

**GARDEN STATE SKI CLUB, INC.**  
**REGULAR MEMEBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES**  
**2/27/18**

The meeting was called to order at 8:15 PM. Steve asked if there was anyone here for the first time? Daniel raised his hand. Steve asked him to see Ed Ellis after the meeting.

1. Membership Contribution – (50/50) there will be no collection tonight.
2. SKI VP REPORT – Steve Corris
  - There are two NJSSC's trips –
    - Snowmass trip left last Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup>.
    - Sunday River will be from 3/18-3/23.
  - Lift Tickets – Anne Benagh spoke, upgrades are available. If you need lift tickets, give her two weeks to get them. She has 3 Gore, 3 Killington, 2 White Face Mtn, 4 Okemo Seniors, 6 Pico and 3 Stowe plus 3 Hunter mid-week tickets.
  - Bus Trip Schedule – We may have a bus trip on March 10<sup>th</sup> to Elk; Basil stated they have 26 trails, there are 8 people signed up so far. Basil is taking sign-ups.
  - Stan Sharaga Memorial Presidents Race – Art Gillan stated we will have the race on Saturday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at Hunter Mountain, the NJSSC memorial Presidents Club Race. The club will pay the race fee of \$26.00; members pay \$39.00 for the lift ticket and the party. Sign up with Art Gillan. Everyone is invited to attend. It is a blue trail on the lower half of Hunter Mtn; it is a giant slalom race. It is a fairly easy race, you ski around the markers. The course is easy. Bring your children. There are 2 brackets for kids - 7-12 and 13-18.
  - If anyone is interested in skiing, go to the GSSC Facebook page and post when and where. Also post if you are looking to car pool or meet up at a mountain.
  - Saturday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> is Demo Day at Hunter.
3. LODGE VP REPORT – Ray Owens is out, Steve spoke.
  - Reservations – Regular season rates are in effect now. If you want to make reservations contact Pat Young while Laurie Owens is away– her phone number is in the book or email at [gsschouserervations@gmail.com](mailto:gsschouserervations@gmail.com).
  - There is a lot of snow in Vermont – Ray took care of all the issues. There is not much going on.
4. SOCIAL VP REPORT – Betty Jean Downing – is out, Tina spoke.
  - The Mix B4 6 – The next one is scheduled for March 8<sup>th</sup> at Bar Louie. Bruce stated it is located in the Garden State Plaza, right near Legal Sea Foods and across from Ruby Tuesdays. Happy Hour starts at 4:00 PM ends at 3:00 AM. They will have half price appetizers. Bring your Pink GSSC membership card and you will get the discounts they are offering for us all night.
  - New Jersey Open Road Club will have a 50's Dance at the Brownstone in Paterson on June 23<sup>rd</sup> from 6:30 – 10:30. The cost is \$25.00 per person; they will have a cash bar, sing up by 5/15/18.
  - Events – Betty Jean is looking for volunteers to run parties for this year. We are going to run them with the 60's theme since we are celebrating 60 years of the Ski Club this year.
  - Broadway Show – Carol Rosen is getting tickets for Pretty Woman – the musical. It will be Sunday September 9<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 PM. There will be brunch before. The cost is \$109.00 and we will sit in the front mezzanine. Brunch is not included in the price.

- Betty Jean is considering joining a St. Patty's Day Party with others, if anyone knows of any, contact her.
- The GSSC Diamond Jubilee – We are having a 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary for the Ski Club. She is getting checks in the mail. It will be \$120.00 per person. On PayPal it will be \$125.00 per person. We are trying to see if we can get a larger room if we can sign up 250 people.

5. EXECUTIVE SECRETARY REPORT – Tina Romano

- Sign in/Quorum check – 26 people were in attendance – this is not a quorum.
- Directories and Membership Cards are available, please see Ed Ellis.
- On the web-site under Members Only are the previous minutes from the meetings. Make sure you look at them because when we have a quorum we try to approve the minutes from the previous meeting.

6. TREASURER REPORT (issues/new items) – Gary Ehrich

- Finances: Our gross is \$74,885.00 in the bank and on PayPal; we have about \$3,495.00 for events in deposits making our net approximately \$70,940.00.

7. JUNIOR DELEGATE REPORT (issues/new items) – Bev Adler –was not in attendance.

8. SUNSHINE & RAINY DAYS – Maria Rivara – no news.

9. SENIOR DELEGATE – Ron LeVine – No 50/50 tonight there is a small group.

10. PRESIDENTS REPORT – Dennis Young – out

- Steve Corris ran the meeting in Dennis' absence.
- Elections are 3-4 months away. All positions are available except for Lodge V.P. You only have to be a member for 6 months to run for anything, for President you have to be a member for a year. The Junior Delegate position is available.

11. Unfinished Business – No unfinished business.

12. New Business – No new business.

13. Minutes – Last week's minutes could not be voted on, there is no quorum.

14. Announcements – Ron LeVine announced is may be running a Bike Trip starting in St. Jerome, it will go from Inn to Inn; there will be 15 spots only. It will be during the first week of July from July 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>.

15. Member contribution - 50/50 – There was no 50/50 collected.

16. The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 PM.