

President's Letter

Greetings 3M Club Members,

We have reached the mid-point of 2018, but we are just getting “warmed up” with the Ski Club. We had two Thirsty Thursdays in June – first at Rudy’s Redeye Grill in White Bear Lake on 6/7, followed by a visit to the Surly Brewing Co. in Minneapolis on 6/21.

We are continuing our recent pattern of branching out on locations in the metro area this month, heading to P.D. Pappy’s in Stillwater on 7/12, and then to Joe Senser’s in Roseville on 7/26.



2018—2019

Ski Season

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Our BIG NEWS is that we have determined the ski resorts to which we will be taking the club for 2018-2019! As our VP of Trips, Ross McLean, likes to say – “Here comes the Sun”. (I am feeling “warmer” already...)

We have two great Western trips planned for you!

First, we will be heading north of the border to Sun Peaks, British Columbia, Canada, from January 27 – February 2, 2019. This trip offers up to 5 days of skiing with “ski-in condos” at Canada’s 2nd largest ski area. It boasts a broad mix of trails for all abilities and options for several off-slope activities.



Then, exactly four weeks later, we will be travelling to Sun Valley, Idaho. We have an 8-day trip planned (Saturday, March 2 – Saturday, March 9, 2019), so you will have the unique opportunity to ski/snowboard up to 6 days at a top-rated resort and/or to partake in some of the other off-slope activities.

Please stay tuned for additional events as the summer progresses -- watch for email and/or visit the website frequently as updates are published (<http://www.hootline.com>).

All the best,

Garrett

Thirsty Thursdays



Thursday, July 12th, 2018, 5pm+

[PD Pappy's - Stillwater](#)

[422 Mulberry St E, Stillwater, MN 55082](#)

[\(651\) 430-1147](#)

www.pdpappysonline.com

A raucous riverside bar & grill right on the St. Croix River in the beautiful Stillwater, featuring traditional American eats & live music nights.

Pappy Hour - Wednesday - Friday 11am - 6pm.

\$3.00 Domestic Beer & Rail Drinks, \$3.00 OFF Appetizers over \$5.00
Taco Thursday with \$7 Tacos and \$3.00 Coronas ALL DAY

Thursday, July 26th, 2018, 5pm+

[Joe Senser's - Roseville](#)

[2350 Cleveland Ave N, Roseville, MN 55113](#)

[\(651\) 631-1781](#)

www.sensers.com



Gathering spot for fans to watch games on jumbo screens while dining on pizzas & standard bar fare.

Happy Hour - Daily - 3:30pm - 6:30pm

\$6 appetizers including waffle fries, wings, bavarian pretzels and a variety of pizzas and flatbreads

Happy Hour prices also on domestic beer, local craft beer, liquor cocktails and a wide selection of wines.

For more information about these and other club activities and trips, please visit our club site at: www.hootline.com

Thirsty Thursdays



Thursday, August 9th, 2018, 5pm+

**[Red River Kitchen at City House - St. Paul](#)
[258 Mill St, St Paul, MN 55102](#)**

www.redriverkitchen.com

Located right on the Mississippi River in St. Paul, this location is only open May to October and is brand new in our happy hour program.

An open-air pub in a restored mill offers local craft beer, cider, and wine on tap.

This dog friendly location serves a variety of food from Kimchi Philly Nachos to Veggie Tacos and a Cubano and are also offering gluten-free and vegetarian options.

Wednesday, August 22th, 2018, 5pm+

**[Pier 500 - Hudson, WI](#)
[500 1st St, Hudson, WI 54016](#)
(715) 386-5504
www.pierfivehundred.com/**



Classic American fare served in a restaurant & lounge with an outdoor patio & St. Croix River views.

Happy Hour(s)

Limited to bar area only

Monday - Saturday 3pm - 6pm (Early)
Monday - Saturday 9pm - 11pm (Late)

Offering beers, cocktails and a large selection of wines

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Winter Carnival



2018/2019 Ski Trips

Big Snow Resort, MI

Big Snow Resort, MI:

When: Jan 4 - Jan 6, 2019

Accommodations: Ski Lodge / Trailside Condos



After an overwhelming positive feedback on last years trip, Winter Carnival was destined to return to Indianhead / Big Snow Ski Resort in Wakefield, MI.

Which mountain is right for you? Why not both? At Big Snow Resort BOTH mountains are included with your lift ticket. One in the morning, one in the evening. One on your first day and the other on your second. It's up to you. Shuttles can take you back and forth between both mountains as you like. Both are guaranteed to show you a great time!



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Here comes the Sun - Part 1



2018/2019 Ski Trips

Sun Peaks, British Columbia, Canada

The 3M Ski Club is all about *Having Fun in the Sun* in 2019 !!

Sun Peaks, British Columbia, Canada:

When: Jan 27- Feb 2, 2019
Up to 5 days of skiing



Accommodations: Ski-in Condo's

Sun Peaks Resort has quickly grown to an internationally-renowned destination and Canada's second largest ski area. The three-mountain inter-connected alpine playground, rising majestically from the valley floor, is brilliantly designed to keep multiple ability levels engaged: 10% beginner, 58% intermediate, 32% expert. 4,270 skiable acres of terrain, 135 trails, 17 gladed areas, 2 bowls, with 3500 ft vertical and up to 5 mile long runs.

Sun Peaks also offers an exceptionally diverse selection of on- and off-mountain activities to 'pump up the volume' on your winter vacation experience: Nordic, Snowshoeing, Dog sledding, Mountain tours, Snowmobiling and just hanging out.



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Here comes the Sun - Part 2



2018/2019 Ski Trips

Sun Valley, Idaho

The 3M Ski Club is excited to announce our second Western Trip for 2019

Sun Valley, Idaho

When: Mar 2 - Mar 9th, 2019
Up to 6 days of skiing on an 8 day trip (Sat - Sat)



Yes, this is a 8 day trip: up to 6 days of Skiing!!! No buses, we fly into Sun Valley, ID.

Accommodations: famous Sun Valley Lodge, but we are in the ... recently added Sun Valley Lodge Condo's.

Ranked the 2nd Best Ski Resort by Ski Magazine and one of Powder Magazine's Top 8 Ski Towns, Sun Valley is where it all began and continues to thrive under the radar today.

Bald Mountain's 3,400 vertical feet of fall line terrain is complemented by Dollar Mountain's family-oriented terrain park and limitless backcountry access that has earned the area the moniker "the Alps of America."

Fresh powder turns, pristine mountain vistas, meticulously groomed Nordic trails, or ripping descents on some of America's longest fall line runs - a Sun Valley day inevitably ends in a high. Whatever you seek, you will find here, with a remarkable lack of lift-lines.



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Trip Leaders Wanted

Call for 3M Ski Club Trip Leaders

Time to “Step to the Plate.” We need your help.

MSC Winter Carnival: Local trip - Jan 4 - Jan 6 2019
Wanted 1-Trip Leader to co-lead with Gary Heaser

Sun Peaks, BC, Canada: First Western Trip - Jan 27 - Feb 2 2019
Wanted 2-Trip Leaders

Sun Valley, Idaho: Second Western Trip - Mar 2 - Mar 9th 2019
Wanted 2-Trip Leaders

Trip Leaders are a great way to get involved with the 3M Ski Club, help make the trip fun, along with taking advantage of local activities (skiing, meet-n-greets, foodies, apres-ski) along with logistics to help take a great trip to higher levels.

You will not be alone, there will be 2-trip leaders per trip, plus support and help from the 3M Ski Club Board to make the 2018-2019 Ski Season ... **GRR!!!...GREAT!!!**

We look forward to working with you, as we have now locked in the dates and terms of the 2-Western Trips.

Please Contact 3M Ski Club, VP of Trips, Ross McLean at rmmclean1@mmm.com and/or anyone on the 3M Ski Club Board.



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3M Club – Ski, Snowboard & Social Club

Kayaking the Kinnickinnic River



What? **Kayak the Kinni's lower canyon out of River Falls, WI**

Enjoy an afternoon touring down the lower canyon with fellow Clubbers. Pack a small bag (consider a waterproof one) with sunscreen and perhaps snacks and refreshments for a stop along the way. After the return shuttle back to the park, let's discuss our navigation adventures at a local restaurant in River Falls.

- Single-person kayak, paddle, life jacket
- Brief tutorial about the river and how to kayak
- Approx. 3-4 hour tour of 8.2 mile downriver stretch
- Return shuttle to our vehicles

When? **Saturday, August 18, 2018**

Meet at 12:30 - 12:45 pm; Adventure begins at 1:00 pm

Where? **Glen Park, River Falls, WI 54022**

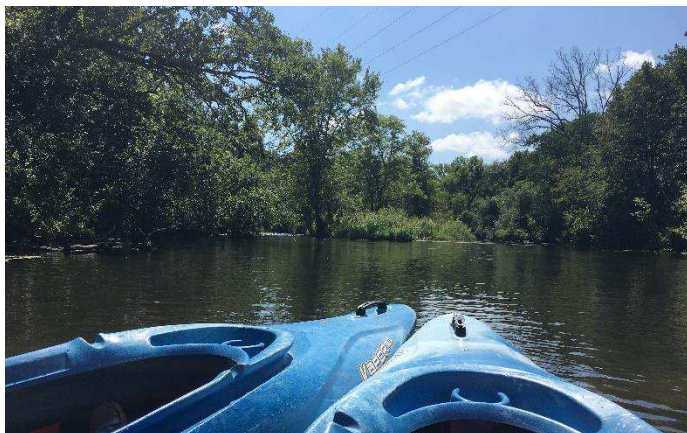
Set your Map to 355 West Park Street. Parking is available in the lot or along the street. Kayak service provided by River Guide Kayaks. For more details on this river and the current water levels, visit www.riverguidekayaks.com/trips.

Cost? **Only \$20 for members, \$25 for non-members**

Confirmed kayak for the first 30 persons to send in payment to: Joanne Harvala, 3M Ski Club, 3M Center, Building 280-2W-21, St Paul, MN 55144. RSVP deadline is Friday, Aug 10.

Overheard in 3M hallway about this event:

"This trip is normally \$60 trip, and the club trip is only \$20? Sign me up!"
"Kayaking the Kinni was in-Kredible! The whole experience took a few hours and provided several opportunities to test one's kayaking skill (or lack thereof). A great memory and something I would like to do again!"



3M Ski & Snowboard Club is open to 3Mers and non-3Mers.
Visit www.hootline.com for information about Club Membership and Events.

Calendar of Events

July 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4 Independence Day	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12 Happy Hour Pd Pappy's 5pm Stillwater	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26 Happy Hour Joe Senser's 5pm Roseville	27	28
29	30	31				

August 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9 Happy Hour Red River Kitchen 5pm St. Paul	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18 Kayaking Event 1pm River Falls, WI
19	20	21	22 Happy Hour Pier 500 5pm Hudson, WI	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Reference the club's website for current activities and updates: <http://www.hootline.com>

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July & August Birthdays

Herb Byun 07/02	Collins Gerstner 07/02	Rachel Konzem 07/02	Bryan Fout 07/03
Juliann Ross-Madrid 07/06	Jeff Mercill 07/15	Leslie Campbell 07/18	Chuck Nelson 07/19
Catherine Kane 07/20	Karen Heine 07/23	Mike Wisniewski 07/23	Angela McLean 07/28
Jonas Nygard 07/28	Richard Peloquin 07/30	Shirley Schoenbauer 07/31	
Cindy Giefer 08/03	Paul Thompson 08/05	Gale Sober 08/11	Peter Hanf 08/16
Jerry House 08/17			