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## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



### Happy 60th Birthday CMSC!

The Chicago Metropolitan Ski Council (CMSC) is an association of 65 member clubs which offer downhill and Nordic skiing, boarding and year-round activities.

It all started in 1957 when the seven founding clubs, Chicago Med-Skis, 400 Ski Club, Oak Park Ski Club, Sitzmark Ski Club, Snow Chase Ski Club, Snow Hawks Ski Club, and Windy City Ski Club adopted a one page constitution. See the newspaper article on the next page for more details.

Here are a few facts from the early years:

- Dec. 1957 First Inter-club ski race at Norge Ski Hill
- Nov. 1958 First Chicagoland Ski Fest which was organized and conducted by CMSC
- Jan. 1959 First CMSC Trip by train to Sun Valley nine days for \$190 complete
- Feb. 1959 First Inter-council ski race with Metro Detroit Ski Council at Caberfae, MI
- Feb. 1959 First CMSC Europe Trip to Kitzbühel, St. Anton and Davos \$390 for three weeks
- 1960 First CMSC Trip to Aspen for \$139
- 1964 First CMSC Club Directory

You can learn more from the pictures on the cover and throughout this magazine and on our website.

CMSC is a founding member of the National Ski Council Federation which is made up of 29 Councils from across the country. As a member of one of our clubs you can take advantage of benefits which include discounts on everything from merchandise and equipment to travel and insurance. There is also a Virtual Silent Auction on their website at skifederation.org until November 15, 2017.

This is also a special year for one of our clubs. As you know, the Winter Olympics are in 2018. Norge Ski Club currently has four young men and one young woman on the US National Ski Jumping Team and three more on the Junior National Development Team. Please join us in supporting them on their quest to make the US Olympic Team at the Trials in December and beyond.

CMSC member clubs are adventure clubs, singles clubs, family clubs and clubs that welcome everyone. As you can see, I am sure that you will find one that fits your needs.

For more information on anything I have mentioned, please go to skiCMSC.com and follow the links to our club websites.

Thank you and I hope to see you on a trip or at an event!

Mike Thomas,  
CMSC President

60 YEARS Ago . . . .

# CHICAGO FORMS SKI COUNCIL

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**SEVEN LOCAL CLUBS HOLD FIRST MEET, ELECT OFFICERS**

Now, at long last, Chicago has its own Metropolitan Ski Council. Early last spring, Bill McCloud, Dan Lapins and Ian Harker, all of the Oak Park Ski Club, started the ball rolling by sending out invitations to all of the known recreational ski clubs in the greater Chicago area. The response was immediate and enthusiastic as seven of the most active clubs hastened to join. The Council is currently composed of the following Chicago area ski clubs: "400" Ski Club, Chicago MedSki, Oak Park Ski Club, Sitzmark Ski Club, Snow Chase Ski Club, Snow Hawks Ski Club and the Windy City Ski Club.

At the outset, all clubs seemed to be in accord as to the aims and purposes of the Council and subsequent meetings were held to work out the details of organization. The Council elected the following officers to serve for the 1957-1958 season: Harry B. Madsen, president; Bill McCloud, vice-president; Libby Faler, secretary; Merle Goedjen, treasurer. In September, the Council received its charter as a not for profit organization in the state of Illinois.



Chicago, Illinois. Here are the officers of the newly formed Chicago Metropolitan Ski Council. Shows above from left to right are Bill McCloud, vice-president; Libby Faler, secretary; Harry B. Madsen, president; Merle Goedjen, treasurer. I. W. Harker Photo

The CMSC is celebrating our 60th anniversary. 60 years of great trips, events and gatherings. 60 years of bringing people and clubs together. We're sharing some of our memories here and throughout the magazine. We hope you enjoy these flashbacks!

## ON THE COVER



1959, 1<sup>ST</sup> CMSC TRIP  
 SUN VALLEY, IDAHO



1958, SPRING CARNIVAL  
 MARDI-GRAS



1959, 1<sup>ST</sup> EUROPE TRIP  
 KITZBÜHEL, ST. ANTON & DAVOS



1995, CMSC Annual Picnic



1958, Chicagoland Ski Fest



1994, Chicago Week,  
 Whistler



1988, Winter Carnival  
 Schuss Mountain

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## DOES YOUR CLUB BELONG TO CMSC?

The CMSC exists to promote our member ski and snowboard clubs as well as to provide programs and tools to aid the club officers in running their individual clubs. If your ski and snowboard club is not a member of CMSC, contact Glenn Yoshimura Vice-President of Membership, at [dogsnlcs@yahoo.com](mailto:dogsnlcs@yahoo.com) or Michael Thomas, CMSC President, at [mike-mike1@att.net](mailto:mike-mike1@att.net)

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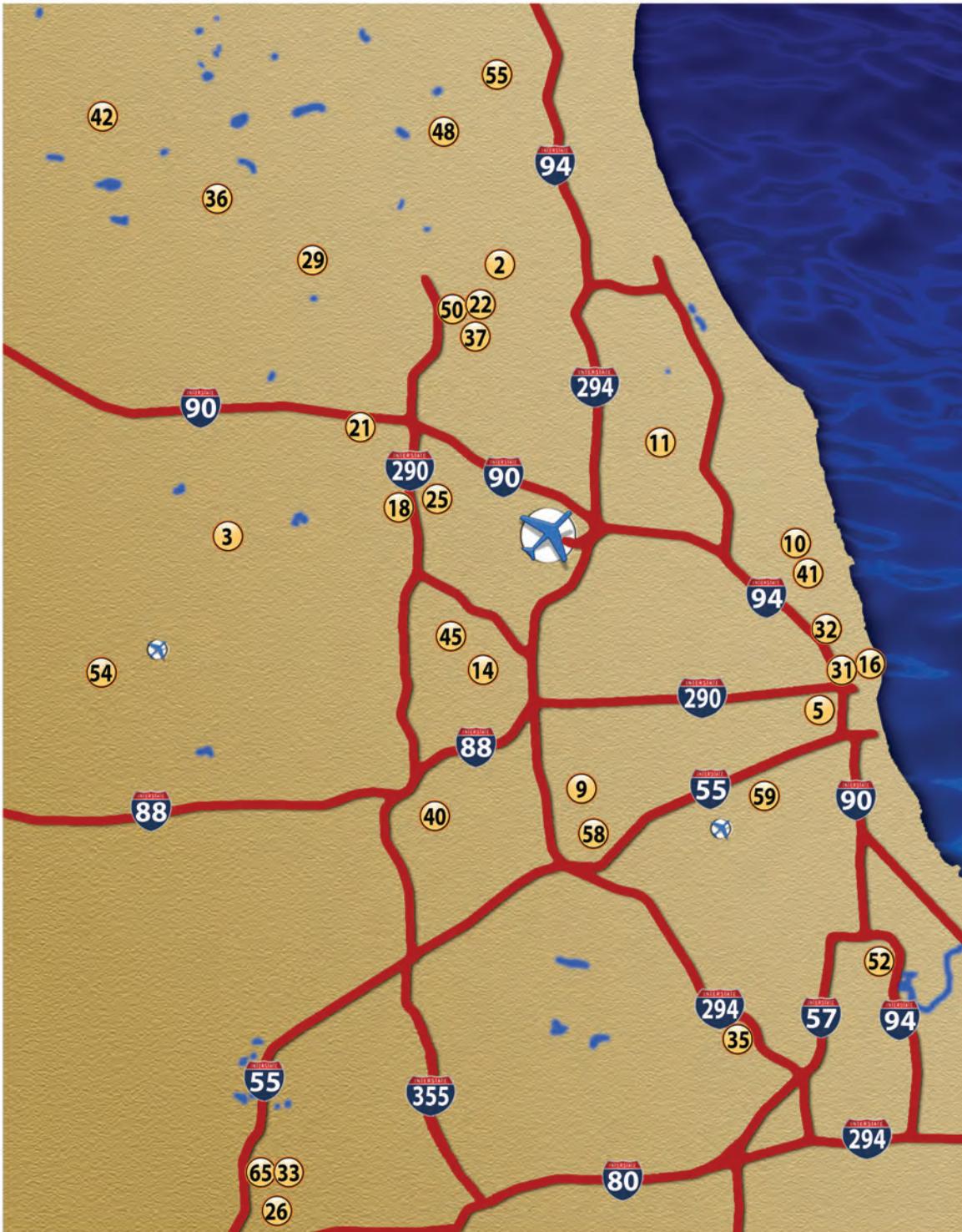
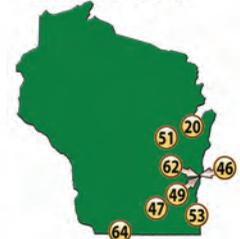
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# 2017/2018 MEMBER CLUBS



## 1. Adventure Snowkiting Club - Stoke Riders

stokeriders.com  
Meeting: Bass Pro Shop  
6425 Daniel Burnham Dr., Portage, IN  
President: Tyler Spence  
(312)952-0888 / info@stokeriders.com



## 2. Alpine Ski Club

Meeting: Schwaben Center  
301 N. Weiland Rd., Buffalo Grove, IL  
Meets 1st Wed of the month, 8:00pm  
President: Hans Kendl  
johnkendl@sbcglobal.net



## 3. American Blind Skiing Foundation

ABSF.org  
absf@absf.org  
Meeting: Teleconferences held on 3rd Monday of each month. Contact or call  
President: Michelle Hulscher  
(847)508-7793 / Mitch.350@live.com  
Club Contact: Phil Skultety  
(847)767-0471 / pskultety@aol.com



## 4. Aqua Adventurers

South Suburbs  
Club Contact: Nettie Napravnik  
nettie.nap@gmail.com  
Meetings: contact Nettie Napravnik

## 5. Blizzard Ski and Snowboard Club

blizzardskiclub.com  
blizzardskiclub@gmail.com



## 6. Bloomington-Normal Ski & Social Club

bnski.org  
email@bnski.org  
Meeting: Varies Each Month  
Bloomington, IL  
Check our website for meeting location  
Trip Chair: Sherrill Leslie  
(309)530-6314 / pres@bnski.org



## 7. Boeing Employees Ski Club - St. Louis

besc-stl.org  
david.gianino@att.net  
Meeting: Boeing Facility  
St. Louis, MO  
Meets 3rd Tuesday of the month.



## 8. Champaign Ski and Adventure Club

champaignskiclub.org  
cskiclub@gmail.com  
Meeting: Various Locations  
Champaign, IL  
The Board of Directors meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm, Location varies.



## 9. Chicago Dental Ski Club

dentalskiclub@gmail.com  
President: Kevin Patterson  
(708)849-8627 / kpattersondds@aol.com



## 10. Chicago Friars Ski and Bike Club

chicagofriars.com  
chicagofriars@gmail.com  
Meeting: Ricochets Tavern  
4644 N. Lincoln Ave., Chicago, IL  
1st and 3rd Mondays of each month at 8:00pm  
President: Mike Chrystof  
mdchrystof@gmail.com  
Trip Chair: Dwayne Cornelius  
dcom421@rcn.com

## 11. Chicagoland Club 50 - Ski and Sports

ski50.com  
president@skiclubchicago.com  
Meeting: Monthly Sunday social Dinners  
Various restaurant locations throughout the Chicago area.  
President: Cindy Ward  
cbward200@gmail.com

## 12. Duneland Ski Club

skiduneland.com  
Meeting: Gary Sportsmen Club  
10101 Madison St., Crownpoint, IN  
Usually the 3rd Mon. of each month at 7:30 p.m.  
Contact us at: Dunelandskier@gmail.com  
President: Bill Leavitt  
(219)789-5610 / SKIBILL@aol.com  
Club Contact: Janice Shifley Gordon  
regiongirl1@gmail.com

## 13. East Iowa Ski Club

eastiwaskiclub.com  
Meeting: VFW Post 788  
VFW 3240 Southgate Pl SW, Cedar Rapids, IA  
Monthly from October thru March - Consult our calendar for details.  
President: Mike Buckman  
mike@eastiwaskiclub.com  
Trip Chair: James Wittnebel  
jim@eastiwaskiclub.com  
Club Contact: Kim Betts  
(319)849-8885  
Secretary@EastIowaSkiClub.com



## 14. Elmhurst Ski Club

ElmhurstSkiClub.com  
luke38@sbcglobal.net  
Meeting: Manny's Ale House  
683 W. St.Charles Rd., Elmhurst, IL  
Meets 1st Tue; Sep thru Apr at 7:30pm



## 15. Fireside Ski Club

dancer@netnitco.net  
Call Rich Patterson  
President: Rich Patterson  
(219)926-2376 / dancer@netnitco.net

## 16. Fleetwind Ski Club

chicagobillski@yahoo.com  
Meeting: Dugan's  
128 S Halsted St., Chicago, IL  
2nd and 4th Wed of each month at 8:00pm  
President: Bill Gleason  
(630)969-6185 / chicagobillski@yahoo.com



## 17. Fort Wayne Ski Club

fwsc.org  
SkiClubFW@aol.com  
Meeting: Classic Cafe  
4832 Hillegas Rd., Fort Wayne, IN  
Fridays, Sept through April at 7:30PM



## 18. Four Winds Ski, Ride & Socialize

FourWindsSki.org  
info@FourWindsSki.org  
Meeting: Real Time Sports Bar & Grill  
1120 W Devon Ave., Elk Grove Village, IL  
7pm; 1st Thursday of the month  
President: Russel Butler  
(847)368-1571 / Russelbutler@comcast.net  
Trip Chair: Candace Skultety  
cvskult7-ski@yahoo.com



## 19. Gateway Ski USA

gatewayski.com  
Meeting: C.J. Muggs Restaurant  
200 S. Central, Clayton, MO  
Meets monthly, contact President  
President: Joe Racine  
JL.racine@sbcglobal.net



## 20. Gelandesprung Ski Club

gelandesprung.org  
Gelandesprung@hotmail.com  
Meeting: The Woods Pub & Grill  
530 Erie Road, Green Bay, WI  
Meets Tue before each trip 7:00pm  
President: Julie Steltz  
president@gelandesprung.org  
Trip Chair: Gary Austin  
trip.chair@gelandesprung.org

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## 21. Hustlers Ski Club

hustlersskiclub.com  
info@hustlersskiclub.com  
Meeting: Thornwoods Restaurant & Lounge  
1051 N Wood Dale Rd., Wood Dale, IL  
Meets 1st and 3rd Tues, Sept - Feb at 7:30pm.  
President: Bob Meyer  
(847)705-8732 / skibahb@sbcglobal.net  
Trip Chair: Chuck Montagna  
clmontagna3@gmail.com

## 22. Ibex Ski and Snowboard Club

groupspaces.com/ibex  
ibexmembership2017@skiibex.com  
Meeting: Gatsby's Pizza and Pub Inc  
427 E. Rand Rd., Arlington Heights, IL  
1st and 3rd Wed. monthly Booze N' Schmooze at  
7:00 pm - meetings start at 8:00 pm  
President: Pam Chiechi  
(847)915-2887 / skipam1@sbcglobal.net  
Trip Chair: Lynn Dean  
lbextrips2017@skiibex.com

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## 23. Indianapolis Ski Club

indyskiclub.org  
Meeting: Randal A Ridgway Indianapolis, IN  
Visit our website for date, time, and location  
Trip Chair: Jean Ballinger  
Jeanballinger77@gmail.com  
Club Contact: Randy Ridgway  
rridgway@accs.net



## 24. Inland Ski Club

inlandskiclub.org  
Meeting: Sanfratello's Pizza  
9400 Indianapolis Blvd., Highland, IN  
Meets September through April usually on the 1st  
Tuesday or Friday of the month.  
President: Larry Douglas  
(219)949-6419 / douglas375@sbcglobal.net



## 25. J's Ski & Snowboard Club

sites.google.com/site/jsskisnowboardclub  
roysan0841@gmail.com  
Meeting: Elk Grove Village, IL  
Please contact us by E-mail.  
President: Roy Nakagawa  
roysan0841@gmail.com



## 26. Joliet Ski Club

Meeting: Knights of Columbus  
100 S 129th Infantry Dr., Joliet, IL  
The 3rd Thurs. of the month at 7:00 pm  
President: Kathy Beaudry  
(815)485-9661 / kjbeaud@att.net  
Trip Chair: Jim Boisso  
(815)830-6037 / bumboardski@aol.com



## 27. Jug and Mug Ski Club

Lansing, MI  
Meeting: Buddies Grille  
Holt Plaza 2040 North Aurelius Rd., Holt, MI  
Rich Rybick  
ichrybick@yahoo.com

## 28. Kansas City Ski Club

kcskiclub.org  
Meeting: Californo's  
4124 Pennsylvania Ave., Kansas City, MO  
Trip Chair: Kyle Mueller  
(913)957-0963 / tripdirector@kcskiclub.org



## 29. Kirby Ski Club

kirbyskiclub.com  
Meeting: During our 2 trips each year in  
Wisconsin Dells.  
President: Kirby Giampa  
(847)487-7065 / kirbyskiclub@yahoo.com



## 30. Lafayette Ski and Snowboard Club

Trip Chair: Brian Olehy  
inisp1300@hotmail.com

## 31. Lakeshore Ski and Sports Club

lssc.org  
Meeting: Jak's Tap  
901 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, IL  
at 6:30 PM fourth Tuesday of the month.  
See our Website for details.  
President: Lee Galusha  
President@lssc.org  
Trip Chair: Marcie Marcovitz  
(847)542-7733 / Western.director@lssc.org  
Club Contact: Margaret Sheridan  
(312)912-1449  
communications.director@lssc.org

## 32. Lincoln Park Ski Club

lincolnparkskiclub.org  
president@lincolnparkskiclub.org  
Meeting: Matilda's  
3101 N. Sheffield Ave Chicago, IL  
Meetings vary - check our website for the latest  
updates!

## 33. Lincoln-Way Ski Club

Meeting: Contact President  
President: Steve Gutschenritter  
(815)469-6442 / smgutsch@aol.com  
Trip Chair: Ginny Pesa / (815)469-0123



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**34. Mississippi Valley Ski Club**



sites.google.com/site/qcskiclub  
Meeting: Edwin Rumpza  
26057 Bluff Road, Princeton, IA  
Meets 2nd Monday of each month at 6:30 PM for social / dinner with meeting at 7:00 PM.  
President: Ed Rumpza / qcmvsc@gmail.com

**35. Nomad Ski, Snowboard, and Social Club**



chicagonomads.com  
Meeting: Gaelic Park  
6119 W 147th St., Oak Forest, IL  
Social meeting 1st Wednesday of every month at Joe Daniel's  
12218 S. Harlem, Palos Heights, 7:30pm.  
General meeting 3rd Thursday of the month at Gaelic Park, 147th St., Oak Forest, 7:30pm.  
President: Bob Klawitter  
(708)747-2630 / bobgrouch@sbcglobal.net  
Club Contact: Ruth Sulda  
(773)779-4025 / ruthsul@wowway.com

**36. Norge Ski Club**



norgeskiclub.com  
clubinfo@norgeskiclub.com  
Meeting: Norge Ski Club  
100 Ski Hill Rd., Fox River Grove, IL  
Meets first and 3rd Tues. each month 7:30pm

**37. Northwest Nordic Ski Club**



nwnordicskiclub.com  
Meeting: various locations - see website  
NW suburbs of Chicago - Arlington Heights, IL  
Meetings Oct. - March  
President: Paula Matzek  
plmatzek@aol.com

**38. Omaha Ski Club**



omahaskiclub.org  
Meeting: Various Locations (check the website)  
Omaha, NE  
Members and guests welcome. Social meeting usually on the 2nd Tuesday of each month.  
Trip Chair: Teri Hammon  
(402)571-4517 / dragonsrock@cox.net

**39. Peoria Ski Club**



pscwebmstr@mtco.com  
Meeting: Check Our Website  
Peoria, IL  
Trip Chair: Dennis Kennedy  
mtnski2@outlook.com

**40. Piccadilly Ski Club**

piccadillyskiclub.com  
Meeting: Emmett's Ale House  
5200 Main St., Downers Grove, IL  
Meetings are the 1st and 3rd Thursday each month. May, June & July, 1st Thursday of the month only. at 7:30 PM.  
President: Kevin Conlon  
(708)906-9517 / kconz1@aol.com  
Trip Chair: Terry Turlek / terryturlek@comcast.net  
Club Contact: Dean Westlund  
(815)200-5833 / dean.westlund@comcast.net

**41. Pine Point Ski Club**



pinepointskiclub.com  
Meetings: West Loop @ Jak's Tap  
901 W Jackson Blvd., Chicago, IL  
Check our website or Meetup site for meeting time and location.  
President: Jason Claycomb  
(312)543-3593 / sk8r\_sk8r@yahoo.com

**42. Powder Dogs Ski & Snowboard Club**



powderdogs.org  
Meeting: Duke's Alehouse  
100 Main St., Crystal Lake, IL  
The 3rd Tuesday of each month. Social hour 6:30.  
Meetings start promptly at 8 pm  
President: Rick Pasturczak  
(847)854-4754 / PowderDogs@gmail.com  
Trip Chair: Jeannie Conway  
PowderDogs@gmail.com

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# 2017/2018 MEMBER CLUBS CONTINUED



## 43. Rivercity Ski Club

Meeting: Starved Rock Yacht Club  
Dee Bennett Rd., Ottawa, IL  
Meets 3rd Monday each month 6:00pm  
President: James N. Boisso  
(815)830-6037 / bumbordski@aol.com



## 44. Rock Valley Ski Association

skirockford.org  
Meeting: Thunder Bay Grille  
7652 Potawatomi Trail, Rockford, IL  
Monthly Meeting the 2nd Tuesday at 7:30pm.  
President: Carl McKnight  
(815)978-7924 / skicarl@aol.com  
Club Contact: Greg Kaski  
(815)235-3528 / gkaski\_271@comcast.net

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## 45. Sanctuary Ski Club

SkiSanctuary.org  
Meeting: Crazy Pour - Sports Bar  
105 E North Ave., Villa Park, IL  
Meetings on the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month at 8:00pm For more info visit our website.  
President: Anna Lyszczarczyk  
(708)289-1939 / ankalysz@gmail.com  
Trip Chair: Dave Shute  
(630)479-0985 / daveshute@wowway.com  
Club Contact: Jerry Klaetsch  
(630)355-2656 / klaetsch1@gmail.com

## 46. Schussboomers Ski and Snowboard Club of Milwaukee

schussboomers-wi.com  
Meeting: Pre-trip and post-trip  
Meetings held at different venues in Wisconsin  
President: Darlene Kelly  
(262)367-8377 / dardankelly@aol.com  
Trip Chair: Jeff Marshall  
(262)642-7756 / jmboarder@wi.rr.com



## 47. SEWASP SouthEastern Wisconsin Adaptive Ski Program

sewasp.org  
Meeting: Alpine Valley Resort  
W2501 County Road D, Elkhorn, WI  
Trip Chair: Kathy Mohar  
(414)533-7234 / info@sewasp.org



## 48. Sitzmark Ski & Snowboard Club

sitzmarkskiclub.com  
Meeting: El Barrio Restaurant & Lounge  
1122 Diamond Lake Rd., Mundelein, IL  
Meets 1st and 3rd Wed. each month at 8:00pm  
President: Carol Janssen  
(414)364-0485 / cwjanssen@aol.com  
Trip Chair: Gina DeJoseph  
gina.dejoseph@rosalindfranklin.edu



## 49. Sitzmark Ski Club, Milwaukee

sitzmark.org  
Meeting: New Berlin Hills Golf Course  
13175 W Graham St., New Berlin, WI  
2nd Friday (check our website for dates)  
President: Tom Augustine  
president@sitzmark.org  
Trip Chair: Sitzmark Ski Trips  
trips@sitzmark.org  
Club Contact: Dawn Petermann  
(414)315-5100 / dpetermann@yahoo.com

## 50. Skunk Hollow Ski and Snowboard Club

skunkhollowskiclub.com  
Meeting: Crave Bar and Food Joynt  
1204 W. Rand Rd., Arlington Heights, IL  
Meets 2nd Thurs. of each month at 8:00 p.m.  
President: Scott Brighton  
(847)894-5627 / sbrighton6969@yahoo.com  
Trip Chair: Nancy Ruth / (847)707-3332

## 51. Sly Fox Ski & Snowboard Club

slyfoxskiclub.org  
Meeting: The Bar on Lynndale  
2435 W. Nordale Dr., Appleton, WI  
Meets 1st and 3rd Wed. Oct. - Mar. at 7:00pm, see our website for details.  
President: Bruce Kettner  
(920)734-4579 / vicepresident@slyfoxskiclub.org  
Trip Chair: Sam Fontaine  
(920)337-0975 / trips@slyfoxskiclub.org

## 52. Sno-Gophers Ski Club

snogophers.org  
Meeting: Tuley Park  
501 E 90th Place, Chicago, IL  
Board Meets Every 2nd Tuesday 7:00pm  
General Meetings are 3rd Tuesday 7:00pm  
President: Larry Earls  
(630)670-5436 / burningjazz@sbcglobal.net  
Trip Chair: Shirley Pleasant  
lpleasants@aol.com



## 53. Snomads Ski and Snowboard Club

snomadwi.tripod.com  
Meeting: Angry Brothers Pub  
6501 Washington Ave., Racine, WI  
2nd Monday each month - Sept - April - 7:00 PM  
Trip Chair: Dave Lesch  
(262)994-4391 / dklesch1@wi.rr.com  
Club Contact: Joan Vaughn  
(262)553-1487 / joanvaughn@yahoo.com



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#### 54. Snowdrifters Ski Club



snowdrifters.net  
 Meeting: Old Town Pub  
 201 W. State Street (Route 38), Geneva, IL  
 Meets 3rd Monday each month 7:30pm  
 President: Leo Ahaisic  
 (630)309-8885 / bahasic@sbcglobal.net  
 Trip Chair: Frank Hodowal  
 (630)584-0868 / fthod@aol.com  
 Club Contact: Tom Quetsch  
 tomquetsch@yahoo.com

#### 55. Snowseekers Ski/Snowboard Club



Snowseekers.org  
 Meeting: Various Locations-see website  
 Meets on the 2nd Tuesday each month at  
 6:30pm beginning in September.  
 check our website for details about future meeting  
 President: Jan Billings  
 (847)223-9379 / billings996@comcast.net  
 Trip Chair: Stu Howes  
 (847)289-1811 / stuhowes@flash.net

#### 56. Springfield Ski Club



springfieldskiclub.org  
 vpwintertrips@springfieldskiclub.org  
 Meetings: Board of Directors meet the 2nd  
 Thursday of each month.  
 Happy hour is the third Thursday of each month.  
 General membership meetings are April and  
 September.

#### 57. St. Louis Ski Club



stlouisskiclub.com  
 Meeting: Various Locations St. Louis, MO  
 Usually meets on Thursday nights. Refer to our  
 website for location.  
 Club Contact: Tom Coscia  
 (314)780-3021 / coscia@peoplepc.com

#### 58. SUD's Social Club



Meeting: Rafferty's Irish Pub  
 10901 Joliet Rd., Countryside, IL  
 Meets 2nd Mon. each month 8:30pm  
 President: Ray Piwowarczyk  
 (708)927-0330 / SkiRay1@aol.com

#### 59. Tatry Ski Club



tatryskiclub.com  
 Meeting: Polish Highlanders Alliance  
 4808 S. Archer Ave., Chicago, IL  
 President: Piotr Chowaniec  
 jcdesigncorp@yahoo.com  
 Trip Chair: Jay Kotchon  
 aleksjan@comcast.net

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# CMSC ALPINE RACING

## MAKE MID-WEST SKIING FUN!



Come out and try our ski and snowboard racing league. It's a Winter Olympic year, so come out and join one of our many clubs, make new friends and enjoy some friendly competition in an Olympic Season. Intermediate or "Blue Square" skiers and snowboarders can come out and progress through our five different levels of competition from "never raced before" to

"elite racer." You will compete against others with similar ability levels to yours. Medals for men/women/kids in each ability level are awarded each week. Season-end awards and a year-end celebration are part of the fun too. Our post-race "social gatherings," raffle prizes, and après ski cap off the experience.



This is a mostly adult league, but many of our racers are kids and young adults. Kids under 12 race in our Giant Slalom race for free. **If you are new to racing, your first race entry fee is on us** (details on our web site). Don't forget a helmet, because those are needed in CMSC race events for safety, plus they keep you warm.



Our season consists of Giant Slalom races (similar to NASTAR) and slalom (same thing, but turns are closer). This year's schedule is on page 18, while additional details and notifications are on our website - [SkiCMSC-Racing.com](http://SkiCMSC-Racing.com).

You can also sign up for "Race Alerts" on our website or by following our Facebook page (search CMSC Alpine Racing on Facebook).

Wilmot Mountain (now owned by Vail) is our home hill and just over an hour from Chicago. Many racers also take advantage of Wilmot's weeknight race training program, and it's convenient access to some of the best coaching in the Midwest. We also have three race weekends at "away" locations: 1) Ski Brule in Michigan's Iron Mountain Region, 2) Granite Peak near Wausau, WI, and 3) Caberfae Peaks, south of Traverse City, Michigan.

**Come race with us,  
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Greg Santos,  
CMSC Race Chairman  
GDSantos@msn.com



# 2017/2018 MEMBER CLUBS CONTINUED



## 60. Thunderbird Ski Club

tbirdskiclub.com

Meeting: Brann's Steakhouse and Grill  
39715 Six Mile Rd., Northville, MI

For Summer/Fall meetings check the website.

President: Diane Bagwell

(734)675-1381 / dcbaggs@att.net

Club Contact: Evelyn Fitzgerald

(519)944-6782 / evelfitz@yahoo.com



## 61. Toledo Ski Club

Toledo, Ohio

ToledoSkiClub.net

Club Contact: Rick Popiolek

rickpopiolek@gmail.com

## 62. Vagabond Ski & Social Club of Milwaukee

vagabondskiclub.com

Meeting: Knights of Columbus Hall

1800 S 92nd St., West Allis, WI

First Wed. of every month: Doors open 5 pm;

Roundtable 5:30 pm; Event Signups 6:30 pm;

Meeting 7 pm; Music and Dancing 8 pm

President: Ron Sonntag

(414)788-4907 / ron@rspr.com

Trip Chair: Joyce Szulc

(262)886-9328 / jszulc@wi.rr.com

## 63. Viking Ski Club

South Bend, IN

meetup.com/Viking-Ski-Club

Meetings: Villa Macri Restorante, Granger, IN

Club Contact: Jeanne Robertson

Lrobertson1107@comcast.net



= Children allowed on Trips

## 64. Wheel Ski & Sports Club

wheelski.com

Beloit, WI

President: Eric Gefvert

egefvert@gmail.com



## 65. Wild Bunch Ski Club

skiwildbunch.com

Meeting: Cemenos's Pizza - Joliet

1630 N. Essington Rd., Joliet, IL

Meets 2nd Thursday of each month at 9:00 P.M.

President: Judy Kurtz / judith@ameritech.net

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# Club PROFILES

## AMERICAN BLIND SKIING FOUNDATION



The purpose of ABSF is to provide an educational skiing program that is open to any blind or visually impaired person in the hope of providing both physical and psychological therapeutic value. ABSF

is committed to serving blind and visually impaired people of all ages by offering activities that build confidence and independence in a comfortable supportive setting. These positive experiences can last a lifetime. Guides must attend a guide training clinic and demonstrate competency prior to any assignment. Guides come back each year to experience the joy, fun, excitement and reward of helping the visually impaired learn to ski. (absf.org)

## CHICAGOLAND CLUB 50 - SKI & SPORTS



If you're over 50 and love being active, you'll find Chicagoland Club 50 - Ski and Sports to be the perfect choice of ski club with year-round activities. Club 50 will take weeklong trips this ski season to Steamboat with CMSC, Snowmass

and Sun Valley. What makes these ski trips unique is the end-of-ski-day wine and cheese gatherings where friendships are made, dinner plans confirmed and ski partners booked for the next day. Once a month the club gathers for Sunday evening dinner at different restaurants in Chicago and the suburbs. Summertime brings a host of other activities. (ski50.com)

## DUNELAND SKI CLUB



Duneland Ski Club, based in Northwest Indiana, has a year-round schedule of events for its active members. We are affiliated with both the CMSC and the Indiana Ski Council. We are historically an adult club

but are currently researching dynamics to allow participation by families with kids. Duneland offers winter trips to Midwest and world-class Western resorts primarily for Alpine and Nordic skiing, NASTAR racing, and boarding. Summer activities include biking, canoeing, a chili cook-off, and much more. Duneland is where great fun begins and memories endure. Please contact us and join the fun. We have a great group! (skiduneland.com)

## EAST IOWA SKI CLUB

A key focus of the East Iowa Ski Club is to bring people together that want to ski/snowboard, thus we offer a variety of weeklong, weekend, and one-day trips. Our club's 2018 key destinations are to Steamboat, Colorado Jan 13-20 (6 nights) and Lutsen Mountains, Minnesota Feb 9-12 (3 nights). Other winter snow activities include snowshoeing and cross-country skiing. Joining our ski club is not all about being able to ski as we have year-round activities that provide frequent social opportunities that include camping, bicycling, volleyball, golfing, sports events, theater, picnics, canoeing/kayaking, dining, hiking, as well as festivals. (eastiowaskiclub.com)

## FLEETWIND



Founded in 1957, our membership is derived from the entire Chicago metropolitan area, ranging in age from the twenties to the seventies, with skill levels from beginner to expert. We are blue collar, self-employed,

retirees, and professionals of all ethnic and economic backgrounds.

Fleetwind has always been at the forefront of skiing new areas, running trips to places that other clubs don't usually go to, as well as skiing the most popular places. Come join us. We are always looking for new skiers and new friends. Read our full club profile on the CMSC website.

## GELANDESPRUNG SKI CLUB



Gelandesprung Ski Club of Green Bay Wisconsin banded together in 1969 to enjoy downhill skiing and other year-round activities. We offer:

Significant discounts on alpine skiing in the West and the Midwest, a membership of over 100 people to ski with (must be at least 21 years old), and this is a no-hassle way to go on a ski trip, just show up and hop on the bus. If you are looking to ski with some great people and like the idea of having a warm and welcoming place to go and relax among friends, you've found the right club! (gelandesprung.org)

## HUSTLERS SKI CLUB



Hustlers Ski Club is dedicated to offering great ski opportunities to members each ski season, with 3 Western trips and at least 1 Midwest trip for the upcoming season. A big success for us is our monthly Sunday Supper

Clubs at various restaurants in Chicagoland. We also join for plays, concerts, sporting events and golf outings. The Hustlers are an adult only club with most members over 50 years old, and newcomers are welcome. Our website lists all upcoming events, a gallery and history. (HustlerSkiClub.com)

This alphabetical sampling of member clubs provides a peek into the fun that awaits skiers and non-skiers alike. A complete listing of all our member clubs can be found elsewhere in

the magazine as well as the trips they have planned for the upcoming season. For all the detailed club profiles and trips, visit our website - [skiCMSC.com](http://skiCMSC.com)

### *IBEX SKI & SNOWBOARD CLUB*



We are a Chicagoland year-around sport & social club, est. 1962, with 200 skiers and snowboarders of all abilities, plus non-skiers. Our membership includes 67% singles and 33% couples.

Family membership

allows children on designated trips and activities. This season we have 9 trips to three continents – 4 Western, 2 Midwest, and 3 International. Other activities include biking, golfing, camping, dinners, Ravinia, wine tastings, plays, picnics, scuba, and more! Join us at Gatsby's in Arlington Heights to get to know us, socialize, and get updates on trips/events. ([skiiibex.com](http://skiiibex.com))

### *JOLIET SKI CLUB*

The Joliet Ski Club has been providing affordable and fun ski trips and social activities since 1970. We are a diverse group of skiers and snow boarders of all ages enjoying the beauty of crisp snow days and the thrills associated with the sport of downhill skiing. We also love to meet new people with the same interests to socialize and have fun! Membership is open to age 21 and over. However, our trips and activities are family friendly; with minors accompanied by an adult. ([jolietclub.org](http://jolietclub.org))

### *LAKESHORE SKI & SPORTS CLUB*

The Lakeshore Ski & Sports Club is one of the largest ski clubs in the Chicago area. With an active membership of over 300, the club attracts an age range of 30 to 70-plus. It hosts, year-round, activities including skiing (downhill and cross-country), cycling, hiking, tennis, sailing, water sports, golf, social events, meet-ups, and volunteer charity events. ([lssc.org](http://lssc.org))

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# Club PROFILES

## NOMAD SKI, SNOWBOARD, AND SOCIAL CLUB



If you're looking to get off the couch, meet new people, develop friendships and HAVE FUN, the Nomad Ski, Snowboard, and Social Club is for you. We are celebrating our 56th year and have 150 members, who range in age from 8 to 82. Our

primary purpose, of course, is skiing/snowboarding, which we do a lot of, but we are always eager to participate in just about any social activity you can think of. We have non-ski trips that take place from time to time such as Italy and our Alaskan Cruise with Denali extension which were both recent trips. ([chicagonomads.com/contact-us](http://chicagonomads.com/contact-us))

## NORTHWEST NORDIC SKI CLUB



We are a cross-country ski club based in the northwest suburbs of Chicago. All ages and levels of skiers are welcome. Our activities include monthly meetings and social events, day ski outings in northeast Illinois and southern Wisconsin,

weekend ski trips in Wisconsin and Michigan, and week-long trips in the Midwest and other North American destinations. ([nwnordicskiclub.com](http://nwnordicskiclub.com))

## PICCADILLY SKI CLUB



Founded in 1970 and based in Downers Grove, Piccadilly Ski Club provides a diverse, highly social schedule of activities. We love skiing, snowboarding, golfing, cross-country, biking, softball, dining, camping, wine tastings, pub crawls and travel. In over 45

years, we've skied throughout the U.S., Canada and Europe; we've even skied in Japan, New Zealand and under the "Midnight Sun" in Norway. Other adventures have taken us to Costa Rica, Mexico, Jamaica, Dominican Republic, and Key West. Our membership is roughly 160 with a good mix of singles and couples. Join our Piccadilly family and find out why we keep growing! ([piccadillyskiclub.com](http://piccadillyskiclub.com))

## POWDER DOGS SKI & SNOWBOARD CLUB



The Powder Dogs Ski and Snowboard Club provides trips and social activities for their members. Members are from the NW suburbs of Chicago and meet the 3rd Tuesday of the month at Duke's Alehouse in downtown

Crystal Lake, IL. Meetings are free to the public and you're welcome to bring a friend. Many times there is a guest speaker at meetings talking about ski or snowboard topics. Members range from ages 4 - 80, from singles to families. Members receive discounts on trips and social activities and a discount on ski and snowboard equipment, clothing and accessories at Alpine Accessories. ([powderdogs.org](http://powderdogs.org))

## ROCK VALLEY SKI ASSOCIATION



For close to 50 years Rock Valley Ski Association (RVSA) has been offering adults, 21 and older, of Northwestern Illinois a viable option for people to participate in a ski and social environment.

RVSA has been helping to promote and support winter activities for the area, and that continues to be our leading mission. Our ski trips usually consist of a weekend excursion to the Wakefield/Bessemer Michigan area along with a week to one of many Western or Canadian ski destinations. We not only offer winter options but we have social and Summer/Fall activities to help keep interests year round. ([skirockford.org](http://skirockford.org))

## SANCTUARY SKI CLUB



Sanctuary Ski Club is one of Chicagoland's largest skiing & snowboarding club. This season we have over 550 available spots for 15 locations. From the Midwest to Europe, there are trips for every ability and budget. Also, we offer year round

activities in addition to ski trips. Our club focus is with singles & couples wanting to meet people, save money and enjoy outdoor activities with camaraderie - Note you must be 21 or older. For more info please visit our new website or stop by one of our meetings at Crazy Pour Sports Bar in Villa Park. ([skisanctuary.org](http://skisanctuary.org))

## SKUNK HOLLOW SKI & SNOWBOARD CLUB



Founded in 1960, Skunk Hollow Ski and Snowboard Club is a not for profit organization providing ski trips and social activities for our members. Our experienced skiing and boarding trip planners strive to get the best

deals available to great destinations each year. We offer trips to both Western and Midwest locations. Our club is composed of skiers and boarders of all ability levels, so there is always somebody to share the slopes with! We're large enough to offer reasonably priced trips and activities throughout the year, yet small enough to maintain our friendly personality. (skunkhollowskiclub.com)

## SLY FOX SKI & SNOWBOARD CLUB



Sly Fox Ski & Snowboard Club was chartered in 1967 is a year-round ski and social club for active adults from 21 and over and meets in Appleton, Wisconsin. The club welcomes all abilities ranging from beginner to

expert skiers & snowboarders. The club has a reciprocity agreement with Gelandesprung Club of Green Bay, Wisconsin. Together, the two clubs, lead by experienced leaders, offer weekend, 4-day, and week long trips throughout the Midwest, West, and Internationally. The Sly Fox Club is excited to welcome new members, all walks of life to enjoy social, skiing/snowboarding experiences, along with new friendships & fun. (slyfoxskiclub.org)

## SNOW-GOPHERS SKI CLUB



It all started in 1965 when radio announcer and "comedian" Holmes "Daddy-O" Daylie organized the SKI FUN League, then shortly they became the Sno-Gophers Ski Club. The Sno-Gophers Ski Club is the third oldest

Black Ski Club in the United States. And proudly boasting as one of its members Art Clay, one of the two founding members of the National Brotherhood of Skiers. The NBS and the Sno-Gophers Ski Club continue to be dedicated to promoting the sport of skiing within the African-American community. (snogophers.org)

## SNOWSEEKERS SKI/SNOWBOARD CLUB



The Snowseekers Ski and Snowboard Club welcomes skiers and riders of all ages and abilities. Our membership includes families, singles and couples. Families with young children are always welcome. We

also enjoy social activities throughout the year, such as bike rides, golf, Ravinia and other summer concerts, and attending theater events. This fall, we resume our regular meetings and look forward to our annual Christmas party, our 2018 mid-west and western ski trips, and an end-of-ski-season final dinner. Visit our website for the latest information on our trips, social events, meeting dates, and locations. (snowseekers.org)

## THUNDERBIRD SKI CLUB



The Thunderbird Ski Club presides around the Dearborn, MI area. The club began in 1949 by 20 Ford Motor Company employees to save money on ski trips and equipment, provide ski instruction to beginners and to develop friendships.

Throughout the years our goals have stayed the same and expanded. The club has year around activities including golf, canoeing, biking, picnics, theatre outings, baseball games, dinner meetings and of course skiing. We have PSIA ski instructors who teach beginner thru advance skiing and snowboarding. The Thunderbird race team has about 40 members racing in all ski levels against other ski clubs. (tbirdskiclub.com)

## VAGABOND SKI & SOCIAL CLUB OF MILWAUKEE



2018 marks the 60th anniversary of the club. We offer a full downhill ski program, including local, Midwest, national and international ski trips plus a ski team and ski lessons. What makes our club unique is the variety of other year-round activities we offer,

including tennis, golf, hiking, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, biking, bowling, camping, theater and sporting events. Members include active singles and married couples, living mostly in the southeastern Wisconsin area. Check out our website for a look at one of the most active clubs in the country. (vagabondskiclub.com)

# CLUB TRIPS 2017 - 2018

DATE	AREA/RESORT	STATE/COUNTRY	CLUB
<b>OTHER</b>			
● 12/04/17-12/10/17	Runaway Bay	Jamaica	Piccadilly
● 02/23/18-03/06/18	Hakuba	Japan	Ibex
● 03/10/18-03/17/18	La Brisas Resort	Mexico	Champaign
<b>EUROPE</b>			
● 01/12/18-01/23/18	Morzine, Nice	France	Snowdrifters
● 01/19/18-01/31/18	Val D'Isere	France	Gateway
● 01/27/18-01/31/18	Lyon	France	Gateway
● 01/26/18-02/03/18	Kitzbuhel	Austria	Fleetwind
● 02/03/18-02/06/18	Munich	Germany	Fleetwind
● 01/26/18-02/03/18	Mayrhofen, Nice	Austria	Ibex
● 02/03/18-02/07/18	The French Riviera	France	Ibex
● 01/26/18-02/03/18	Kitzbuhel	Austria	Inland
● 02/03/18-02/06/18	Munich	Germany	Inland
● 02/03/18-02/10/18	Ski amadé	Austria	Fleetwind
● 02/10/18-02/17/18	Ski Arlberg	Austria	Fleetwind
● 02/16/18-03/03/18	Val d'Isère, Tignes & Morzine, Avoriaz	France	Fleetwind
● 02/16/18-02/24/18	Val d'Isère, Tignes	France	Fleetwind
● 02/16/18-02/24/18	Sauze d'Oulx, Nice	Italy, France	Lakeshore
● 02/16/18-02/27/18	Sauze d'Oulx	Italy	Lincoln Park
● 02/23/18-03/03/18	Morzine, Avoriaz	France	Fleetwind
● 02/23/18-03/06/18	Davos, Nice	Switzerland, France	Springfield
● 03/02/18-03/15/18	Soelden, Innsbruck	Austria	Indianapolis
● 03/02/18-03/13/18	Selva Di Val Gardena, Florence	Italy	Sanctuary
● 03/23/18-03/31/18	Davos	Switzerland	Thunderbird
● 03/30/18-04/04/18	Barcelona	Spain	Thunderbird
<b>MIDWEST</b>			
● 12/08/17-12/10/17	Ski Brule	MI	Friars
● 12/08/17-12/10/17	Ski Brule	MI	Nomads
● 12/08/17-12/10/17	Sundown, Chestnut	IA, IL	Peoria
● 12/08/17-12/10/17	Ski Brule	MI	Powder Dogs
● 12/09/17-12/09/17	Tyrol Basin	WI	Fleetwind
● 12/16/17-12/16/17	Cascade	WI	Sno-Gophers
● 12/28/17-01/01/18	Indianhead	MI	Peoria
● 12/29/17-01/01/18	Marquette	MI	Piccadilly
● 12/29/17-01/01/18	Boyne Mtn., Boyne Highlands, Nub's Nob	MI	Pine Point
● 12/30/17-01/01/18	Schuss-Shanty Creek	MI	Sno-Gophers
● 01/05/18-01/07/18	Devil's Head	WI	Hustlers
● 01/05/18-01/07/18	Welch Village	MN	Joliet
● 01/05/18-01/07/18	Devil's Head	WI	Powder Dogs
● 01/05/18-01/07/18	Indianhead/Blackjack	MI	Sly Fox
● 01/05/18-01/07/18	Devil's Head	WI	Snowseekers
● 01/05/18-01/07/18	Boyne Mtn.	MI	Thunderbird
● 01/06/18-01/06/18	Chestnut	IL	Sno-Gophers
● 01/07/18-01/07/18	Wilmot	WI	ABSF
● 01/12/18-01/15/18	Minocqua Winter Park	WI	Lakeshore
● 01/12/18-01/15/18	Palmquists The Farm	WI	Northwest Nordic
● 01/12/18-01/14/18	Indianhead/Blackjack	MI	Rock Valley
● 01/12/18-01/14/18	Granite Peak	WI	Sanctuary
● 01/13/18-01/13/18	Alpine Valley	WI	ABSF
● 01/13/18-01/15/18	Chestnut	IL	Champaign
● 01/13/18-01/13/18	Mystery		Piccadilly
● 01/19/18-01/21/18	Devil's Head/Cascade	WI	ABSF
● 01/26/18-01/28/18	Boyne Mtn.	MI	Four Winds
● 01/26/18-01/29/18	Marquette, Munising	MI	Northwest Nordic
● 01/26/18-01/28/18	IndianHead/Blackjack	MI	Sno-Gophers
● 01/28/18-01/28/18	Wilmot	WI	ABSF
● 01/28/18-02/02/18	ABR & Wolverine Trails	MI	Northwest Nordic
● 02/02/18-02/04/18	Minocqua Winter Park	WI	Northwest Nordic
● 02/02/18-02/04/18	Pine Mountain	MI	Piccadilly
● 02/03/18-02/03/18	Alpine Valley	WI	ABSF
● 02/03/18-02/03/18	Cascade	WI	Nomads
● 02/03/18-02/03/18	Tyrol Basin	WI	Sanctuary

DATE	AREA/RESORT	STATE/COUNTRY	CLUB
● 02/03/18-02/03/18	Alpine Valley or Wilmot	WI	Sno-Gophers
● 02/09/18-02/11/18	Granite Peak	WI	ABSF
● 02/09/18-02/11/18	Schuss-Shanty Creek	MI	Duneland
● 02/09/18-02/12/18	Lutsen	MN	East Iowa
● 02/09/18-02/11/18	Granite Peak	WI	Four Winds
● 02/09/18-02/11/18	Granite Peak	WI	Ibex
● 02/09/18-02/11/18	Indianhead	MI	Joliet
● 02/09/18-02/11/18	Schuss-Shanty Creek	MI	Nomads
● 02/09/18-02/11/18	Indianhead, Blackjack, Powderhorn	MI	Sly Fox
● 02/16/18-02/18/18	Indianhead, Blackjack	MI	Ibex
● 02/16/18-02/18/18	Iola trails	WI	Northwest Nordic
● 02/16/18-02/19/18	Boyne Mtn.	MI	Sno-Gophers
● 02/17/18-02/19/18	Mt. Bohemia	MI	Sanctuary
● 02/18/18-02/18/18	Wilmot	WI	ABSF
● 02/23/18-02/25/18	Indianhead, Powderhorn	MI	Four Winds
● 02/23/18-02/25/18	Mont Ripley, Mount Bohemia	MI	Gelandesprung
● 02/23/18-02/25/18	Boyne Mtn.	MI	Snowdrifters
● 02/24/18-02/24/18	Alpine Valley	WI	ABSF
● 02/24/18-02/25/18	Devil's Head, Cascade	WI	Sanctuary
● 03/02/18-03/04/18	Cascade	WI	ABSF
● 03/09/18-03/11/18	Boyne Highlands	MI	Four Winds
● 03/09/18-03/11/18	Caberfae Peaks	MI	Sanctuary
<b>EAST</b>			
● 01/11/18-01/18/18	Stoneham, Mont-Sainte-Anne	QC, Canada	Champaign
● 01/24/18-01/31/18	Quebec	QC, Canada	Lakeshore
● 03/16/18-03/20/18	Mt. Tremblant	QC, Canada	Sanctuary
<b>WEST</b>			
● 11/22/17-11/26/17	Vail	CO	Fleetwind
● 12/03/17-12/09/17	Beaver Creek	CO	Sno-Gophers
● 12/07/17-12/11/17	Beaver Creek, Vail	CO	Hustlers
● 12/07/17-12/13/17	Aspen/Snowmass	CO	Kansas City
● 12/08/17-12/12/17	Copper Mountain	CO	Sanctuary
● 12/09/17-12/12/17	Copper Mountain	CO	Omaha
● 12/09/17-12/13/17	Vail	CO	Sitzmark, Milwaukee
● 12/10/17-12/15/17	Aspen/Snowmass	CO	Springfield
● 12/27/17-01/02/18	Whitefish	MT	Ibex
● 12/29/17-01/02/18	Powderhorn Resort	CO	Omaha
● 12/31/17-01/06/18	Snowbasin, Powder Mountain	UT	Nomads
● 01/02/18-01/08/18	Alta, Snowbird	UT	Sanctuary
● 01/04/18-01/08/18	Snowbasin, Powder Mountain	UT	Boeing
● 01/04/18-01/09/18	Breckenridge	CO	Kansas City
● 01/05/18-01/10/18	Alta, Snowbird, Solitude & Brighton	UT	Champaign
● 01/07/18-01/12/18	Whistler Blackcomb	BC, Canada	Lincoln Park
● 01/13/18-01/20/18	Steamboat	CO	East Iowa
● 01/13/18-01/20/18	Taos	NM	Ibex
● 01/13/18-01/20/18	Banff-Lake Louise	AB, Canada	Joliet
● 01/13/18-01/19/18	Telluride	CO	Sno-Gophers
● 01/15/18-01/19/18	Copper Mountain	CO	Sitzmark, Milwaukee
● 01/17/18-01/21/18	Keystone	CO	Pine Point
● 01/18/18-01/23/18	Red Mountain	BC	Piccadilly
● 01/20/18-01/27/18	Beaver Creek, Vail	CO	Boeing
● 01/20/18-01/28/18	Sun Valley	ID	Duneland
● 01/20/18-01/27/18	Sun Valley	ID	Nomads
● 01/20/18-01/27/18	Big Sky	MT	Sanctuary
● 01/20/18-01/27/18	Sun Valley	ID	Skunk Hollow
● 01/20/18-01/27/18	Telluride	CO	Thunderbird
● 01/24/18-01/29/18	Panorama Mountain Resort	BC, Canada	Hustlers
● 01/27/18-02/03/18	Sun Peaks	BC, Canada	Gelandesprung
● 01/27/18-02/01/18	Vail	CO	Lincoln Park
● 01/27/18-02/03/18	Banff-Lake Louise	AB, Canada	Peoria
● 01/27/18-02/03/18	Banff-Lake Louise	AB, Canada	Springfield
● 01/28/18-02/04/18	Banff-Lake Louise	AB, Canada	Champaign
● 01/28/18-02/04/18	Banff-Lake Louise	AB, Canada	Peoria
● 01/28/18-02/04/18	Aspen/Snowmass	CO	St. Louis
● 01/30/18-02/05/18	Aspen/Snowmass	CO	Kansas City
● 01/31/18-02/04/18	Aspen/Snowmass	CO	Omaha
● 02/02/18-02/06/18	Steamboat	CO	Boeing
● 02/03/18-02/10/18	Aspen/Snowmass	CO	Club 50

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● 02/03/18-02/10/18	Sun Valley	ID	Sanctuary
● 02/03/18-02/10/18	Park City	UT	Thunderbird
● 02/07/18-02/11/18	Angel Fire Resort	NM	Omaha
● 02/08/18-02/13/18	Steamboat	CO	Kansas City
● 02/08/18-02/13/18	Jackson Hole	WY	Snowdrifters
● 02/10/18-02/17/18	Beaver Creek	CO	Bloomington-Normal
● 02/11/18-02/17/18	Sun Valley	ID	Rock Valley
● 02/17/18-02/24/18	Whitefish	MT	Nomads
● 02/17/18-02/24/18	Whitefish	MT	Sitzmark Milwaukee
● 02/19/18-02/24/18	Copper Mountain	CO	St. Louis
● 02/21/18-02/28/18	Whistler Blackcomb	BC, Canada	Snomads
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	South Lake Tahoe	CA	Boeing
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Steamboat	CO	Club 50
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Steamboat	CO	Duneland
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Steamboat	CO	Friars
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Steamboat	CO	Hustlers
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Steamboat	CO	Inland
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Steamboat	CO	Lakeshore
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Winter Park	CO	Mississippi Valley
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Winter Park	CO	Northwest Nordic
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Steamboat	CO	Omaha
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Steamboat	CO	Piccadilly
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Steamboat	CO	Powder Dogs
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Sun Peaks	BC, Canada	Sanctuary
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Steamboat	CO	Skunk Hollow
● 02/24/18-03/03/18	Aspen/Snowmass	CO	Snowseekers
● 02/24/18-03/03/08	Steamboat	CO	Thunderbird
● 02/25/18-03/03/18	Lake Tahoe	NV	Kansas City
● 02/25/18-03/03/18	Purgatory	CO	Peoria
● 03/02/18-03/06/18	Keystone, A-Basin, Breckenridge	CO	Sly Fox
● 03/03/18-03/10/18	Whitefish	MT	ABSF
● 03/03/18-03/10/18	Squaw Valley	CA	Sno-Gophers
● 03/04/18-03/11/18	Mt. Hood	OR	Lakeshore
● 03/09/18-03/14/18	Sun Peaks	BC, Canada	Ibex
● 03/10/18-03/17/18	Sun Valley	ID	Club 50
● 03/10/18-03/15/18	Heavenly	NV	Lincoln Park
● 03/10/18-03/17/18	Aspen/Snowmass	CO	Thunderbird
● 03/11/18-03/16/18	Keystone	CO	Kansas City
● 03/17/18-03/23/18	Sun Peaks	BC, Canada	Snowdrifters
● 03/17/18-03/24/18	Banff-Lake Louise	AB, Canada	St. Louis
● 03/18/18-03/24/18	Park City	UT	Rock Valley
● 03/24/18-03/31/18	Lake Tahoe	NV	Ibex
● 03/24/18-03/28/17	Sun Valley	ID	Piccadilly
● 03/24/18-03/31/18	Jackson Hole	WY	Sanctuary
● 03/24/18-03/31/18	Aspen/Snowmass	CO	Sly Fox
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● 03/25/18-03/31/18	Aspen/Snowmass	CO	Peoria
● 03/25/18-04/01/18	Lake Tahoe	CA	Pine Point
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● 04/03/18-04/09/18	Beaver Creek, Vail	CO	Kansas City
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● 04/05/18-04/09/18	Crested Butte	CO	Sanctuary
● 04/11/18-04/16/18	Copper Mountain	CO	Fleetwind
● 04/11/18-04/16/18	Copper Mountain	CO	Inland
● 04/11/18-04/16/18	Copper Mountain	CO	Omaha
● 04/11/18-04/16/18	Copper Mountain	CO	Skunk Hollow
● 05/23/18-05/28/18	Arapahoe Basin	CO	Fleetwind

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Wilmot, WI	Sat, Jan 13	GS ✓
	Sat, Jan 14	Slalom
		Double Races
Wilmot, WI	Sat, Jan 27	GS ✓
	Sun, Jan 28	Slalom
Granite Peak, WI	Fri, Feb 02	Opt. Clinic
	Sat, Feb 03	GS ✓
	Sun, Feb 04	Slalom
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- 1st Place: Nomad Ski, Snowboard & Social Club
- 2nd Place: Wild Bunch Ski Club
- 3rd Place: Chicago Friar's Ski and Bike Club
- 4th Place: Skunk Hollow Ski and Snowboard Club
- 5th Place: Piccadilly Ski Club
- 6th Place: Fleetwind Ski Club
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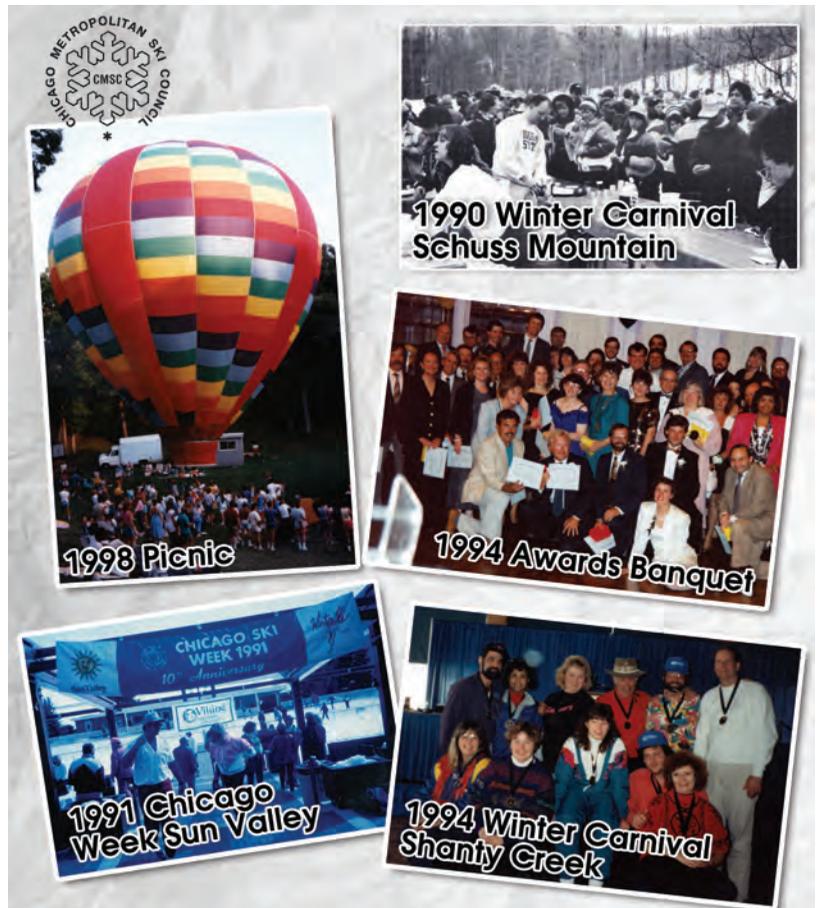
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- 3rd Place: Rock Valley Ski Association

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- 3rd Place: Peoria Ski Club
- 3rd Place: Piccadilly Ski Club

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