

A Club for All Seasons

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Message from the President

The 2011-2012 Ski Season will be arriving soon, and the Board of Directors has approved a full schedule of trips and activities. The *off-season* has been full of transition. The newly elected board members have been shadowing for several months leading up to the July 1 changeover. Transition is like an emotional roller coaster- we get excited and anxious for the future, but we tend to resist changing routine with different surroundings and people. I want to thank all of the outgoing board members for all their hard work and years of dedication to the club. Without their leadership and guidance, we would not be where we are today and the transition would not have been as seamless as it has been.

As a time honored tradition, this newsletter includes the highlights of our seasonal trips and the Club Membership Application. Please note that the club is again sponsoring another trip to Belleayre this year as a "soft opening", but it is not considered our Car Pool Trip. Our car-pool trip is to Canaan Valley, WV and will be led by Chip Konrad. It is an opportunity to travel back in time to "West-by-God Virginia" -my home state. It will be a great adventure and one Huck Finn will be proud of.

The Board decided to mix things up this year and kick off our season with a Western Trip to Big Sky, Montana-with Mike Oberdick as our trip leader. The car pool trip will follow, with our annual New England bus trip to OKEMO, led by Charlie Stuhre.

The trip leaders are offering great opportunities to ski some remote/challenging terrain so support the club and enjoy the season.

Club Reorganization

Reorganization is inherent with transition. Club committees will be reinstituted for the upcoming year. The following are the committees and chairs:

1st VP- --Charlie Stuhre

Membership—Chip Konrad

Social- Casey Schardt

Meetings- LuAnne Snyder

2nd VP--- Mike Oberdick

Finance—Mary Amsbaugh

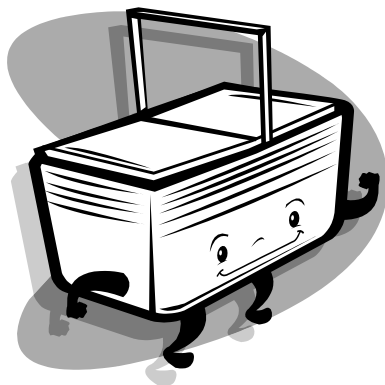
**Newsletter- Robin Konrad/
Joan D'Elia**

It is incumbent upon every member to promote our club so that we may continue to be relevant.

Scott Burford

Rick's report—Microbrew Fest—June 25, 2011

As the days are getting shorter and our thoughts (dreams) turn to winter, ten YSC members/guests attended the York County Heritage Trust 14th Annual Microbrew Festival. With samples from 24-25 breweries/distributors plus a dozen homebrew entries to taste, we forgot all about the recent heat and humidity. Attendees enjoyed a BBQ style dinner from White Rose Bar & Grill and rocking to 60's & 70's music by the Bottom Feeders. There was even a Rick Bosco sighting. My personal favorite was Anderson's Kettle Bottom Brown Ale from Morgantown Brewing Company, WV.



Ski Club Summer Picnic Saturday, August 6th

Save the date, Saturday, August 6th and join your friends from the York Ski Club for a fun filled day of good food, games and leisure. The club will provide a main dish of pulled pork barbeque, soft drinks, and paper plates and utensils. Members are asked to bring a side dish to share. Bring any other beverages you may like to drink as well.

The location this year is a private property located at 1332 Delta Road, Red Lion, PA 17356. For those with GPS, when you arrive to the address you will turn right off of Delta Rd, and bear to the left. Drive down toward the open field and pass a large white barn on the right. Parking is in the field below the barn, in front of the pond area, on the right. You will see the pavilion and pond once you drive down the hill. Do

not turn right on the driveway when you pull off of Delta Road or you will end up at the owners (Mr. Douglas) home. For those without GPS, from York off of Rt 83 at Mt Rose Ave, pass Heritage Hills Golf course, turn right on Edgewood Rd, Route 24 South (Windsor Rd). Bear left to stay on Windsor Rd where 24 turns into Cape Horn Rd, continue on Windsor Road until to get to 74 South, Delta Road, turn left onto Delta Road, approximately 2 miles to 1332 Delta Road on the right. Items to bring: lawn chairs, swimming suit and towels if you want to take a dip in the pond, comfortable shoes, yard games, there is plenty of room for horseshoes, bacci ball, volleyball, or whatever. There is also electric if anyone has a crock pot to keep something warm. If you have any questions please give me a call. 717-840-0770 Now if we just have a nice, sunny day—we will be sure to have a great time. In any case, it is rain or shine, we have cover. Come any time between 3:00 p.m.—8:00. Open to members and guests free of charge! We will need to be out of the area by dark. Anyone wanting to volunteer to clean up afterwards, feel free to join in!!

Member Spotlight - Michael March

I was born in York and attended West York Area High School. I did not start to ski until I was 17. Deb went to Roundtop with her father and enjoyed it. We went together and ever since she claims that she taught me how to ski.

My skiing was limited during college at Shippensburg and graduate school at the University of Maryland, But when I returned to York in 1977 Deb and I joined the York Ski Club for the 1978 season. Our first ski trip with the Club was to Seven Springs. I can still remember having to exit our bus and push it to help it get up a snow covered hill. But it was worth it and we had a wonderful trip. The following year we went to Park City with the club. Another great trip.

In 1981 we bought a house and funds were tight so the trips were local. Then the sons were born and when they both were 4 years of age we taught them to ski. Finally, they were old enough to take on a trip and their first trip with the club was Wyndham and the Wyndham Arms. The Ski Club was like an extended family to our young sons. But alas, now I can't keep up with either of them. So much for respecting your parents!

Today I teach at York College in the Business Department and own a consulting firm providing strategic direction and assistance to small and mid-size businesses. I also serve on the York County Industrial Development Authority Board, chair the Investors Circle of York, work as a director of the Pennsylvania Angel Network, and am a director on several Corporate Boards.



Tuesday Night Socials

Just because ski season is over doesn't mean we can't hang out. Club members are meeting the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. for happy hour socials. It's an opportunity to stay in touch and possibly recruit new members. We are rotating the venue each month to maximize exposure, and to check out the various eateries our County has to offer...schedule is as follows:



July 19 – Bistro 19 — Keep your eye out for an e-mail for more details.
August—Tailgators

Reminders will go out via email blasts and facebook!

BIG SKY, MONTANA
January 21 – 28, 2012

Don't miss out!! The trip is already half full and selling quickly. Check other trips if you feel the urge, but this is the best priced trip for the value. We will be staying at The Lodge at Big Sky, rated the best of the resort. Having just stayed at this hotel last February, I can tell you that this hotel is as good as advertised. With an average of fewer than 2 people per acre, and 5000 acres to choose from, you can ski till your hearts content without being run over! The trip includes

- Bus to BWI
- Flights to Bozeman
- 90 minute bus ride with stop at a local grocery store for snacks & beverages
- Welcome party
- Breakfast every morning

The Lodge at Big Sky has inside and outside hot tubs **AND** an indoor pool. Lift tickets are 5 of 6 day, including one day at Moonlight Basin. If you want to take a day off, Yellowstone Park is nearby and can be seen via snowmobile or snow coach. The terrain offers plenty of skiing at every level. With a lack of crowds, you can ski at your own pace, whether a novice or an expert.....and it's a great place for beginners to take lessons. I am sure you will not be disappointed if you JOIN US for this trip. Contact Mike Oberdick (717-542-1735 or swissnutmike@aol.com) to sign up TODAY!



*Moonlight Boat Ride on
Lake Redman*



*William Kane, York
County Park
274 Hess Farm Road,
Jacobus, PA*

Date: Friday, August 19, 2011
Time: 8:30—11:00 p.m.

Cost :

- \$20/Couple (2 occupants) - Park owned boat
- \$15/Couple (2 occupants) - Private owned boat
- \$2.00 /per person for each additional person

*Enjoy boating on Lake Redman after dark
in a row boat, pedal boat, canoe, kayak
[single or double].*

*Limited number of each type of boat available.
Please specify.*

2-hour program starts with 90 minutes of free time

30-minute astronomy tour by an amateur astronomer.

Participants must provide their own flashlight.

Park provides life preservers, boat and paddles / oars.

Ice-Cream Sundaes on shore after the program.

Pre-registration required

For more information contact LuAnn Snyder.

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Hot August Blues—August 20, 2011

Looking for a great venue to kick back and listen to the blues this summer? This is it, Hot August Blues!!! Confirmed acts include Tedeschi Trucks Band, Robert Randolph and The Family Band, Kings Go Forth, J. Roddy Walston and The Business, and Tom Larsen! Details regarding each band can be found at hotaugustblues.com as well as exacting details about the festival itself.

This is an all day festival and historically has hours from 11am to 11pm. Two stages for rotating acts. Beer, Wine, Food and Craft Vendors. Tickets will be available the day of the show at \$50 for those making last minute plans. Parking will be charged this year at \$8 a vehicle so carpooling is an option to consider. Food and drink will be available for sale at this event. To purchase tickets in advance contact Shawn McEachern 843-6883 or email shawnmce@comcast.net. If desired, you can also purchase tickets directly from HAB website mentioned above.

York Ski Club—FaceBook Page

Follow the link below to access the York Ski Club on Facebook:

www.facebook.com/pages/York-Ski-club/192978427412429

Click the "Like" button at the top of the page to get connected to the club.

YORK SKI CLUB HOTLINE

www.yorkskiclub.org
For Membership and Trip Applications

Club Calendar 2011

Tuesday Night Social..... July 19
Ski Club Picnic August 6
Moonlight Boat Ride August 19
Hot August Blues..... August 20

Okemo

March 4-7, 2012

Our 2012 New England Trip will be three days at Okemo Mountain Resort, VT. The trip includes 3 nights lodging at The Pointe at Castle Hill Resort, full breakfasts and all gratuities, round trip via Conestoga Tours coach, and lift tickets for 2 days. Cost is \$389.00 PP if you sign up by 9/30 (\$409. after that date). Price is based on a minimum of 30 members. \$100. deposit due in August. More details in the September news letter. Early signups at the club picnic. Call Charlie at 755-1216 for details.

Meeting Locations

Subs Unlimited Plus
Beside Tailgaters
204 St. Charles Way, York
Off RT 74 (Queen St)

Timberline / Canaan Valley—WV (mark your calendars) Auto trip—Leader: Chip Konrad

Dates: Feb 9—12, 2012. Stay 4 nights in the high mountains of Canaan Valley, WV. Ski Canaan and Timberline resorts and tour the area on X Country Skis or snowshoes! Rentals Available. Cost: \$275. 2 lift tickets and 1 dinner .More to follow

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