

September 2011

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President's Corner

Well, the kids are back in school and Mike's Fantasy Football league is gearing up to pick their teams. It must be September! And while I can marvel at the increasing speed at which summer flies by, I can't deny that I enjoyed every minute of it. Our Annual Picnic came and went and if you missed it, you missed a good one. Thank you Phyllis and Cheryl for the feast! Out west trip sign ups kicked off and our Punta Cana voyage is almost sold out. We went to plays, festivals, bike rides, happy hours and more. Now as we turn our attention to Fall, we can look forward to Midwest Trip Sign ups, Oktoberfest, wine tasting, camping and more. Buckle up for all the fun! Remember with this issue, we will be sending out our monthly newsletter electronically and have some paper copies at the meetings, so make sure we have your email on file. Remember to renew your membership at the rolled back rates to be ready for trip sign ups, and lastly, remember to pick up some PSC business cards to pass out to interested friends, neighbors and co-workers. We want to share the fun. See you in September!

Your Prez, Dawn Roche

**Important Notice
Meeting Date Change**

**October meetings will be on the 6th & 19th
*Note 1 meeting on Thursday & the other on
Wednesday October ONLY**

Piccadilly Store Opening Soon!

We will be selling off some old trip giveaways that are available at upcoming meetings. Do you have any lurking in your closets, under the bed or pool table? If you have any: Bandanas, Neck Wallets, Zippies, Slap Wraps etc or know of someone in the club that may be storing them on our behalf, let me know. We'd like to collect them all in one spot, so we can open our Piccadilly Store, pare down our inventories and put the funds to good use. Please contact: Dawn Roche, rockaroche@ameritech.net

THANK YOU EMMETT'S FOR THE BEER!!!!

If you were at the recent Piccadilly Family Picnic, you enjoyed a taste of Emmett's specialty brew! We thank them for providing it for our picnic and for their continued support of our club.



**AND NOW FOR SOMETHING COMPLETELY DIFFERENT
Would you like to combine your two passions, Skiing and Scuba?**

We have the perfect trip for you!

Canyons/Sundance/Homestead Crater, UT

Jan 11,-Jan 15, 2012

\$940

This trip is completely different from anything any ski club has offered in the past, Not only will you get to ski at two incredible areas in Utah, but you can dive, snorkel, swim or just relax in the only warm water scuba diving destination in the continental US. First, we have 2 days of skiing at the Canyons Resort. which has transformed from a sleepy locals' favorite into a world-class destination. Adding 2100 acres and 14 lifts, The Canyons continues to offer unparalleled access to the backcountry, maintaining that old Utah powder soul. Then enjoy a day at Sundance Ski Resort which sits in a wonderful protected setting against magnificent 12,000 ft. Mount Timpanogos. Few places in the world have the majesty, beauty and convenience of Sundance. It offers beginner to expert skiing with terrain suitable for any skill level with 41 runs spread over 500 acres of snow-smothered terrain. Last, the fun part: Homestead Crater is a 55-foot tall, beehive-shaped limestone rock that nature hollowed out and filled with 90° to 96° water. Below the surface divers can descend 55 feet into the hour glass shaped depths. They have created a tunnel through the rock wall at ground level and built decks and a soaking area for guests and the public to access the crystal clear mineral water. You can go swimming, scuba diving, snorkeling or enjoy a therapeutic soak. But you do not have to get wet to have a one-of-a-kind experience inside the Crater. Many guests just enjoy the self guided Crater tour, the history, geology and archeology of this unique natural phenomenon. Your trip includes air, transfers, accommodations, shuttles and direct flights out of O'Hare and stay right at the Homestead Resort where you can swim and snorkle into the night.

Contact: **Mike Roche** rockaroche@ameritech.net



PSC Upcoming Social Events 2010

SEPTEMBER

Sat – Sept 10th - October Fest, Milwaukee, WI Contact

Harry Mattson mattsonharry@hotmail.com

Sat – Sept 10th – Chuck Fest, Bridgeview, IL, Contact Jim

Hamblen 630-655-9272

Fri-Sun Sept 16th -18th - Camping Weekend – Contact Gayle

Gillie gsiemion@earthlink.net

Fri – Sun Sept 23rd - 25th – CMSG Golf –Devil’s Head, WI

Contact Denise Genge @ gengede@sbcglobal.net

Fri – Sept 30th – Happy Hour- River Bend Golf Course Bar &

Grill - Rt 53 just North of Hobson, Woodridge

Sat – Oct 1st – Bike Rally 10:30am

Sat- Oct 8th – Halloween Pub Crawl Contact Harry Mattson

at mattsonharry@hotmail.com for train schedule & details

Wear a costume for more added fun!

Contact: Cheryl Skurkis bcskiies@aol.com or

Phyllis Rynott prynott@hotmail.com

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e-m: comeskiwithus@piccadillyskiclub.com

Jersey Night - Wear your favorite jersey to the 9/15 meeting. Pick the two teams to make the Super Bowl and the final score (tiebreaker). \$1 per entry. Winner will split the pot.

Currently ALL Trips are still open!

Payments for ALL Trips are due on 9/1/11.

Bring your payment to the meeting on the

CMSC ANNUAL GOLF OUTTING

SEPTEMBER 23, 24 & 25, 2011

Devil’s Head RESORT Merrimac, WISCONSIN
36 Holes of UNLIMITED Golf Saturday & Sunday
(cart included)

2 Nights Lodging (Fri & Sat)

2 Diners, 2 Breakfasts

Order off the menu meals

Prime rib, Lobster etc. need additional \$10.00

\$255.00 per person

(Based on double occupancy)

Sign up before July 10 and save \$20.00 **only \$235.00**

Sign up early only 40 spots

Contact Denise with questions

Friday 18 holes will cost additional \$35

Unlimited Friday Golf \$45



Devils Head is going thru renovations.

We will be staying in the renovated area.

Contact: Denise Genge
7623 Sussex Creek Dr. #410
Darien, IL 60561

gengede@sbcglobal.net

Make all checks payable to CMSC
Specify golf partners or roommate
Include E-Mail address with payment

Mallard Bend Camping Sept 16-18, 2011

If you would like to have a water/electric site, you will have to reserve your spot by calling the campground.

www.mallardbend.com

They are also good at answering questions via email...just let them know you are with us. (It is a dog friendly campground you can bring your dogs)

Gayle Gillie gsiemion@earthlink.net

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Contact: Denise Genge for full details @

gengede@sbcglobal.net

CHUCK FEST/BEER EXPO SAT. SEPT. 10TH

71ST & Harlem, Bridgeview, IL

Gourmet Food Tasting, Craft Beer Tent, Live

Music! Event starts at 12pm Meet at beer tent at

4pm Contact: Jim Hamblen, 630-655-9272

Visit www.chucksfest.com for more info &

advanced tickets.

OKTOBERFEST - Sat. September 10, 2011

4 p.m. ‘til Midnight at
Old Heidelberg Park
701 W, Lexington Blvd.
Glendale, Wisconsin

(414) 964-0300

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\$5 at the gates, which open at 4 pm.

Arrive early to help save tables German Food and Bier
Musical entertainment by:

4 p.m. – 8 p.m. Alte Kameraden

8:30 p.m. – Midnight: **Johnny Hoffman**

Contact Harry Mattson at: Mattsonharry@hotmail.com

Directions: Take Interstate 294 north to I-94, continue to Milwaukee. Pass through Milwaukee; follow signs for Interstate 43. Continue north on I-43 to Silver Spring Road. Exit Silver Spring Road and immediately turn right on: Port Washington Road. Turn right on Lexington Blvd and cross under I-43, parking is on your right. Nearby Accommodations (Within walking distance):

LaQuinta Inn Suites (Formerly Woodfield Suites)

5423 N. Port Washington Rd.

(414) 962-6767 www.lq.com

Baymont. (formerly Super 8)

5485 N. Port Washington Rd.

(414) 961-7272 www.baymontinns.com

LaQuinta Inn (Formerly Baymont Inn)

5110 N. Port Washington Rd. (414) 964-8484 www.lq.com

On August 22, 35 Piccadillians and family members enjoyed a perfect weather day for our bike ride along the Illinois Prairie Path, followed by a backyard barbecue at the home of Duane Amlee and Eileen Murphy Amlee. Most riders completed 13 to 16 miles! Many thanks to Ed Carroll and Sharon Guest for "batting cleanup," riding last to catch any stragglers or lost souls. Also thanks to everyone who provided delicious side dishes and desserts for the barbecue and to Ron Stewart for manning the grill. We sure enjoyed your company and the beautiful day!

~Eileen Murphy - Amlee & Duane Amlee~



**Annual Family Picnic
BIG THANK YOU!**

THANKS TO ALL THAT HELPED WITH THE SET UP / COOKING / RAFFLE PRIZES/ GAMES / TATOOWING / TAKE DOWN OF THE CANOPY WITH THE PENDING STORM / AND CLEAN UP OF THE FOOD TABLES.

WE ALSO SEND OUT A BIG THANK YOU TO EMMETT'S FOR DISCOUNTING A KEG

OF THEIR BREW. We again had a great day catching up with old friends and meeting new faces, planning our ski season and in between all this we consumed 2 kegs & 3 cases of beer, 2 boxes of wine, 84 cans of pop, 3 gallons of lemonade, use 8 bags of ice to keep it all cold and ate 120 brats, 30 hot dogs and 15 lbs of Sloppy Joes beside the appetizers, side dishes and desserts you all brought.

In other words it was a PRICELESS DAY OF FUN! ~ Cheryl Skurkis~

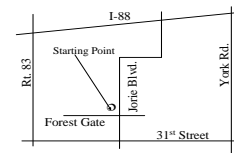


October 1, 2011 - 10:30 AM

Piccadilly's 8th Bike Rally will be held Saturday, October 1. The rally returns after a year's absence to test your skills and powers of observation along with an enjoyable bike ride. You may recognize some of the course but the order is different with lots of new questions. The starting location is the southeast parking lot of the Oak Brook Park District by the baseball diamonds. Starting about 10:30 am we will send out teams of 2 or 3 people at 3 minute intervals. For those of you who haven't participated before, this is similar to a car rally. You will be given a set of instructions to follow and questions to answer along the route. The object is to get to the end in the shortest time with the most correct answers. This year's ride will be about 14 miles (longer if you get lost). The map of the starting point is given below.

So, set aside October 1 for an adventure in bike riding. Be ready to test your powers of observation. The adventure will take you through the surrounding subdivisions and forest preserves. Don't worry, if you get totally confused, you can always open your PANIC envelope to direct you "home". After all the teams have safely reached "home", we will proceed to a local establishment (D.J.'s in Westmont - Chicago & Blackhawk) where we can trade stories over food and refreshments.

Questions? Contact Patty Noska, @ panoska@comcast.net *Starting Point - Southeast parking lot in Oak Brook Park District



Halloween Pub Crawl!

Sat. Oct. 8th

Contact: Harry Mattson @

mattsonharry@hotmail.com for further details & train schedule.

"Piccadillians invade the Renaissance Faire"



A dozen members walked the grounds on a nice and at one time stormy Sat. Many saw shows, as others dressed in Pirate garb hit the taverns. Fun was the order of the day." ~Poli Garza~



c/o Dawn Roche, President
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 Clarendon Hills, IL 60514

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 Hinsdale, IL. 60521 (630) 323-4320



**Next meeting is Sept 1st &
 Sept 15th at 7:30 pm
 Emmett's Ale House
 5200 Main St. Downers Grove
 (630) 434-8500**

Thanks for contributing to the newsletter:, Dawn Roche, Pam Rockey,
 Cheryl Skurkis, Duane & Eileen Amlee, Harry Mattson, Denise Genge,
 Poli Garza, Jim Hamblen

DEADLINE FOR Oct 2011 Newsletter: Fri. Sept 23rd
 Send Articles/info to Marie Esposito-Lust: Bunnyski2010@hotmail.com

**PLEASE NOTE:
 (2nd) Meeting in October
 On Wednesday the 19th**

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
September				1 Meeting 7:30pm	2	3
4	5 Labor Day 	6	7	8	9	10 Chuck Fest & Oct Fest
11	12	13	14	15 Meeting 7:30pm	16 Camp weekend	17 Camp weekend
18 Camp weekend	19	20	21	22	23 Golf CMSC	24 Golf CMSC
25 Golf CMSC	26	27	28	29	30	
Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
October						1 Bike Rally
2	3	4	5	6 Meeting 7:30pm	7	8 Pub Crawl
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19 <i>Meeting 7:30pm</i>	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31 Halloween					

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Website: PiccadillySkiClub.com



New Meetup Group!

<http://www.meetup.com/Piccadilly-Ski-Scoical-Club/>



www.DownersGrovePatch.com

Facebook at:

<http://www.facebook.com>