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## President's Message

Ah, the lazy, hazy days of summer, as the song goes. Not true for PVSers. Yes, for some of us, every weekend has been occupied by a club event and, I'm happy to report, all activities have been well attended. Mid-week happenings are also enthusiastically supported. What a great CLUB, which makes a statement that we have a fun-loving, adventuresome, dedicated and hard-working membership. Yes, I find it difficult, when an obligatory family function conflicts with a PVS affair, to make a decision as to which affair to attend. I can truthfully say I enjoy the company of my PVS family and certainly have a better time.

By popular demand, the "Annual" PVS autumn dinner is scheduled for Friday November 20 and will be held again at the Arts Club of Washington. This black tie (optional) event was so well received last year that those who attended requested a repeat performance. Look for more info in September TOOT. So, my fellow PVSers, hang in there as summer will not last much longer and, please, continue to THINK SNOW.

*Bill*

Bill Anderson, President



## ANNUAL CRAB FEAST

### Special Event

AT BETTY LAWRENCE'S HOUSE IN GREAT FALLS, VA.

Saturday, September 5, 1992 - 3:00 P.M. RAIN OR SHINE!!

No limit but reservations must be made by August 30. Cancellations must also be made by that date or you will be responsible for the cost of your crabs. Cost will be approximately \$12. Less for those non-crabbers who bring their own burger/weenie to grill. Crabs and beverages and utensils will be provided. Call coordinator Jack Peoples (301) 881-6220 to reserve a place and to say whether you will bring dessert, salad or hors d'oeuvre. Also whether or not you are a crabber. Also, your choice of beer or wine.

See next page for directions.



## COMING EVENTS

### DIRECTIONS TO CRABFEST:

From Maryland - Beltway to Northern Virginia. Exit 13. Right on Georgetown Pike (193). 2nd left at Swinks Mill to next traffic light. Right on Old Dominion (3.7 mi). Take a left at 3d traffic light on Georgetown Pike (2 mi) to next traffic light. Right on Walker Road (1.1 mi) to Squires Trail. Left on Squires Trail to end of dirt road. Left on Haven Lane to 525 (left of cul-de-sac)

From McLean - Arlington. North on Old Dominion Drive (from Charlie's Place) and continue as above on Old Dominion.

From Tysons - Route 7 West (aprox. 6 mi) to Springvale Road. Right on Springvale to next traffic light. Right on Georgetown Pike to Walker Road. Left on Walker Road (1.1 mi) to Squires Trail to end of road. Left on Haven Lane to 525 (left on cul-de-sac).

From Reston - Same as Tysons except pick up Springvale Road from 606 (Baron Cameron) cross Route 7 and proceed on Springvale Road as above.

### DINING OUT GROUP - August 11, 1992

Join us for dinner on Tuesday, Aug 11, 1992. Dinner at 6:30 P.M. This month dinner is planned at the OLD ANGLER'S INN 10801 MacArthur Blvd., Great Falls, MD. The Old Angler's Inn has a beautiful outdoor setting near the C & O canal and features an exciting new Continental menu.



Directions: From Maryland - take the Capitol Beltway (Rt. 495) West and get off at exit #41 (Carderock/Great Falls) just before the American Legion Bridge. Take the Clara Barton Parkway West for 1.5 miles to the dead end and stop sign at MacArthur Blvd. Turn left and go 1.0 mile to the Old Angler's Inn.

From Virginia - take the Capitol Beltway (Rt. 495) East and get off at exit #41 (Carderock/Great Falls) just at the end of the American Legion Bridge. Take the Clara Barton Parkway West for 1.9 miles to the dead end and stop sign at MacArthur Blvd. Turn left and go 1.0 mile to the Old Angler's Inn.

So that we may know how many to expect, please call Pat Tengel or John Smith at (301) 299-8376 by Sunday, August 9.

### AUGUST 15, 1992 ... DINNER AND/OR DANCING at BLOB'S PARK, JESSUP, MD.

If you missed this fun event in 1990, here's a second chance. If you attended the first time around, you won't need persuading to come again!

It's dancing: Polka, waltz, whatever, from 7:30 P.M. to 1:00 A.M., with dinner available from 7:30 to midnight - your choice from an authentic Bavarian menu.

Admission price: \$3:00

Coordinator: Mary Jane McCarthy (301)949-3703. Please call before August 10.

Directions: Baltimore/Wx Pkwy to Route 175 exit to the east. Look for Blob's Park sign immediately on your right.

### August 22 - 29, 1992 - BETHANY BEACH

Betty Lawrence reports there are a few spots available for Aug. 24- 25. All participants will receive directions by mail. Call Betty with questions (703) 759-6950.

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COMING EVENTS



OCTOBER 16/18 PVS AUTUMN AT THE BEACH WEEKEND

There are still some vacancies for Bob and Vivian Barry's BEACH WEEKEND at Rehoboth/Dewey Beach, Delaware.

The cost is \$75 per person which includes Friday/Saturday night lodgings, a kick-off cocktail party on Friday evening (bring your favorite hors d'oeuvre and recipe!), Saturday breakfast, Saturday evening lobster feast and Sunday brunch.

The weather is usually pleasant at the beach in mid-October and the ocean is still swimmable.

Call the Barrys (302) 227-7000 (their B&B number) to reserve a place and send your checks to 442 Spring Lake, Rehoboth Beach, DE. 19971-1725.

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NEW EVENT - CAPITOL HILL EXPLOSION - Saturday, October 10, 1992

Bloody and Virgin Marys at Capitol Hill apartment of PVS friend Marilyn Donahue, followed by a tour of Washington landmark Eastern Market (Saturday is Market Day), followed by lunch at nearby Tunnicliff's Tavern (menu range - \$6-\$8:50).

Limited to 30, this event is filling fast. Call Jack Peoples to reserve (301)881-6220.

Directions in September TOOT.

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AUGUST 8 -PICNIC/SWIM/SAIL WITH THE FLAKES

Anytime after 1 P.M. RAIN OR SHINE. Directions are printed below for the benefit of those participants who mislaid last month's TOOT and so haven't a clue how to get to the Flakes:

Take Rt 50 to Annapolis to Exit 22. Sign reads #665 Patuxent Blvd to Riva Road. You will exit right onto a new expressway. Follow Rt 665 signs. Stay to end of bypass which becomes Forest Drive and then Bay Ridge Rd and then Farragut Ave. Enter gates which have a sign "BAY RIDGE" and take first left on East Lake Drive. Bear to right and continue around lake until No.40 -the Flakes!

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ART SHOW...ART SHOW...ART SHOW.....

If certain PVSers seem to be hibernating these days it's no doubt because they've retreated to their garrets where they are busily painting, sketching, knitting, sculpting, etc. in preparation for the GREAT ART SHOW at the September 15 meeting at the Evans' house. Or maybe they're in the attic going through trunks looking for masterpieces created in fifth grade and not seen since. No matter. Dust off whatever you have and call coordinator Bette Walker soonest. (202) 333-0766.

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NEW \$2 MEETING FEE STARTS IN SEPTEMBER

by Ray McKinley - Program Chairman

PVS EXCOM recently came to grips with a long-standing budget problem - the costs of meetings. Payment of meeting costs was rapidly depleting our treasury. After consideration of a dues increase for everyone, EXCOM decided a user fee was more appropriate. Those coming to meetings should help defray the meeting costs.

Starting in September, there will be a minimum \$2.00 per person fee to attend meetings. This applies to members, applicants, parents, children, and guests. It is the cost of a soft drink or half a beer in any restaurant. Over the past year, meeting costs have been about \$3.00 per person so more than \$2.00 will be welcome. A receptacle for your fee will be at the door, as will stick-on dots. When you pay, stick a dot on your lapel. Your cooperation is appreciated.

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As a service to members ExCom has requested Jack Peoples to compile a list of ski and beach houses/condos owned by PVSers who wish to rent them or sell them to fellow PVSers. If you are interested, call Jack Peoples (301) 881-6220.

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A word from Rosemary Soler whose husband Tony passed away in May after a long illness:  
Dear PVS Family-

The gratitude I feel for your wonderful support at the time of Tony's death cannot be adequately expressed - as I cannot find the words.

I will just say thanks again for the warmth that your presence at the memorial ceremony brought me, and for the many kind expressions of sympathy in the notes and cards I received. Sincerely,

*Rosemary*

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COOKOUT ON THE SEVERN by Irene Farrell

The day lillies were in bloom ... but sou'westers were in style at the cookout at Dean Worcester's riverside home on July 3rd. The elements did not keep John Newdorp from bringing his kayak and demonstrating that kayaking is great sport, rain or shine. However, except for brief ventures on the pier to inspect the sail boats or watch a mother duck escort her ducklings, lively conversation under the covered patio was the "sport" of the day for the rest of us.

After the conversation and drinks were flowing freely, the grills were fired up and designated cooks (anyone willing to brave the heat of the grill) displayed their culinary skills. Meanwhile Mary Jane McCarthy was steaming some crabs that had been caught in traps off the pier. Did you know the Atlantic Blue Crab is known to scientists as *Callinectes Sapidus* which, I learned, is Greek for Tasty Beautiful Swimmer. And tasty they were !

As usual, the dessert table was laden with delectable concoctions: Bidy's fresh-from-the-oven chocolate bundt cake; Shirley Rettig's mouth-watering rum cake; Bob Marx's oh-so-good blueberry pies. But, not even a chocoholic could do justice to the many delicious varieties of brownies. But we tried.

Thanks, Dean and Bidy, for another fun-filled outing.

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WOLF TRAPPING by Mary Jane McCarthy

Approximately 30 PVSers gathered at Wolf Trap for supper on July 10th prior to hearing the national Symphony Orchestra. Cordon bleu chef Barbara Leonhardt had planned a "soup to nuts" picnic for all but had to cancel at the last moment - so sorry, Barbara.

The all-Beethoven program was glorious despite the intense heat felt by all, especially the orchestra members who had to withstand stage lights as well. Relief came as the evening cooled, thank Heavens. Let's do it again, huh? Meantime, thanks again to Barbara for making the arrangements.



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**HIGH TIMES AT HEMLOCK POINT** by Knox Felker

It was another fine day at the Elrods' splendid place with 36 members and guests.

The customized steaks and baked potatoes and much else were outstanding.

Several notable bathing suits were noted by our skilled observers, and Jack Peoples again made a big splash, while others studied skiers in the distance (on the water).

It is good to have Mary Ward and Jim Slack back from California to stay, bringing more horses than they took west.

Thank you, Malda and Roy, for your hospitality!



## YO, YO, YO, YOUR BOAT, 12-13 July 1992

### WHITE-WATER RAFTING ON THE YOUGHIOGHENY

Dina Taylor, Leader, Chris Wain Historiographer, Mary Jane McCarthy, Bill Anderson, Bette Walker, Lu Beale, Don Harper, Mary Jane Harper, Janet Wain, Shirley Rettig, Charlotte Coulture, Karen Kilday & daughter Lisa, & German visitor Ursula Lemki, Gloria Stapf, Suzanne Blais & daughter, Sally Finan, Betty Lawrence, and Dietrich Rosler--Voyageurs (Not Voyageurs, Ray).

We're the Timex Team cuz we take "a sloshin and come out joshin!" The 12th, 20 of us headed North. Some of us made our way to "Fallingwater," the Frank Lloyd Wright "cabin" in the woods north of Ohiopyle, PA. His integration of home into nature and nature into home was interesting. Others went to Swallowtail Falls for a walk that was all the more enjoyable for temps in the low 80s. We regrouped at Dina's room for Champagne & hors d'ouvres and then caravanned to the Penn-Alps for dinner. T'was Pennsy Dutch all the way--hearty & inexpensive.

Sunday we trekked in squalls to Mountain Streams and Trails, Inc at Ohiopyle State Park where we absolved them of any ill effects we might? suffer participating in this (as Warren Miller would say) risk sport. As we bussed riverward, rain gave us a soaking before tapering off for the day. At the Youghiogheny (locally referred to as the Yock or Yo) we climbed with life vests and paddles into land-bound rafts for a very necessary and complete safety briefing. Danno, guide-in-chief, kept it from being ominous with splashes of humor mixed with lingering splashes of rain. We had two guides and a videographer in kayaks and two guides in rafts. One, Toby-wan-kenobe, got Dina, Mary Jane, and Charlotte thru in such fine style, Dina found it necessary to pour water on her head to stay as wet as the rest of us. The raft-up combined three large and five small groups. Briefing done, we waddled to the 65 degree river with our rafts.

The river was blanketed by fog which evoked the spirits of trappers and indians that used these waterways long ago. It also made the Class II(III?) and III(IV?) rapids (rapids are graded I to VI) hard to see. The first, ENTRANCE, dropped us 4 feet before we knew it. MEADOWRUN upped the ante, adding a turn most negotiated backwards. CUCUMBER let us know we were in high water when it chewed most of us up and spit us out. I bounced overboard and came back semi-sans-trunks. My trip was trivial compared to Bill, Betty, Bette & Lu who hit the WASHING MACHINE and decided to experience the spin cycle up close and personal--or Don who later cracked a tibia on an unplanned swim--or Bill who opened an eyebrow trying to break a paddle with his forehead. After a planned time-out, our guides talked us by the DIMPLE, a "small" 15 ton boulder right in the middle of where the water (and the rafts) wanted to go, followed by DOUBLE HYDRAULIC RAILROAD, which tossed us in the direction of huge masonry railroad bridge piers, was a cakewalk (by comparison). SWIMMERS' RAPIDS offered a safe way to freeze our way down a short section sans raft. LUNCH was a repast layed out on flagstones with fresh fruit, make-it-yourself Dagwoods and PB&Js (for those of us really reliving our childhoods). Back on the river, LOSE YOUR LUNCH got our immediate attention with its requirement for an S-turn to avoid another sensitivity session with a boulder. SCHOOLHOUSE was the first rapid the guides let us figure out on our own. At BRUNNER'S RUN, they talked us thru again. The sun joined us at ROCK GARDEN--a long section prior PVS'ers have had to portage, but not us. We bumped and spun our way along until garnered ashore again for words on how to deal with RIVER'S END an apparently solid rock wall across the river with a hidden cut which spit us out under a shale overhang just when we thought we were in the clear. TAKE OUT was a rippling Class I that came too soon for some, but the trek up the hill with rafts in hand was a real indicator of how much effort we had all put into the day. A few had enough stuff left to carry the rafts over their heads to the truck. The bus back reminded me of rides home from camp as a kid. The video review occurred almost immediately and was all too complete. Many thanks to Dina for organizing the event and to my crew Janet, Lisa and Uschi. Cowabunga Dudes!!!

THEATRE AND DOG DAY IN JUNE by Lu Beale

Seventeen PVSers spent Sunday afternoon June 28 at the Montgomery Playhouse in Gaithersburg. There a superb cast of six and a talented orchestra of five presented JACQUES BREL IS ALIVE AND WELL AND LIVING IN PARIS to an appreciative audience. J.B. etc., is a new kind of musical featuring the compositions of Brel who died in 1978 at the age of forty nine. His work lives on.

The cast performed with skill and feeling but many of the songs were of loss and heartbreak - My Death, Funeral Tango, Alone, to name a few. But just as we were sinking into an abyss of melancholy we were reassured by Carousel and If We Only Have Love sung with passion by the entire cast.

Thus cheered, we repaired to nearby Fegan's Seafood Restaurant, the June site of the Dining Out Group, selected and timed to coordinate with the theatre party. There we enjoyed drinks and the Early Bird Special (\$6.95!). We sat outside near a man-made pond off I-270 which, while not exactly a sidewalk cafe on the Seine, did have a certain je ne sais quoi and we felt that if Jacques Brel was Alive, etc., in Paris, we were the same in Gaithersburg - thanks to Sarah Huggins and John Smith and Pat Tengel whose theatre and dining arrangements made possible another fun time for PVSers.

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**!! SKI TRIPS !!**

Don't miss exciting flyers in this issue describing PVS trips to

1. Europe (Gorman Young leading) January 23 - February 6, 1993
2. Colorado (Dick Comerford leading) Dec. 5 - 12, 1992.
3. Ski-O-Ree (Jack Peoples leading) January 29-31, 1993.

Also, don't forget:

1. Stowe, Vt. (Jack Peoples leading) January 9-16, 1993.
2. Big Sky, Montana, (Dina Taylor leading) Feb. 17 - 26, 1993.
3. Salt Lake City (Shirley Rettig leading) March 13 - 20, 1993.

THERE ARE STILL SPACES AVAILABLE ON ALL TRIPS BUT HURRY!!

SPECIAL NOTE: Jack Peoples sez he goofed and the price of the Stowe trip is \$670 not \$640 as previously reported. Please add the extra \$30 to December 1st payment, making it \$230, not \$200. Also, please note that \$40 is due with reservation and 1st payment of \$200 is due September 1st.

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POTOMAC VALLEY SKIERS, INC.  
PRESENTS THE BLUE RIDGE SKI COUNCIL'S  
SKI WEEKEND AT BLUE KNOB PA.  
JANUARY 29-31, 1993

THE WEEKEND PACKAGE INCLUDES:

1. Lift tickets for Saturday and Sunday.
2. Friday night party at Shawnee Inn with free sandwiches and beer.
3. Wine and Cheese Party at A-Frame Saturday on Bunny Hop Ski-In and Ski Out.
4. Club Race - Saturday.
5. Banquet including wine and beer at Imler Fire Hall.
6. D.J. Andy Cool and music to suit your taste.
7. Round trip bus to Imler Fire Hall from motel.
8. Lodging at Super 8 Motel the area's newest motel (Two Years).
9. Motel has Jacuzzi, free doughnuts, and morning coffee.
10. Wine and Cheese Party at A-frame Sunday on Bunny Hop Ski-In and Ski Out.

Per Person Package Price:

Transportation to Blue Knob

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|-------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. Single with one bed  | \$127.00                   | Participants should plan to       |
| 2. Double with two beds | \$106.00                   | car pool and share transportation |
| 3. Triple with two beds | \$101.50                   | cost.                             |
| 4. Quad with two beds   | \$96.00                    |                                   |
| 5. Rental equipment     | \$10.00 per day additional |                                   |

Ski-O-Ree was first started in 1972 by Eloise Newdorp and Bill Anderson as a fun weekend for all the local ski clubs. As many skiers as possible should plan on a very early Friday morning departure with Jack making it a three day weekend, and renew acquaintances with members of the other clubs. We are limited to 310 people at the banquet, so sign up early as some late sign up skiers will not be able to attend the banquet.

Payment schedule:

\$26.00 with reservation form  
\$80.00 or balance by Dec. 1st.

Anybody who desires can make full payment with one check.

Please complete the form below and mail, along with your \$26.00 to JACK PEOPLES, 12405 Village Square Terrace, Apt. 102 Rockville, Md. 20852 - 1946. If you have any questions, you can phone Jack at (301) 881-6220

Make your check out to PVS Ski-O-Ree.

Name. \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Non Smoker \_\_\_\_\_ Smoker \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Office: \_\_\_\_\_ Roommate Pref. \_\_\_\_\_

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT PVS, THEIR OFFICERS AND TRIP LEADERS ARE ACTING AS AGENTS IN MAKING THESE ARRANGEMENTS AND ASSUME NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY INJURIES NOR ADDITIONAL EXPENSES CAUSED BY WEATHER OR ADVENTS BEYOND THEIR CONTROL.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_





# THE KNEE

by

Ray McKinley

The Knee is a keen observer of the ski scene. For instance, have you noticed that none of the new cars have chrome bumpers or trim anymore? Bumpers all match the color of the car. Chrome is out.

You are probably saying to yourself right now, "That's a really keen observation, but what does it have to do with skiing?" The Knee will explain: skis also do not have chrome bumpers.

A recent postcard arrived from St. Moritz from Charlotte Reith (with almost \$1.25 air mail postage -- Switzerland ain't cheap). She's PVS' latest skier as she skied the Corvatch glacier on July 4. In red, white and blue, no doubt.

The presidential race is getting ugly. Pres. Bill Anderson, on Dina Taylor's Youghiogheny raft trip, was bloodied by ordinarily restrained Bette Walker. She hit him with her paddle. She noted "he was steering too far to the right." Politics.

Susan Brown is just completing the final quarter of a year-long landscape architecture course at the National Arboretum. Her yard shows it. It's tree chic.

With Beethoven's Ninth at Wolf Trap and the Dining Out Group, DOGS, at Strathmore Hall to see the Fairfax Symphony, PVS had two classical events in a week. Have we gone High Brow? Nah, it's the food. At DOGs, after eating, only 4 of 15 of us remained throughout the symphoknee.

Nancy Laymon, who lived in Manassas, noted it was a long route for her from home to Bethesda to see the Fairfax Symphony. Nancy has since moved to Shirlington.

The DOGs event was a picnic. Bill Anderson had a ukneeque dinner - a martiknee and potatoe salade.

(See, I can spell, Vice President Quail.) Anykneeway, our Pres. Bill, after surveying the crowd, made certain his seat was on the far left. Politics.

Bob Barry has recently retired from civil service. He and Vivian now run their Gull Cottage B&B in Rehoboth Beach full time.

PVS founding father-person (the Knee is never sexist), Dick King, was in town recently from Albuquerque. He visited several PVSers including Aina Thomas, but not the Knee who was in Albuquerque.

At an EXCOM meeting, Membership Chairman Marilyn Clark noted that PVS was near its membership limit but we would still accept those "with large houses and pools, but we're not materialistic."

Ingenuity. Charles Boykin recently traded his old computer to Betty Lawrence for a week at her beach house.

My Kneedle of the Month goes to lots of you whom I'll call Fair Driver Friends. Last year, due to accidents on I-95, it took a bit longer than normal to get to Elrod's Steak and Swim. All right - it took 1-1.5 hours longer than normal.

This year only 33 of us signed up. The rest of you blew it. There was no traffic and the trip each way was under 35 minutes. The Knee left home a bit early and spent a fortune saving money in Potomac Mills.

New this year at Elrod's was complete landscaping, including over 600 spreading junipers. The yard looked spectacular. However, personally, I wouldn't have put any in the deep end of the pool.

If you didn't know a woman's name, it was safe to guess Nancy. There were three of them, Laymon, Lewis, and Sexton. And nary a Kim, Heather, or Tracee. Right on.

Finally, when a guest's glasses fell in the pool, Bill Anderson adroitly picked them up with his toes. He refused to say which foot he used. Politics.

\* I've found a \$310 rd. trip air fare from Wx to Steamboat. Call me ASAP if interested.  
Dick C.

**PVS 1991 Wedel Week**  
**Steamboat Springs Colorado**  
**December 5th -- 12th**

For the third year in a row, the Potomac Valley Skiers invite you to attend a Wedel Week in Steamboat Springs Colorado with Dick & Betty Comerford as your host and hostess.

The purpose of the Wedel Week is to get in shape for the coming ski season, both by working hard on ski technique and practicing apres-ski activities in the evening. For the skiing end of it, Steamboat is rated as one of the 5 top areas in the nation, offering terrain for all levels of skiers and routinely some of the best powder in the Rockies. On the lighter side, apres-ski activities will again be based around our luxury ski-in/ski-out Sheraton Hotel. The package includes all breakfasts, 3 group dinners, nightly apres-ski gatherings and a special awards ceremony. We should be able to ski with Billy Kidd, but if he is not available Christy Comerford has again volunteered to take the lead.

If you are a senior (65 - 69), see me about getting a special \$90 season pass (must be ordered before 11/1/92), if you're over 69, the skiing is free. I also have information on the airlines servicing the area and would be happy to help you with your air travel arrangements (I'm still trying to work some deals).\*

- \* 7 Nights Lodging
- \* Rooms have 2 Queen Size Beds
- \* 4 Restaurants & 3 Lounges
- \* Convenient to restaurants & shops
- \* Heated Outdoor Pool
- \* 2 Hot Tubs, 3 Jacuzzis & 2 Saunas
- \* Laundry Service or Coin Machines

- \* 25 Yards to the Gondola
- \* 2 New High Speed Quad Chairs
- \* Average Snowfall 27 Feet
- \* 3600 Feet Vertical
- \* 102 Ski Trails
- \* 21 Lifts (1 Gondola)
- \* 15% Beg, 54% Int & 34% Adv

Transportation:

Plan to arrive in Denver by 2:00 P.M.  
I will meet you at the airport.  
Van from Denver to Steamboat (2.5 hours)  
Shuttle Service Around Steamboat  
Depart Steamboat 8:30 A.M. 12/12/92  
Arrive Denver by 12:00 Noon

Cost:

7 Nights Lodging, Food &  
Ground Trans. . . . . \$440  
Air Fare & Lift Tks . Not Included

Payment:

Refundable Deposit \$40  
First Payment 1 October \$200  
Final Payment 1 November \$200  
Payable To: PVS Wedel Week

Please complete the form and mail with a ~~\$40~~ deposit to:

Dick Comerford *Ray Miller*  
307 Lounsbury Ct. 2320  
Leesburg, Va. 22075

For additional information call (703) 777-9374.

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_ Female \_\_\_ Smoker \_\_\_ Non Smoker \_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (H) \_\_\_\_\_, (O) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Roommate Pref \_\_\_\_\_

*I desire transportation to San Francisco, CA - YES - (from \_\_\_\_\_)*  
I acknowledge that PVS, their officers and trip leaders are acting as agents in making these arrangements and assume no responsibility for any injuries or additional expenses caused by weather or events beyond their control.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# COOK'S CORNER

by

Nancy Garrett



Much has happened in the life of your cook since the column in April. May brought the Fun Run/Eat

with the Clarks. Recipes from that fabulous event are provided. Also, by popular request, "Death by Chocolate" baked by Mary Jane McCarthy. September and October will feature more from the Waln's LUAU.

## SAUSAGE BAKE

Marilyn Clark

Cook until it loses red color, breaking into small pieces as you cook:

- 1 lb. regular sausage
- 1 lb. HOT sausage

Drain grease and add:

- 1/3 to 1/2 package (8 oz.) Pepperidge Farm Stuffing Mix
- 1/2 cup bread crumbs
- 3/4 cup water
- 1 onion, chopped

Place in greased casserole and bake at 350° for 30 minutes.

## LEMON LOAF

Marilyn Clark

Preheat oven to 350°. Grease loaf pan.

In large bowl, mix together:

- 2 1/4 cups flour
- 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 1/2 cups sugar

Cut in until mixture resembles coarse crumbs:

- 3/4 cup margarine

Stir in:

- 1 Tablespoon grated lemon peel
- 2 Tablespoons poppy seeds

In small bowl, beat slightly:

- 3 eggs

Stir in:

- 3/4 cup milk

Add egg mixture to flour mixture. Spoon into loaf pan and bake 1 1/4 hours. Cool for 10 minutes.

Heat to boiling over medium high heat:

- 4 1/2 teaspoons fresh squeezed lemon juice
- 2 Tablespoons sugar

Cook, stirring until slightly thickened - about 5 minutes. Brush with pastry brush over top of bread.

## DEATH BY CHOCOLATE

Mary Jane McCarthy

Bake according to package directions: - 1 (19.8 oz.) package family size brownie mix

Cool. Punch holes in brownies with fork and pour over brownies:

- 1/4 to 1/2 cup Kahlua or coffee liqueur

(Instead of alcohol you may substitute a mixture of 1 teaspoon sugar and 4 Tablespoons strong left-over black coffee)

Whip up according to package directions:

- 3 (3.5 oz.) boxes Jello chocolate mousse

Break into small pieces in food processor or by hitting with hammer:

- 8 (1.2 to 1.4 oz.) Skor or Heath bars (If using hammer, leave bars in wrapper)

Set aside:

- 1 (12 oz.) container whipped topping

Break up half of the brownies and place in the bottom of a glass trifle dish. Cover with half of the mousse, layer with half of the broken candy and then add half of the whipped topping. Repeat layers with the remaining ingredients.

## BACON DATES

Janet/Chris Waln

Cut into half:

- 2 pounds center cut bacon

Wrap bacon halves, piece by piece around:

- 3 packages Dole pitted dates

Secure bacon with toothpick. Bake on wire rack over foil-lined tray at 350° for 35-40 minutes. Cook for 5 minutes before serving. Yields about 60.

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- Aug. 8.. Picnic/Swim/Sail at the Flakes' (Directions reprinted on page 3.)
- Aug. 11.. DOGS See page 2.
- Aug. 15.. An Evening at BLOB'S PARK. See page 2.
- Aug. 22-29. Week at Bethany Beach.
- Aug. 25.. ExCom at the Felkers'.
- Sept. 5.. Crabfest. See page 1.
- Sept. 15.. Monthly Meeting/Art Show at the Evans'.
- Sept. 22.. ExCom at Bette Walker's.
- Sept. 26.. Comerford Bike/Supper in Leesburg
- Oct. 3.. Oktoberfest at the Evans'.
- Oct. 10.. Explosion on Capitol Hill. See page 3.
- Oct. 16-18. Rehoboth Weekend with the Barrys. See page 3.
- Oct. 20. Monthly Meeting at the Triaus'.
- Oct. 27.. ExCom at the Garretts'. 64 24
- Nov. 14.. McKinley Chili Hike.
- Nov. 17.. Monthly Meeting at the Marquardts'.
- Nov. 20.. Autumn Dinner at Arts Club of Washington.
- Nov. 24.. ExCom at Bill Anderson's.
- Dec. 15.. Gluhwein Meeting at the Heitchues'.

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