GARDEN STATE SKI CLUB MEETING SUMMARY OCTOBER 18, 2016

The meeting was called to order by President, Dennis Young at approximately 8:15 PM. Dennis Thanked Mark for filling in for him during the October 11, meeting

SKI REPORT - Mark Schreur

Tentative Bus Trip Schedule:

January 7, 2017 - Belleayre or Jiminy Peak depending upon snow conditions. Changed from the $14^{\rm th}$ 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 by \$25 after November 1, 2016.

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 \$2,200 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 took place this past weekend. Twelve people participated. Thanks to those who did. Everyone worked on their own initiative without needing to be told what to do. Cleaned the house/rooms, windows, washed mattress covers/linens, replaced batteries in the smoke detectors, moved newly delivered wood to the shed, finished bathroom, painted doors in front. First aid kit installed, etc.

Off season rates still available until November 1. Lori Owens will now be managing the house reservations Shares go on sale November, 8 Next Mix at Six will be October, 27 at THE DOG AND Cask, 55 Route 17, Rochelle Park Pie Night scheduled for November 22. Think about what you might bring. Considering Summer Olympics as before. (Ann Costello) Considering Karaoke
Also considering a Valentine's Day Party

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. Payment must be made by next meeting October, 25.

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

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.

Those who participated had a wonderful time attempting The Lighthouse Challenge during October 15-16. 11 lighthouses along the Jersey Shore participate. Register at any one of 14 locations. Keep this event in mind for next year.

SECRETARY – Larry Gerberi

Member's Brunch. 11:00 AM November 13th. The 76 House, 110 Main Street Tappan, NY. (see flyer) **Payment due by next meeting October 25**. Payment at the door will not be accepted! 43 members today, 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 7^{th} , you will not be in the directory.

PRESIDENTS REPORT - Dennis Young

Next Board meeting will be October 19. If anyone has anything that you would like to be brought up to the board, please see either Bev Adler or myself.

Tonight under unfinished business I will be voting on Lodge Trustee.

We are looking to have some guess speakers at a meeting. Possibly a technical/equipment person from Ski Barn. If anyone has a suggestion, it would be appreciated.

Website upgrade; Beth the website designer has completed about 10 pages. Gary, Beth and myself will get together in early November to pick out a theme for the home page of the website.

TREASURERS REPORT

No Report

JUNIOR DELEGATE – Beverly Adler – Expo is October 28th. Hanover Marriott.

SENIOR DELEGATE – Ron Levine 50/50

SUNSHINE AND RAINY DAYS - Status Quo

OLD BUSINESS

Three new House Committee members were elected by secret ballot.

Dennis Young Steve Corris Micki Goldberger-Levine

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

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