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Hello Snowdrifters!!

Well, this is my first attempt at the cover letter for the newsletter so hang on.

When I joined the ski club back in 2014, I never envisioned that I would become an officer of the club. At that time, I was looking to meet new people with a common interest in skiing and enjoying more ski trips than the occasional ski trips during my career. The ski club did not disappoint with new friends and memorable ski trips both in the US and many countries! I am glad that I can be of service to the club to give back what the club has given me.

I would like to thank Greg Olson for his recent service and leadership as the Vice President and then President over the last 4 years. A sincere Thank You to the Board members, Committee members, Trip Leaders, and Activity/Event leaders for their creativity and volunteer efforts in making this ski club both exciting and engaging. This past year saw a record seven ski trips including two to the US West, two to Canada, Italy, the Upper Midwest and the upcoming "once in a lifetime" Portillo Chile ski trip in September 2023. We enjoyed many events and new venues including last year's End of Year Party at the Venue, golf outings, the Speedway, pickleball introduction, Kickoff Party at Brother Chimp Brewing, and the Christmas Party.

Looking forward, we welcome Michelle Etherton as the Vice President and Cathleen Downs McDonald will be the Membership Chair. We also want to recognize the other Board and Committee members who will continue in their service in their current positions, some for more than several years.

As a club, we want to continue to promote great ski trips and memorable experiences for all members, promote social events and meetups to develop our friendships, give back to other organizations where we can through volunteer efforts, and seek creative ideas and your input for our meetings and events. However, we need the engagement of all club members to volunteer and serve on the Board and Committees, as trip leaders, and event leaders. You will find it a fun and rewarding experience; and I promise you, you won't be alone in your efforts.

We are planning some great 2024 ski trips, including Big Sky Montana, Val Di Fassa Italy, Big White Canada, a Midwest Family trip, and more. We also have a great turnout for the Comedy Vault event in Batavia on May 12th.

Enjoy your Spring season and have a Happy Mother's Day!

John Walsh

President





We are on a roll with the trips for 2024 and intend to have the trips on sale June 27th at 6:30 at the Old Towne Pub for at least Big Sky and Europe and hopefully most of the other trips.

Chile has 11 people going right now for a September 5-12, 2023 trip. This trip includes four days of skiing, four meals a day at Portillo and three

nights to explore Santiago with breakfasts included. You must sign up by May 1st to guarantee the price of \$3,400.

2024 Trip Planning:

The first trip is January 6th –12th to Big Sky Montana. Joe, Peggy and Eileen are the trip leaders. This is a seven day trip with five days at Big Sky. We are staying at the Huntley Lodge which is a Ski in/Ski out property. The base price (air and land only) for Big Sky is \$1,600. The 2024 lift ticket pricing should be announced in early June. The 2023 lift pricing was as follows; Adult 3-day lift tickets for last year's groups were \$597; Seniors (70+) were \$522. The five-day lift tickets were \$845 adults and \$715 for seniors. We expect a moderate increase in those rates. Our tour operator will be offering a discount on Big Sky's Flex Pass which has the lowest pricing and allows you to use your 3 or 5 days of skiing in Big Sky for any date in the 23/24 season. There will also be an opportunity to buy a full or base Ikon pass at preseason rates through the tour operator. Details to follow!

The second trip is January 18th -21st and is the Snowdrifter Midwest family ski trip. We are not sure yet where it will be but will probably be a 4 to 6 hour drive. The plan is to find a location that will offer activities for all ages (pool, etc.) and discount pricing for kids. The idea is to be able to have kids and grandkids go on this multi-generational trip. Maureen, Joe and Bre are planning.

The third trip is January 27th -February 3rd to Italy's Sellaronda region Val Di Fassa. We chose this trip because the trip this year to Paganelli was so well done. The vendors that took us around and introduced to other things in Italy such as wineries, food, tours, and history are also setting up this trip. We are looking at side excursions from the Val Di Fassa region for winery, cheese factory, WW 1 history, food and more. Also the Sellaronda is the largest skiing area in the world linking together more than a dozen ski areas in the Dolomites and has spectacular scenery. We are also working on a 4 day extension to Sicily until February 7th. Frank, Sue and John W. will be leading this trip.

We are looking at a one day get out and ski with the club locally on February 10th. The club is negotiating discount lift tickets and rentals or lessons if people would like a fun day with tailgating included. Michelle and Cathleen are planning this trip.

Another trip is Winter Park where we would take the ski train from Chicago to Winter Park then fly back. Tentative dates are February 24th - March 1st. Trip is being planned for 5 nights. Mike and Hank are the trip leaders.

We are planning a trip March 7th -12th to Big White in Canada \$1,550 plus lifts. There are 32 spots available. This trip offers ski in/out accommodations at a huge Canadian ski area. The trip leaders are Mark and Frank.

The final trip in mid-late March is for the Lake Placid Olympic Extravaganza. You will be able to ski the largest vertical in the North East, choose to ride the Olympic luge or bobsled, see the Olympic museum and working on other special Olympic events. The flights below are direct to

Burlington, VT with a short 60 mile bus ride. It will be five nights at the Grand Adirondack Hotel, billed as vibrant hub in the heart of Lake Placid. The hotel rooms are two queens to a room with a microwave, Keurig and mini-fridge. Also includes a 4 day adult lift ticket to Lake Placid.

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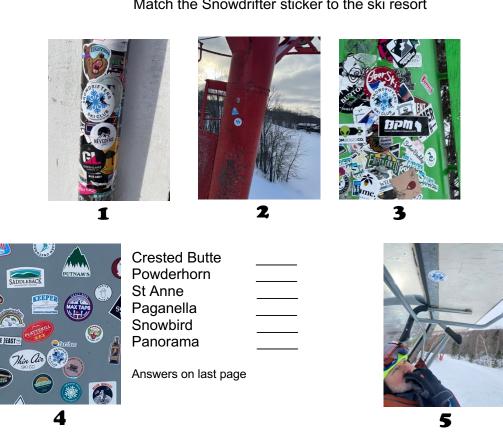
Other trips in the works for the future: Japan winter of 2025 and New Zealand fall of 2025.

As you can see we need trip leaders to volunteer, please let us know if you are interested. Also a number of the trip leaders will be attending the CMSC Ski Trip Seminar on May 20th, please let us know if you are interested in attending that.

John and Frank

The Match Game

Match the Snowdrifter sticker to the ski resort



Sept. 1st - 10th, 2023

Portillo, Chile

Let's ski in the southern hemisphere!! **\$3,400** per person

Once in a lifetime experience!!

Airfare to and from Santiago on Delta Airline

Transportation to Hotel Portillo at the Portillo Ski Area 4 nights

Over the past 60 years, Portillo has earned a reputation as an excellent destination for skiers and snowboarders from all over the world. The snow quality in Portillo is excellent and is often likened to that of the Rocky Mountains. Skiers of all skill levels find what they are looking for on a mountain and come back year after year.

Here is a general breakdown of the terrain:

- Beginner -15%
- Intermediate 30%
- Advanced 30%
- Expert 25%

The ski area features 1,235 acres of skiable terrain, 14 lifts and 35 runs. Beginner and intermediate runs are groomed nightly, off-piste runs are challenging and steep, and the powder is often deep. The bowls and shoots perfectly collect the light, dry snow and the above-tree-line landscape turns into a white playground. Pair this with frequently sunny, blue skies and it is easy to understand why many quests, even professional skiers, say they've had some of their best ski days at Portillo.

Bus Trip back to Santiago

Hyatt Centric 3 nights - Santiago - Sept. 7th - 10th

Hyatt Centric Las Condes is one of the 5-star hotels in Santiago, Chile, located in the modern district of Las Condes. Offering an ideal location to explore the city, the hotel is close to metro transit, providing a convenient connection to discover Santiago's popular historical spots. This bustling area is surrounded by trendy restaurants, specialty shops, local cafes, and more.

Payment Schedule (per person):

\$500 due May 1st Deposit

May 25th \$1,000 June 25th \$1,000 July 25th \$900

Trip Leader for additional questions:

John Gamble: 630-761-9550, john@johngamble.net Co-Trip Leader: Michelle Etherton, carey michelle@live.com



May 12th

SOLD OUT!

A reminder to those that have paid:

Please arrive early (6 pm) for our seating arrangements.

Snowdrifter 9-Hole Golf Scramble Outing

Sunday, June 4th

Pottawatomie Golf Course

845 N. Second Avenue • St. Charles, IL 60174

First Tee Time 12:20

\$20/person for 9 holes to walk. The course is an enjoyable walk - Pull carts are available to rent for \$4. Pay at the Course Plus \$12 per person for riding golf cart – Maximum 2 riding carts per tee time. Availability of Riding Carts is Not Guaranteed.

Get-together After Golf at a Place to Be Determined

SIGN-UP ON-LINE at FOX VALLEY SNOWDRIFTER'S WEBSITE

Player pairing requests are <u>welcome</u> SPACE LIMITED TO 1ST 24 Players

BIKE HIKE TO BREWERIES

Saturday, June 10th

Hosted by: Marie and Stan Bryl and Joe Hopp



Time: Meet at 1 PM

Meeting Spot: 2011 Gillenwater Street, Batavia, IL

Where: Bike to Pollyanna Brewing Company and Sturdy Shelter Brewing

Distance: R/T distance will be about 16 miles at a leisurely pace

Calling all bikers! Join us on Saturday, June 10th for a leisurely ride up and down the path along the Fox River. We will meet at the Bryl's house located at 2011 Gillenwater Street in Batavia at 1 PM. We are located just a very short ride from the path along the beautiful Fox River. We will ride first to Pollyanna Brewing in St. Charles where will we have some fun refreshments, then we'll turn south and head to Sturdy Shelter in Batavia. From there, it is a very short ride back to the Bryl's house. For those that are available, we'll meet up at the Bryl's for some post ride fun. We have a large patio and yard for everyone to gather. Stan and Marie will supply brats to grill. Feel free to bring a dish to pass (or just bring yourself) along with extra lawn chairs. Bring cash/credit to purchase refreshments on the ride.

RSVP to Marie Bryl at: mcbryl@yahoo.com

There are only 5 spots left! To register please, email Maureen Joy at mojoy@comcast.net

Let's have a ball! Snowdrifters End of Year Bash **TUESDAY JUNE 20 DOORS OPEN 5:00, GAME 6:30 Kane County Cougars** 34W002 Cherry Ln, Geneva, IL Includes: Private Air conditioned suite **Game Tickets** 2 hour All-You-Can eat buffet 2 adult beverages General lot parking pass REGISTRATION DEADLINE **MAY 10 LIMIT 60** IF registration is closed please contact mojoy@comcast.net **BEFORE MAY 17** as additional spots are available at increased cost







Snowdrifters Ski Club Tales of the AMAZING Trip to...

Snowbird and Alta, Utah!!

Two of the Greatest Ski Areas on EARTH WERE incredible, as predicted...

INDESCRIBABLE POWDER ABOUNDED!!

❖ Trip Details: SNOW... LOTS OF SNOW!— Saturday we arrived at the magnificent Cliff Lodge for LIVE music at Plazapalooza! After music, made "The Journey" through Snow Tunnels...



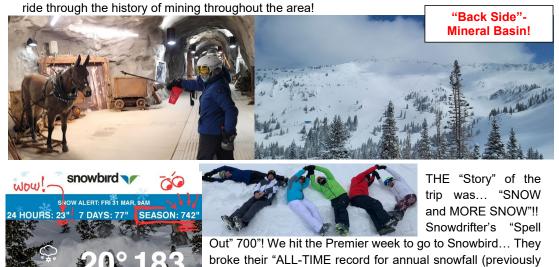
❖ To the Wildflower Pizza restaurant, traversing the HEAVILY LADEN snow banked walkways. Evidence why Snowbird often has times of Avalanche Control for its patrons! Pizza Party a BLAST!



Sun, Mar 26 – First Ski Day started off with a Breakfast Buffet at the Seventy One Restaurant, THEN... The Snowdrifters attacked the mountain from every lift and direction.



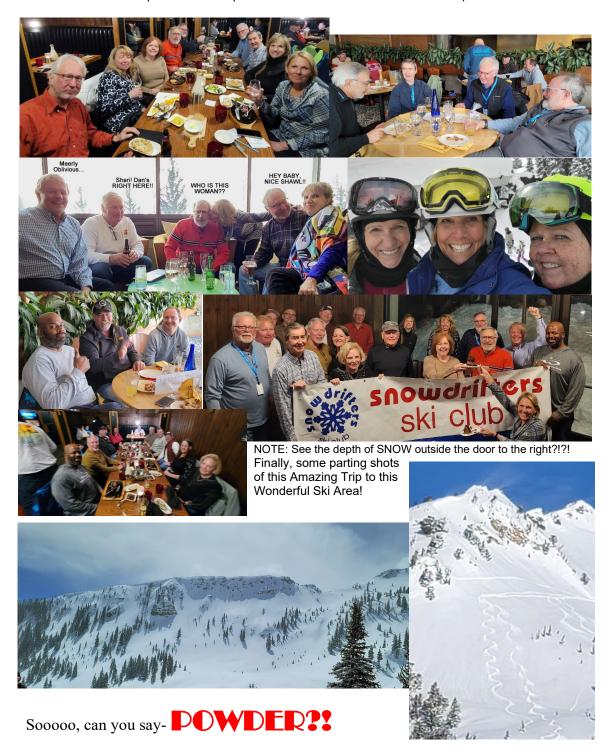
Snowbird's beauty on a NEW SNOW, SUNNY Day is indescribable... you have to be there! The "front side" of Snowbird is Majestic... But the "Back Side" is truly a Treasure- Mineral Basin after the "Trip through the Tunnel" makes it all worth the while! The mountain tunnel to Mineral Basin was a "magic carpet"



682") during OUR week there!! By the time we left... they had over 742" of SNOW... and it's STILL Snowing out there!!

SNOW REPORT

No Snowdrifter's Trip would be complete without some PARTIES!! And THIS Trip had the Parties!



Member Spotlight

My Ski History with Fox Valley Snowdrifters

By Richard Smith

I started skiing in 1981 with a work group going to Majestic Mountain near Lake Geneva after work on an occasional Friday night. Took a couple of lessons there on rented skis with plate binding – hated those things.

About 1984 Lowell Iverson invited me to join Fox Valley Snowdrifters and I started going on some weekend bus trips. There was a strong singles group then and as I had just been divorced, it was a good fit. They were friends and family to me. We hung out together on trips and did regular TGIF bar hangouts in St. Charles and Geneva. On most trips I roomed and skied with Bob Hoffman. In those early days I spent a lot of time falling and getting up. So much so that my neck was sore, and I had to hold my head with my hands to get out of bed. Bob hung with me through it all even when he could have gotten a lot more skiing in without me.

I bought my first ski equipment package at the Sports Authority and for a little while they were good enough. I quickly found out on my first western trip to Whistler-Blackcomb in 1988 that these skis were no longer adequate, and I bought new equipment from Vertical Drop in St. Charles. I made several new equipment and apparel purchases there and was very sorry when they closed doors.

After two western trips I took a week of ski lessons at Steamboat with Lowell Iverson. A very good investment that improved my skiing immensely. Lowell had to convince me not to ski trees as he didn't want to see me get hurt on our last day. Thanks Lowell.

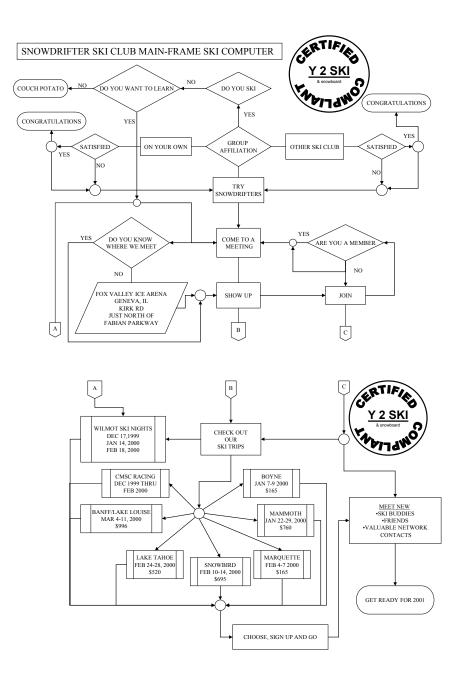
Dates are blurry but I think it was in 1990 that I became Treasurer and took the books over from Bill Pierson. I became Vice President under Joe Waldeck then President (1994-1996). I later served at various times as Treasurer, Trip Chairman and Secretary.

At that time, we became active in CMSC racing. We had a team of some 6-10 racers that would do it for fun and challenge. It made skiing at Wilmot and other small hills worthwhile. Plus, I was good enough that I took first place in the Vet C class. Then they moved me to Vet B class, and I would crash and burn without any medals. After 3-4 years it got old as we spent every weekend for nearly 3 months either on our club trips or racing. Life goes on.

In 2006 I got transferred to Decatur with Cat and couldn't participate as much. I did several Snowdrifters' trips 2006-2015, and I also tried to participate with central Illinois clubs. The Decatur ski club folded before I showed up as no one wanted to organize the trips. The Champaign, Bloomington, and Springfield clubs would only do the CMSC spring trips, and one organized by "Ski Kouncil of Illinois." They were more focused on dinner and summer activities.

In 2015, on the Copper Mountain trip, I felt that my body just didn't like this activity anymore. I've tried to exercise more to be in better shape, but my ski days are over. My last trip was on my own to Big Sky in 2021 and it beat me up. Strength, balance, coordination, stamina, recovery are just not good anymore. I love the sport so much I'm sad to admit this.

We had a couple of historians for a while but don't know what became of Bill Pott's work. I remember Jim Halley had the position once. He went to Utah for a while and now is in Florida and is an avid bicyclist.



Membership list pre-1995

KATHRYN WOJTYNA	STAMFORD	WILLARD POTT	GENEVA	TIM LENZEN	ST CHARLES
THOMAS KING	STAMFORD	BILL POTT	GENEVA	CATHERINE SEBOLT	ST CHARLES
JOYCE BARONE	MILFORD	SUE VOELZ	GENEVA	MARY KAY GODFREY	ST CHARLES
GREG BARONE	MILFORD	KEN BRINEY	GENEVA	JIM KRIECHA	ST CHARLES
DORTHY DUCK	LADY LAKE	ROSE KLAUBA	GENEVA	CRAIG BIHLMAYER	ST CHARLES
WM HILDEBRAND	MT. JULIET	BROOKE MURPHY	GENEVA	KATHY HENNEK	ST CHARLES
CAROLE CARMONA	ARLINGTON HTS	CAROL FARMER	GENEVA	LANNY FRAWLEY	ST CHARLES

GILBERT CARMONA	ARLINGTON HTS	MAUREEN POTT	GENEVA	JOANN POBRE	ST CHARLES
BARBARA YOUNG	CRYSTAL LAKE	EDWINA CLINTON	GENEVA	RAYMOND POBRE	ST CHARLES
JAMES INGEMANSON	CRYSTAL LAKE	*RICH ROGERS	GENEVA	PAULA SCAFURI	ST CHARLES
JAMES ZOENER	FOX LAKE	JULIE ROGERS	GENEVA	MAUREEN FRAWLEY	ST CHARLES
KATHY GEORGEN	LINDENHURST	KARREN BROWER	GLEN ELLEN	AL SEBOLT	ST CHARLES
LISA LEONHART	LINDENHURST	DENNIS HENDERSON	GLENDALE HTS	RALPH SCAFURI	ST CHARLES
AIMEE HUNTSHA	LAKE ZURICH	LAURA HENDERSON	GLENDALE HTS	JOHN FRAWLEY	ST CHARLES
TOM HUNTSHA	LAKE ZURICH	PATTY BLAKELY	HUNTLEY	DON GODFREY	ST CHARLES
HEIDE KENDZIOR	MCHENRY	JOHN BLAKELY III	HUNTLEY	ROGER VOGTMANN	ST CHARLES
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CHARLES LANE	MC HENRY	GUNTHER BECKER	LOMARD	GERRY BLAKELY	ST CHARLES
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CHARLES MENSIK	W. DUNDEE	GREG BECKSTROM	ST CHARLES	DORETTA KRIECHA	ST CHARLES
GREGORY REIGEL	ELBURN	JANE HENINGER	ST CHARLES	*JOHN BLAKELY II	ST CHARLES
ELAINE PATANELLA	ELBURN	JANE KUNATH	ST CHARLES	GLORIA TLUSTY	W CHICAGO
LYNN JOHNSON	ELBURN	RICK POULTON	ST CHARLES	FRANK TLUSTY	W CHICAGO
JUSTIN PATANELLA	ELBURN	JIM VIDMICH	ST CHARLES	CHARLOTTE CARNOT	WHEATON
PAMELA REIGEL	ELBURN	SHERYL KEITH	ST CHARLES	ANITA KNIGHT	WHEATON
*BARB LENART	ELGIN	RUTH CURRIE-MARSTON	ST CHARLES	NORMA BUDZINSKI	WHEATON
*BOB LENART	ELGIN	TED RANNEY	ST CHARLES	DON KNIGHT	WHEATON
AL SPITZENBERGER	ELGIN	ROGER SERSTED	ST CHARLES	RONALD BUDZINSKI	WHEATON
JIM WARDZINSKI	ELGIN	JANET WEBER	ST CHARLES	KAREN DARGATZ	WINFIELD
RANDY DALTON	ELGIN	GEORGE MCILVAINE	ST CHARLES	PATRICIA EBELT	WINFIELD
RANDY DOTSON	ELGIN	ANDREW MARSTON	ST CHARLES	MAUREEN HARAZIN	EVANSTON
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SUSAN BARA	AURORA	DALE RICHARDSON	BATAVIA	CONNIE PACE	WARRENVILLE
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JOHN SAVAGE	BATAVIA	MAGGIE HARAZIN	NAPERVILLE		
FLIP POPP (Phyllis)	BATAVIA	RICH HATTEBERG	NAPERVILLE		
*RUTH WINGARD	BATAVIA	EDWARD MC CREEDY	NO AURORA		
JOE WALDECK	BATAVIA	BRIAN GRIFFIN	N AURORA		
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Snowdrifter Michele Kinzler's rendering of the Buonconsiglio Castle. This is done on heavy plastic paper called yupo. She applied powdered graphite and pulled out all the light areas with different types of erasers. This is from the balcony of Buonconsiglio Castle in Trento, Italy.

HAPPY MOTHER'S PAY

Snowdrifters' Calendar

May 12th The Comedy Vault

7-9 PM

May 16th 6:30 PM Board Meeting

7:30 PM General Meeting

Old Towne Pub, Geneva

Guest speakers; Northern Illinois Food Bank & Heart

and Soul organization

June 4th Annual Spring Snowdrifters Golf Scramble

June 10th Bike Hike to Breweries

June 20th End of Year Bash

June 27th Special Trip Sign Up Meeting

6:30 PM @ Old Towne Pub

The Match Game

answers

Crested Butte 3
Powderhorn 2
St Anne 5
Paganella 1
Snowbird 4

Panorama JG forgot the stickers

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