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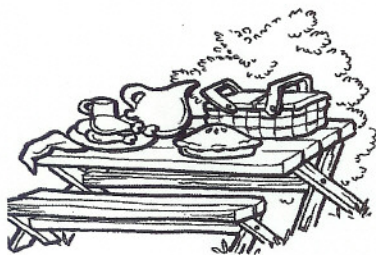
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KAYAK AND PICNIC PARTY

AT TONY AND JAN'S ON SNOWBIRD LAKE

Sunday, Aug 3rd. We'll Kayak The Normally Serene (Until We Get There)

Snowbird Lake at Tony and Jan's. There'll Be A Picnic Afterwards.

Please Sign Up For A Dish To Pass. **Contact: Jan Or Tony At 392-6699**

By Thurs. July 31st With Your Dish To Pass. Jan And Tony Will Supply

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs And Rolls. Plan On Arriving At 11:00 Am.

CLAMBAKE AND BEACH PARTY

**OUR CLAMBAKE | BEACH PARTY WILL BE HELD ON AUGUST 9TH AT
HINCKLEY LAKE STATE PARK**

Time: 11 a m

Location: pavilion closest to the beach

Cost: \$15

We'll have hamburgers & hot dogs, beer, soda, wine, and 2 doz. Clams plus all the condiments. Please sign up for a dish to pass. Sign up early for more of a choice.

Call mike at - 732-2826 or E MAIL VIRNA @

MOOD772000@YAHOO.COM

Deadline for sign up is august 1st.

There is a \$ 5 per car admission cost for the park,

Car pool?



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NOTES FROM THE PREZ:

We Had A Great Weekend, Starting With Some Fun Kayaking On Kayuta Lake Thanks To The Hospitality Of Mary And Bernie. The Water Was Higher This Year At Crandall Falls So Ed Couldn't Slide Down On Some Of The Rocks Like Last Year. The Trip Had Some Rain On The Paddle Back. We Shared Some Great Salads And Food. Thanks Again Bernie And Mary For Another Great Day!!

This Year's Boilermaker Was One Of The Coolest That I Can Remember. We Had A Good Turnout For Our Water Station. While Setting Up, Jim White Looked Like He Was Going To Drench Someone With One Large Trash Can Of Water But It Backfired When He Blew Out The Bottom Of The Can. Someone Tell Marty That He Can Get His Donuts At Hemstroughts At 5am And Can Come Join Us Sooner. Congrats To All Our Runners. Did Anyone See Mike Semeraro's Picture In The O D Running Down Champlin Ave enjoying every minute? Thanks to Andy and all for all your help.

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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

**THE NEXT BOARD MEETING IS 6:15 PM,
AUG. 12TH, AT THE CASA TOO MUCHA
13 GENESEE ST., NEW HARTFORD NY**

HAPPY HOURS:

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

**Aug. 1st. Craze Clam, Sylvan Beach
Aug. 8th. Harpoon Edie's Sylvan Beach
Aug. 15th West Side Saloon
Sept. 5th Marc's Seneca Inn New Hartford
Sept. 12th, Saranac Fall Fest @ Brewery
Sept. 19th Nothing Fancy Vernon**

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

PAUL (942-3134)

ACTIVITIES OPEN TO ALL 21 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER.

!!! MARK YOUR CALENDAR !!!

**Aug. 9th, CLAMBAKE at HINCKLEY
Aug. 10th, Blue Mt. Lake Hike and Kayaking
Aug. 16th Bike Ride @ the Buffalo Head
Aug. 17th, Big Moose Kayaking
Aug. 22nd Ed's Beds Weekend.
Sept. 2nd Miniature golf @ The Gold Rush
Westmoreland.**

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Rural Bike Ride

Sat. Aug. 16th, at The Buffalo Head Restaurant

An easy 14 mile rural blacktop bike ride around the Forrestport Station area.
We will meet at the Buffalo Head parking lot at 1:45 PM Helmets recommended

Happy Hour and Dinner planned for after the ride.

Questions? Call Marci @ 737-8936 or Dave Parzych @ 942-3134

The F.X. Matt Brewing Co. (Saranac) is hosting a

Fall Fest Music Festival

at the Brewery September 11-13. The details are:

Thursday, 9/11. 4PM-9PM; 3 bands. \$5 in advance or \$7 at the door.

Friday, 9/12. 4PM-9PM; 3 bands. \$5 in advance or \$7 at the door.

Saturday, 9/13. 12PM-9PM; 5 bands. \$5 in advance or \$7 at the door.

Saranac products and food will be sold.

LAKE PLACID /HIGH PEAKS WEEKEND

HIKE IN THE HIGH PEAKS OF THE ADIRONDACKS NEAR LAKE PLACID

WHERE

YOU'LL FIND MANY FINE RESTAURANTS, SHOPS , THE OLYMPIC SKI JUMPS, MT VAN HOEVENBERG AND MORE.

WE'RE STAYING AT THE JACK RABBIT INN ABOUT 2 MILES FROM THE SKI JUMPS ON RTE 73 NEAR LAKE PLACID .ON FRIDAY,SEPT 26TH THRU SUNDAY, SEPT -28TH. THIS PLACE HAS A LARGE KITCHEN AND MANY BUNK BEDS!! THE COST FOR THE WEEKEND IS \$60 WHICH INCLUDES 2 BREAKFASTS AND LUNCH FOOD. SEND PAYMENTS ALONG WITH A TRIP APPLICATION TO : GE/ LAKE PLACID WEEKEND, PO BOX 327, NEW HARTFORD NY 13413.

Miniature Golf

Come one come all to our first Miniature Golf Championship to be held at
The Gold Rush in Westmoreland.

Sept. 2nd, Putting starts at 6:30 P.M.

Don't be the one who says, Oh I wish I could have been there. Join in the fun!!!

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.

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We'll be Rollerblading / Biking on Wednesdays at 6 PM at the Griffiss Tech Park
Directions: Turn right on Brooks Rd. Meet at the Square parking lot across from the Defense Finance and Accounting Service bldg. On Brooks Rd. You can Bike on base or near by.

Raquette Lake "Get-Away"

This summer, get ready for a cruise on Raquette Lake aboard the *W. W. Durant*. We are planning a luncheon cruise (11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.) on Saturday, August 02nd. The cruise is narrated and will highlight historical landmarks. If our group numbers 20 people or more, the per person cost = \$26.50; otherwise, the cost = \$29.00 (which includes tax and gratuity).

Other attractions available (on our own) in the area would be a tour of Great Camp Sagamore, and a visit to the Adirondack Museum in Blue Mt. Lake.

If you'd like to *be aboard* for this luncheon cruise, please send your payment (\$26.50) to ATTN: "Raquette Lake," GE Ski Club P.O. Box 327, New Hartford, NY 13413. Please **call Karen @ 724-2359 immediately**; or send an e-mail to Skiesprit@AOL.com.

August

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
					1 Happy Hour Craze Clam Sylvan Beach	2
3 Tony & Jan's Kayak and picnic party on Snowbird Lake	4 Golf @ Hamilton College 5 pm Call Jeannie @ 8395493	5	6	7	8 Happy Hour Harpoon Eddy's Sylvan Beach	9 Clambake @ Hinkley lake
10 Kayak & Hike @ Blue Mt. Lake	11 Golf	12 Board Meeting @ the Casa Too Mucha 6:15 pm	13	14	15 Happy Hour West Side Saloon	16 Bike Ride @ The Buffalo Head
17 Kayaking Big Moose Lake	18 Golf	19	20	21	22 Ed's Beds Weekend	23
24	25 Golf	26	27	28	29	30
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September

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
	1	2 Miniature Golf 6:30 @ Gold Rush on rt. 233	3	4	5 Happy Hour Marc Seneca Inn New Hartford	6
7 Kayaking or Canoe trip @ Indian Lake	8	9	10	11 SARANAC Fall fest Weekend	12 Happy Hour @ the Brewery 4 PM till 9 PM	13 SARANAC WEEKEND
14	15	16	17 Dinner @ Sparagna's 6:30 Lenox Ave. Utica	18	19 Happy Hour @ Nothing Fancy Vernon	20
21 Hike @ Pillsbury Mt.	22	23	24	25	26 Lake Placid Weekend	27 Jack Rabbit Inn
28	29	30				

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Pillsbury Mountain Climb-Sept. 21

A great climb near Speculator, Pillsbury Mt. has an elevation of 3597 & has a great view of the lakes & mountains in the West Canada Lakes region. The hike is moderate to difficult. Bring a lunch & plenty of fluids.

We will meet at the HSBC bank in Mapledale at 9:15am.

Directions: Drive to Speculator, then turn left onto route 30, proceed north till you see Jessep Road (left). Go down that road till you see the parking area for the mountain.

Any questions call Mike H at 732-2826.

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