

2018—2019
Ski Season

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President's Letter

Greetings 3M Club Members,

We are now in the closing days of Summer. The State Fair just finished and students are heading back to school. Although the weather is still quite warm, we can start to expect shorter days and cooler nights. The good news is that September brings us one step closer to getting back out on the slopes!

September also means that it is time for the **Membership Drive/Trip Sign-up Night** for 2018-19. The event returns to **Cowboy Jack's in Woodbury** from 6-9pm on **Thursday, September 13**. This evening provides an easy way to renew your membership (or become a member for the first time) and to get reacquainted with other members. Membership cost is \$20. The option to request a paper copy of the Hootline continues to be available for an additional \$12 (covers the monthly printing and mailing costs for the year.)

Along with the Membership Drive, it is the night to sign-up for the upcoming trips. This year's trips are:
MSC Carnival (January 4 – 6) at Big Snow Resort (Indianhead/Blackjack) in the UP in Michigan
Sun Peaks, British Columbia, Canada (January 27 – February 2)
Sun Valley, Idaho (March 2 – 9).
The trip leaders will be reviewing the details for the trips and will be available to answer any questions.

Note: Although these two events are held together on the same night, we ask that you write separate checks for membership and for the trip payments.

We have a few other events in September as well. Please join us for our first Thirsty Thursday of the month on **September 6** at **Mississippi Pub** in Inver Grove Heights. This restaurant/bar has two patios and an all-glass indoor enclosure "with a breath taking view of the Mississippi River". [I recommend breathing between glances at the river.]



Our second Thirsty Thursday will be on **September 20** at the **Summit Brewery** in St. Paul.

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We are also working on scheduling additional events this Fall, including a new event called **WOW/BOB** (Women Only Wine / Boys Only Beer) starting at 3pm on **Saturday, October 6** to celebrate the end of Summer.

This will be a simultaneous wine tasting event for the women / exclusive brewery tour for the boys, and then a joint gathering for dinner (hamburgers and sausages) hot off the grill.

The cost for the event is \$25.00 for club members / \$30.00 for non-club members. We need your RSVP by **Friday, September 7** to reserve your spot, and have openings for 25 women and 25 men.

In addition, we will have the usual Wine Tasting Party – date and details available soon – and will have a group heading to the Warren Miller movie “Face of Winter” on November 3 at the State Theatre in Minneapolis.

Finally, I am very pleased to announce a great new look for the Hootline website! A huge thanks to Ben Bungarten and Felix Lin for your research and extensive work to bring it to life! Please keep checking the Hootline and the emails from Joanne Harvala for current and upcoming events.

**All the best,
Garrett**

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

Thirsty Thursdays



Thursday, September 6th, 2018, 5pm+

Mississippi Pub - Inver Grove Heights

4455 66th St E, Inver Grove Heights, MN 55076

(651) 455-4975

www.mississippipub.com

Panoramic tavern on the Mississippi River featuring American comfort food, drinks & a tiered patio.

Happy Hour - Monday - Thursday 2pm - 6pm.

\$5 / \$7 / \$9 Appetizers

\$2.75 Rails & Domestic Taps, 2.75 Domestic Bottles

\$1.00 OFF Wine, Premium Taps & Premium Bottles

Thursday, September 20th, 2018, 5pm+

Summit Brewery - St. Paul

910 Montreal Cir, St Paul, MN 55102

(651) 265-7800

www.summitbrewing.com/



Summit Brewing Company is a regional craft brewery in Saint Paul, Minnesota, United States, that brews a wide selection of popular beers.

Latest addition to the Summit family include a variety of summer themed beers.

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Thirsty Thursdays



Thursday, October 11th, 2018, 5pm+

[Urban Growler - St. Paul](#)

2325 Endicott St, St Paul, MN 55114

(651) 340-5793

www.urbangrowlerbrewing.com

Local Brewery with Tap Room and Beer Garden serving a wide variety of food and excellent beer creations.

Thursday, October 25th, 2018, 5pm+

[Sweeney's Saloon - St. Paul](#)

96 Dale St N, St Paul, MN 55102

(651) 221-9157

www.sweeneyssaloon.com/



Casual watering hole with a typical range of beer & bar food, plus a patio with a fireplace & trees.

Happy Hour(s)

Every Day 3pm - 6pm (Early)

Every Night 9pm - close (Late)

Pints of select Beers \$4.25, Glasses of House Wines \$4.25, Rails & Select Pints \$4, PBR & High Life Tall Boys \$3

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3M CLUB SKI, SNOWBOARD & SOCIAL CLUB

WOW! End of the summer party is here!! One last hurrah before the temperature drops. Ladies, come join in a wonderful afternoon of company and wine!

BUT WHAT ABOUT BOB? Lets not leave those handsome boys behind.

We have a wonderful event planned for all to catch up, hang out, and explore our favorite drinks! This is also a great time to bring those potential new members with you to meet the club!!

When: October 6, 2018

Host of Event: Heather and Ben Bungarten
5645 Schutta Rd, Shoreview, MN 55126

Time: 3:00pm - Wine Tasting / Beer Tour

WOW

WOMEN ONLY WINE

Hey Women,

We will have a wine tasting experience focused on using our 3 senses...sight, smell, and taste! We will have a variety of wine to explore.



BOB

BOYS ONLY BEER

Hey Boys,

You will also be using all your senses during a private tour at Surly Brewery! Rides to and from the brewery will be coordinated.



Cost: \$25.00 for Club Members/ \$30.00 for Non Club Members

Cost includes Wine Tasting/Brewery, Dinner and Sides. For dinner we will provide hamburgers and sausages hot off the grill after the wine tasting/brewery concludes!

RSVP: September 7th, 2018

The first 25 women and 25 men to send in payment reserves a spot. Send Payment to:

Char Franey - 6033 Birchwood Rd, Woodbury, MN 55125



Visit www.hootline.com for information about club membership and events.

Upcoming Events & Save the Date!

Trip Signup / Membership Drive

*Cowboy Jacks - Woodbury
September 13th 2018—6pm*

We are hosting our combined **Membership Drive** and **Trip Signup** Event on **September 13th -6pm** at **Cowboy Jacks in Woodbury**.

Renew your membership or become a member of the best ski, snowboard and social club in town or better yet, sign up for one of our 2018/19 Ski Trips.

- Big Snow, MI (Winter Carnival) - Jan 4th - Jan 6th 2019
- Sun Peaks, BC - Canada - Jan 27th - Feb 2nd 2019
- Sun Valley, ID - Mar 2nd - Mar 9th 2019

Warren Miller Movie Night *Face Of Winter - November 3rd 2018*

WARREN  MILLER'S

FACE OF WINTER

The 2018/2019 ski season is knocking on our doors and Warren Miller Entertainment is coming to the State Theater on November 3rd, presenting their latest movie "Face Of Winter".



Start thinking snow and reserve your tickets now!
Felix Lin (feliuscat@hotmail.com)

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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

3M Ski Club are pleased to announce... your 2019 Canuck Trip Leaders for Sun Peaks are:

MSC Winter Carnival: Local trip - Jan 4 - Jan 6 2019
Sue Malecha and Heather Bungarten

Sun Peaks - BC, Canada: First Western Trip - Jan 27 - Feb 2 2019
We like to thank Sue and Heather for volunteering !!!! Eh !!! Back-bacon and getting your Beer fixed for everyone ... can you say Dry Canadian Powder!!!!

Sun Valley - Idaho: Second Western Trip - Jan 29 - Jan 31 2019
Wanted 2-Trip Leaders

The 3M Board also finalized the Trip Leaders for Sun Valley:

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.
Tim Franey and Angela McLean

You can help make the 2018-2019 Ski Season **GRR!!! GREAT!!!** from the 3M Ski Club Board to make the 2018-2019 Ski Season **GRR!!! GREAT!!!**
Sip on a famous Wolf-a-rita at the Pioneer Saloon, still in your ski boots of course and bring on ... Idaho potatoes and March Powder.

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

We would like to thank the 6 individuals who came forward.

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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Calendar of Events

September 2018

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--------|----------------|---------|-----------|---|---|----------|
| | | | | | | 1 |
| 2 | 3 Labor Day | 4 | 5 | 6 Happy Hour Mississippi Pub 5pm Inver Grove | 7 WOW / BOB Event Signup Deadline | 8 |
| 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 Trip Signup / Mem- bership Drive 6pm Woodbury | 14 | 15 |
| 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 Happy Hour Summit Brewery 5pm St. Paul | 21 | 22 |
| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30 | | | | | | |

October 2018

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--------|--------|---------|-----------------|---|--------|-------------------------------------|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 WOW/BOB Event 3pm Shoreview |
| 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 Happy Hour Urban Growler 5pm St. Paul | 12 | 13 |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 Happy Hour Sweeney's 5pm St. Paul | 26 | 27 |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 Halloween | | | |

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

Contacts

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