 2008

Belleayre NY	Jan 11-13
Whistler BC.....	Feb 2-9
Lake Placid/Gore	Mar 9-12
Spring Fling.....	Mar 26-30

YORK SKI CLUB HOTLINE

www.yorkskiclub.org
Click on messages

2008 Destinations

Details will follow in the July/August newsletter but we wanted you to be able to start dreaming about next ski season now.

We start off the year going back to a much requested area. Belleayre NY for the weekend of Jan. 11-13.

Our major western trip will be to an area we haven't visited since 2001.

Whistler/Blackcomb in British Columbia. Feb 2-9.
You will need a valid Passport for this trip.

Our March Sunday to Wednesday adventure will be to Lake Placid and Gore Mountain. March 9-12.

