



Club Mixer/Meeting at The Fifth Thursday, April 11 at 6pm

Our April's Club Mixer/Meeting will be at The Fifth (formerly The Alibi) located at 1424 Scalp Avenue in Richland (beside Market Basket). We will have our Spring Party tickets on sell (\$10)



Spring (Après) "Margaritaville" Party at American Legion Windber Saturday, April 27 at 6pm RSVP on or before April 17

Our Spring Party this year will be held at American Legion in Windber at 312 14th Street on **Saturday, April 27**. Tickets are \$10, will be sold until April 17. See [page 2 & 4](#) for more information. See you there!



If you wish to donate a basket for the Raffle baskets for our Spring Party on Apr 27, please call VP Annette Kamzik at 814-241.0571 **NO LATER than April 13**. Thanks for your help!

President's Message...

Hello and Happy April!

Hopefully spring is on the way! I would like to thank everyone that helped with **Trivia Night** at the Crow's Nest. We had a great turnout of 58 members and guests, and also a big shout out to the Squad! Thank you all!

Keep your calendar open, we have a lot of activities coming our way. First off we have a Mixer on April 11, Thursday, at The Fifth at 6:00. **Don't forget to get your tickets for the Spring Apré's Party ("Margaritaville"), date is April 27, 6:00pm at the Windber American Legion.**

Up next is **Adopt-a-Highway Saturday April 20th** at 10:00. Meet at Richland parking lot by the Main Moon Restaurant.

Also golf outing at Berkley Golf Course in May, Mountain Playhouse Productions in May and June, and Curve Baseball game in June. Enjoy the month of April and come and participate in our many activities for the month.

Randy

Dates to Remember....

Apr 11 Thurs: Mixer/Meeting
The Fifth
Richland

Apr 20 Sat: Adopt-a-Highway
Eisenhower Blvd
Richland

Apr 27 Sat: Spring (Après)
"Margaritaville" Party
American Legion
Windber
RSVP on or before by April 17
Ticket: \$10/member

May 19 Sun: Golf Outing
Berkley Golf Course

May 26 Sun: "Ring of Fire" Musical Play
Pasquerilla Performing Arts Center -UPJ
RSVP on or before by May 10

June 13 Thurs: Curve Baseball
Altoona
RSVP on or before by June 9

June 16 Sun: "The PLAY that Goes WRONG" Play
Pasquerilla Performing Arts Center -UPJ
RSVP on or before by May 31

July 21 Sun: Annual Picnic
Solomon Run Fire Hall

Nov 9: 46th Kick-Off Party
at Ace's





MARGARITAVILLE PARTY

SATURDAY, APRIL 27 from 6 PM-10 PM

at

**Windber American Legion, 312 14th St.
Windber, PA**



Ticket: \$10/Member – CASH BAR

No outside food or drinks permitted.

PLEASE NOTE: RSVP ON OR BEFORE WED. APRIL 17!

***Make checks payable to “Johnstown Ski Club” and mail to JSC,
PO Box 937, Johnstown, PA 15907. Ticket will be mailed to you.
Questions: Call Annette Kamzik at 814 241-0571***

No tickets sold at door and no walk-ins!

Music by: Bob Snoby — RAFFLES - Food by American Legion

**Menu: Pulled Pork, Chicken Tenders, Cheesy Potatoes, Broccoli Salad,
Fruit Salad, and Cake**



Open Nominations for 2024-25 Club Officers

We are still taking nominations for 2024-25 Club Officers...

We have had a strong dedicated group of officers each year to keep this club going into its **46th 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 5](#). You can still nominate club members that you feel are the best qualified for these positions or you can even nominate yourself. See [page 6](#) for the first round of nominations. Contact President Randy Lear normvan2023@yahoo.com for your nomination(s).

Elections will be held on our May mixer.

Without our dedicated board members, this club would not continue to exist!

**Thursday April 11 at 6 pm
Club Mixer/Meeting
at The Fifth Local Eatery and Alehouse**

April's Club Mixer/Meeting will be at The Fifth (formerly The Alibi) located at 1424 Scalp Avenue in Richland (beside Market Basket). The Fifth is a popular spot for the club. Get a bite to eat, have a drink, and just *come and socialize with club members*. We will have tickets to April 27's Spring Party.

As always for *our Mixers*, no need to call ahead, just show up, relax, mingle with club members, enjoy their great food and have good time! Don't forget to tip your wait staff, and just enjoy the evening! **Please be patient with wait staff and service as the establishment is given an approximate attendance number.** See you there!

**Saturday, April 20 at 10am
Adopt-a-Highway
on Eisenhower Blvd.**



Ah yes! Mark this on your calendar! 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 32 years that we have been doing this worthy project??] We will hold our spring clean-up on Saturday April 20. Meet us at 10am beside the Rite-Aid Drug Store in the Ollie's Plaza in Richland as we clean-up our usual three-mile section of Eisenhower Blvd. Our group leader **Club Officer Lynne Dougherty** 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 most help – so please consider joining the group for this very important civic club event. If you know any high school students who need service hours, tell them to come and join us. Rain or Shine! 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!!

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Saturday, April 27 from 6-10pm
“Margaritaville Party”
(Club’s Spring / Après Party)
at Windber’s American Legion
RSVP on or before Wednesday, April 17



Our Spring /Après [that is French for “After” as in “after the skiing season”] Party this year will be at the American Legion in Windber. This is our second big club party for 2024-25 term. Thanks to club member Joe Eget for suggesting this location.

The American Legion is located at 312 14th Street. You can find parking on the streets, or behind the Legion in the BiLo parking lot on their left side by the bank. You enter at the front of the Legion with the party in the downstairs. (For those that cannot do steps, there is an elevator on the right side outside of the building.)

Our theme this year is “Margaritaville Party”. Margaritaville attire is optional. Tickets are on sale at \$10/person. See flyer enclosed for info on how to purchase tickets. You must **RSVP by Wednesday, April 17 for your ticket.** (Please remember that it may take several days to get to you.) There will be no tickets sold at the door. No outside food or drinks permitted. We will have our basket raffles and our 50/50 tickets PLUS surprises!

See [page 2](#) for the flyer for all the information. Hope to see you there!

Sunday, May 19 at 2:45pm
Golf Outing
at Berkley Hills Golf Course
RSVP by or on before Thursday, May 16



Fore! For our first golf outing for 2024, we are starting close by at Berkley Hills Golf Course, located in Upper Yoder on Goucher Street (across from Giant Eagle). Join Past President Conrad Sikirica at 2:45pm (with tee off times at 3pm). We plan to play 9 holes of golf using the “best ball” format. We have 4 tee times. Cost is \$20 for 9 holes and cart.

Call Conrad at 814.659.9131 (leave a message) on or before Thursday May 16 if you are plan to attend. Think a sunny day!

Sunday, May 26 at 3pm
“Ring of Fire” Musical
at Pasquerilla Performing
Art Center
(UPJ)



RSVP by or on before Friday, May 10

Join club member Judy Crookston on Sunday, May 26 for the Mountain Playhouse’s musical “Ring of Fire”. This season, their plays will return to the beautiful Pasquerilla Performing Arts Center at UPJ in Richland.

With 38 songs, this is a crowd-pleasing, foot-stomping tribute to the music of Johnny Cash—a spiritually homage to the man in black.

Once again, Judy is holding 20 tickets. As usual, Judy got us great seats—down front center! **We need a group of 10 in order to get the group rate of just \$35 paid in advance to Judy.** Call Judy (who also is a member of their Board of Directors) at 814.248-8942 to RSVP as soon as possible. Make check payable to Judy Crookston and *mail your money to 138 Kathy Ct, Johnstown, PA 15905.* **Judy must get your money on or before Friday, May 10 to reserve your seat. No exceptions! Any tickets not sold by May 10 will be given back. No returns.**

An afternoon at a Playhouse Musical is always an afternoon well spent!

Thursday, June 13 at 6pm
Altoona Curve Baseball Game
at Peoples Natural Gas Field
RSVP by or on before Sunday, June 9



Summer means baseball and again we have a great affordable evening planned this year to see the Altoona Curve play Double-A baseball. Join group leader Bob Snoby at the Altoona Curve Baseball game at PNG Field (1000 park Ave in Altoona) for “Cambria County Night” benefitting Cambria Alliance EMS. It is Thursday food deals on beer, soda, and hot dog, and fireworks night! We have a very limited amount of tickets (*first come—first serve of grandstand seats*) for only \$8. Contact Bob at 814.539.3490 to sign up or for more info by June 9. You must pre-pay.

Sunday, June 16 at 3pm
“The PLAY that GOES WRONG”
at Pasquerilla Performing
Art Center (UPJ)



RSVP by or on before Friday, May 31

Join club member Judy Crookston on Sunday, June 16 for the Mountain Playhouse’s musical “Cash Ring of Fire”. This season, their plays will return to the beautiful Pasquerilla Performing Arts Center at UPJ in Richland.

The Mountain Playhouse has been known for their farce plays. And this play fits that bill. Get ready for non-stop silliness with Broadway's funniest smash hit, where anything that can go wrong does! It’s non-stop pandemonium on stage.

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**As of the First Round**  
**(March) of Nominations for**  
**2023-24 Executive Board Officers:**



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|------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>President:</b><br>Bob Snoby           | <b>Financial Director:</b><br>Steve McGee                                        |
| <b>Vice-President:</b><br>Annette Kamzik | <b>Communications Director</b><br>No nominations                                 |
| <b>Secretary:</b><br>Marsha Flower       | <b>Newsletter Director</b><br>Barbara Visnovsky                                  |
| <b>Treasurer:</b><br>Lary Koval          | <b>Trustees (4 positions)</b><br>Paul Balint<br>Tina Kutchman<br>Conrad Sikirica |

Current President **Randy Lear** automatically becomes Past President.



**Wanted:**

**Club Officers for the 2024-25 year.**

Read the following list to see which office fits you:

**Executive Board Officers’ Duties:**

1. **President** — oversees club functions and represents the club.
2. **Vice President** — assists the President and is in charge of membership.
3. **Secretary** — takes minutes at monthly Executive Board meetings, prepares Sign-up Sheets, and other club correspondence.
4. **Treasurer** — responsible for financial aspects of the club, checking account and bank statements.
5. **Financial Director**—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. **Newsletter Editor** — gathers information at monthly Executive Board meetings, then organizes information and prepares the monthly newsletter, sends info to our web site.
7. **Communications Director** — 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. **Trustees** (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 2024–May 2025**. 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! We hope members will step up and run for an officer position. In being an officer, your membership dues are free that term.

**Without our dedicated board members, this club would not continue to exist !**

If you want to nominate someone or nominate yourself, please **contact President Randy Lear**  
[normvan2023@yahoo.com](mailto:normvan2023@yahoo.com)

# Did You Know ??

## Welcome to our newest members

...to Don and Lisa Civis *Welcome*

...and **WELCOME BACK** to Drew Layton.

Thanks for being part of our club. Hope to see you at our upcoming events.

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In sympathy...

Our deepest sympathy is extended to:



Lenore Beck and Bob Rauch..

On the loss of Lenore's brother.

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## Get well wishes to...



Ron Brown and Laura Mikesic.

Hope you are feeling better real soon!

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

3rd Annual Trivia Game Night at Crow's Nest (Tirehill) on Thursday, March 14:

There were 56 trivia players (with 8 teams) that came to show off their knowledge for useless (*some more useless, some more harder than others*) information that night. This year we were able to *drink a little more and think a little less*, thanks to quizmaster's "interesting" questions.

Trivia winning teams were:

1st place - "Smarty Pants" (Jeff & Linda Eash, Nick Franze, Mark Layton, Marsha Swansboro, and Patti Toth),

2nd place - "The Rebels" (Dan Gaydos, Rita King, Steve Kutchman, Karen Sweeney, Dave Shurin, and AJ & Kathy Stumpo), [*Dan, Steve, Dave, AJ & Kathy moved up from third place last year to second place!*]

3rd Place - "Photo Bombers" (Gloria Goller, Bob & Debbi Hancock, Garry Martin, and Debbie & Wade Paxton.

4th place- "Oenophiles" (Lenore Beck, Darlene & Mike Dilla, Bob Rauch, Karen Taranto, and Barb Young)

50/50 winners were Paul Balint and (*thanks to Paul*) Mike Dilla.

Thanks to Karen Hogue (who was a GREAT quizmaster), Chuck "Chuckalicious" Doyno (techmaster), and our "honeydos" (Pam Doyno, Ann Franze, and Beth Layton). It was definitely a Fun Night! Hopefully, we can do this again next year. A Good Time was had by All!

Thanks to the "Squad" for donating the \$1 Lottery tickets throughout the evening.

...A special thanks to the planning committee ("The Squad": Pam Doyno, Anne Franze, Karen Hogue, and Beth Layton for once again doing a *fantastic* job in organizing this event!



2024-25 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 resort's web site.**

Epic Pass: for all the Vail Resorts which includes our local resorts (Hidden Valley, Laurel Mountain and Seven Springs). Buy before April 14 for the lowest prices and most benefits (*including 10 Buddy Tickets*). Check out their web site at www.epicpass.com for all their ski pass options available.

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### Congratulations Correction to...



To *Amy Duppstadt* and Jeff Carey

On their recent marriage. Best wishes to the happy couples!

[Last month's newsletter misspelled Amy's last name. We apologize for the error.]

