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HUDSON VALLEY
SKI CLUB
NEWSLETTER OF THE

A Trendy Performance

I recently bought a new pickup truck that replaces a similar one that was 7 years old. Actually, the new truck is the same make and model with some performance upgrades – mostly technology advancements providing better fuel efficiency and safety enhancements, and touch-screen tools to make driving more entertaining. Of course, I did the obligatory test drive to determine if the truck performs to my needs, and that it ‘fits’ me!

It reminds me that we are approaching the season when we consider upgrading our ski equipment, boots, ski wear, etc. Making these selections can, and probably should, involve evaluating technical and performance changes that hopefully will improve our skiing. We know that ski companies, like auto makers, continuously develop new models or tweak existing ones in an effort to appeal to changing trends.

For several years the ski industry trend has aimed towards wider skis underfoot, along with some degree of ‘rocker’, and incorporating space age materials, thereby generally appealing to the ‘All-Mountain’ skier. We responded by purchasing skis that are 88mm, 90 mm, or even 100+mm under foot. However, did we buy a tractor-trailer when our skill level would be more appropriately met by a small SUV? Many of us admitted so and the market responded.

Beginning during the 2018-19 season ski width went full-circle when ski companies increased their production of narrow skis for carve-happy, short radius skiing, thereby accommodating our eastern on-trail groomers, thus the ‘Frontside’ ski. Multiple ski manufacturers are producing narrow waist performance ‘Frontside’ skis, with 75-82mm

becoming the new norm. This doesn’t mean that the other ski categories have gone the way of the Studebaker, but that narrower skis may fit a broader segment of ski abilities.

We have always encouraged our club members to ‘Demo’ (test drive) before they buy. Also, while it’s very considerate of someone to offer their skis to you, will their skis work with your skills (or visa versa), timing and balance?

Again, like in new autos, check out the performance, efficiency, and technology of new skis before you buy, and make sure they “fit” you! Our professional ski instructors may be able to provide some guidance when considering the purchase of new skis.

...about 90 days to first tracks.



Herb Eschbach, PSIA
HVSC Education Committee

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Club Information

Club Officers

President:	Keith Faucher
Immediate Past Pres:	John Feilen
Vice-President:	John Macek
Secretary:	Vacant
Treasurer:	Jim Gahn
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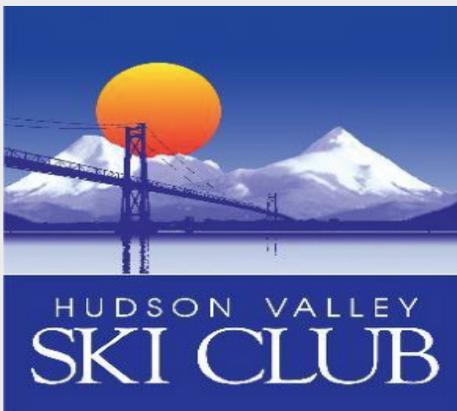
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Budget and Finance:	Pat Cummins
Constitution:	John Macek
Instruction:	Herb Eschbach
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Newsletter:	Melanie Michon
Website:	John Macek
Ski Council/Discount Tix:	Jim Gahn
Ski Trips:	Jim Gahn
Events:	Pat Marsh
Audit:	Cheryl Corbett

Contact information is available in the
Online Membership Directory
on the club website.

www.hudsonvalleyskiclub.org

Or queries may be sent to
info@hudsonvalleyskiclub.org



The hot, hazy days of summer will soon turn to the cooler, comfortable days of fall and we all know what follows then - **SNOW**. Your trip committee has put together an outstanding list of ski adventures from which to choose. Take the time to look over the selections and join your friends on the slopes this coming season.

As I reported in the last newsletter, the club is in search of a new venue to hold our meetings. We held the August 7th meeting at 'Buffalo Wild Wings' to mixed reviews. The September 4th meeting will be at **Gibson's Restaurant**, 11 Vassar Rd, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603 (Red Oaks Mill) at 7:30 PM. The Board would like the members' input, so please try to attend.

Check out the well written articles, as well as the many upcoming events and activities, featured on the following pages.

Also, be sure to visit [our website](#) for important information about your club, and "like" the [HVSC page](#) on Facebook.

Keith R. Faucher

Krfauch@optonline.net or
President@HudsonValleySkiClub.org
Cell 845-282-0387



Membership Renewals are due
on or before September 4!

For membership application

[CLICK HERE](#)

Welcome New Members!

Barbara Imhoff

Alan Imhoff

Erin Cheslock

Meeting Notes Now Online

Did you miss a membership meeting?

You can now find out what happened by going to the Members Only page on the HVSC Website and clicking on the appropriate date under the Meeting Notes heading.

You will need the password located on the back of your membership card.

John Macek, The Web Guy



Connect on Facebook

Check the [HVSC Facebook page](#) to connect with members on current club events and happenings.

Be sure to check our spring/summer activity schedule on the HVSC Website and also the HVSC Facebook page to connect with members for current club events and happenings.

Planning an outing? Want to hike, bike, or hit the road for a day but need a buddy? Post the details on our Facebook page and find other club members to join you.

Don't go it alone, that's why you joined a club! Post on our Facebook page and invite your HVSC friends.

For Sale

Thule Ski Box

- 7 feet long
- Holds 4 pair of skis
- Sold with locks and a complete set of keys.

\$50.00

Contact: Al Piscopo

845-809-5680 (H)

914-419-3097 (C)



Paddling/Camping in the Adirondacks

There is nothing like fall in the Adirondacks!

I am planning a paddling/camping week in the Adirondacks and want you to consider joining us.

The dates are September 23 - 27, 2019.

This year we will set up camp at a state campground and then take day paddles at different lakes/ponds/creeks each day. This would allow us to do all our paddling with unloaded boats rather than paddling "loaded" to an isolated campsite and of course "loaded" back to put-in and cars.

The campground is Fish Creek Ponds Public Campground, located off Rt 30 at Square Pond and Fish Creek Ponds in the St. Regis Canoe Wilderness. Using this campground as a base, there are innumerable day paddling options within a 5 to 10 mile radius. Also, a day hike or even bicycle ride could be in the mix. Fishing on these lakes is excellent and in past years we have had plenty of catch for dinners.

The Fall colors should be spectacular.

Getting to the campground from the Poughkeepsie/

Newburgh area is a 4 & half hour drive.

The Fish Creek Ponds Campground is open until Oct 26 and at present there are plenty of campsites available. Rules are a maximum of 3 tents and six campers to a campsite. There is a per night campsite fee of \$22 (for the

campsite, not per person) and reservations through "reserveamerica.com" are required. I have a "Reserve America" account and can make the reservations for the group.

Since we will be parking at our camping location, the number of days you might stay is flexible. If you plan to fish, obtain a NYS license at Dick's Sporting Goods or online:

<https://decals.dec.ny.gov/DECALSCitizenWeb/citizenhome.htm>

Please let me know soon if you will be interested in participating in this adventure. Feel free to share this invite to other paddlers/campers who may be interested.

Jim Gahn

Please RSVP to 914-213-7250 or jimbgahn@yahoo.com





Upcoming Events

• Wednesday Sept 18

Come to the meeting and honor the club members who have helped the club in 2018/2019. There will be awards.

• Bike the Putnam/Westchester Bike Path

Wednesday, Sept 18 @ 10:15 am

Bike approximately 35 miles round trip on paved trail, from Rt 6 (Exit 19/Rt 312 off I84) south to Yorktown Heights. We will have lunch at the Trailside Cafe (trailside-cafe.com) then return to starting point.

Meet at Putnam Trailway parking on Rt 6 (Exit 19/Rt 312 off I84) Turn south on Rt 312 and follow to Rt 6. Turn left and "Brewster Camerons Deli" is on right (has porta potty), railway parking lot is a little further on the right. We will have lunch at the Trailside Cafe (trailside-cafe.com) then return on the trail to parking.
~ Contact Jim Gahn

• Paddling/Camping in the Adirondacks

Sept 23 – 27 • See newsletter for details
~ Contact Jim Gahn

• Fall Hikes

- ~ Saturday Sept 7
- ~ Saturday Sept 14
- ~ Saturday Sept 21 @ Fahnestock – Ellen Kelly
- ~ Saturday Oct 5 @ Illinois Mountain – Donna Etu
- ~ Friday Oct 18 @ Gertrudes Nose, Minnewaska – Shari Aber
- ~ Tuesday Oct 22 @ Hike the Appalachian Trail – Jim Gahn
Meet at 9:30am at the RPH Shelter, 731 Hortontown RD, Hopewell Junction, NY. Bring water and lunch.

• West Point Football Game

Saturday Nov 9 • \$60 pp payable to HVSC
Mail checks to Betty Mostachetti
56 Folon Rd, Amenia, NY 12501
~ Contact Betty Mostachetti

• Holiday Happy Hour & Food Drive – TBD

~ Contact Robin Smith

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\$45 Sundays
(non-holiday)

Catamount Route 23, Hillsdale, NY (518) 325-3200
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Smuggler's Notch, VT BrewFest weekend

December 6 – 8, 2019

Package includes: 2 nights condo lodging (4-6 occupancy), 3 day lift ticket, indoor pool & hot tubs, entry to Saturday night BrewFest w/Fabulous BrewFest munchies

Price per person:

\$228.00

[Register and pay deposit via Online Registration and Credit Card/PayPal Payment Form.](#)

or

\$8 discount with registration via [PDF Trip Registration Form](#) and pay by Check or Money-order.

Deposit of \$100 required with registration

Register online and pay with credit card/PayPal **OR** by cash, check, money order at club meeting and by mail-in registration to:

**Treasurer, HVSC
44 Far Horizons Dr.
Newburgh, NY 12550-1045**



Killington

Killington/North Star Lodge

January 12 – 17, 2020

- Lodging at the North Star Lodge on Killington access road.
- 3 min. drive to Killington parking. Includes pasta dinner Tue eve.
- Coffee and Tea available each morning.
- 3 to 5-day lift tickets are for Killington but allow one day at Pico.
- Lodging based on double occupancy – prices per person

Lodging	Lift Tickets	Adult	Senior (65+)
3 nights Sun - Tue	3 day	\$363	\$340
3 nights Sun - Tue	4 day	\$383	\$357
4 nights Sun – Wed or Mon - Thu	4 day	\$444	\$418
4 nights Sun – Wed or Mon - Thu	5 day	\$475	\$454
5 nights Sun - Thu	5 day	\$535	\$511

IKON Pass holders deduct for 3, 4 & 5 days respectively: Adult \$163/183/215// Sr \$141/158/192

[Register and pay deposit via Online Registration and Credit Card/PayPal Payment Form.](#)

or

\$13 discount with registration via [PDF Trip Registration Form](#) and pay by Check or Money-order.

Deposit of \$100 required with registration

Final Payment due by 12/18/2019

Register and pay online or use the PDF Registration Form and either bring to a meeting or mail to the trip leader.

Treasurer, HVSC

44 Far Horizons Dr.

Newburgh, NY 12550-1045



Mount Snow - Vermont

February 10 -13, 2020

Package includes: 3 nights lodging (double occupancy), 4 day lift ticket, daily breakfast, welcome reception, pizza party, all taxes & service fees

Price per person:

\$408

[Register and pay deposit via Online Registration and Credit Card/PayPal Payment Form.](#)

or

\$13 discount with registration via [PDF Trip Registration Form](#) and pay by Check or Money-order.

Peak Pass Holders deduct \$100 from price.

Deposit of \$100 required with registration

Register online and pay with credit card/PayPal **OR** by cash, check, money order by September 4, 2019 club meeting and by mail-in registration to:

Treasurer, HVSC
44 Far Horizons Dr.
Newburgh, NY 12550-1045



Gore Mtn./Wingate Lake George

March 15 – 19, 2020

Package includes: 4 nights lodging (double occupancy), 4 day lift ticket, 4 Continental Breakfasts

Price per person:

\$325.00 Adult

\$289.00 Senior (65+)

[Register and pay deposit via Online Registration and Credit Card/PayPal Payment Form.](#)

or

\$10 discount with registration via [PDF Trip Registration Form](#) and pay by Check or Money-order.

Deposit of \$100 required with registration

Register online and pay with credit card/PayPal **OR** by cash, check, money order at club meeting and by mail-in registration to:

Treasurer, HVSC

44 Far Horizons Dr.

Newburgh, NY 12550-1045

Hudson Valley Ski Club



Sold Out!
 A few spots are available w/o air travel
Act Fast!

January 25 -
 February 1, 2020

Resort Name:	Jackson Hole	Beginner Terrain:	10%
Base Elevation:	6,311 feet	Intermediate Terrain:	40%
Top Elevation:	10,450 feet	Advanced/Expert Terrain:	50%
Vertical Feet:	4,139 feet	Average Snow Fall:	450 inches
Ski-able Acres:	2500 acres	Total Lifts:	15

Includes:

- Roundtrip airfare from Albany, NY to Jackson, WY (Delta Airlines) 1 Stop (Atlanta)
- Present Air schedule has group leaving Albany at 6:05AM Return to Albany at 11:36PM
 - Ground transportation to/from airports in NY and Wyoming
- 7 nights lodging at the Parkway Inn – in Jackson
- Daily transportation to/from the mountain
- Complimentary welcome reception
- Daily continental breakfast
- Lap pool, Saunas and hot-tubs, free Wi-Fi
- 5 day lift ticket at Jackson Hole
- Optional One day at Grand Targhee Resort (**extra fee TBA**)



Package Price: **\$1680.00** per person (dbl occupancy) up to age 64
 \$1596.00 per person (dbl occupancy) Senior 65 +

Single supplement: Add \$560.00

6th day Lift ticket: Adult add \$99.00 Senior add \$84.00

~~HKON Pass holder: Adult subtract \$361.00 Senior subtract \$277.00~~

Non skier traveler: Subtract \$361.00 from Adult package price

Completed Trip Registration and **\$300** deposit due at sign-up, then monthly payments of **\$230** July thru November, final payment December depends on options selected. Payments due by first meeting date each month. Mail or bring checks made out to **"HVSC Trips."** Sign up begins at June 5th meeting.

Trip Leader – John Macek, john@ifmacek.com, 845-489-6056, 36 Hillview Dr. Poughkeepsie, NY 12603

Minimum cancellation penalty: \$100.
Trip insurance highly encouraged. Typically, must obtain within 21 days of signup for preexisting condition

Trailsweepers & New Jersey Ski Council

Val D'Isere France

2/29/20 - 3/8/20
Club Med - All Inclusive!

Lodging	6-Day Lift Ticket
Airfare & Bus Transfers	Ski Guide & Instructors
3 Meals Daily	Tips & Gratuities
Open Bar (All Day)	

Price \$2,800.00 pp

Deposit holds your spot! Payment schedule:

- May \$500 (on signup)
- June \$500
- July, Aug, Sep, Oct, Nov \$360 per/month (Due on 1st)

Trip Leader: Richard Fick



Registration Form for Val d'Isère France 2/29-3/8 2020

Price: \$2,800 All-Inclusive • Lodging is based on double occupancy - prices are per person (2 per room)



Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone(s): _____

Roommate: _____

Deposit of \$500.00/person due with registration.

Balance due by December 1, 2019 (*please note payment schedule above*).

If you cancel, there will be a minimum cancellation charge of \$100.00 .

You Must have **valid Passport** with an expiration date of **no sooner than 10/20**.

Make checks payable to "TSSC" and note the destination on the memo line. Checks only. Please make additional payments on or before the balance due date. Failure to make payments on time may result in forfeiting of trip.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

You must be a member of Trailsweepers Ski Club or a ski club affiliated with the New Jersey Ski Council.

The minimum cancellation charge is \$100. Cancellation requests must be in writing and will take effect on the date they are received by the trip leader. Anyone who cancels from a trip will be assessed cancellation charges per our contract with the vendors. Whatever the club does not recover, the person who cancels will not recover, plus the minimum cancellation charge, however, the charges will not exceed the total cost of the trip.

Return completed registration with initial payment, check payable to "TSSC" to:

Richard Fick • PO Box 656, Walden, NY, 12586

Email: rjee@msn.com - Tel: 914-443-4060



**SKI PARK CITY
FEBRUARY 29 – March 7, 2020**

**PRESENTED BY THE NEW JERSEY SKI & SNOWBOARD COUNCIL, INC.
And Its Member Clubs**

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

Seven nights in Park City, choose between:

- **Park Station:** Two bedroom, two bath condos, located a short walk to the Town Lift. All condos feature fully equipped kitchen, cable TV, fireplace; on-site washer/dryer, swimming pool and hot tub on premises.
- **Park City Peaks Hotel:** Located a short shuttle ride to Park City & Deer Valley lifts. Each room is equipped with cable TV and coffee maker. A complimentary hot buffet breakfast is included daily. Versante Hearth and Bar restaurant located on-site.

		Cost per person (Based on Double Occupancy)		
		UA EWR-SLC (Non-stop)	UA or AA EWR-SLC (1 Stop)	No Air
Airline				
Accommodations	BRs			
Park Station Condos	2	\$2,490	\$2,405	\$1,725
Park City Peaks Hotel	1	\$2,275	\$2,190	\$1,510

FLIGHT INFORMATION: Non-Stop round trip air via UA between Newark and SLC; Round trip air via UA or AA between Newark and SLC with one stop. Price does not include cost of checking baggage. Transfer between SLC airport and lodging is included.

SKI AND PARTY INFORMATION: Includes Five-day lift ticket – Good for 4 days at Park City or Canyons and 1 day at Deer Valley. Other lift ticket options available; contact trip captain for information. Trip package also includes: Welcome Party, Race, Mountain Picnic Voucher, Après-ski party, and Awards Banquet.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE: \$500 deposit due at sign-up. \$500 due on October 1, 2019. Additional \$500 due by November 1, 2019. Balance due NLT December 15, 2019. Make checks payable to New Jersey Ski & Snowboard Council, Inc. Credit card payment fee: 3% will be added.

TRIP INSURANCE: Available online thru the Sports America’s Group Travel Protection Plan at www.sportsamerica.com/travelprotection.
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CANCELLATION POLICY: See Reservation Form.

**CONTACT: James Gahn, NJSSC Trip Leader; 44 Far Horizons Dive,
Newburgh, NY 12550-1045
Cell: 914.213.7250 email: jimbgahn@yahoo.com**

SKI PARK CITY

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February 29 – March 7, 2020

Reservation Form

Trip arranged by New Jersey Ski & Snowboard Council, Inc. and operated by Sports America

By signing below, I enroll in the trip defined on the flyer. I agree to comply with the rules and regulations of the New Jersey Ski & Snowboard Council, Inc. (NJSSC). I understand that I can be excluded, without refund, at any time if the trip leader deems my conduct to be harmful to the trip. NJSSC provides travel services solely as a convenience to members and guests. All liability for nonperformance or negligent performance is that of the airline, bus operator, lodging provider, ski operator or other service provider.

Indemnification - Participant agrees to indemnify and hold harmless NJSSC and its officers, directors and trip leaders for all costs, including attorney's fees, arising of any claim brought by participant.

CANCELLATION POLICY: Written cancellation required. The following penalty will apply: Cancel from sign-up to 10/31/19:\$500; from 11/1/2019 to 2/29/20: full trip cost. A \$25 admin fee will apply for cancellation thru 10/15/19 or if substitute is provided from 10/16/19 thru 2/28/20. Name changes once air is ticketed incur a \$100 change fee. Airline baggage policies apply.

Trip Insurance is available at www.sportsamerica.com/travelprotection.php

Trip insurance is highly recommended.

Include check for deposit, payable to New Jersey Ski & Snowboard Council, Inc. or request a "Credit Card Authorization" form from trip leader.

NAME (as displayed on document you _____
will present for airport security ID)

BIRTHDATE (Airline Requirement) _____

GENDER: (Airline Requirement) Male: _____ Female: _____

ADDRESS _____

FREQUENT FLYER/TSA NO's _____

TELEPHONE Days: _____ Evenings: _____

E-MAIL ID _____

ROOMING WITH _____

CLUB MEMBERSHIP _____

If you do not have a roommate and want one, the NJSSC trip committee will attempt to find one for you. If that is not possible, you will be advised and charged the amount for single occupancy. Please assign a roommate for me, if agreed by both parties: ____ (Note: smoking is allowed only if all condo/hotel room residents agree & lodging policy permits.)

Lodging	1 Stop AA EWR-SLC	1 Stop UA EWR-SLC	Non Stop UA EWR-SLC	No Air	Enter Amount
Park City Peaks Hotel – 2 in room	\$2,190	\$2,190	\$2,275	\$1,510	
Park City Peaks Hotel - single	\$2,935	\$2,935	\$3,020	\$2,255	
Park Station Condos – 2 BR/2 BA Condo – 2 in room	\$2,405	\$2,405	\$2,490	\$1,725	
Park Station Condos – 2 BR/2BA Condo - single	\$3,370	\$3,370	\$3,450	\$2,690	
No lift Tickets (deduct)	-\$500	-\$500	-\$500	-\$500	
Senior Lift Ticket 65+ (deduct)	-\$70	-\$70	-\$70	-\$70	
Optional 5 Day Lift Ticket at Park City w/ 1 day @ Deer Valley (must be pre-ordered)	\$82	\$82	\$82	\$82	
Optional Sr 6 Day Lift Ticket at Park City w/ 1 day @ Deer Valley (must be pre-ordered)	\$65	\$65	\$65	\$65	
Non-member NJSSC	\$25	\$25		\$25	
MY TOTAL					

SIGNATURE: _____ WITNESSED BY: _____

**SEND TO: James Gahn, NJSSC Trip Leader; 44 Far Horizons Dive, Newburgh, NY 12550-1045
Cell: 914.213.7250;
email: jimbgahn@yahoo.com**

Trailsweepers Kayak Schedule

Though summer is quickly coming to a close, September offers some wonderful kayak opportunities, including 2 weekend./overnight trips. For the remaining day paddles, Tuesday trips start at 2pm and Sunday trips usually start at 10 or 11am. Be sure to check this schedule for each trip as times do vary.

We would like to shove off at the times shown for each trip so plan on being at each event a half hour before the scheduled departure time so you have time to unpack and get ready to rumble!!

Dates, places, times and description are noted below. Trips are usually a go if it is sunny, cloudy, or a little bit of rain. They are cancelled if weather is not conducive to paddling.

Make sure you have the proper equipment to paddle. Life jacket a must.

Date	Time	Meeting Place	Paddle info
Sept. 6-8	10:00 AM	Lake George trip Canceled	Info to follow from Yvonne Weekend trip.
Tue. Sep 17	2:00 PM	Cheviot Dock launch Cheviot, NY	Paddle on the Hudson
Sept. 21-22	10:00 AM	Thimble Islands--Connecticut	Info will follow from Yvonne—possible day/weekend trip.
Sun. Sept 29	11:00 AM	Dutchman’s Landing--Catskill	Last trip of the season—picnic to follow

- **Thimble Islands** trip leaving from Connecticut can be a one-day trip or a weekend trip camping or hoteling, depending on your schedule. Yvonne will send out details for this also.

For the last trip on Sept. 29, we will have a picnic at Dutchman’s Landing in Catskill. We will provide hamburgers and hotdogs. Bring drinks, snacks to share, and chair.

Questions?

Contact Yvonne @ 845-481-2898 (H) 845-417-7144 (C) or Kayak John @ 518-719-0490

See you on the water!!! Paddle On!!!



Hudson Valley Ski Club Membership Application

(September 4, 2019 – September 2, 2020)

Please **print clearly!** Application must be received by December 1st for you to appear in the Annual Membership Directory.

Check here if you **DO NOT** wish to be listed in the Annual Membership Directory.

Name(s): (1)* _____
(2) _____

*Name (2) becomes the "X" member (same membership number as (1) followed by an "X").

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ - _____

Phone: Home: _____

Check box for any phone # you **DO NOT** want listed in the Membership Directory.

Work (1): _____

Work (2): _____

Cell (1): _____

Cell (2): _____

Membership Committee use only:

Check #: _____

Check Amount: _____

Cash Amount: _____

Date: _____

Membership Number(s): _____

Check the membership fee which applies:

	<u>New Member</u>	<u>Renewal on or Before 9/4</u>	<u>Renewal After 9/4</u>
Individual Membership	<input type="checkbox"/> \$50.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$40.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$50.00
Couple Membership	<input type="checkbox"/> \$70.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$60.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$70.00

Make your check payable to:

H.V.S.C.

If you have an e-mail address you would like listed in the Membership Directory, write it here:

(1) _____ @ _____ (2) _____ @ _____

I (we) am (are) at least 21 years of age.

Signature (1): _____ Date: _____

Signature (2): _____ Date: _____

Submit this application and payment at the Membership Desk at any meeting or mail to:
Peter Gray IV, 55 Hagan Drive, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603-5016
Please read & sign the Waiver and Code of Conduct on the reverse side of this form.

Waiver and Release of Liability

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in **Hudson Valley Ski Club, Inc. (HVSC)** sponsored activities, related events, or trips, each of the undersigned:

1. Agrees that prior to participating, he/she will inspect any facilities and equipment to be used, and if he/she believes anything is unsafe, he/she will immediately advise a club officer of such condition(s) and refuse to participate.
2. **Acknowledges and fully understands** that each club member will be engaging in **activities that involve risk of serious injury, including permanent disability and death**, and causing severe social and economic losses which might result not only from his/her own actions, but inactions or negligence of others, the club rules, the rules of play, or the condition of the premises or of any equipment used. Further, that there may be other risks not known or not reasonably foreseeable at this time.
3. **Assumes all risks and accepts all responsibility for the damages** following such injury, permanent disability or death, **even if caused, in whole or in part, by the negligence of the “releases” named below.**
4. **Releases, waives, discharges and covenants not to sue** the Hudson Valley Ski Club, Inc., its affiliates, their respective administrators, directors, agents, officers, and other employees of the organization, other club members, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and leasers of premises used to conduct club activities, premises or event inspectors, surveyors, underwriters, consultants and other persons or entities which give recommendations, directions or instructions or engage in risk evaluation or loss control activities regarding the program or premises, all of which are hereinafter referred to as “Releases”, **from demands, losses or damages on account of injury, including death or damage to property whether caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the releases or otherwise.**

Code of Conduct

I understand camaraderie among the members is a crucial component of HVSC’s purpose and enhances the enjoyment of club activities by everyone. My conduct as a club member impacts the public’s view of our club and the willingness of organizations to co-sponsor activities with our club. As a result I agree to the following: a) I will exhibit courtesy, good behavior and show respect for fellow members and other parties while on any club trip or while involved in any club-sponsored activity; b) I understand that offensive conduct, making threats, sexual harassment and intimidating behavior is not acceptable and will not be tolerated; c) I will obey all federal, state and local laws while participating in club functions and the rules and authorities of establishments where functions are held; and d) I will support and promote safety at all club-sponsored functions.

I understand and accept that violations of this “Code of Conduct” can result in disciplinary action up to and including termination of membership.

Signatures:

The undersigned have read and agree to the above Waiver and Release of Liability and Code of Conduct and understand that they have given up substantial rights by signing it and sign it voluntarily.

(1) _____
Print Name Signature Date

(2) _____
Print Name Signature Date



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September

- 6 Bonefish Grill – 2185 South Rd, Poughkeepsie
- 13 Antonella's – 1830 South Rd, Wappingers Falls
- 20 La Puerta Azul – 2510 Route 44, Salt Point
- 27 Joseph's Steakhouse – 728 Violet Ave, Hyde Park

September Calendar of Events

- 4 Club Meeting, Gibson's Restaurant @ 7:30PM
11 Vassar Rd, Poughkeepsie (Red Oaks Mill)
- 6-8 Kayak Lake George Weekend
- 17 Kayak Hudson from Cheviot Dock @ 2PM
- 18 Club Meeting, Volunteer Appreciation @ 7:30PM
- 18 Bike the Putnam/Westchester Bike Path @ 10:15AM
- 21 Fall Hike @ Fahnestock
- 21-22 Kayak Thimble Islands, CT Weekend
- 23-27 Adirondack Paddle/Camp Week
- 29 Kayak & Picnic Dutchman's Landing, Catskill @ 11AM



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