

GARDEN STATE SKI CLUB MEETING SUMMARY January 17, 2017

The meeting was called to order by President, Dennis Young at approximately 8:15 PM.

SKI REPORT – Mark Schreur

Lift Tickets – Ann Benagh

Ski Council has Pocono Ski Passes available for \$60. 5 mountains included, some blackout dates apply. If you are interested let me know now. If you desire a pass you will be put on a waiting list.

Prices for other mountains are listed; for example Killington Adult normally \$105, our price \$64. Need two weeks' notice. Ticket prices on the GSSC website.

Bus Trip Schedule:

January 7, 2017 - Jiminy Peak was a great trip.

February 4, 2017 - Elk Mountain (see Pat Young) sign-ups starting in a week or two

February 18, 2017 – Belleayre

March 11, 2017 – Catamount (We will be bringing back the Double Combined Race that includes Dinner at Four Brother's Pizza afterwards)

Trips:

Sun Valley – Theoretically 1 ticket left. (Trip Dinner was held January 10)

Laurentians – (Still taking signups) Feb 17 to 21, 2017.

Cross country event scheduled February 4th. & 5th. Located at the ski club lodge. Ski at Riker Nordic center – 40 minutes north of the house. They make snow for there for Cross Country skiing.

Steamboat – Feb 25 to March 4. Trip closed!

2017 STANLEY SHARAGA MEMORIAL PRESIDENT'S RACE Saturday – March 18, 2017 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.

NJSSC Trips:

Eastern Township 2/1/17 – 2/3/17

Sunday River 3/5/17 – 3/10/17

HOUSE REPORT- Ray Owens

Rooms still available for cross country weekend

Laurie Owens is managing the house reservations. Contact Laurie if you're interested.

(201) 914-5063 or gsschouserreservations@gmail.com

Shares on sale now

SOCIAL – Betty Jean Downing

January's Mix at six will be on the 26th at The Shannon Rose Route 17 North in Ramsey

Mardi Gras Party to be held 2/7. (See Flyer for details) No Meeting held that night. Steve Corris will be taking sign-ups.

St. Patrick's Day Party next (3/14) Corned Beef and cabbage featured. See Rich Bettini

The Maywood Inn's Twin Door Tavern is offering to GSSC members only, a Valentine's dinner for two, on Tuesday, February 14, for \$45.00 per couple, plus tip and tax. You must make a reservation with the Maywood Inn at 201-843-8022. Please keep in mind that this is a meeting night, so please time your dinner so that you can be at the meeting by 8:00!

Carol Alesso 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. Great Event. The whole stage was filled with action and a wonderful Russian dinner prior to the show. NOTE: Erroneously reported as afterwards in previous week's minutes. I apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

Ron Vitale will hold a moderate hike Jan 22, 2017

SECRETARY – Larry Gerberi

40 members today, No quorum.

Thanks to Ed for all his work getting the directory listing prepared.

The member's directory for this year is at the Printer now. Directories possible next week.

Ed has membership cards for you.

PRESIDENTS REPORT – Dennis Young

New website at gardenstateskiclub.net Website has been launched. Any Comments?

Next Board meeting tomorrow night (1/18/17).

Sal Ferraro gave a presentation about a ski pole lock he has invented. Had some questions on marketability.

Food served tonight. (Themed night)

TREASURERS REPORT - Gay Enrich

No deposits for trips account. Net Balance is approximately \$78,376

JUNIOR DELEGATE – Beverly Adler

No report

SENIOR DELEGATE – Ron Levine

No report, No 50/50

SUNSHINE AND RAINY DAYS –

OLD BUSINESS

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Greg Barrington Smith thanked everyone for past contributions of clothing to the National Winter Activities center and announced that they will continue to accept donations. Center has made a lot of progress updating their facility.