

2018—2019  
Ski Season

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## President's Letter

### Greetings 3M Club Members,

Is it really January? Isn't this supposed to be one of the coldest months? We have had some cool/cold days, but I understand that the first weekend of the month is going to bring temperatures approaching 40 in the Twin Cities! OK, maybe that isn't really all that warm, but it is January...

Reflecting more on the recent weather, we did have a pretty cold day on the 1<sup>st</sup> – which seemed fitting for the annual **Ice Dive at Lake Minnetonka**. I understand that several members continued their tradition of braving the elements and welcoming in the New Year with a brief dip.

Despite the recent warmer weather and lower-than-usual snow depth in the area, one bit of good news is that snow has fallen in the upper peninsula in Michigan. So the group heading to Big Snow Resort (Indianhead/Blackjack) for the **MSC Winter Carnival** from **January 4-6** should have a great time!



And hopefully we will get more snow here in the Twin Cities in the coming weeks as well. We kick off this season's **Meet & Ski events at Welch Village** on **Saturday, January 19** (followed by events on **February 16** and **March 9**).

Welch Village has a respectable base already thanks to earlier snowfall and ongoing snowmaking, but I am sure that everyone would agree that it would be nice to get more natural snow too. We will have more information on the pricing soon, but we can tell you that the slopes will open at 9am and that there will be complimentary grilled food outside of the Madd Jaxx Chalet at noon. We ask that you bring a dish/snack to share, and recommend also bringing a chair as the seating is limited. Note: Outside alcoholic beverages are prohibited.

January also brings the first of our big "Western" ski trips for the year. 30+ club members will be heading to **Sun Peaks Resort in British Columbia, Canada** from January 27 to February 2. This is a new destination for the club, and I am sure that there will be many great stories, experiences, and memories.



Finally, a nod to the "Social" part of our club name. In December we had two Thirsty Thursdays – first at Red Cow (12/6) and then at Crave (12/20). We are upping the ante in January with three Thirsty Thursdays! We start with a gathering at **Lakes Tavern & Grill in Woodbury on 1/3**. Then on **1/17**, we head to **Green Mill in Woodbury**. And we will finish at **HyVee Market Grille in Oakdale on 1/31**.



All the best,  
Garrett

# Thirsty Thursdays



**Thursday, January 3rd, 2019, 5pm+**

**[Lakes Tavern & Grill - Woodbury](#)**

9240 Hudson Road, Woodbury, MN 55125

[www.lakestavernandgrill.com](http://www.lakestavernandgrill.com)

**Happy Hour - 3pm-6pm Daily and 8pm to close. All day Sunday.**

House Wine - \$4, Rail Drinks - \$4, \$1 off all bottled beers, \$2 off specialty drinks, Domestic Pints \$3 / Mugs \$4, Premium Pints \$4 / Mugs \$6

**Thursday, January 17th, 2019, 5pm+**

**[Green Mill - Woodbury](#)**

6025 Hudson Road, Woodbury, MN 55125

(651) 735-1000

[www.greenmill.com/](http://www.greenmill.com/)



Family-friendly chain bar & grill serving American fare, plus deep-dish pizzas.



**Thursday, January 31th, 2019, 5pm+**

**[HyVee Market Grille - Oakdale](#)**

7180 10th Street North, Oakdale, MN 55128

(651) 714-3172

[www.marketgrille.hy-vee.com/](http://www.marketgrille.hy-vee.com/)

Casual spot with a varied American menu, a full bar with a large craft beer list & Sunday brunch.

For more information about these and other club activities and trips, please visit our club site at: [www.hootline.com](http://www.hootline.com)

# Thirsty Thursdays



**Thursday, February 14th, 2019, 5pm+**

**[3rd Act Craft Brewery - Woodbury](#)**

4120 Radio Dr, Woodbury, MN 55129

(651) 998-2337

[www.3rdactbrew.com](http://www.3rdactbrew.com)

Brand new location and first ever craft beer brewery in Woodbury, MN.

Fresh brewed craft beer, root beer, pizza, pretzels and indoor and outdoor games.

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**Thursday, February 28th, 2018, 5pm+**

**[Happy Gnome - St Paul](#)**

498 Selby Ave, St Paul, MN 55102

(651) 287-2018

[www.thehappygnome.com/](http://www.thehappygnome.com/)



Neighborhood bar with banquet facilities, serving lunch and dinner every day. Visit us to experience craft beer exploration and culinary adventure, together.

**Happy Hour(s)**

**Sunday - Thursday 3pm - 6pm**

**&**

**9pm - close**

**\$5 Selected Beers, \$5 Featured Wine Selection**

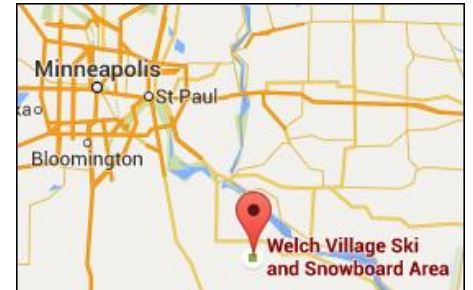
**\$2 off all Gnome Favorites**

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**3M Ski, Snowboard & Social Club**  
*in collaboration with*  
**Midwest Sport & Ski Council (MSC)**  
*present:*

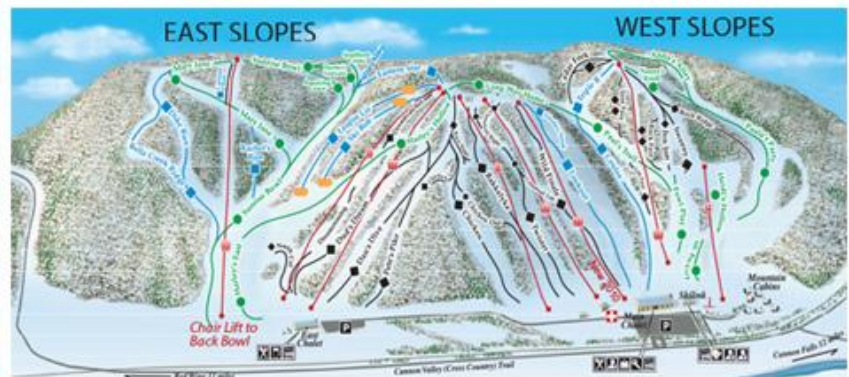
**Saturday Meet & Ski Events**



Jan 19th: Welch Village  
 Feb 16th: Welch Village (hosted by 3M)  
 Mar 9th: Welch Village  
*Slopes open at 9am; Grilling at Noon*

*Bring a friend or family member.  
 Enjoy our local slopes and introduce others to our club!*

- What?** **Local Meet & Ski Days in collaboration with Midwest Sport & Ski Council (MSC)**  
 Three fun, local skiing events and a great opportunity to meet and ski with members of other local ski clubs.
- Where?** **Welch Village Ski and Snowboard Area, [www.welchvillage.com](http://www.welchvillage.com)**  
 26685 County Road 7 Blvd, Welch, MN 55089, 651-258-4567
- Eats?** **Grilling at Noon outside of Madd Jaxx Chalet (compliments of ski clubs).**  
 Please bring a dish/snack to share. Chairs are encouraged.
- Pricing?** Watch for details!
- Questions?** Contact John Olson, 612-385-5646, [johnskiier@yahoo.com](mailto:johnskiier@yahoo.com)



3M Ski & Snowboard Club is open to 3Mers and non-3Mers.  
 Visit [www.hootline.com](http://www.hootline.com) for information about Club Membership and Events.

# Calendar of Events

## January 2019

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
31	<b>1</b> <u>New Year's</u> <u>All Day.</u> <u>Ice Dive 2019</u> <u>9:00 am Excelsior</u>	2	<b>3</b> <u>Lakes Tavern</u> <u>Woodbury</u> <u>5:00 pm Woodbury.</u>	<b>4</b> <u>Winter Carnival -</u> <u>Big Snow Resort,</u> <u>MI</u> <u>All day River Falls</u>	<b>5</b> <u>Winter Carnival -</u> <u>Big Snow Resort,</u> <u>MI</u> <u>All day River Falls</u>	<b>6</b> <u>Winter Carnival -</u> <u>Big Snow Resort,</u> <u>MI</u> <u>All day River Falls</u>
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	<b>17</b> <u>Green Mill -</u> <u>Woodbury</u> <u>5:00 pm Woodbury.</u>	18	<b>19</b> <u>Meet and Ski -</u> <u>Welch Village</u> <u>9:00 am Welch</u>	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	<b>27</b> <u>Sun Peaks, British</u> <u>Columbia, Canada</u> <u>All day River Falls</u>
<b>28</b> <u>Sun Peaks, British</u> <u>Columbia, Canada</u> <u>All day River Falls</u>	<b>29</b> <u>Sun Peaks, British</u> <u>Columbia, Canada</u> <u>All day River Falls</u>	<b>30</b> <u>Sun Peaks, British</u> <u>Columbia, Canada</u> <u>All day River Falls</u>	<b>31</b> <u>Sun Peaks, British</u> <u>Columbia, Canada</u> <u>All day River Falls</u> <u>HyVee Market</u> <u>Grille - Oakdale</u> <u>5:00 pm Oakdale</u>	<b>1</b> <u>Sun Peaks, British</u> <u>Columbia, Canada</u> <u>All day River Falls</u>	<b>2</b> <u>Sun Peaks, British</u> <u>Columbia, Canada</u> <u>All day River Falls</u>	3

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# Calendar of Events

## February 2019

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
<a href="#">Sun Peaks, British Columbia, Canada</a> All day Sun Peaks	<a href="#">Sun Peaks, British Columbia, Canada</a> All day Sun Peaks	<a href="#">Sun Peaks, British Columbia, Canada</a> All day Sun Peaks	<a href="#">Sun Peaks, British Columbia, Canada</a> All day Sun Peaks	<a href="#">Sun Peaks, British Columbia, Canada</a> All day Sun Peaks	<a href="#">Sun Peaks, British Columbia, Canada</a> All day Sun Peaks	
			<a href="#">HyVee Market Grille - Oakdale</a> 5:00 pm Oakdale			
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
			<a href="#">3rd Act Craft Brewery</a> 5:00 pm Woodbury		<a href="#">Meet and Ski - Welch Village (hosted by 3M)</a> 9:00 am Welch	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	1	2	3
			<a href="#">The Happy Gnome</a> 5:00 pm St. Paul		<a href="#">Sun Valley, Idaho</a> All day Sun Valley	<a href="#">Sun Valley, Idaho</a> All day Sun Valley

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