GARDEN STATE SKI CLUB MEETING SUMMARY OCTOBER 11, 2016

The meeting was called to order by Mark Scheur at approximately 8:15 PM.

SKI REPORT – Mark Schreur

Tentative Bus Trip Schedule:

January 7, 2017 - Belleayre or Jiminy Peak depending upon snow conditions. Changed from the 14th due to MLK weekend conflict.

February 4, 2017 - Elk Mountain

(new) February 25, 2017 – Belleayre of Jiminy Peack depending upon January 7 choice. March 11, 2017 – Catamount (We will be bringing back the Double Combined Race that includes Dinner afterwards)

Banff trip refunds are available for those who went last year.

Trips:

Sun Valley - Jan 21 to 28, 2017 (Donna spoke) Cost is \$1827 (3 payments of \$609), includes airfare, hotel, 5 days lift tickets, transfers, welcome party, breakfast. Staying at the Limelight which is known for its breakfast and good service. Extremely modern. See Donna if interested. Flying United, direct, but not non-stop. (see flyer) 20 people committed already. Checks are payable to: Garden State Ski Club.

Laurentians – Feb 17 to 21, 2017. (Mark Spoke) Cost is \$390 for Members. Encouraging people with children to participate. Staying slopeside and an attractive training program is available. 4 course dinner on Saturday, Breakfasts and Sunday Brunch are included. \$100 per child activity charge. Alpine and X-country. (see flyer) Checks are payable to: Garden State Ski Club. Staying at Saint Adele. Price will increase after some point.

Steamboat – Feb 25 to March 4. (Mark spoke) Various lodging/transportation options. Costs depending upon options you choose. Parties, races, 5 days lift tickets and Banquet. (see flyer) Checks are payable to: New Jersey Ski and Snowboard Council. Snowflower and Sheraton lodging still available. Prices range from \$2,065 to \$1400. Flights to Hayden airport no longer available.

2013 STANLEY SHARAGA MEMORIAL PRESIDENT'S RACE Saturday – March 18, 2016 at Hunter Mountain, NY This event is open to all NJSSC SKI CLUB members and their children. If enough interest, we may make this into a bus trip.

HOUSE REPORT- Ray Owens

The work weekend is scheduled this weekend for October 15. Saturday night "party" To do: Cleaning the house/rooms, windows, wash mattress covers/linens, replace batteries in the smoke detectors, move newly delivered wood to the shed, finish bathroom, paint doors in front. First aid kit planned. 13 people attending, everyone is welcome to participate Off season rates still available until November 1.

Lori Owens will now be managing the house reservations. Thank you Anita for your past contributions.

SOCIAL - Betty Jean Downing

Next Mix at Six will be October, 27 at THE DOG AND Cask, 55 Route 17, Rochelle Park Pie Night scheduled for November 22. Considering Summer Olympics as before.

Halloween Party will be November 1, 7:00 PM until 10:00 PM. Bev and Jim hosting. \$40 members, \$44 non-members. Beer and wine for 2 hours, Food, DJ – Dancing, No walk-ups. Held at the Maywood Inn.

See Bev Adler, Rich Bettini or Jim Fitzpatrick. Attendees are expected to be wearing costumes. Award for best costumes. Facility will be decorated.

Snow Ball December 2, Held at the Ramsey CC. \$65 per person. Buffet Dinner, DJ Mario, 7:00 – 11:00 PM. (see Flyer) Cash Bar (see Micki) Checks made out to Garden State Ski Club

Thank you Anne Benagh and Rob Sinclair. Biking at the Beach was a great success, getting the ride in before the rain on Saturday. Thanks to Mark also for leading a ride and arranging for lunch at his beach house.

Carol Alesso has organized a trip to Broadway to see Josh Groban's Broadway debut in the Great Comet of 1812. Themed after Tolstoy's War and Peace. Will be held Thursday, January 5. \$115 checks are made payable to Garden State Ski Club, but sent to Carol Alesso. 1 seat is still available.

Lou Cizek discussed the lighthouse challenge planned for October 15-16. Cost is \$2.00. Registration Required. 11 lighthouses along the Jersey Shore participate. Register at any one of 14 locations. See Lou if interested.

SECRETARY – Larry Gerberi

Member's Brunch. 11:00 AM November 13th. The 76 House, 110 Main Street Tappan, NY. (see flyer) **Payment due by October 26**. Payment at the door will not be accepted!

30 – 34 members today, no quorum.

Dues letters are online. Dues are due during the month of October. Go online into the members only section and lookup your record and correct any wrong information. You can Pay Ed directly by check or via Paypal on the club website. Do not send cash in the mail. Dues are \$45.00 when paid in October, \$50.00 when paid in November, \$55.00 if paid in December. After December 7th, you will not be in the directory.

PRESIDENTS REPORT – Mark Spoke

We need a quorum at the October 18th meeting.

Food will be served on October 18, when we will vote for House Committee members.

TREASURERS REPORT

No Report

JUNIOR DELEGATE – Beverly Adler – Expo is October 28th. Hanover Marriott. Big Lift Ticket raffle.

SENIOR DELEGATE – Ron Levine

SUNSHINE AND RAINY DAYS - Status Quo

OLD BUSINESS

None

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Octoberfest is being held each weekend at the Maywood Inn. Live Music at 9:30

Contact Lily to help Hal travel to his appointments. Hal's located in West Milford.