



# Enzian Ski Club

## NEWSLETTER - February 2019

Club Meetings at  
Deutscher Club  
787 Featherbed Lane  
Clark, NJ 07066  
732-574-8600

**\*\*\*Next Meeting\*\*\***

**Thursday March 7, 2019  
8:00pm**

### **President**

Siegfried Brunnacker

### **Vice President**

Klaus Reh

### **Recording Secretary**

MaryLou Reh

### **Corresponding Secretary**

Janet Volpi

### **Treasurer**

Inge Volk-Biehl

### **Financial Secretary**

Susi Beckmann

### **Webmaster**

Susan Stonitsch

### **A Message from the President**



### **Calendar of Events**

*The Ski Club's ski adventure this year was to Val d'Isere, France  
(February 10 - February 17, 2019).*



**\*\*\*Just a reminder...Nastar racing is on your own.**

Those of you who ski and race this season, remember to submit your Nastar race results. We would like to present awards at our April Dinner/Dance. If you ski and race, please send or hand in your results.

Visit our website at

**[www.enzianskiclub.com](http://www.enzianskiclub.com)**

Missed a meeting?  
Read the meeting minutes on  
our website.  
Want to know more about club  
outings, ski trips and  
membership?  
Find it all on our website!



***March Birthday wishes go out to: Susi Beckmann, Marge Kraft, Renata Wohlleben.***

***We wish Evelyn Grunau a Happy Belated Birthday. Evelyn celebrated her birthday in January.***

*If you would like to send out a Happy Birthday wish, please contact Janet Volpi at [auntjv@yahoo.com](mailto:auntjv@yahoo.com). Please include the name and Birthday month.*

## **Reminder!**

**Your membership dues are due starting with the new season. Please make sure to pay your dues. Unless your dues are paid in full you will not be able to participate in club events or receive Newsletter updates.**

**We have not increased the dues, and the amount for the year is only:**

\$30.00 – for a single

\$35.00 – for a family (including children under 18)

Please Make your check out to Enzian Ski club and mail it to: **Susi Beckmann**, 21 Marnel Road, Phillipsburg, NJ 08865. If you have any questions, Susi can be reached by email **susi@ptd.net** or phone: **908-454-8013**.

There were 31 people in attendance at the February meeting. It was a nice group, but we'd like to see more of you attend.

We wish Fritz Wanner a speedy recovery. Fritz took a fall while skiing. We know Fritz likes to ski fast, however, during a run one of Fritz's bindings released causing him to take an awful fall. As a result Fritz broke his hip, and had to cancel his and Theresa's trip to Val d'Isere. Word is he is now home recuperating and is going through therapy.

Another mishap was to Ernst Jesacher. While skiing Ernst suffered a heart attack and was taken to the hospital where they performed open heart surgery. Ernst also had to cancel the trip to Val d'Isere. It was nice surprise to see Ernst at the meeting, and looking so good, so soon.

**The 2019 Dinner/Dance will be held at the Manor in West Orange, NJ, on Sunday, April 28, 2019. (The 4th Sunday in April), beginning at noon. \*\*The Registration Form will be sent out with the March Newsletter.**

**\*\*If you cannot attend the Dinner/Dance at the Manor on the day of the dinner and you have registered to attend, you will be responsible for Payment.**

**Please Note:** The Bayern Verein is having their 89th Stiftungsfest on March 23, starting at 6pm, in Kenilworth, NJ. The price is \$35.00 per person, and includes dinner, beer, wine, soda, and dancing. It's a wonderful celebration, and if we could get a table together, we will enjoy a fun time.

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*Valentine's Day, also called Saint Valentine's Day or the Feast of Saint Valentine, is celebrated annually on February 14. Originating as a Western Christian feast day honoring one or two early saints named Valentinus, Valentine's Day is recognized as a significant cultural, religious, and commercial celebration of romance and romantic love in many regions around the world, although it is not a public holiday in any country.*

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The third Monday in February observed as a legal holiday in most of the states of the U.S. in honor of the birthdays of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln

**NOTE:** The federal name for this holiday according to the United States Code is **Washington's Birthday**, but many states and municipalities refer to it as Presidents' Day, honoring both George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. It is also sometimes considered to be in honor of all U.S. presidents.

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## **What's New At Hunter Mountain.**

Hunter has just completed the largest northeast ski resort expansion in over 15 years --Hunter North!

Skiable acreage increasing by one third with 5 new trails, 4 new glades, increased snowmaking, and a second 6-passenger chairlift

(October 18, 2018 – Hunter, NY) – Hunter Mountain has remained quite busy since closing day of the 2017-18 winter season. Aside from hosting incredible events such as the Outbound Collective's Pursuit Series, Taste of County Music Festival, our ever-popular TAP NY Craft Beer and Food Festival, four weekends of Oktoberfest and much more, Hunter has been busy this spring, summer and fall improving for the upcoming ski season.

On April 16th, 2018 after securing all necessary and proper permits from governing officials, Hunter Mountain began work on its monumental new expansion project, Hunter North. This expansion project has grown to be the largest development of any northeast ski resort in over 15 years, adding 80 new skiable acres to Hunter Mountain and increasing available terrain by one third. Hunter North's new terrain is located on the northern-most face of Hunter Mountain between the Main Face and Hunter West. The new Hunter North terrain branches off existing intermediate trails on Belt Parkway and Way Out.

Five new trails, which are predominantly intermediate terrain, and four new glades which are expert level terrain, greatly expand the variety of terrain Hunter has to offer. Four intermediate blue trails named **Sleepy Hollow**, **Overlook**, **Twilight** and **Rip's Return**, offer long sweeping runs for an exciting ride back to Hunter North's new base area. Rusk Road, Hunter North's only green circle trail, is located at the bottom of Hunter West and provides a leisurely connector trail with access to the new terrain.

In keeping with Hunter Mountain's renowned snowmaking capabilities, Hunter North features 100% snowmaking coverage across all its new terrain including SMI's fully automated Super PoleCat fan guns, as well as HKD Impulse towers and Snow Logic's Lightweight Rapid Deployment Nozzles. This new equipment is a welcome addition to Hunter's already impressive snowmaking arsenal.

Hunter North's terrain is serviced by a new high speed 6-passenger detachable chairlift, appropriately named "The Northern Express". With the addition of this new 6-passenger chairlift, Hunter will be the first ski resort in New York State to feature two high speed 6-passenger chairlifts. The Northern Express is an updated model of Leitner-Poma's high speed 6-passenger chairlift. It is 3,200' long, features 11 support towers, is able to move 2,400 passengers per hour across 1,000 feet of vertical, and will have a ride time just over 3 minutes. Guests will be transported from the new base area to the top of Hunter North at the intersection of Belt Parkway and Way Out.

In addition to the brand-new terrain on Hunter North, our expansion also features an entirely new entrance, and parking area. Hunter North's new entrance on Deming Road is located 2 miles west of the main entrance of Hunter Mountain. The new parking area for the expansion has capacity for up to 250 vehicles and features an inspiring atmosphere nestled under the beautiful mountainside landscape of Hunter North. Beyond the parking lot, the Hunter North base area will include ticketing, bathrooms, and a selection of casual food options. Hunter Mountain is incredibly excited for guests and Peak Passholders to experience our new terrain this 2018-19 winter season.

**Hunter Mountain**

**70 HUNTER MOUNTAIN (THE TOWER) ELEV. 4,040'**

**SKYRIDER ELEV. 3,900'**

**HUNTER WEST**

**HUNTER EAST**

**BASE AREA**

**HUNTER NORTH**

**MAP ALSO AVAILABLE ON THE HUNTER APP!**

**KEY**

TERRAIN	
● EASIER	● TERRAIN PARK
■ MORE DIFFICULT	● ZEPHIRE TOUR
■ MORE DIFFICULT (ADVANCED)	■ GLADES
◆ MOST DIFFICULT	■ FREESTYLE TERRAIN
◆◆ EXTREMELY DIFFICULT	■ SLOW ZONE

LIFTS	
<b>HUNTER EAST</b>	<b>SERVING</b>
■ LIFT	■ CHAIR ONE
■ LIFT	■ 30 <sup>th</sup> CENTURY QUAD
■ LIFT	■ LIFT
■ CARPET	■ CARPET
■ CARPET	■ POMA LIFT
<b>HUNTER MOUNTAIN</b>	■ LIFT
■ LIFT	■ LIFT
■ BROADWAY QUAD	■ LIFT
■ KAATSKILL FLYER (ADVANCED)	■ LIFT
■ LIFT	■ ZEPHIRE EXPRESS QUAD
<b>SNOWTUBING PARK</b>	■ CARPET LIFT
<b>HUNTER NORTH</b>	■ NORTHERN EXPRESS

AMENITIES & FIRST AID	
■ TICKET SALES	■ EMERGENCY PHONE
■ FOOD & BEV	■ FIRST AID
■ RESTROOMS	■ AED
■ RENTALS	■ PREMIUM PARKING
■ PARKING	

**DISCLAIMER:** Use of USAV (Downeast Aerial Velocity), aka "Downey" by guests on the media is prohibited without prior written approval of Hunter Mountain Ski Resort and the Kaatskill Mountain Club Board. Visit [huntertrails.com](http://huntertrails.com) for more info.

**WARNING**

Downhill skiing, like many other sports, contains inherent risks including, but not limited to, the risk of personal injury, including catastrophic injury or death, or property damage, which may be caused by variations in terrain or weather conditions, ice, surface or subsurface snow, ice, bare spots or areas of thin cover, rocks, nails, barbs, or other protrusions on the facilities, or rocks, forest growth, debris, branches, tree trunks, stumps, or other natural objects or man-made objects that are incidental to the provision or maintenance of a ski facility in New York State. New York law imposes a duty on you to become apprised of and understand the risks inherent in the sport of skiing, which are set forth above, so that you make an informed decision of whether to participate in skiing, notwithstanding the risks. New York State also imposes additional duties upon you, to which you must adhere, for the purpose of avoiding injury caused by any of the risks inherent in skiing. If you are not willing to assume all of these risks and abide by these duties, you must not participate in skiing in this area. Article 11 of the New York State General Obligations Law. More info available at [skiny.com/ny/state-new-york/ski-code](http://skiny.com/ny/state-new-york/ski-code).

**NEW TRAILS!**

- RUSK ROAD
- RIP'S RETURN
- SLEEPY HOLLOW
- OVERLOOK
- TWILIGHT
- GREENE GLADES
- WESTKILL WOODS
- WOODSTOCK
- BALSAM BYPASS

**BASE AREA**

- RENTAL EQUIPMENT
- PARKING
- FOOD & BEVERAGE
- TICKET SALES
- GUEST SERVICES
- PREMIUM PARKING
- FIRST AID / SKI PATROL
- NY ZEPHIRE ADVENTURE TOURS
- SKI SHOP
- BOARD SHOP
- LODGING
- SKI SCHOOL
- PLAY CARE
- BAR

**HUNTER NORTH BASE**