



# Gelandesprung Gazette

“36 years and still going downhill.”

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June 2005

## Hello,

Here it is the month of June already, the official start of summer. With the weather we have been having it sure does not seem like it though, but the seasons march on and soon it will be winter again and time for lots of skiing. In order to provide you with all the opportunities you will need the board has begun working already. On May 14th; nine people from the ski club went down to the Chicago Metropolitan Ski Council trip seminar and started gathering information and talking to people with the right connections. It was a very good event and we have some dates and trips planned already.

Now, in case you have not heard, Gelandesprung Ski Club is running the week long trip out West this year, and Sly Fox is planning a Europe trip and a long weekend trip out west. This will lighten the load for the Sly Fox club, and this is something I feel our club should do more of. Do not expect things to be much different than

previous trips, because I will be trip leader, and as most of you know, I have assisted Sam Fontaine on previous trips and will do a lot of the things the same.

Another interesting piece of information learned at CMSC, is that the owner of Searchmont is not planning to open the ski hill next season. The expense of needed repairs to the three-man chair lift is too great for the amount of revenue generated, so unless he gets some government assistance, he will not open. Because of this, the board is looking into other alternatives, possibly something to lower Michigan. This could be a very interesting season for your ski club, so stick around for another year and we can experience it together.

Now with all this talk about trips, the board is going to need some help, and by this I mean trip leaders. Some people have volunteered already, but there still are plenty of opportunities out

there for someone who is interested. It is a lot of fun and a good way to do something in return for your club. It is also a good way to learn about some of the things that go into organizing a trip, and see some of how your club is operated. If you are interested, just contact a board member.

Since we still have a lot of time before we get to ski again, Kevin Klasen has put together a social committee for summer events. There will be a number of opportunities for you to get together with your ski friends and catch up on the latest gossip, just check out the calendar and mark them down.

I have taken up enough of your time for one month, besides, at this rate I won't have anything left to talk about for next month, and we don't want that to happen. Have a safe and fun month of June.

**Dick**

## SPRING GOLF OUTING

It was a beautiful day for golfing. It was sunny and low 70's. There were 20 golfers. Every one had a good time. The Obtuse winner was Ron Quick with a 3 for 1 nomination. **First**, he forgot money. **Second**, he was on #4 White, swung and wiffed. It also created white caps on the pond in front of the tee block. **Third**, he also had a dick out (ask for the definition). After golfing we went to Sports Corner. Four more people showed up for dinner and drinks. We raised a glass and toasted the GOLFING GODS for the great weather. Later we socialized outside on the patio. The Fall Golf Outing was also discussed. There was talk of possibly changing the date and which golf course to play. As of now nothing has changed.

Thanks again to everyone who played or made it to dinner and to the Golfing Gods for the great weather.

**Kevin Klasen**

## Wed. June 15

### **Bike and Blade Social/ Pork Roast**

Host: Annette Schilling  
(920) 496-0537

Location: Coaches Corner  
Bike and Blade @ 6 pm  
Dinner @ 7:30 pm

~~Flambeau Lodge, Brush Creek Campground.....~~

# WONEWOC TRIP

(its close to Elroy, WI)

June 24-26, 2005

Sly Fox, Gelandesprung Ski Club, Neptune Aqua Club



A weekend of Camping at Chapparral Campground near Wonewoc, WI.  
<http://www.chapparral.com>

It's not just fun, it's educational! Featuring undergrad and graduate programs through

## Floatology University

Floatology University Summer Semester Courses Include:



Friday night-advanced tequila drinking.

Saturday-Canoe the Baraboo River

Floatology 101- Canoeing: Art or Science?

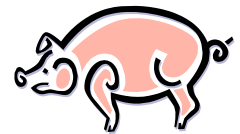
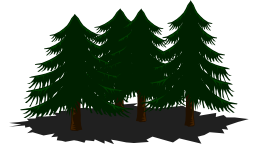
Mixology 300-Tropical Blender Drinks

Floatology 5000 - Advanced Beverage Consumption

Saturday night-Enjoy the Chapparral Pig Roast and live band

Sunday-Ride the 400 trail; <http://www.400statetrail.org>

Bike Touring 400 - Wisconsin Trails, Tunnels, and Roadside Bars



Price will be \$60. Includes camp fees, canoe rental, Saturday and Sunday breakfast, Saturday lunch, Saturday evening Pig Roast (4 pm-7 pm) and band (7 pm-11 pm), beer at the campsite. Deduct \$15 for canoe rental if you prefer to bike both days. Friday night fish fry at Chapparral is on your own.

Brought to you by the Neptune Aqua Club ambassador to Cheeseland; Cheesehead Chick, Jane (Hane) Kurath 731-8621 or [hanecheezechic@earthlink.net](mailto:hanecheezechic@earthlink.net).

Make checks payable to Neptune Aqua Club.

Mail to: Jane Kurath

718 N. State St.

Appleton, WI 54911

Sign up quick!!! I would like to have a somewhat close head count for canoes/camping by June 10<sup>th</sup>.

## June Birthdays

- 01 Janelle Jacques-Jolly
- 03 Colleen VanderLinden
- 04 Peter Stankevitz
- 07 Penny Holman
- 08 Tom VanderLinden
- 15 Danice Herald
- 17 Gary Heilmann
- 22 Tom Spang
- 24 Paul Pendowski

## Board Notes

- Turnover meeting from old to new board with discussing responsibilities, status of the club and suggestions for the new board.
- Working to get the club back in good standing as a corporation. Met with an accountant who specializes in non-profits.
- A group of nine went to CMSC including Dick & Brian to obtain quotes on trips.
- Met with Kevin to discuss summer events
- Preparing for fall banquet and open house at Zellers.
- Lining up trip leaders for the up-coming season.
- Reviewing options for Searchmont due to its probable closing.

## Herb's Wolf River Rafting (long trip)

**When: Saturday June 11, 2005**

**Cost: \$33.00 per Person**

Meet at: The Bar, Lyndale Ave Appleton

At: 8:00 AM leaving Promptly at 8:30 AM Car Pooling

Mike Bast will have maps to get there  
or follow him to the outfitter

Includes BEER, SODA, SANDWICHES, CHIPS,  
RAFT RENTAL, PADDLES, AND LIFE VEST  
*(bring your own if you are hard to fit)*

We will have lunch first, so bring a dish, snack  
or dessert to pass if you like.

NO GLASS, PLASTIC JUGS or METAL CONTAINERS  
are allowed on the river or in the rafts.

Please use insulated thermos containers ONLY.

Bring along rope or strong string to tie off your belongings

Wear swim suits and an old pair of tennis shoes  
*(to protect your feet from the rocks).*

Don't forget your suntan lotion, hats, OLD sunglasses and  
maybe a waterproof bag (a.k.a. dry bag).

After EVERYONE is back safe, we will have a cold one  
and talk about our just finished adventure

So sign up now and have some good clean and very wet fun!

Sign Me Up for the Wolf River Raft Trip  
**\$33 per Person/2-3 Person Rafts**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

DISH TO PASS (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Please write your check to: "Sly Fox Ski Club"

**Mail to:** Mike Bast  
1161 Sandpoint Ridge  
Neenah, WI 54956  
920-722-2371

**GELANDESPRUNG SKI CLUB**  
**SUMMER CALNENDAR OF EVENTS**

A member of the Gelandesprung Ski Club will host all events, so you won't be the only one there. Please join us. If there any questions on any events, want more information, or would like to help out, please give the host or hostess a call. All events are open to nonmembers.

**Fees for the Summer Events are on your own, unless noted in the details.**

**Saturday, June 11**

**Herb's Wolf River Rafting**

Contact Mike Bast with questions: 920-722-2371  
Meet at The Bar, Lyndale Ave Appleton; 8 am  
leaving promptly at 8:30 am. Carpooling.  
Cost: \$33.00

**Wednesday, June 15**

**Bike and Blade Social/Pork Roast**

Host: Annette Schilling (920) 496-0537  
Location: Coaches Corner  
Bike and Blade @ 6 pm  
Dinner @ 7:30 pm

**Tuesday Night, June 21**

**June Summer Social**

Hudson's Classic Grill  
Host: Mike Bast 722-2371  
Mid Valley Dr.; Between Scheuring Rd.  
& Grant St.  
Cocktails 6:30 pm Dinner 7:00pm  
RSVP Mike Bast if you want, but it's not  
required.

**June 24, 25, 26**

**Sly Fox/Neptune Aqua Club**

**Elroy-Sparta Bike/Kickapoo Canoe Trip**

Details will be in June's Newsletter  
Host: Jane Kurath 731-8621 or  
hanecheezechic@earthlink.net

**Saturday, July 23**

**Motorcycle Ride/Social**

Host: Kevin Klasen (920) 497-8842  
***SHOOTS BAR and GRILL (Suamico)***  
Meet at **NOON**.  
Route will be decided at that time  
Approximately a 50-100 Mile ride

**Tuesday Night, July 26**

**July Summer Social**

Backgammon Pub & Restaurant  
Host: Mike Bast 722-2371  
2920 Ramada Way  
Cocktails 6:30 pm Dinner 7:00pm  
RSVP Mike Bast if you want, but it's not required.

**August 13, 14**

**Sly Fox/Neptune Aqua Club**

**Root River Bike Trip**

For more information on the Root River, check the  
web site  
[www.lanesboro.com/root-river-state-trail.html](http://www.lanesboro.com/root-river-state-trail.html)

**Tuesday Night, August 30**

**August Summer Social**

Legends Brewhouse & Eatery in Howard  
Host: Mike Bast 722-2371  
2840 Shawano Ave.; Near American Medical  
Security  
Cocktails 6:30 pm Dinner 7:00pm  
RSVP Mike Bast if you want, but it's not required.

**Saturday, September 17**

**Fall Classic Golf Outing**

Location: **TBA**  
Host: Kevin Klasen (920) 497-8842  
Tee Times: 12 Noon, 18 Hole Scramble  
Dinner: 6 pm

We are looking for some more  
ideas and dates for the summer.  
Any ideas, contact me at  
(920) 497-8842 or  
kkskier57@netzero.net

Thanks,  
Kevin Klasen  
(Summer Social Chairman)

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## GELANDEBUCKS

Does the club still offer these? Is it still \$10 per new member? Can I use it towards my favorite hobby, Skiing? The answer to all these questions is YES! If you recruit someone new to join the club you will receive a \$10 credit for each person that signs up! That \$10 can be put towards any ski trip, banquet or other club function as you see fit. So get out there, get recruiting and sign up some new members!

### Gelandesprung

Gelandesprung is a noun describing "a jump in skiing made from a crouching position with the use of both poles". Also, it is supposedly pronounced "gə-lən-də-shprōng" but anyway you say it, it's a great ski club!



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**Does anyone know who did this artwork?**

It's from a 1985 Gelandesprung newsletter.

And, **NO**, the \$8 is not valid!!!