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GE SKI CLUB NEWSLETTER

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SPRING BLAST

IT'S OUR ANNUAL CELEBRATION
IT'S A 1960'S SPRING BEER BLAST
IT'S OUR INSTALLATION DINNER
DATE: MAY 2



PLACE: Franklin Avenue, Clinton TIME: 7:00 to Midnight
COST: \$23.00 per person Checks made out to the GE SKI CLUB
HAPPY HOUR: 7:00 PM TO 8:00 PM Cash Bar Beer will be included until it
is all gone Finger Food
DINNER Buffet: 8:00 PM until 9:00 PM " ALL YOU CAN EAT" Includes
Chicken, Sausage, Peppers, Onions, Vegetarian
Pasta, Potato, Vegetables Salad, Rolls, Relish Dish, Coffee
Regular/Decaf and tea Dessert

DANCING: 9:00-Midnight-Don Brown If you can remember the "SIXTIES" This will be the dress of the evening!!
COME ONE COME ALL AND HAVE A BLAST. RELAX AND HAVE A GREAT TIME.
Please no Diapers.... Let your hair hang down Enjoy **DEAD LINE FOR PAYMENT IS APRIL 25TH.. NO
EXCEPTIONS!!**

Please call Kathy at 853-5946 to register or if you have any questions. Send
payment to Kathy White at 166 St. Mary's Avenue, Clinton, NY 13323
Or pay at any function we have until April 25.

DINNER AT CASA TOO MUCHA



WE'RE DINING AT ONE OF OUR AREA'S GREAT RESTAURANTS, CASA TOO MUCHA ON
May 8th, AT 6:15 PM. COME JOIN US FOR SOME FINE MEXICAN FOOD. WE ARE
HAVING A MEXICAN BUFFET. BUFFET INCLUDES 4 APPETIZERS, 4 ENTREES, DESSERT -
- STRAWBERRY SHORTCAKE, AND COFFEE. THE COST IS \$11. PLEASE SIGN UP BY
APRIL 30th . CALL MARY AT 738-1495 FOR YOUR
RESERVATION



Munsttute Mixers

A WAY TO ENJOY THE ARTS AND UNWIND
FRIDAY, APRIL 25TH
5:30 PM- 8:30 PM

OPEN GALLERIES, LIVE ARTISTS, MUSIC, CASH BAR,
SPECIAL DRINK OF THE MONTH, AND LIGHT HORS
D'OEUVRES BY O'CONNOR'S ALEXANDER HAMILTON
INN CALL 797-0000 X 2117. THE MIXER IS BEING HELD AT
THE FOUNTAIN ELMS , SAME AS LAST YEAR'S SPRING
EVENTS

CLUB SALE DAY

AT THE EMS STORE IN
CAROUSEL MALL
20% OFF
SALE STARTS FRIDAY,
APRIL 25TH 4 PM-9 PM
AND ALL DAY
SATURDAY, APRIL, 26TH.

BRING YOUR CLUB
MEMBERSHIP CARD.

BOARD OFFICERS FOR 2003-2004

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If you have questions about the club or need information about a certain event, you can direct your e-mails to several of our board members. They are listed above

HAPPY HOURS:

(Begin after work, although, many arrive after 6)

April 25th – Munstitute Mixer @ Munson Wms-Proctor Inst. Call 797-0000 x2117 for More details MAY 6TH –Tuesday Night at Cavallo's –7:30 PM
MAY9TH – LEGENDS on Erie Blvd, Rome
MAY 16th – Mr McGills
MAY 30th – The Waterfront – Herkimer(across from thruway



!!! MARK YOUR CALENDER !!!

MAY 2 2003: Spring Banquet @ Clinton V F W
May 17th - Kayak Trip on The Otselic River
July 25th-27th, Camping Trip to Cranberry Lake

THE EDGE IS PUBLISHED MONTHLY.
TO AVOID DELAYS OR NON-DELIVERY PLEASE SEND
CHANGE OF ADDRESS TO: MEMBERSHIP/GE SKI CLUB
PO BOX 327
NEW HARTFORD NY 13413
SEND ARTICLES TO BPHDUMKA@AOL.COM

NOTES from the PREZ...

WE'VE ENDED THE YEAR WITH A GREAT TRIP TO UTAH. THE SKI AREAS WERE HUGE AND WE HAD A VARIETY OF CONDITIONS. I THINK THAT EVERYONE HAD A WONDERFUL TIME. WE'LL LOOK BACK ON THIS AS ONE OF THE BEST. THANKS GO OUT TO PAUL ZAJAC FOR PLANNING A GREAT VACATION!! AND, MANY THANKS TO BARB, RON SQUIRES, AND MARY AND ANYONE ELSE WHO HELPED OUT WITH OUR GREAT WEEKEND TRIPS. WITH THE SKI SEASON NEARLY OVER, WE LOOK TO OUR SPRING AND SUMMER EVENTS. YOU'LL FIND OUTINGS PLANNED IN THIS AND UPCOMING NEWSLETTERS.

OUR APRIL MEETING HAD ANDY WITH HIS TIPS ON STORING SKIS IN THE OFF SEASON AND MIKE HARDIMAN WITH SOME GREAT PIZZAS. THANKS TO BOTH.

THOSE WHO WENT TO THE HORNED DORSET WERE TREATED WITH AN EXCELLENT EVENING. IF YOUR ENTRÉE WASN'T ALREADY AWESOME, THE DESSERT OF RASPBERRY SORBET AND CHOCOLATE BOMB WAS OUTSTANDING. THANKS TO DON HACKLEY FOR PLANNING THIS!!
RON GEISKOPF

THE NEXT BOARD MEETING IS MAY13TH 6:15 PM, AT THE CASA TOO MUCHA 13 GENESEE ST., NEW HARTFORD

If you're having trouble receiving the e-mailed version of our Newsletter, you can download the newsletter from our Website..www.geskiclub.org.

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION/APPLICATION:
CALL OUR MEMBERSHIP CHAIRS:
HEATHER (337-2818) or
ACTIVITIES OPEN TO ALL 21 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER.

CHECK OUT THE CLUB WEB PAGE
UPDATED BY GUY Y AT
www.geskiclub.org
FOR CLUB ACTIVITIES AND PICTURES.



SUMMER PARTY AND UTAH REUNION

AT DOREEN AND CONRAD DORN'S FRIDAY , JUNE 27TH 5 PM UNTILL ??
ENJOY AN OUTDOOR EVENING AT THE DORN'S PATIO AND POOL. BRING YOUR SWIMSUIT AND TOWEL. COME SHOW US YOUR PICTURES OF UTAH AND SHARE SOME MEMORIES.

BRING A DISH TO PASS.

SIGN UP WITH MAUREEN 732-3690 OR EMAIL: skigoddess20@msn.com OR MARCI AT 737-8936 OR E MAIL: marcig99@msn.com DIRECTIONS: From New Hartford across from Utica Mutual take Rt. 12 to the intersection of Rt. 12 and Redhill Rd. (Crown Hill Cemetary on the left), Turn right on Kellogg. The Dorn's house is 3/4 mile on the right hand side. Red Hill turns into Kellogg at that intersection. Coming from Clinton go up Kellogg about 2-3 miles; their house will be on the left.

CANAL LOCK 20 PICNIC

SUNDAY, JUNE 8TH AT THE PAVILLION AT CANAL LOCK 20 IN MARCY

TIME: 11 AM UNTIL

COST IS \$4 . THE CLUB WILL PROVIDE BEER ,SODA, AND CONDIMENTS. YOU BRING YOUR HAMBURGS, BBQ CHICKEN, ETC, TO GRILL AND A DISH TO PASS.

PLAYERS OF UTICA PRESENT

RUN FOR YOUR WIFE by Ray Clooney
Directed by Rose Cirillo

SAT , JUNE 14TH 8 PM

UTICA COLLEGE STREBEL AUDITORIUM

SEND YOUR PAYMENT OF \$11 ASAP

PAYABLE TO GE SKI CLUB

SEND TO ATTN:PLAY

PO BOX 327

NEW HARTFORD NY 13413

DEADLINE IS MAY 20TH

If You Are Planning On Working At The Boilermaker Water Stop, And Nothing Has Changed; Address, Or Tee Shirt Size; You Must Let Andy Know By April 28th. If You Are New Or Some Info Has Changed Let Andy Know Correct Address And Tee Shirt Size. Call Or E-Mail Andy At 735-0349, Or Andy @Ugefcu.Net If Andy Does Not Hear From You By This Date You Will Not Be Getting A Tee Shirt Or Party Tickets



Bike Ride, Saturday May 10

Meet at Burger King in Boonville (in town on Rt. 12) at 10:00 AM.

Ride will be approximately 20 beautiful miles, helmets and water are suggested.

Pack your lunch. Oh, and Mercer's Ice Cream after the ride!

Questions call Marci, 737-8936 or Dave, 942-3134



DINNER

MAY 22TH – DINNER AT THE FRANKLIN HOTEL ON SOUTH JAMES ST , ROME. DINNER WILL START AT 6:15 PM. WE'LL ORDER OFF OF THEIR FINE MENU. CALL ED CAMPBELL AT 336-3510 FOR YOUR RESERVATION BY MAY 19TH.

GOLF

WE'LL BE GOLFING ON MONDAYS AGAIN AT THE HAMILTON GOLF COURSE. Directions: Drive up College Hill Rd, pass the sign for Bristol Campus Ctr and take the next right onto Campus Dr. Follow for about ¼ mile, then turn left for the Athletic Ctr. GIVE JEANNINE YOUR E MAIL ADDRESS SO THAT SHE CAN KEEP YOU INFORMED OF PLANS OR ANY CHANGES. E MAIL HER AT jmurtag@hamilton.edu or call 839-5493 or 859-4339. Starting date will depend on the course conditions, so contact Jeannine

CHECK OUT THE CLUB WEB PAGE WHICH IS ALWAYS UPDATED BY GUY Y at geskiclub.org CLUB ACTIVITIES AND PICTURES OF PAST EVENTS.



GOOD WEATHER WILL BE HERE AND SOME OF YOU WILL BE COMING ALONG ON OUR BIKE RIDES. IT IS A GOOD IDEA BEFORE YOU RIDE TO HAVE YOUR BIKE TUNED UP AND CHECK YOUR TIRE PRESSURE. MOST TIRES ARE UNDERINFLATED. PAMPER YOURSELF AND HAVE YOUR BIKE CHECKED OUT NOW



May 14th Bike ride after work.
Meet 6 pm at (parking area near the Pic N Pay lumber) to ride along the old Erie Canal. .contact Ed at 336-3510

ROLLERBLADING

WE'LL ROLLERBLADE ON WEDNESDAYS STARTING ON MAY 7TH, 6 PM AT THE GRIFFISS TECH PARK ON BROOKS RD. DIRECTIONS: TURN RIGHT ON BROOKS RD AND CONTINUE OUT PAST THE FIRE STATION TO THE OLD GAS PUMPS. MEET AT THE PARKING AREA ON THE LEFT.



TOUR de CURE

TIRED OF JUST SPINNING? WELL RIDE ON THE AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION'S TOUR de CURE ON SUNDAY, JUNE 1ST. HELP 17 MILLION AMERICANS WITH DIABETES ALL IN ONE DAY. AFTERWARDS THERE'S GREAT FOOD AND MASSAGES AVAILABLE. REGISTRATION IS \$15 UNTIL MAY 25TH. RIDE BEGINS AT THE VERONA BEACH STATE PARK. GREAT ROUTES-15, 40, 62, 5, OR 100 MILES. FOR FURTHER INFO ON GETTING A TEAM TOGETHER, CONTACT MARCI AT 737-8936 OR RON AT 732-5926. FOR GENERAL INFO, CALL 1-888-342-2383 X 3693.



OMMEGANG BREWERY TOUR

THIS IS ONE FINE BREWERY THAT HAS BELGIAN STYLE BREWS JUST OUTSIDE OF COOPERSTOWN NY. THEY HAVE A "GREAT BEER DESERVES GREAT FOOD" WINTER SERIES WHERE A FEATURED TALENTED LOCAL CHEF PREPARES A DISH TO BE SAMPLED ALONG WITH ONE OF THEIR GREAT BREWS AT NO ADDITIONAL COST TO THE TOUR. COME WITH US ON A TOUR ON APRIL 26TH. WE'RE MEETING AT 11 AM AT THE NEW HARTFORD SHOPPING CENTER NEAR FROSTY'S. CALL RUSS AT 725-5555 FOR MORE INFO.


GE SKI CLUB, Inc
PO BOX 327
NEW HARTFORD NY 13413



HIGHWAY CLEAN UP
SAVE THE DATE
**SATURDAY, MAY
3RD.**

MAY ISSUE



Visit our new addition to the web site.

The forum.

Here you can ask questions, give some advice, or browse through what other have commented on. It is a **EXCELLENT** addition to our excellent site. Enjoy



HIGHWAY CLEAN UP

SAVE THE DATE. WE'RE DOING OUR HIGHWAY CLEAN UP PROJECT AGAIN ON SATURDAY MAY 3RD. MEET AT 8:30 AM AT ZEBB'S PARKING LOT. WE DO RTE. 5B FROM ZEBB'S TO STIEVATER'S ON RTE. 12B. JOIN US. WE USALLY GO FOR COFFEE AFTERWARDS. FOR MORE INFO. CALL PAT AT 853-6728

2003 SUMMER MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

½ YEAR (MAY 2003 - OCTOBER 2003)

PRICE: \$5 Per Person

Please make check for MEMBERSHIP ONLY payable to G.E. Ski Club, Inc.

CHECK HERE IF YOU WANT A NEWSLETTER E-MAILED TO YOU

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

- CHECK HERE IF YOU WANT A NEWSLETTER MAILED TO YOU FOR AN ADDITIONAL \$5

LAST NAME:

FIRST NAME:

ADDRESS:

CITY, STATE, ZIP+4:

HOME PHONE:

WORK PHONE:

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The undersigned acknowledges that the G.E. Ski Club, Inc., or it's Board of Directors has made no representation of any kind and agrees that neither the Club nor the Board of Directors is responsible for any acts or omissions of any persons or group and releases the Club from any and all claims. The undersigned also understands that, as a sports club, the G.E. Ski Club, Inc., events that he/she participates in can be inherently dangerous. This could result in personal injury, including catastrophic injuries, death, or property damage. The undersigned acknowledges that he/she will participate at their own risk and responsibility and releases the Club from any and all claims. The undersigned also certifies that he/she is at least 21 years of age.

**THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED TO PROCESS
YOUR MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION!!!**

SIGNATURE: _____

Mail check and this form to:

G.E. Ski Club, Inc. PO Box 327

NEW HARTFORD, NY 13413

Check here if you **DO NOT** want your name, address and phone number published in our newsletters Roster. []

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Membership Number: _____ Processed By: _____ Referred By: _____

Date Membership Card Given/Mailed: _____ Application Date: _____

ANNUAL KAYAK / CANOE TRIP ON THE WEST CANADA

WE'RE KAYAKING THE WEST CANADA ON SUNDAY, MAY 4TH. WE'LL MEET AT 11 AM AT THE INTERSECTION OF RTE 28 AND PUTNAM RD AT THE FISHING ACCESS. BE PREPARED TO SHUTTLE CARS DOWN TO NEWPORT WHICH WILL TAKE A FEW MINUTES. TRIP IS 3.5 HOUR PADDLE WITH SOME LIGHT RAPIDS. PACK A LUNCH FOR A MID-DAY BREAK. AFTERWARDS, WE'LL GO TO THE WEST SIDE SALOON IN NEWPORT. CALL RON AT 337-1830



KAYAK THE OTSELIC RIVER

WE'RE KAYAKING THE OTSELIC RIVER ON SATURDAY, MAY 17TH. WE'LL BE TRAVELING DOWN TO "HEAVEN" WHICH IS ALSO TOM O'HARA'S CAMP. IT'S LOCATED OUTSIDE OF CINCINATUS. THIS IS A SCENIC RIDE DOWN RTE 26 WHICH SHOULD TAKE ABOUT 1 ½ HOURS, EXCEPT FOR NASCAR DRIVERS. BRING A DISH TO PASS. SIGN UP. WE'LL MEET AT 9 AM NEAR FROSTY'S IN THE NEW HARTFORD SHOPPING CTR. CALL TOM AT 738-0941 OR E MAIL HIM AT oharatom@dreamscape.com. CAMP PHONE: 607/863-4496.

May

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
				1	2 SPRING BANQUET CLINTON VFW	3 HIGHWAY CLEAN UP@ ZEBB'S 8:30 AM
4 KAYAKING TRIP ON WEST CANADA CREEK	5	6 HAPPY HOUR CAVALLO'S 7:30 PM	7 ROLLER BLADING @ 6:00 PM GRIFFISS TECH PARK	8 DINNER @ CASA TOO MUCHA 6:15 PM	9 HAPPY HOUR LEGENDS ERIE BLVD. ROME PADDLEFEST	10 BIKE RIDE@ 10:00 AM BURGER KING BOONVILLE
11 MOTHER'S DAY	12	13 BOARD MEETING @ CASA TOO MUCHA 6:15 PM	14 BIKE RIDE 6:00 PM ERIE CANAL PARK	15	16 HAPPY HOUR @ MR. MCGILL'S	17 KAYAKING TRIP ON OTSELIC RIVER
18	19 GOLF HAMILTON COLLEGE 5 PM CALL JEANNINE@ 8395493	20	21 ROLLER BLADING	22 DINNER @ FRANKLIN HOTEL 6:15 PM	23	24
25	26 NO GOLF	27	28 ROLLER BLADING	29	30 HAPPY HOUR @ THE WATERFRONT IN HERKIMER	31 KAYAKING @ FISH CREEK

June

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
1 TOUR de CURE	2 GOLF HAMILTON COLLEGE 5 PM CALL JEANNINE@ 8395493	3	4 ROLLER BLADING 6:00 PM GRIFFISS ROME	5 SARANAC THURSDAY'S PARTY START	6	7
8	9 GOLF HAMILTON COLLEGE 5 PM	10	11 ROLLER BLADING GRIFFISS	12	13 HAPPY HOUR @ TOMBSTONE'S	14 PLAYERS UTICA COLLEGE PRESENTS RUN FOR YOUR WIFE 8 PM
15	16 GOLF HAMILTON COLLEGE 5 PM	17	18 ROLLER BLADING GRIFFISS	19	20 HAPPY HOUR @ THE COVE	21 KAYAKING @ LAKEVIEW MARSH
22	23 GOLF HAMILTON COLLEGE 5 PM	24	25 ROLLER BLADING GRIFFISS	26	27 SUMMER PARTY & UTAH REUNION @ THE DORN'S CONTACT MAUREEN 7323690	28
29	30 GOLF HAMILTON COLLEGE 5 PM					

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