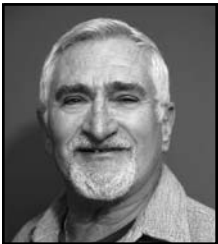


Happy Valentine's Day



MEETINGS

Dave
Nicholson

HAPPY VALENTINE'S MONTH!

Wednesday, February 4 – GENERAL MEETING

WG's Banquet Center, 103rd & Oklahoma Ave.

Wear Something RED!!!

It's the month of love and friendship, so come and be with friends and the club you love at our gala February meeting. Wear something **RED**, and be prepared for a Roundtable that might change your life. Dance to the music of the popular Best of Everything.

Enjoy a great meal of Italian spaghetti and meat sauce, salad, bread stix, and coffee for just \$7.50 OR a chicken salad sandwich, bread stix, and coffee for only \$4.50. Drink special: Bloody Mary, \$4

5:00 pm Bar Opens and Meal Service Starts

5:30 pm Free Roundtable on the Fitness, Nutrition, & Anti-Aging

6:30 pm Event Signups

7:00 pm General Meeting

8:00 pm Party, Dancing and More Signups

8:45 pm Birthday Treats

If your birthday is in February, we wish you a HAPPY BIRTHDAY and will sing "Happy Birthday" to you at our meeting. We also ask those with birthdays this month to bring a treat to share – DESSERT ITEMS ONLY: cookies, cake, brownies. Please place them on the Treats' counter in the meal room so all can enjoy after the meeting at 8:45.

Fitness, Nutrition, Anti-Aging, Self-Healing

Dr. Taylor Poehls of American Wellness Explains How To Achieve Those

How important is it for you to feel your best? Do you think better fitness would help? How about improved nutrition? Interested in anti-aging pointers? Hear it all from Dr. Taylor Poehls from American Wellness and who works closely with patients to help them achieve important health goals in a holistic manner. He'll explain how to bring balance to your

body, reach new potential, and provide anti-aging tips. Dr. Poehls can also help you release your body's natural self-healing potential. So come and learn and get your questions answered at this valuable Roundtable. Questions? **Ron Sonntag**, 414-788-4907, or ron@rspr.com. Dinner will be served from 5 pm, so eat while listening.

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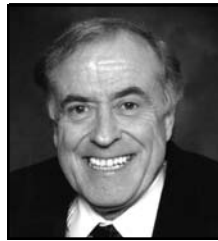
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PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Ron Sonntag February – Time to Reach Out!

February, of course, is Valentine's month – a time to do something nice for your sweetheart or to tell him or her how much you care. But, to make this month relevant to all Vagabonds, instead of a sweetheart that you may or may not have, let's make it a point to reach out to other Vagabonds during the month, do things together, and yes, you could even tell the other person or persons how much you appreciate having him or her or them in your life. If you tend not to do much with the club, make this the month to change that and get yourself out and participate more.

If you've been active, continue being active but still tell others how much you enjoy their company and how nice it is to do things in the club with someone. Also, this month, show non-Vagabonds you care enough to urge them to join the club and be part of the fun. Let's make this February a chance for all of us to Vaga-Bond – to show appreciation to other members and to try and bring non-members into the club to share that Vaga-Bond. Be a sweetheart to your Valentine, if you have one, but either way, demonstrate that you also have a Vaga-Bond!



Join your Vagabond friends each Saturday morning from 8:00 am - 9:30 for breakfast at **Genesis Restaurant, Beloit Rd. & 108th St.** for good food, lively talk and fun. Guests welcome.

Menomonee Falls Breakfast: 8:30 am on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month, February 14th and 28th, at **Ally's Bistro, N72 W13350 Lund Ln., Menomonee Falls** located at the corner of Appleton and Good Hope Road in a small strip mall that faces Appleton Ave. Enter from Good Hope Rd. or Appleton Ave. Contact **Bonnie Lemmer** with questions at bojean05@sbcglobal.net or call her at 262-370-6673.

Racine/Kenosha Breakfast: 9:00 am on Saturday, February 7th at **Annetta's Cafe, 8020 Durand Ave. Sturtevant. Exit Hwy. 11, East toward Racine.** Go through Sturtevant past Farm & Fleet. It is on the north side, before the railroad underpass, adjacent to Phillips 66. New members, old members, prospective members are welcome. Great way to meet a small group of people. Questions? Call **Carol Gavigan**, 262-632-1922.

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Happy Valentine's Day!

Give a gift of fun activities and friendship to those you love. Invite someone special to attend our General Meeting and introduce them to some of our wonderful members. You can provide a remedy for cabin fever during our Wisconsin winter. When you request a guest card for your friends they can enjoy the roundtable, meeting and dance

without having to pay the usual \$5.00 fee. You will make a difference in someone's life by giving the gift that keeps on giving all year long. Be an Ambassador and spread the word about our unique Vagabond Club.



SKI & TENNIS

Linda
Horn

Happy Valentine's Tennis Party

Sat., February 14

Hurry, Still Room!

Highlander Elite Tennis Club

6:30 – 9:30 pm

There are still a few spaces left so, tennis players, sign up now for the fun. 90 minutes of great tennis, then 90 more minutes of laughing, talking, eating, drinking, partying. Still room for socials, too, who get to eat, drink, and party, too. All at the beautiful Highlander Elite at Burleigh & Lilly Rd. Mail check for \$28 per person for players or \$13 for a social, payable to VSSC, along with email address, phone no., and your tennis rating, to **Sally Borchardt**, W216 N5531 Adamdale Dr., Menomonee Falls, WI 53051. Confirmations will be emailed. Call **Ron Sonntag** with questions, 414-788-4907.



TAILGATE TENNIS PARTY

Sat., March 28, 2015

6:30 – 9:30 pm

Highlander Elite Tennis Club

Opens February 1

Loads of fun tennis is in store for you, with 90 minutes of tennis and 90 minutes of party time at the beautiful Highlander Elite Tennis Club, located just east of the intersection of Burleigh Road and Lilly Road. The tennis party will be limited to only 32 players, but room for socials, too. We will play 90 minutes of tennis, rotating players every 45 minutes to mix up the fun followed

by lots of food, snacks, desserts, and beverages. This event is open to all playing levels. Mail a check for \$28.00 per person payable to Vagabond Ski & Social Club (VSSC) along with an Event Coupon including your email address, phone number, and tennis rating to Dan Adams, 2311 Emslie Drive, Waukesha, WI 53188. Socials are welcome, too, for \$15.00 per person. Confirmations will be emailed or phoned if no email. Questions? Call **Dan Adams**, 262 549-1802. We look forward to seeing you there!

Attention Cross Country Skiers

As many of you already know we have combined cross-country skiing with the Sunday hikes. This works well when snow conditions are good and are suitable in most of the parks where we



hike. Glacier Hills and the lake front are the exceptions. When in doubt of snow conditions, just have your skis handy as then you have the option to hike or ski. Skiers will always dine at the same restaurant as the hikers. You can't go

wrong either way. Check the hiking schedule under "Sporting Activities" in the Life for the dates, times, and locations. Happy skiing and/or hiking.



half way up the hill. Just sign up and pay at the building located northwest of the chair lifts. You do not have to sign up to race. Just ski, enjoy the view, and have a good time at the best ski hill around. If you are interested, please contact me in case of any updates.

I will give updates on practice, future races, location changes, cancellations, etc. for the team. If you have questions about a practice occurring, check your email where I will try to post late practice cancellations for our team, or phone me.

Vagabond Race Team

Captain: Al Lemke

The MMSC race season got started with our Wednesday night practices at Little Switzerland on Dec 10th. There should be plenty of racing in January to report on with the winter cold moving in so well at the end of last year.

Our Vagabond Race Team will join other MMSC clubs and have practice most Wednesday nights at Little Switzerland Ski Area from 7:00 to 9:00 pm. All Vagabonds, intermediate or better, are invited to try running gates with us. Just show up and identify yourself. You will have to purchase your own lift ticket.

It is not too late to get involved. For more information on any of this, contact me, **Al Lemke** at 414-688-2938 (cell) or aklemke2993@gmail.com.

MMSCSR Website: www.mmcsr.com

Vagabond members ought to consider joining us as guests at the Holy Hill races on Saturday, February 7th just to get a chance to ski there and observe what goes on at the ski race scene. For around \$35 and a short drive, you can ski from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm, including a provided lunch at the log cabin lodge

Remaining 2014 - 2015 MMSC Senior Alpine Race Schedule

Date	Time	Event	Location	Sponsor
Sun, Feb 1	9:00	SL/SL	Little Switz	Sitzmarks
Sat, Feb 7	10:00	SL/GS	Holy Hill	Council Race
Sun, Feb 15	10:00	SL/GS	Sunburst	Council Race
Sun, Feb 22		Makeup	Sunburst	



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SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

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Sheepshead/Dominoes/Cribbage

Tuesday, February 10th and 24th at 6:00 pm at the American Legion Post, 3245 N. 124th St. NO FOOD OR DRINK IS PERMITTED TO BE BROUGHT ONTO THE PREMISES. Free popcorn is available. The purchase of a beverage or food is encouraged and much appreciated. A \$1.00 fee is collected from members and non-members for the bartender. Cribbage boards and cards are available for cribbage players. Sheepshead questions? Call **Dick Kowalski** at 414-416-3009. Dominoes: Join the fun in learning and playing Dominoes. Please call **Gerry Botticchio** at 414-425-3911 to let her know that you are planning to be there.

Event Leader Training

Wed., February 11
6 – 8:30 pm

This event is for anyone interested in running or helping to run an event for the club. Manuals will be distributed, and all forms explained so everyone understands what is involved in planning and running a successful event. We will answer any and all questions posed by members. If you are thinking about running any kind of event – be it social, sporting, or otherwise, don't hesitate to sign up and come for this event. We are here to help!! AND dinner is included!!

The event will be held at the home of **Helen Hankwitz**, 10108 W. Sunset Ave. in Wauwatosa. Please call Gloria

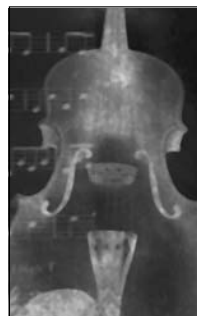
Zenger at 414-234-0039 and let her know if you plan to attend.

Festival City Symphony Seascapes

Sunday, February 15, 3 pm

As Frankie Ford once sang in rock & roll days, "Let me take you on a Sea Cruise." Well, switching from pop to classics, Wisconsin's oldest performing symphony orchestra takes us on a beautiful musical ride with its "Seascapes" presentation on Feb. 15. The concert will feature three works inspired by the sea. First is the "Overture" to Richard Wagner's dramatic romantic opera "The Flying Dutchman," followed by British composer Frank Bridge's "The Sea." And Claude Debussy's popular "La Mer" will complete the maritime fantasy program. All at the historic Pabst Theater at Water and Wells, for just \$8 for Vagabonds and guests. Then we go across the bridge to Rock Bottom Brewery at 5 pm for good food and beverages. Send checks made out to VSSC to Ron Sonntag, 9406 N. 107th St., Milwaukee 53224. Tickets will not be mailed to you, but will be passed out in the front lobby of the Pabst at 2:45. Call **Ron Sonntag** at 414-788-4907 with questions. Start the afternoon with the Vagabond lakefront hike at noon for some good heart exercise, too.

If you want to go to both Festival City Symphony concerts, you can just send in one check to Ron to cover both of them instead of having to send in two checks.



Festival City Symphony American Masters Concert

Sunday, March 15, 3 pm

American composers came out from behind the classic music screens to show how great they could be, and we'll get to hear three of those outstanding musical treats at this March 15 Festival City Symphony concert. First: Aaron Copland's exuberant "An Outdoor Overture." Then 19th-century composer George Whitefield Chadwick's romantic "Symphony No. 2" follows that. By contrast then came a spectacular composition by American John Rutter with his charming "Suite Lyrique for Harp and Strings" that will let us see and hear beautiful harp

music from FCS harpist Ann Lobotzke. All at the historic Pabst Theater at Water and Wells, for just \$8 for Vagabonds and guests. Then we go across the bridge to Rock Bottom Brewery at 5 pm for good food and beverages. Send checks made payable to VSSC to Ron Sonntag, 9406 N. 107th St., Milwaukee 53224. Tickets will not be mailed to you, but will be passed out in the front lobby of the Pabst at 2:45. Call Ron Sonntag at 414-788-4907 with questions. Start the afternoon with the Vagabond lakefront hike at noon for some good heart exercise, too.

Sleigh Ride

Sat., February 21, 3 pm

Let it snow! Let it snow! Hear the jingle of sleigh bells as you glide over the fields and through the woods in a horse drawn open sleigh! After the 40-minute ride you can enjoy the bonfire along



with cookies and hot chocolate. There is also a small carriage collection to see in a warming barn.

Hoof Beats Express is at W359 N9054 Brown Street, which is Hwy P in Oconomowoc. It is 4.5 miles north of Hy.16 west. Be there at 3:15 pm. Dinner on your own is at Tom and Di's Rustic Inn at W360 N8739 after the sleigh ride.

The Rustic Inn is just south of CW on the way to Hoof Beats Express. They are noted for their pizza and large burgers, etc. Due to limited parking space at the farm, we will meet at the Rustic Inn at 3:00 pm to carpool to sleigh ride only a half mile away. Send your completed Event Coupon along with a \$15.00 check made out to VSSC to: **Lois Brown**, 5038 N. 104th Street, Milwaukee WI 53225. Questions? Call Lois 414-535-0014.



Mamma Mia!!

Sun., February 22, 6:30 pm
Marcus Center for the Performing Arts

Mamma Mia is the ultimate feel-good show that has audiences coming back again and again to relive the thrill. Now it's your turn to have the time of your life at this smash-hit musical that combines ABBA's greatest hits, including "Dancing Queen", "S.O.S." "Super Trouper," "Take a Chance on Me" and "The Winner Takes All" with an enchanting tale of love, laughter and friendship.

Make your check payable to the Vagabond Ski & Social Club for \$34.00, and note on your Event Coupon whether you plan to attend the pre-event dinner and send them to Event Leader **Kay Bires**, 3519 Nagawicka Rd., Hartland, WI 53029. The dinner will be at the Water Street Brewery, 1101 N. Water St. at 4:30 pm. Questions? Call Kay at 262-367-5545.

Milwaukee Bucks

Game

Wed., March 11
7pm

You are invited to join a party of 20 Vagabonds at this Milwaukee Bucks v. Orlando Magic basketball game. We will be in the middle section. Meet for supper at Major Goolsby's at 5:30 pm. Tickets are on sale at the January and February General Meeting, and by making a \$20.00 check out to The Vagabond Ski & Social Club, mailed to Event Leader **Phil Grudzina** at 3119 S. 122nd St., #18, West Allis, WI 53227. Question? Call Phil at 414-327-6076. GO BUCKS!



Five Presidents

Sat., March 14, 8:00 pm
Quadracci Power House
Milwaukee Repertory Theater
108 W. Wells St.

Brilliantly intellectual and darkly funny – NOT TO BE MISSED! This is an incisive and funny new drama about the meeting of America's most exclusive club – the ex-presidents. Gathering together on the day of Richard Nixon's funeral, four "exes" and one "current" revisit old grievances, and reveal the toll it takes on any person foolish enough to seek the highest office in the land.

Send your check for \$32.00 payable to the Vagabond Ski & Social club to Event Leader **Jan Kastelic**, 9212 W. Michigan St., Milwaukee, WI 53226. Pre-show dinner on your own at the Rock Bottom, 740 N. Plankinton (corner Plankinton and Wells) at 6 pm. Please note on your Event Coupon if you plan to eat with the group. Questions? Call Jan at 414-774-8303.



Beauty and the Beast

Marcus Center for the Performing Arts

Sun., March 22, 6:30 pm

This classic Disney musical love story is filled with unforgettable characters, lavish sets and costumes, and dazzling production numbers including "Be Our Guest" and the beloved title song. This production will thrill all ages. Send your check for \$34 payable to the Vagabond Ski & Social Club to Event Leader **Geri Botticchio**, W124 S6488 Hawthorne Rd., Muskego, WI 53130. The pre-show dinner is on your own at the Water Street Brewery, 1101 N Water St. at 5 pm. Please note on your Event Coupon if you plan to attend the dinner. Questions? Call Geri at 414-425-3911.



Spectacular Trip to New Orleans

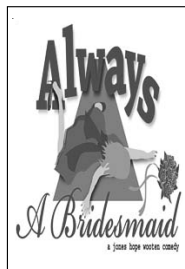
Fri., April 17 – Sun. April 19
Limited to 24 people –

OPENS FEBRUARY 2nd

A super New Orleans weekend for the first 24 who sign up is coming

Friday, April 17, through Sunday, April 19. It's the trip that many of you have said you're waiting for. Here's a brief overview of what we'll be doing there: Arrive New Orleans, go right to Jean Lafitte National Park where we can walk on an 8-mile boardwalk over the magnificent bayous and swamps with gators and other creatures well below, fantastic flowers, plants, over 200 species of birds, and much more. Then to Pat O'Brien's for 1 or 2 famous Hurricane drinks, then to a Mississippi Paddle-wheeled Riverboat ride on the Mississippi River with a seafood buffet and jazz music, then to Bourbon St. to check out the music and fun there. Saturday a full-blown, narrated tour of New Orleans, followed by a trip to the famous Oak Alley sugar plantation that has been in tons of movies, then to Mulate's terrific Cajun food and Cajun dance music, plus much, much more than space here allows. Yes, shops, artists, cathedral square. Just \$1,075 for this spectacular, memorable experience in the city that never sleeps. Send check and Event Coupon to **Ron Sonntag**, 9406 N. 107th St., Milwaukee, WI 53224. Call Ron if questions, 414-788-4907.

ALWAYS A BRIDESMAID
 Fri., April 17
 Memories Dinner Theater
 1077 Lake Drive,
 Port Washington
 6:30 pm Dinner,
 7:45 pm Show

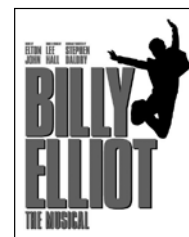


The night of their Senior Prom, four friends swore to be in each other's weddings ... no matter what. More than 30 years later, these beleaguered bridesmaids continue to keep that vow to help stage the perfect wedding for each other despite runaway brides, fist fights at the altar and the unfortunate mistake of releasing doves on the first day of hunting season. Join your friends for the laugh-out loud journey as these friends navigate the choppy waters of love and matrimony, and discover that careers, waistlines and even marriages may disappear, but real friendships last a lifetime.

The Dinner Theater is an all you can eat Fish Fry or Broasted Chicken. Send your completed event coupon with a check made out to Vagabond Ski and Social Club for \$35.00 to Event Leader **Lavonne Grenlie**, P.O. Box 1043, Brookfield, WI 53008. We will meet at the Bay Shore Mall park and ride at 5:45

to carpool to the theater. For questions, call Lavonne at 262 542-2004.

BILLY ELLIOTT
 Drury Lane Theater
 Thurs., April 30
 This musical is the winner of ten 2009 Tony Awards including Best Musical. The



musical is based on the moving film and features the music of Elton John. Billy Elliot is a joyous, exciting and feel-good celebration of one boy following his heart and making his dreams come true. Full of life, laughter, fantastic dancing and unforgettable music, this uplifting experience will stay with you forever.

Send your completed Event Coupon with a check for \$75.00 (which includes the cost of the play, transportation, and the dinner) made payable to the Vagabond Ski and Social Club to Event Leader **Nancy Drolshagen**, 8244 W. Potomac Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53218. We will meet the bus at the Park & Ride off 112th and Burleigh at 9:15 am, and at the SW Park and Ride on College Ave. at 10:00 am. Menu choices to be announced soon. Questions? Call Nancy at 414-461-3147.



LIFT LINES

Paul Bosanac

As I write this article (early January), the weather has been frigidly cold. Non-skiers take note: skiers don't like to ski in these conditions any more than you enjoy being outside on cold, wind-blown, snowy days. Fortunately, skiing out West usually brings much more comfortable temperatures, to the point where, on sunny days, it is often possible to eat

lunch outside on picnic tables – without jackets. Mountain skiing offers fresh air, unmatched vistas, vacation exercise, and pleasant camaraderie. Whether you enjoy Midwest skiing or Western skiing, the best thing to do is take a trip with the Vagabonds!



SPORTING ACTIVITIES

Carol
Gavigan

February Hikes (Walk for the Fun – Or Just for the Health of It!!!)

Sun., Feb. 1, 1:30 pm Menomonee Park at Lannon.

Meet in parking lot about half mile north of Hwy. 74 on Hwy. Y, on east side of road. Hike from 1:45 to 3:45, then eat at Brisco County at Cty. Line Rd. and 45, or head to watch the Super Bowl somewhere else. It starts at 5:25.



Sun., Feb. 8, 1:30 pm Minooka Park.

Meet in park's parking lot on Sunset Drive in Waukesha, just west of Hwy. Y (Racine Ave.) and just east of Hwys. 164 and 59 or carpool from Matteo's Italian Ristorante (just east of the 164 and Sunset intersection). Hike from 1:45 to 3:45, then to Matteo's to eat, drink, and time to get to bowling at 5:45.

Sun., Feb. 15, 1:30 pm Beautiful Lapham Peak State Park.

Meet at I-94 and Hwy. C Park & Ride (southeast corner off freeway) at 1:30. Carpool into park and chip in for small entry fee. Hike from 1:45 to 3:45, then back to

cars and to Wells Street Tavern nearby in Delafield for food and drink at 4:00.

Sun., Feb. 22, 1:30 pm Nashotah Park.

Meet at Hwys. 16 and C Park & Ride. Hike 1:45 to 3:45. Head to nearby Nashotah Clubhouse at 4:00 for food together.

Join the fun, camaraderie, and great exercise. For info, call **Ron Sonntag**, 414-788-4907.



SUBSTITUTE BOWLERS WANTED!

If you didn't sign up to bowl the season, you can still come and bowl. It is the first Sunday of the month, except in February when it is the second Sunday. Be at Bluemound Bowl, 12935 West Bluemound Rd., Brookfield by 5:45. The cost is \$10.00 for an evening of fun. Questions? Call **Frank Berg** at 414-540-1411 after 5 pm or leave a message.



Snow Tubing at Sunburst

Meet There

Sat., February 28, 11 am-1 pm
\$16

The thrills, laughter, screams of delight, and fun of snow tubing return to the Vagabond schedule for two hours on Saturday, Feb. 28th as you rent a tube for two hours with your Vagabond buddies. We've been doing this for several years, and it just doesn't get old!!! To make it even easier, Sunburst now has 2 moving ramps that let you just ride from the bottom to the top of the 900-foot hill. Then enjoy the thrill again of riding down. Talk about luxury! Oh, and great hot chocolate, too. Take Hwy. 45 north past West Bend to Badger Rd. before Kewaskum, then left to Sunburst. Email **Ron Sonntag** at ron@rspr.com or call at 414-788-4907, if you'd like to join in the fun. Pay at the hill.

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Cummings at vag_bylaws@yahoo.com. Call with questions at 414-421-6248. Send your check with a copy of the ad and dates of insertion before the first of the month for the next month's issue to Sue Cummings, 4143 W. College Ave., Milw., WI 53221.

FACES & PLACES

Let's rewind to the end of 2014 and bring us up to this New Year!

A Great November Meeting!



We had a big turnout for the Roundtable by Mike Paskov on Aging in Place. And huge laughter was enjoyed from a joke someone told.



There were hugs and joy of the audience during the Hello Minute Stretch at the halfway mark.



Warmth and friendly closeness and enjoyment of the people dancing together.



Some enjoyed the line-dancing.



Vags being prepped at County Mental Health Center for our Annual Christmas Caroling program for the patients.

60-70 Vagabonds Carolers provided some Christmas cheer.



Dinner and party at Alioto's afterward.

Weekly hikes are still going strong!



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FUTURE EVENTS	
3/7	Sat. Night Tennis
3/11	Bucks Game
3/14	Park City Ski Trip
3/15	Five Presidents
3/15	Festival City Symphony
3/22	Beauty and the Beast
3/28	Tailgate Tennis Party
4/4	Sat. Night Tennis
4/17	Always a Bridesmaid
4/17	New Orleans Trip
4/30	Billy Elliott

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Hiking or CC Ski Race Team Ltl. Switz	2	3	4 Roundtable General Meeting	5 Thurs. Night Tennis	6 Fish Fry	7 Genesis Brfst Racine Brfst Sat. Nite Tennis Race Team HH
8 Hiking or CC Ski Bowling	9	10 Sheepshead Dominoes Cribbage	11 Event Training	12 Thurs. Night Tennis	13	14 Genesis Brfst Meno Falls Brfst Valentine Tennis Party
15 Hiking or CC Ski Race Team Sunburst Festival City Symphony	16	17	18 Over the Hump	19 Thurs. Night Tennis	20	21 Genesis Brfst Sleigh Ride Sun Valley Ski Trip
22 Hiking or CC Ski Race Team Makeup Mamma Mia	23	24 Sheepshead Dominoes Cribbage	25 Board Meeting	26 Thurs. Night Tennis	27	28 Genesis Brfst Meno Falls Brfst Caribbean Cruise Snow Tubing