



SKI Fever

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ANNUAL Installation Dinner

Saturday, April 28 *2018*

BANQUET FACILITY & GROVE
BANCHETTI 550 N. French Rd. Amherst. 14228
by Rizzo's

*The Membership asked
So we made
some changes*

*New
Location
this year*


*Live
Music
this year*

*Different
Raffle this year* [more details on
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JOY RYDE

COST

Member	\$49.00	6:00-7:00 Open Bar
Non-Member	\$60.00	6:30-7:30 Buffet Dinner with 1/2 hr. OPEN BAR
		7:30-8:00 Awards BAR REOPENS
		8:00-11:00 JoyRyde & THE HITMEN HORNS

Guests are Welcome!

CHAIRPERSONS
Joe & Melissa Kubis 716-548-0866
Jon & Mary Laverty 716-696-2171






Message from the President

Bill Fekete



Hello SCOLers!!

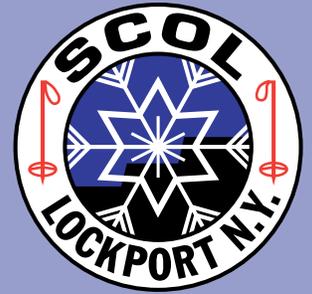
Well you certainly have to be glad March came in like a "lion". The last couple weeks have provided some of the best conditions we've had this season. Really great to see so many members taking advantage of it. It seems like some of the less dedicated have sort of given up on the season, but not SCOL. We're in it till the very end and the forecast sure looks good for a couple more weeks at least.

Mardi Gras weekend in Ellicottville was a big success. Great skiing and riding mixed with a large number of SCOL members representing made for a blast. Good people, good snow, good beverages hey what can I say "it's always a good time".

Don't forget we have nominations for 2 positions for director at the March 21, 2018 meeting. We will also be electing the officers. Please notify a board member or member of the election committee (Pam Fekete, Melissa Napoli, Shelia Flanagan) if you are interested in running for one of these spots.

I hope everyone enjoys the remainder of the season. Ski and ride safely!! See you on the hill!

Ski ya later!!



2017-18 OFFICERS

- PRESIDENT -
Bill Fekete
- VICE PRESIDENT -
Greg Stang
- TREASURER -
Vito Sportelli
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- Melissa Kubis*
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2018-19 SCOL Officers ELECTION BALLOT

PRESIDENT
Bill Fekete

TREASURER
Vito Sportelli

RECORDING SECRETARY
JoMarie Poquadeck

COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER
Paula Bowers

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS
Joe Kubis

These Candidates are running unopposed. Therefore a formal balloted election is not necessary. At the meeting on Wednesday, a motion will be made that the Recording Secretary cast one ballot electing all candidates by acclamation. You all will be tested to see if you read this fine print.

Next Meeting March 21

Davison Road Inn
383 Davison Rd.
Lockport

Doors Open
7:30 pm

Meeting
8:00 pm

**Nominations tonight
for 2-Board Seats**

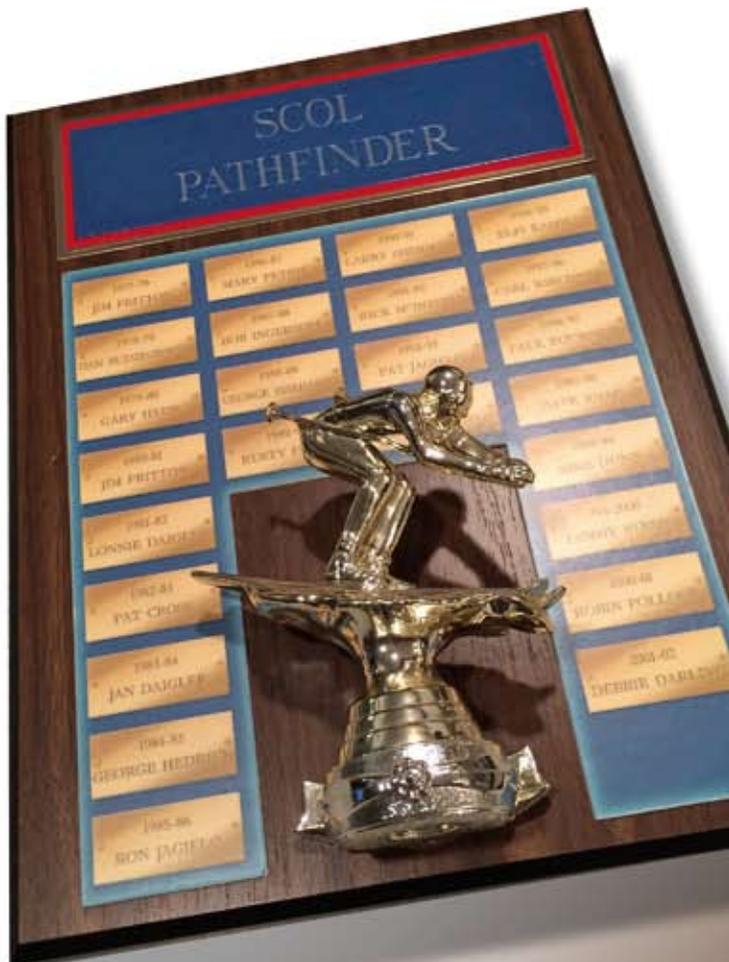
**THE LAST MEETING
OF THE YEAR
April 18**



2018
ANNUAL
Awards
Night at the
Installation Dinner



SCOL Pathfinder of the Year
Most Improved
SCOLer of the Year
"Power Pig"



Know someone who deserves an Award?
Let Greg Stang know WHO, WHAT FOR & WHY
gregstang99@gmail.com

Save Room for
SUMMER
PICNIC



Coming Soon
DETAILS AND DATE

Join the "Ryde"
Installation
2018 Dinner
FUNDRAISER
Backwards \$20
Raffle



WINNERS
NEED NOT BE
PRESENT

How does a
backwards raffle
work? The tickets are sold
just the same as most raffles, but the
difference is all the losing tickets are drawn first,
and then the winners at the very end.

For every ticket you sell to a non-SCOL Member
your name will be entered into a
FREE DRAWING for \$150 CASH!

partial
proceeds
to benefit
the
Lockport
Family



Want to help out and
donate a prize? We're looking for
Gift Certificates, Ski/Board Related Items,
Non-Ski/Board Related Items, Booze, Cash,
or anything someone might like!

Give us a call.
Joe Kubis 548-0866 | Jon Lavery 696-2171

COUNTDOWN TO THE WEST TRIP

E-Tickets Have Arrived & Final Dinner Plans Will be
Discussed at the Meeting on Wednesday Night

Big White
SKI RESORT

March 25

IT'S THE SNOW

April 1 Sunday to Sunday



SCOLebrity G•O•S•S•I•P

ROLF DOES IT PUNGUIN STYLE ?

E-VILLE, Saturday, FEB. 25.
 OK, so a little birdie told us, well let's call the bird a Penguin, that fellow SCOLer, Rolf Simonsen, has been a participant in the Penguin Paddle, a fund-raising event at Holiday Valley, since the very first one. And he's got the pins to prove it! Boy, did we find those pins to be a hot item from year's gone by!

Not to be left out this year (without a pin) Rolf donned a fashionable black plastic garbage bag, and resembled somewhat of a Minion. Easy to spot, with that yellow helmet, onlookers could follow Rolf as he trucked up the hill at Yodler. Then cheered him on as he truly looked like a penguin sliding down the slope. Happy to report, he came in first in his Class! They said his Class was the Adults 21 and over, but from

the smile on his face, he looked more like a kid in a candy store!
 And speaking of kids, we spotted two SCOL "kids" - Rick McIntosh's daughter, Katherine, and Andrea Solar's son, Ethan, playing it safe, volunteering for the event. **NOTE TO ROLF**, maybe next year try what these kids did and leave the antics for the other, I mean older "kids".



RAU the VIKING & the "Angel of the Snow" PECERATO

HOLIDAY VALLEY, Mardi Gras Sunday

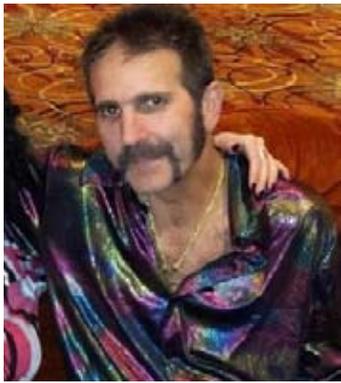
I'm pretty sure this sounds like it could be the next Harlequin Romance Novel, but for now the only Harlequins were at HV Mardi Gras on Sunday, March 11th. And not to be outdone by Rolf's Paddle participation, Dave Rau & Lin Pecerato (shown above in the Adult Single line) donned their best costumes to participate in the Parade down Mardi Gras (that would be the slope, not the streets of)

Pornstar Picks SANDMAN in Line-Up of 36!

WNY Airwaves, Thurs, MARCH 01.

Remember the very first Issue of *SKIfever* you read this year? WHAT! You don't? Hey, that was my first! (this time around, LOL!)

Anyways, to get back to the subject at hand, in September, Mike Sandman's photo was featured in the "Disco" Installation Dinner wrap-up. He truly appeared to look as if he just walked off the set of an "Adult" movie.



Well if you thought the same, you were not alone. So did his long-time girlfriend, JoMarie Poquadeck. Sooo much so, she actually entered Mike into 97 Rock's PORNSTACHE Contest!

Just imagine. Your alarm clock goes off and you gradually wake-up listening to the Morning Bull Show on the radio. Now if your like me,

you need at least 1-cup of coffee before your brain goes in gear. Then all of the sudden you hear Ron Leiderman (aka our Comedy Club Night headliner) describing the mustache of a pornstar!! OH-MY what a way to start the day.

After trying to wrap my head around what I was listening to, a contest they had asked people to send in photos of their best mustache that makes them look like a porn star, they announce, that who better to decide who the winner is, than a porn star herself!

The expert opinion to pick the best pornstache is none other than founder of BurningAngel.com Joanna Angel. (*like I sound like I know who this is . . . NOT!*)

After a few short minutes, the name MIKE SANDMAN bellowed from my radio, as that is who Joanna pick from the 36 entries, without hesitation!

Then they broke for a commercial, only proceeded by a teaser that they will be talking to the winner, Mike Sandman, LIVE on the air when they return.

So now I'm wide awake, on the edge of the bed anxiously waiting Mike's interview in hopes he gives our Ski Club and the SCOL "Disco" Dinner a plug for the growth of his facial hair. **Nope.** He actually "carves" it out of his beard every year for the "other Disco", that is downtown in the fall.

However Mike did give our sport a mention as the prize for all this is a CURLING PARTY for 8 at Riverworks. When asked if he had ever gone curling before, his response was no, but a few people he snow skis with had . . . *smooth segway to the next bit of gossip*

Rumor has it, there's REDNECKS AMONGST US

AKRON, Saturday, FEB. 10

Have you heard? There is a Redneck Curling Club? In Akron, NY? And, they have an Annual Tournament? And, we know two of the Rednecks that help to organize it?

Yup, you heard right. It's non one other than SCOLers Joe and Melissa Kubis!

I only know of this as one Sunday - as Ray (Darling, remember him, my husband, lol) and I were sitting at the kitchen table reading the paper and saw an article about this crazy,

winter, outdoor tournament. Looked like way too much fun. The ice rink is constructed of what looks to be in someone's side yard and the



stones are made from metal "dog" bowls and iron pipe, and filled with concrete.

Thirty-two, yup 32, Teams competed in this, the 6th Annual, festive variation of a Curling Tournament.

It was only after spending the weekend in Evile, at the Chalailer with Joe & Melissa that I realized they were the Rednecks that run that Tournament. EDITORS NOTE: *A Cha-lailer is a redneck term for a dwelling like a Chalet, but fits inside a double-wide trailer.*

So, it was apparent that night, in Balloons, while watching the Olypmic US Mens' Curing Team win Gold, Joe was their biggest fan and Curling was an exciting sport anyone could play. Well maybe except Jon Laverty. You'll have to ask him about that. Hey, is that a pornstache I see on the guy from the US Olympic Team???



LAST CHAIR



Greg Stang is the event coordinator.

It's up to you, how you get on the hill!

Another great photo from The East Trip
Thanks to the Fekete's

*Bring the Family!
Bring your Friends!
All are Welcome!*

Burgers & Dogs on the grill!
Bring only foods that you can eat with your hands!
NO TABLECLOTHS REQUIRED!

Saturday APRIL 7th 2018

**Outdoor Pavilion
Yodler Lodge - 1:00 pm**

HV PROJECTED CLOSING DATE APRIL 9th

SCOLers Come Out In Support of Annual Fundraiser

HOLIDAY VALLEY, Saturday FEB. 2.

These SCOLers seen here, were ready to ruffle some feathers at the Penguin Paddle, as some participated in the silent auction with spirited bidding to raise funds for the Lounsbury Adaptive Ski Program.

The "Proud as Peacocks" (*ya know, those birds of*



another color) Winners of auction items were; Rick McIntosh (Holiday Valley Area Lithographed Print), Joe Kubis (Gin Mill Basket), Melissa Napoli (Framed Penguins Painting), and Betty Spenser (Holiday Valley Embroidered Pillow).

Others opted just to buy a \$20 Wine Bag that included a bottle of wine and a "surprise" item in each bag!

A few dollars were spent for a good cause, all while having a great day slope side, with fellow SCOLers, "casue you know, *It's always a good time!*"

Meet us 9 - 9:30 am ground floor Yodler Lodge

Bring a Lunch, there's usually a bunch

Then at 4, we'll have some more

play **Hooky** with us!




A BYOB Happy Hour is our way, to end the ski day



Linda O'Donnell
lindaod245@aol.com

just one, or MOREday!

Peggy Schill
snowybufflo@roadrunner.com

Pot Luck Wrap-up



By Sheila Flanagan,
Chairman
HV, Saturday, March 17

Another SCOL successful party!

Well attended by over 75 SCOLers and friends. We had great weather, great food, great skiing, and great fun for our annual St. Pat's Pot Luck.

Costume prizes to Lin Pecoraro, Peggy Schill, and Mary Laverty. (Mary, we hope you heal quickly, but we heard you had a cute outfit, so your prize is coming!)

A huge thank you to everyone who helped. Especially Mark Whitcomb who arrived before me and got the HV maintenance guys to clear the Cabana deck of over a foot of snow! Also, Paul Koslowski for some heavy lifting, Greg Stang for the grill, my sister, Kitty, for car loading, unloading, and decorating! Also, the grill kids who did an excellent job with the hotdogs. Thanks to everyone else for food, help picking up, and any small or large tasks completed!

The Luck-of-the-Irish was certainly not in Mary Laverty's favor as she (what some think) tripped over a rainbow on St. Patrick's Day and crashed into a Leprechaun while skiing down Edelweiss over to Chute.

After getting a ride down on a unicorn, over to the Ski Patrol First Aid, it was then apparent that a Pot-O-Gold may be needed to get her fixed.

Mary has 2-fractures on one side and a brake on the other of her pelvis. OUCH!

If anyone has an extra 4-leaf clover, or some magical fairy dust, and can sprinkle it Marys way, I'm sure she would very much appreciate it!

Love you Mary and wish you a speedy recovery!




Saint-Moritz
Roï Soleïl



PLEASE NOTE currently this is NOT a SCOL subsidized trip. But is being coordinated by SCOL Member, Sheila Flanagan.

St. Moritz - SWITZERLAND

TRIP DETAILS to date

January 20-27, 2019
AIR from Buffalo (Jan. 19) to Zurich and return
One WEEK Stay at the St. Moritz Club M&S
SIX Days Skiing

Once details are final, you will book your trip directly through Ski93. The rate will be open for a limited period of time. An email with all the details and form to fill out will be provided.

TRIP INCLUDES

ALL Food & Drink, Lift Tickets, Guides, Airfare, and Trip Insurance

TRIP COST to date

Approx **\$2300-\$2400** per person, based on double occupancy

Please **TEXT** Sheila
716.870.2686
 if you are interested in going

FINAL PRICING will be set, and **RESERVATIONS** to begin, early April
 Watch for emailed details!



Before

PHOTO TAKEN
Penguin Paddle Weekend

Sunday, Feb. 25

With rain most the weekend, and 40+ temps, the ski season looked to be quickly melting away!



After

PHOTO TAKEN
Mardi Gras Weekend

**Sunday,
March 11**



Then the snow Gods floated down from the sky!
And no, those are SCOLers in the picture,
not the Gods!

*Let the ski season continue on, and on,
and on, and . . .*

14 Days Apart

Almost to the minute!

Zoom in on the CLOCK in the Towers.
Photos taken 14 days and 20 minutes apart!

2018

Sunday, June 10

It's approximately, a three hour boat ride.
Sound familiar?



BUFFALO HARBOR CRUISES

Serving the Buffalo / Niagara region for over 40 years

SCOL / Miss Buffalo Cruise

DEPARTS: **Erie Basin Marina**

BOARDING
BEGINS: **6:30 pm**

SET SAIL: **7:00 pm**

COST: **\$30 per person**
Includes Pizza & Soft Drinks
CASH BAR ON BOARD

LIVE MUSIC: **The Mo Porter Band**

TICKETS
Available at March 21st SCOL meeting

PAYMENT
Cash and/or Check Payable to SCOL

BOOKING AGENT
Vito Sportelli

