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## President's Message -

Friends:

This message will not haunt y'all about volunteering for the board since we have all board positions filled for the 2017-2018 season, unless of course someone wants to run for office. Of course next year at this time we will need a flock of volunteers as the board has been in their offices long enough and it's time for the newer members of the club to step up and bring their ideas to the membership. Jeez I was last President in 1997-1999 and that's a long time ago.

Ron Farsetti has volunteered to be Sue Crespan's assistant for the next term of office. Sue just about does everything and Ron's help will be welcome. Thanks Ron. On Sunday May 21st we will be having our annual picnic and election of officers. If a few of our members would like to help out please notify me at 843-686-3067 or pzych88@gmail.com. Cooks, cleaners and general help is needed. Just show up a bit early and see what we need to do. An E-mail will be sent to all members with details of the picnic or check our website. A TGIF will be held at Reilly's South on May 12th which is also Mary Zych's birthday. ( no gifts please, just congrats ) C'mon out and join this members get together. CU at the TGIF!

Peter Zych

## Don't Forget!



## Social Calendar

### Events

May 12th - TGIF 5 to 7 PM The Board Room @ Reilley's Plaza

May 21st - 4 to 7 PM Annual Picnic @ Spring Lake Pavilion

June 9th - TGIF 5 to 7 PM @ Scott Fish Market in Shelter Cove

July 14th - TGIF 5 to 7 PM @ Black Marlin in Palmetto Bay

### Upcoming Trips

**2017 & 2018 Cruises** (see p.5 for details)

**2018**

**February 6th to 13th -**

Snowmass Ski Trip (see p.4 for details)



## Notice Of Upcoming Election

On May 21st at our annual picnic, we will elect the clubs Officers for next year. The electronic ballot will be available shortly with paper ballots available at the picnic.

The nominees for Officers are:

President ..... Peter Zych  
 Vice President ..... John Nowacek  
 Secretary ..... Rae Scott  
 Treasurer ..... Diane Lacey

If you have other nominees, please send them to [John Nowacek at JENowacek@earthlink.net](mailto:JohnNowacek@earthlink.net).

In addition to the officers, the Committee Directors will be announced.

The proposed Directors are:

Social ..... Nina Dunn  
 Trip ..... Sue Crespan  
 Membership ..... Theresa Pleimling  
 Electronic Media ..... Jim Nowak

## 2016 - 2017 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

[www.hiltonheadskiclub.com](http://www.hiltonheadskiclub.com)

Peter Zych	President
John Nowacek	Vice President
Rae Scott	Secretary
Bob Turner	Treasurer
Nina Dunn	Social Director
Sue Crespan	Trip Director
Theresa Pleimling	Membership Director
Jim Nowak	Immediate Past President

These committees need volunteers to help. Our club cannot function without your help. Please volunteer and contact the Committee Directors. Their emails and phone numbers are listed in the HHI Ski Club Handbook..

John Nowacek



## Social Director's Report

Members just a short note to let you know that our **annual picnic will be held on Sunday May 21st from 4-7pm at the NEW SPRING LAKE PAVILION**, behind the pool .

**Volunteers are welcome around 3:00 to help set up tables, chairs and prep food.** You will be receiving a flyer asking you to confirm the attendees in your party and the dish that you will bring: appetizers, salad or dessert. **RSVP at [dunnina@hotmail.com](mailto:dunnina@hotmail.com)**  
 You will be receiving a voting ballot for our board of directors that you can bring to the picnic if you did not mail it.

**May 12th DO NOT FORGET our TGIF** at the Boardroom in the back parking lot of Jump and Phil's.

August we will NOT have a TGIF due to a lot of members being on vacation.

Your Social Director,

Nina Dunn

### Trip Highlights for May



Registration for our trip to Snowmass has begun. Instructions have been sent out to everyone. We have had a wonderful response so far 27 people have signed up for the trip. At this time all but one condo has been reserved.

We will be either staying at the Stonebridge Inn or their condos at the Terrace House. The Stonebridge Inn just went under a complete renovation with modern hotel rooms in the style of a rustic lodge. It has a heated outdoor pool and hot tub, fitness room, sauna, internet access an onsite laundry, and ski lockers on site. Rooms also have a refrigerator.

The location of the Inn and Condos is 150 feet from the slopes. We will be renting skis from Four Mountain Sports which has 5 locations at Snowmass. The closest one to us is in the Mall which is two minute walk or a shuttle ride from our lodging. The ski slope is just next to the rental location. We will be storing our skis each day at Four Mountain Sports so there will be no need to carry your skis. For those who want to ski multiple areas Four Mountain Sports will take your skis to the other areas as well.

We have obtained two three bedroom condo units at the Tamarack which is about a block away from the rest of the units and is managed by the same owners as the Stonebridge. Because of the demand for condos I have also added a two bedroom unit at that facility since the Terracehouse is sold out.

For those staying in the Stonebridge Inn a hot breakfast is included each morning. Those in the condos can add the breakfast for an additional charge.

### Pricing which includes breakfast, transfers, 5-day lift tickets and room is as follows:

Stonebridge Inn- Seniors: \$1349.03 per person

All others: \$1471.25 per person

There may be some availability for those who would like a room with a view or a suite.

Senior Deluxe View: \$1408.66 per person-Others \$1530.88 per person

Senior King Suites: \$ 1536.41 per person-Others \$1658.63 per person

Terrace house: Seniors: \$1045.32 per person

All Others: \$1167.54 per person

Tamarack 2 bedroom Condos-Senior: \$1045.32 per person

All Others: \$1167.54 per person

Tamarack 3 Bedroom- Seniors: \$1043.66 per person.

All Others: \$1165.88

## 2017 Cruises:



**October 7<sup>th</sup>- 20<sup>th</sup>: Montreal to Fort Lauderdale on Holland America's ship the Veendam.**

There may still be space on the ship, however our group space has now been recalled by Holland America.

For those of us already signed up, we have scheduled a couple of days in Old Montreal before our voyage. Currently Delta has a deal to fly to Montreal from Savannah for \$161.00.

This looks to be a fun cruise starting in the wonderful city of Montreal during leaf peeping season. We spend two days in Quebec and cruise up the St Lawrence Seaway. We visit Halifax, Prince Edward Island, Bar Harbor Maine, Boston New York, Charleston and finally Fort Lauderdale.

## Cruises for 2018:

**July 8<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>: Roundtrip Amsterdam on the Koningsdam.**

Currently we have 12 people signed up for our adventure through Norway.

This trip travels through the fjords of Norway to the Arctic Circle. A fun side trip is lobster fishing. This is Grace Van Brunt's favorite cruise. Pricing starts at \$3,199.00 for this two week cruise. We have group pricing and you can sign up for this now.

Details of both cruises have been sent out and may also be viewed on our website [www.hiltonheadskiclub.com](http://www.hiltonheadskiclub.com) . We have group pricing for each trip and you may sign up now: To sign up please contact Grace Van Brunt at Valerie Wilson Travel 843-341-8911.