### **The Good Times**

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### President's Message...

Hello All,

Well it's that time of year again, spring is just around the corner and that means spotting the first robins and **ski club elections.** Be sure you participate in both activities. Perhaps becoming an officer will be a first for you. We are always on the lookout for dedicated people who want to get involved. Maybe this is your year. Please think about it. Ok - enough for my political duties.

The club as usual has some great activities coming up. The first **Trivia Night** at the Windber Hotel is a sellout. A good time will be had by all. Our annual **Spring Fling will be held on May 4<sup>th</sup>.** Tickets are on sell now. Get yours before they are gone! Our annual **Adopt-a Highway will be held on April 27<sup>th</sup>**. This is our 27<sup>th</sup> year doing this community service. Plan to help!

Finally, please plan to attend one of our great mixers and happy hours. This is our way to support all the great establishments in our community.

As always please read your newsletter for all the latest information about club activities.

See you around,

Bob

Dates to Remember	
Mar 9:	Johnstown Tomahawks Hockey Game Brett Keisel Night War Memorial Filled
Mar 14:	Trivia Night Windber Hotel Filled
Apr 7:	Club Dinner El Jalisco
Apr 25:	Club Mixer/Meeting [ <u>Note</u> : <u>Fourth Thursday]</u> Franklin Street Bar & Grill
Apr 27:	Adopt-a-Highway Eisenhower Blvd
May 4:	"Cinco de Derby" (AKA: Spring / Après) Party Boulevard Grill RSVP by Sunday April 26
May 16:	Club/Mixer/Elections Homestead
Jul 21:	Summer Picnic Solomon Run Fire Hall Pavilion
Nov 16:	Kick-Off Party Ace's



### *Open Nominations for 2019-20 Club Officers*

March starts open nominations for 2019-20 Club Officers. Throughout March and April we will have nominations for next season's officers.

We have had a strong dedicated group of officers each year to keep this club going into its **40th year**. Along with experience, we are also looking for newbies who want to oversee this organization this coming term. Review the list of the duties of the Executive Board on page 4. You can nominate club members or yourself that you feel are the best qualified for these positions. Also, you can contact President Bob Snoby at **814.539.3490 for your nomination(s)**. Election will be held at the May Mixer at the Homestead in Elton.

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### Saturday, March 9 at 6:00pm <u>Tomahawk Hockey Game</u>/ <u>Brett Keisel Night</u> at War Memorial



Filled (as the deadline for this event was Feb 26)

We have 15 people joining Club Officer Barbara Visnovsky on Saturday, March 9 for a Hockey Night at the War Memorial in Johnstown. We will be attending the Tomahawk Hockey game with former Pittsburgh Steeler Brett Keisel. He will drop the ceremonial first puck and meet fans during the game.

For those with tickets, <u>meet Barb between 6-6:30pm</u> (NO later) in the main lobby to pick up your tickets. Any questions, call Barb at 814.255-1780. At press time, Johnstown Tomahawks are in first place in the East Division. It will be a great night of hockey!

### Thursday , March 14 from 6-9pm <u>Trivia Game Night</u> at Windber Hotel Filled

We have <u>our maximum of 40 trivia players</u> for our first annual Trivia Game Night at the Windber Hotel. Sorry – we cannot take anymore people.

Our teams are ready, so we hope they are studying hard on all kinds of subjects and useless knowledge. Karen Hogue and Drew Layton will be the quizmasters. Food will be provided. Cash bar. Cash prizes will be awarded to the winners that evening.

For those who signed up and have not paid, please contact **Club Secretary Ann Franze at 814.421.4427 asap.** It should be a fun evening.

### Thursday, March 21 <u>Club Mixer / Meeting</u>

**Cancelled** 

Our March Club Mixer/Meeting will not be held. We substituted with our Trivia Night (which is now sold-out.

#### Friday, April 5 <u>Happy Hour</u> Cancelled

We will have a **club dinner on Sunday, April 7 at El Jalisco** instead. See next page for more info.

### Sunday, April 7 at 5:30pm <u>Club Dinner</u> at El Jalisco RSVP on or before Sunday, March 31



Join us for our annual Mexican dinner. Again this year, we are going to the Mexican restaurant El Jalisco at 107 College Park Plaza across from Wal-Mart. We will meet at 5:30pm. <u>Seating is limited to 30 per</u> <u>request of the establishment</u>. Call VP Annette Kamzik at 814.536.7325 by Sunday, March 31 if you will be attending. She will be making the reservations for us.

### Thursday, April 25 at 7 pm [Note: <u>fourth Thursday</u>] <u>Club Mixer/Meeting</u> at Franklin Street Bar and Grill

Our club mixer for April will be on the *fourth <u>Thursday</u> in April* due to the third week being Holy Week. Our Club Mixer/Meeting will be held on April 25 at Franklin Street Bar and Grill in Kernville. We usually get a very big turn-out when we have events there. They are known for good food and great specialty drinks. The Franklin Street Bar and Grill is located on 751 Franklin Street in the Kernville section of town.

As always with our Mixers, please be patient with the wait staff and service as the establishment is given an approximate attendance number. (Come early for dinner, enjoy the evening and remember to tip your wait staff). See you there!

### And a Good Time was had by All ...

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February's past events will be in the next month's newsletter.

### Congrats to...



To Club members Karen Anderson and Ron Brown ... on their recent engagement!

### Welcome back ...

To Club member Donna Mallory

...for her annual visit back to Johnstown. Glad you brought that frozen sunshine with you.

### Saturday, April 27 at 10am <u>Adopt-a-Highway</u> on Eisenhower Blvd.



Ah yes! It is the beginning of Spring and that means it is our first Adopt-a-Highway Clean-up of the year. Did you know that it has been <u>27 years</u> that we have been doing this worthy project?? Join our chairperson Dan Gaydos on Saturday, April 27 at 10am beside the Rite-Aid Drug Store in the Ollie's Plaza in Richland as we clean-up our three-mile section of Eisenhower Blvd. Dan will hand out supplies and organize members into work groups. Afterwards, the club will pick up the tab at Pappy's for pizza lunch!

Since this is the first clean-up of the year, it is the one that needs the <u>most help</u> — so please consider joining the group for this very <u>important civic club</u> <u>event</u>. If you know any high school students who need service hours, tell them to come and join us. <u>Rain or Shine</u>! No need to call, just meet us at 10am. All we need is 90 minutes of your time and you get a pizza lunch afterwards!

### Saturday, May 4 at 6:00-10:00pm "<u>Cinco de Derby" Party</u> [Aka: Spring/Après Party] at The Boulevard Grill RSVP by Sunday, April 26

[only 80 tickets sold!]



Save this Date!! This is our annual Spring Party. The theme this year is "Cinco de Derby" celebrating the Kentucky Derby and Cinco de Mayo. Wear your fancy derby hats, sombreros, bow ties! Join members for light party food, music by Kalossal-DJ, cash bar, 50-50 drawings and loads of fun. Advance tickets are on sale for \$10. Guests are \$20. Doors open no earlier then 5:30pm!

Call VP President Annette Kamzik (814.536.7325) by April 26 for your ticket. There will be <u>no</u> tickets sold at the door. Tickets will be limited to the seating capacity of the Warehouse (only 80 tickets will be sold). After that amount, there will be no more tickets. Don't get left out on this great Party! Get you ticket ASAP.

And don't forget to bring a little extra cash for our **furry friends at the Humane Society.** Check out the flyer on **page 5** for all the details.

### Did You Know ??

### 2019-20 Ski Season Passes \*\*:

Do not be left out in the cold next winter. Be sure to purchase your season pass early for great savings!



**\*\*** For updated information, check out the ski resorts' web site.

#### Seven Springs:

If your purchase your adult 2019-20 season pass by **May 15**, price is \$589 (mid-week is \$335). Pay with cash or check and save 5%. Current 2018-19 passholders receive \$50 Seven Spring gift card (\$25 gift card for mid-week). Web site: <u>www.7springs.com</u>.\*\*

### Hidden Valley:

If your purchase your adult 2019-20 season pass by **May 15**, price is \$469 (mid-week is \$265). Pay with cash or check and save 5%. Current 2018-19 passholders receive \$50 Hidden Valley gift card (\$25 gift card for mid-week). Web site: <u>www.hiddenvalleyresort.com</u>. \*\*

### Laurel Mountain:

If your purchase your adult 2019-20 season pass by **May 15**, price is \$469 (mid-week is \$265). Pay with cash or check and save 5%. Current 2018-19 passholders receive \$50 Laurel Mountain gift card (\$25 gift card for mid-week). Web site: <u>www.laurelmountainski.com</u>. \*\*

### Blue Knob:

If your purchase your adult 2019-20 season pass by **April 30**, price is \$299 (mid-week is \$149) plus new this year receive a "Bonus Book" with lift tickets, snow tubing passes discounts on rentals, lessons, food & beverage. **Web page www.blueknob.com.**\*\*

Our Deepest Sympathy...

To Althea Stephenson ... on the passing of her mother.



### Congrats to...

To Club member **Dana Graham** ... for raising \$9100 for 2019 Penn State THON !

### Wanted: Club Officers for the 2019-20 year.

Read the following list to see which office fits you:

### **Executive Board Officers' Duties:**

- 1. <u>**President**</u>—oversees club functions and represents the club.
- 2. <u>Vice President</u>—assists the President and is in charge of membership.
- 3. <u>Secretary</u>—takes minutes at monthly Executive Board meetings, prepares Sign-up Sheets, and other club correspondence.
- 4. <u>**Treasurer**</u>—responsible for financial aspects of the club, checking account and bank statements.
- <u>Financial Director</u>—in charge of fundraising which includes 50/50 tickets, coordinates Kick Off Party door prizes, Thank You letters to ad and door prize sponsors.
- 6. <u>Newsletter Editor</u>—gathers information at monthly Executive Board meetings, then organizes information and prepares the monthly newsletter, sends info to our web site.
- 7. <u>Communications Director</u>—in charge of all promotional work and publicity by media for Kick-Off Party, membership drives, fundraising, etc., and responsible for monthly web Calendar Page.
- 8. <u>**Trustees**</u> (4 elected)—attend the Executive Board meetings to offer opinions, learn the operation of the club, responsible for end of year audit of treasurer's records.

The term runs from May 2019—May 2020. The Board meets once a month to plan and organize events. Officers are all expected to lead at least one event and assist with other events.

If this is something you are willing to do, then consider running for an office.

If you want to nominate someone or nominate yourself, please contact President Bob Snoby at 814.539.3490.

### Welcome to our club...



To new Club Member **Frank Mikesic** ... hope to see you at our next event.



CELEBRATION OF CINCO DE MAYO AND KENTUCKY DERBY PARTY

# SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2019

### 6:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Doors open at 5:30 PM

## BOULEVARD GRILL WAREHOUSE SOUTHMONT

Wear your Derby Hats - Sombreros – Bow Ties



PARTY FOOD – DANCING – RAFFLES – CASH BAR

SONLY 80 TICKETS WILL BE SOLD!!

TICKETS: MEMBER \$10 - GUEST FEE \$20

Contact: Annette Kamzik at 814 536-7325 for tickets.

Monetary Donations will be taken for Cambria County Humane Society. Please help our furry friends.





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Address correction requested