

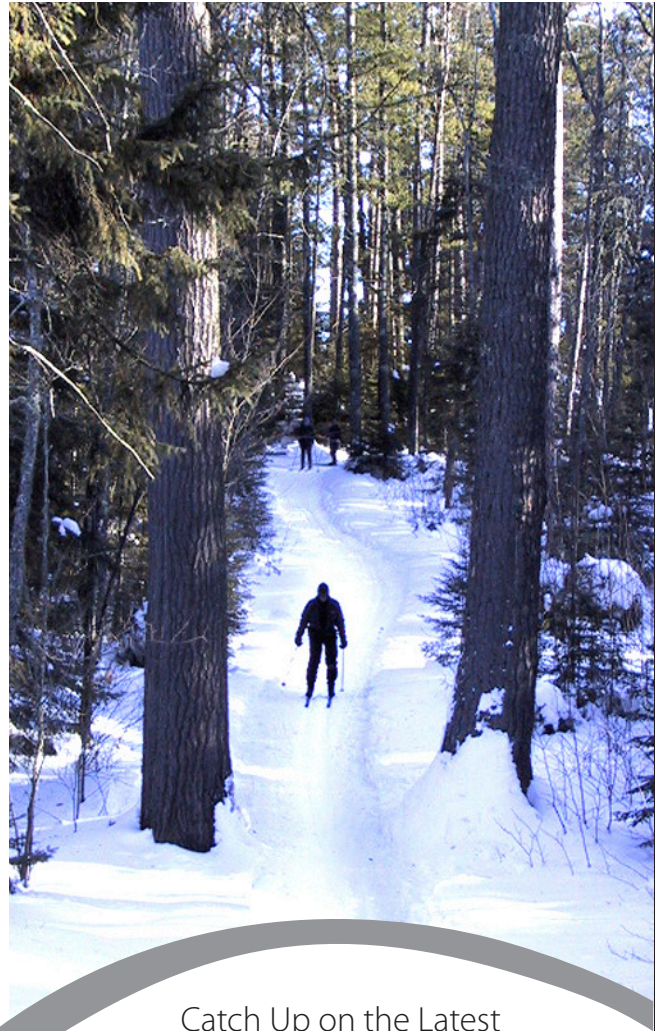


NORDIC SKI CLUB

— ANNUAL — MEMBERSHIP — MEETING —

**Tuesday,
October 5th, 7 pm**
University Lutheran Church
390 4th Ave South, St. Cloud
(West entrance, lower level)

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2010/2011 WINTER OUTINGS CALENDAR

Waxless Wednesdays: Evening Skiing at Quarry Park

Join us for an easy hour or so of skiing around the lighted trails of Quarry Park each Wednesday night in January and February if snow conditions allow for skiing. We will meet at 6:30 PM at the trailhead parking lot.

Call Carl and Diane Bublitz: 259-1939

Saturday, December 18: Wildwood and/or St. John's

We will have something to eat at the Local in St. Joe afterwards.

Call Pat McNeal 253-0229 for details.

Saturday, January 8: Go-Where-It-Snows

Lets head out for a day trip to wherever snow conditions are best. Our plan is to ski about 1-2 hours in the early afternoon within the St. Cloud area.

Call Carl Bublitz at 259-1939

Saturday, January 15th: Stanley Eddy Wright County Park

Stanley Eddy near South Haven has challenging hills on the north & south loops that reach the highest point in Wright County. Trails are rated intermediate. Plan to stop at long time family owned MOM's café after the ski.

For car pool and times call Jeff Koshiol 253 5641

January 21-23: Telemark area near Cable, Wisconsin

We will stay at the Pilot Fish Inn with people making their own reservations. Individual rooms are \$64 plus tax, and a 2 bedroom suite with living room and kitchen is \$119 plus tax. There is great skiing in the area at Rock Lake, Drummond Trails, as well as the Telemark Trail system. The Inn has 8 rooms and 2 suites. We can wait until December or later to make reservations but I'd like to know how many are interested by the time of the annual meeting.

Call Pat McNeal at 253-0229

Saturday, January 29: Sibley State Park

Join us for an afternoon of skiing at Sibley State Park. The park has 17.5K of groomed trails ranging from novice to expert. We will meet at the Interpretive Center in the park. A park permit is required. After skiing we will stop in nearby New London for a bite to eat at a local cafe. Call for details on time and carpooling.

Leaders: Joanie Robinson and James Bryer 253-7787

Sunday, January 30, Sons of Norway Barnelopet

Our Nordic Ski Club will help host the 4th Annual Sons of Norway Barnelopet tentatively scheduled for Sunday, January 30, 2011 at 1:00 p.m. This year we're trying to provide FREE ski lessons for adults before the Barnelopet.

Instructors needed. For more info, contact Tolly Vollen, 252-6230 or Bryan Amo

Saturday, February 5: Woodland Hills

We will drive to Elk River and ski this well maintained track. This is for people who love hills! We will eat in Elk River after skiing.

Contact Pat McNeal 253-0229 for details.

Saturday, February 12: Mille Lacs Kathio State Park

Mille Lacs Kathio State Park offers great cross-country skiing for both beginners and experienced skiers alike. Trails vary from gentle tracks along the Rum River to hilly courses through hardwood forest. There is also a visitor center/warming house at the trailhead. Call trip leader to arrange carpooling from St. Cloud. Annual sticker or day use permit required in state park. For those wanting a bit more socializing and a bite to eat after skiing, we will look for a local restaurant on our way home.

Call trip leader Steve Zinsli (320-253-2018).

February 18-20: Pine Pointe / Camp Du Nord (near Ely)

This weekend of skiing in the Boundary Waters has been a club favorite for many years. We arrive Friday evening and stay till Monday (President's Day Holiday). There is an option of staying through till Tuesday morning at no extra charge. We have reserved two modern log cabins at Pine Pointe. Members of each cabin will work together to cook meals in their own cabins. Cost is \$120 per person. Pine Pointe/Du Nord is located about 15 miles north of Ely.

Call Steve Zinsli (work: 320-308-3242, home: 320-253-2018)

MOONLIGHT SKI January ??? 2011

Yes there will be a Moonlight Ski, yes it will be at Quarry Park & Nature Preserve, yes we do not know the date.

When there is adequate snow word will be sent out through the skier grapevine, the electronic world and the press.

SOMETHING NEW for the 2011 MOONLIGHT SKI. There will be a drawing for a \$100 gift certificate from a local shop. You must be present at 8 pm to be entered in the drawing.

Club members are asked to invite a new skier, bring a snack to share and to assist with the event.



BE A CROSS-COUNTY SKI PATROL VOLUNTEER at:

- Quarry Park & Nature Preserve
- Warner Lake County Park
- Mississippi River County Park
- Kraemer Lake County Park

Experienced cross-country skiers...

Stearns County has an easy volunteer opportunity for you! Be a ski patrol volunteer at one of the beautiful county parks, help other skiers, report trail conditions and help make skiing more enjoyable for everyone.

The ski patrol will operate from December 15, 2010 until February 28; 2011. Sign up for ski patrol will start in October. This year plans call for the orientation and sign up to be done on-line. Go to the Stearns County web site www.co.stearns.mn.us for the latest information.

Ski patrol volunteers that commit to volunteering for two different days (2 hours each day) will receive a 12 month Quarry Park & Nature Preserve sticker.

Call 654-4726 or send an email to parkinfo@co.stearns.mn.us if you have a question.

PLEASE ATTEND THE SKI CLUB'S ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

This important get-together will be held on Tuesday, October 5th at 7pm in the downstairs meeting room of the University Lutheran Church in downtown St. Cloud on the edge of the SCSU campus.

AND... REMEMBER TO RENEW YOUR SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP.

Simply complete the membership form on the back of this newsletter and mail it in...

(or bring it to the annual meeting on Oct. 5th).

Remember to bring your checkbook!

Thanks for supporting the Nordic Ski Club of Central Minnesota.

Newsletter Schedule and Themes

Fall issue: Announce club annual meeting, fall trail clearing events, other fall events, Summer Outings reports/articles; Winter Outings schedule

Deadline for Submissions: Sept. 1

Winter issue: MN Ski Pass info, Letter from President, Graystone and Moonlight Ski announcements, entry forms

Deadline for Submissions: Nov. 15

Spring issue: Winter Outings reports, Summer Outings schedule

Deadline for Submissions: March 15

**Email info to:
Bill Gorcica at bill@billgorcica.com**

Nordic Ski Club of Central Minnesota
1938 29th St. S.
St. Cloud, MN 56301



Membership Form

Annual Membership Fee: \$20

Membership includes a ski hat which can be picked up at Revolution Sports in St. Cloud.

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City / State / Zipcode _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

I am interested in volunteering for the following activities...
(circle your options)

Trail Work	Ski Swap
Leading an Outing	Mailings/Newsletters
Candlelight Ski	Youth Ski Program
Ski Race	Quarry Park Ski Patrol

Check here if this is a renewal membership.
 Check here if you do *not* want your name & phone listed in the membership roster.

Make check payable to:

Nordic Ski Club of Central MN

Mail to:
Laurie Leitch
1938 29th St. South
St. Cloud, MN 56301

Ski Club Board thru Sept 2012

Expires '10	John Harlander	253-0285
Expires '10	Bill Gorcica	656-9165
Expires '10	Cindy Robertson	224-1104
Expires '11	Jeremy Frost	230-6392
Expires '11	Heidi Harlander	253-0285
Expires '11	Ed Bouffard	253-4573
Expires '12	Mike Schroden	
Expires '12	James Bryer	253-7787
Expires '12	Roger Sorenson	290-6217

Officers & Coordinators

President	Steve Zinsli	253-2018
President-Elect	Heidi Harlander	253-0285
Secretary	open	
Treasurer	Phil Rogosheske (temp)	252-7291
MN Youth Ski League	Bryan Amo	
Membership	Laurie Leitch	656-9165
Newsletter	Bill Gorcica	656-9165
	Julie Olson	255-1223
	Laurie Leitch	656-9165
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Coordinator	Bob Skow	253-2919
Trail Guides	Ed Bouffard	253-4573
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