

Foxtales

March, 2018



Monthly Meetings are usually held the first & third Wednesday of the month at

THE BAR

2435 W. Nordale Dr.
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Upstairs in the Skybox
Social 7 pm

Meeting 7:30 pm

Next Meetings:

March 7th

March 21st

Check out our web site:

www.slyfoxskiclub.org

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**March 21st
Elections &
Pre-Trip Meeting
for Aspen**

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President's Column Bruce's Blurbs

Fellow Skiers

Our western trips are here. Keystone is the first weekend of March and Aspen will be the last week of March. We just wrapped up Big Snow II. Nancy led a great trip and the skiing was excellent. See more details in this newsletter.

Share the enjoyment. PHOTOS...on the slopes, buses, airplanes, restaurants, happy hours, group photos. SEND photos to marketing@slyfoxskiclub.org. Remember to add a few words, where you were, fun with friends, 30000 feet of vertical. You get the idea. We want to add these to our website and try to keep things looking current and inviting.

We started our nominations of the officers at the last meeting. We have a few on the list but are looking for more. How about volunteering your time and help your club continue to be a successful organization. We are accepting nominations thru March 21, which will be our election meeting and pre-trip for Aspen. Save the date... Friday April 13th at the Mariner Banquet Venue – this will be our Spring Banquet and induction of 2018-19 officers.

CMSC TRIP SEMINAR 2018 – May 19th - We will be attending the CMSC Trip Seminar to meet with ski trip suppliers, hills, and others. This will be held at the Sheraton Chicago O'Hare Airport Hotel. If you would like to attend, the cost is \$25 before April 1 and after that the price increases to \$30. This fee will be refunded to you after you attend. Lunch is included as is the Beer Party afterward with tons of door prizes donated by the exhibitors. To sign up, send your check, marked "CMSC Show", to the Sly Fox PO Box. There will also be morning Club Leadership Sessions. Some of us will be spending the night, but the club will not be reimbursing any travel expenses. We can get a car pool set up to help share the gas and tolls. It is always a fun and informative day.

Bruce



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Meet up @ Happy Hour
 Start the weekend with the Sly Foxes
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This is not an official club function but rather just an informal gathering of members for Happy Hour at different locations throughout the month.

- **March 2 - DoubleTree by Hilton (Neenah)**
 123 E. Wisconsin Avenue, Neenah
 920-725-8441
- **March 9 - Beefeaters British Grille & Pub**
 2331 E. Evergreen Drive, Appleton
 920-730-8300
- **March 16 - The Appleton St. Sports Bar & Grill**
 124 N. Appleton Street, Appleton
 920-731-8885
- **March 23 - Appleton Beer Factory**
 603 W. College Avenue, Appleton
 920-364-9931
- **March 30 - Draft Gastro Pub**
 664 W. Ridgeview Drive, Grand Chute
 920-585-1618
- **April 6 - Stone Yard (Greenville)**
 N1739 Lily of the Valley Drive, Greenville
 920-750-6960

Do You have a Happy Hour location that you would like to see the Sly Foxes meet at? Please e-mail: newsletter@slyfoxskiclub.org

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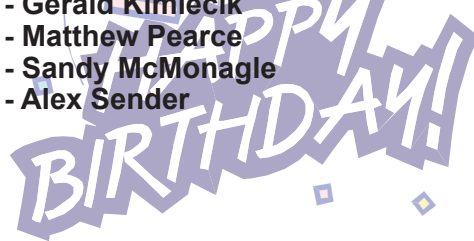
Birthdays

March

- 1 - Vicki Martinek
- 1 - Deb Matz
- 3 - Timothy Reich
- 6 - Brett Fisher
- 6 - Angela Nessel
- 8 - John Heiberger
- 9 - Mark Delveaux
- 9 - Harley Priebe
- 13 - Kathy Sager
- 15 - Sybille Nickel
- 15 - Michael Weber
- 25 - Jay Curtiss
- 28 - Lisa Belau
- 28 - Roger Kloehn
- 28 - Eric Edwardson
- 28 - Gerald Kimiecik
- 28 - Matthew Pearce
- 31 - Sandy McMonagle
- 31 - Alex Sender

April

- 1 - Joni Conrad
- 4 - Mark Nelsen
- 6 - Bonita Jordan
- 6 - Chelsea Oglesby
- 11 - Jason Derenne
- 14 - Terry Rentmeester
- 14 - Kathy Thielke
- 24 - Tony Groesc4
- 24 - Pete Thielen



BIG SNOW II WRAP-UP by Nancy Smith

Friday night thirty seven of thirty nine who signed up, loaded the bus nearly ahead of schedule and it set the tone for the weekend. A few of us wore our Mardi Gras masks for the mask competition on the bus. Jane Kurath won a bloody Mary mixing set along with a Sly Fox tag for luggage and a Sly Fox can cozy. Everyone got beads to wear for the weekend. We had ample food on the bus to eat on the way up and plenty of beverages. Upon our arrival, Indianhead Lodge had our room packages ready along with Mardi Gras masks. After checking in, many went to bar to hear live music. Everyone was up bright and early to have breakfast and ski. The first track people got out right away regardless of the neg zero temps. By mid-afternoon the sun was high in the sky and the snow conditions were perfect which made for a great day of skiing. After, some went back and hit the pool, Jacuzzi and sauna, and others got together at the lodge bars for some great live music and comradery. That evening we were treated to a dinner of baked haddock, chicken parmesan and garlic mashed potatoes. After, those who weren't tired from the day's activities went to listen to the Abler Brothers band and get their Mardi Gras party and dance on.

Sunday morning all were up bright and early, ate breakfast and loaded the bus on schedule. Except two! One person was moving just a little slower than the rest and one we had turn back around to get their cell phone. Well needless to say, we had two Lunar award nominees. Powderhorn had great conditions, regardless of the cool breeze that rolled in. Deb Bramschreiber put on a wonderful meal; home cooked jambalaya and homemade chicken soup, along with Gluehwein wine. A mulled spiced warm wine. As always the meal was piece de resistance. (outstanding). It gave a chance for the members to meet up at the wine hut half way through the day and regroup for the afternoon skiing. Powderhorn Management was wonderful in the snowmobile rides they provided for hauling the food to the wine hut, starting the fires on the stoves and giving three non-skiers rides up to the hut. Their graciousness is appreciated. We loaded up the bus as soon as the lifts closed and headed back. With a stop in Minocqua for a quick bite to eat, some snacks on the bus and of course the Lunar Award presentation to Brett Fischer. Brett was nominated by Tim Parker. As the winner, Brett received a Mardi Gras jester hat which he obliged us in wearing. No, I am not telling what Brett did to get the nomination. As the saying goes, what happens on a Sly Fox Ski Trips stays on the Sly Fox trip. It was funny though and Brett is a great sport. All in all, a great weekend.



2017 - 2018 SLY FOX TRIP LIST



BIG SNOW I - Indianhead & Blackjack JANUARY 5 - 7, 2018

Trip opens for sign up Oct. 4, 2017

COST \$280 Initial Deposit: \$100

Includes Lamers motor coach, subs & beverages on the bus up to Wakefield, 2 nights lodging Indianhead Lodge, 2 breakfasts, dinner included Sat. night, 2 lift passes, Sat. & Sun. Indianhead & Blackjack Mts. A shuttle is available between Indianhead & Blackjack. X-Country skiing available. Bus departure at 5:30PM Green Bay (location TBA), ALSO 6:00PM The Bar on Lynndale, Appleton. Return trip, beverages with food stop in Minocqua (on your own) with arrival approx. 10:30PM Sunday. Sign up & complete info in Newsletter & Website.

Trip leader: TBA, interested in being a trip leader contact: Sam Fontaine, samfont@athenet.net



BIG SNOW II Indianhead/Blackjack & Big Powderhorn Mts. February 9 - 11, 2018

Trip opens for sign up Oct. 4, 2017

COST \$290 Initial Deposit: \$100



Round trip Lamers coach to Wakefield, MI. with subs, snacks & beverages. 2 night lodging Indianhead Lodge (hot tub & pool), 2 breakfasts with dinner Sat. night. 2 lift passes: Sat., Indianhead/Blackjack & Sun. Powderhorn. Shuttle is available between Indianhead & Blackjack. X-Country skiing available. Bus departure at 5:30PM Green Bay (location TBA), ALSO 6:00PM at The Bar on Lynndale, Appleton. Return trip, food stop in Minocqua (on your own) with arrival approx. 10:30PM Sunday.

Trip Leader: TBA, interested in being a trip leader, contact Sam Fontaine, samfont@athenet.net



KEYSTONE, COLORADO Friday, March 2 thru Tuesday, March 6, 2018

Trip opens for sign up Oct. 4, 2017

Cost- \$865 Initial deposit- \$400

Round trip Motorcoach from Green Bay & Appleton to Milwaukee. Southwest Airlines from/to Milwaukee to/from Denver. Round trip Motor Coach to/from Keystone. Three day lift pass for Keystone, A-Basin and Breckenridge (1 day). Lodging is at Lakeside Condominiums (2 bedroom/ 2 bath) & within walking distance to bars and restaurants in Keystone. Free shuttle to the Ski Lifts. Hot tubs located on the premises

Trip Leader: Sam Fontaine, samfont@athenet.net



ASPEN, COLORADO March 24 - 31, 2018

Trip opens for sign up Oct. 4, 2017

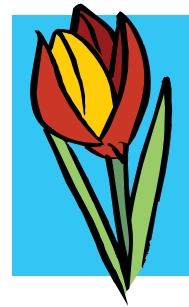
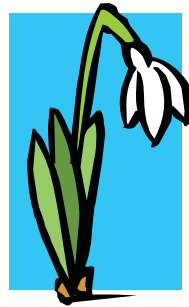
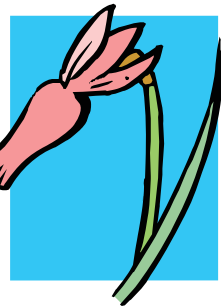
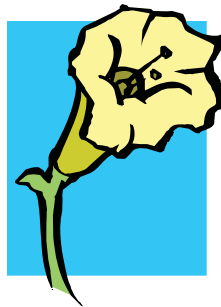
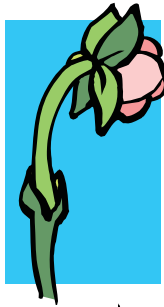
Cost- \$1550 Initial deposit- \$500



Round trip Motorcoach transfer to Milwaukee Airport. United Airlines round trip from/to Milwaukee to/from Denver. Motorcoach transfer to Aspen, CO. Condominium lodging at The Gant at Ferner Condominium Resort. Two bedroom condos, full kitchens, fireplace, laundry, 3 hot tubs & 2 heated pools on the premises & located right in Aspen, blocks from main lift. All within walking distance & free shuttle to restaurants, shopping, nightlife, Aspen Mountain Gondola & Transportation Center. Includes 5 of 7 day All Mountain Lift Pass for Aspen, Snowmass, Aspen Highlands & Buttermilk Mountains. Free shuttle to any of the 4 Mountains.

Trip leader: Sam Fontaine, samfont@athenet.net

**TRIP IS FULL
WAIT LIST ONLY**



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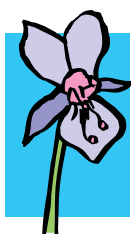
Annual Spring Banquet
Friday, April 13th, 2018
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Dinner: 7pm
Cost: \$20 per person

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