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# Trail Sweepings

The Newsletter of the  
**Trailsweepers Snow and Sports Club, Inc.**

March 2010

[www.trailsweepers.org](http://www.trailsweepers.org)

## TSSC 60th Anniversary Celebration Banquet Saturday May 1, 2010



At the **WILTWYCK Golf Club**  
in Kingston.

- 6-7PM Cocktail Hour (cash bar) with Hot and Cold Hors d'œuvres.
- 7-8PM Dinner. Salad, Entrée, Dessert and coffee or tea.
- 8-11PM Dancing to a Live Band and a Surprise.

Please fill in your selection order below.

**Sign up deadline is April 23, 2010**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Choice of Main Course:

- \$45 \_\_\_ Slow Roasted Prime Rib / Au Jus
- \$45 \_\_\_ Salmon with Dijon Dill Glaze
- \$40 \_\_\_ Oven Caramelized Breast of Chicken with Sherry Pan Jus
- \$40 \_\_\_ Vegetarian Lasagna / Marinara

Total enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Send checks made out to TSSC to

Diana Ziegenfelder  
PO Box 254  
Glenford, NY 12433

Questions? Contact [zinnia@hvc.rr.com](mailto:zinnia@hvc.rr.com)

## STOWE 2010

March 5th – 7th

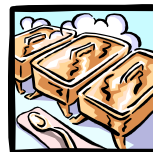
**At the Grey Fox Inn & Resort**

990 Mountain Road, Stowe, Vermont 05672  
802-253-8921/ 800-544-8454

This is a great group trip. We are nestled up in the Vermont Mountains with some of the toughest steep trails in the east and lots of cruising laid-back trails. If X-country skiing is your pleasure, Mt. Mansfield has some of the best trails in the east not to be missed.

Your trip will include:

- 2 nights lodging
  - 2 "World's most decadent breakfast"
  - Full buffet dinner Saturday night
  - 2 Day lift ticket to Stowe
  - TGIF Welcome party Friday night with Food, Wine and Beer
- Double: \$315pp  
Triple: \$288pp  
Quad: \$265pp



Lets start Friday evening with a great welcome party hosted by Janet and Frank, great food and spirits. Saturday and Sunday with a full sit down breakfast, including those Delicious Dutch Pancakes. Saturday after skiing, we get together for dinner in the Grey Fox Restaurant. Evenings, we can enjoy our indoor heated pool, Sauna and Hot tub to soothe our aching muscles or relax and enjoy a cocktail at our in-house bar by a roaring fireplace. Historic New England's quaint, small town streets with over 100 unique shops to explore is another venture to consider.

Sign up now and reserve your room at Stowe!

Deposit: \$100.00 at sign-up  
Balance Due February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2010

For info:

Call Frank Rauschendorfer  
Home# 845-246-1742  
Cell# 201-615-2806  
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[www.trailsweepers.org](http://www.trailsweepers.org)

### Social Events

#### Holiday Party

Yvonne Baker 331-1068

#### Fall Kickoff Party

Janet Mihm 246-1742

#### Spring Banquet

Dale Ziegenfelder 657-6312

## President's Column



Thanks go out to Steve and Valerie for a great After the Holidays Party. The music was good and a great time was had by all.

Some of you may think the season is winding down but there is at least a month to go with the Stowe trip this month. Frank tells me there is still room so let him know asap. There are more races scheduled, see the newsletter, website or Jim T. for details.

The next major event after Stowe are the nominations for board members and officers. If any one is interested please let Peter Tannenbaum, Steve Wingard or Pat Marsh know. See you at the next meeting.

The **first meeting in March** will be on **Wednesday** the 10th in place of the normal Thursday. I will send reminders.

There is a Chili cook off scheduled for April 8th, election night

**Kevin**

[president@trailsweepers.org](mailto:president@trailsweepers.org)

## Onteora Runners Club Annual Banquet

*At Twin Lakes Resort in Kingston*

**Saturday, March 13, 2010 at 6:30 p.m.**



\$25.00 per person.

Cash bar and hors d'œuvres at 6:30 and buffet at 7:30.

Be sure to sign up by March 7 to reserve your places and join in the festivities.

Entertainment by the fabulous Ponytails, a great dance band playing songs from the '50's, '60's, '70's, and more.

Send your check payable to Onteora Runners Club to

Karen Spinozzi

113 Emerson St.

Kingston, NY 12401



\$20 Wednesdays and \$25 Fridays  
till the end of the season

**Whata Bargain!**

### Discount Tickets

Tickets are ordered monthly from the New Jersey Ski Council. Tickets must be paid for by the last TSSC meeting of each month.

We get the tickets at the NJSC meeting on the 2nd Monday of the month and they will be available for you at the next TSSC meeting after that. In a hurry? Tickets can be FedEx'ed to us for an additional \$15 per order.

These are vouchers that are converted into tickets at the mountain's ticket windows. Following areas are available:

<b>Ascutney</b>	<b>Mount</b>	<b>Stowe</b>
<b>Bromley</b>	<b>Snow</b>	<b>Stratton</b>
<b>Gore</b>	<b>Okemo</b>	<b>Sugarbush</b>
<b>Jay Peak</b>	<b>Pico</b>	<b>Whiteface</b>

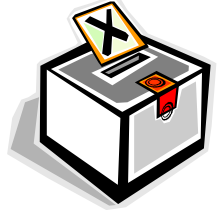
You may be asked to show your TSSC Membership Card in order to use these vouchers.

Belleayre, Windham and Plattekill give discounts for your membership card with the NJSC sticker on the back. Hunter and Killington have their own discount programs.



### Elections of New Officers

During April Meeting Events

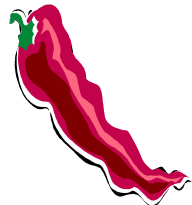
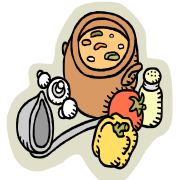


We will hold our Officers Nominations at the 8th meeting. Contact Peter Tannenbaum, Steve Wingard or Pat Marsh to nominate or run for candidate.

Election night will be on 25th.

Contact Kevin Parker 758-0323 for details.

### Chili Cook-Off and Food Collection A Meeting Program on April 22nd



Here's another event you don't want to miss. Get grandma's old recipe book out, dust it off and bring us a taste of your family's famous chili or cornbread. (Cooks: bring your own crock pot and extension cord.)

Participating at the tasting and judging will cost you \$3, or bring a box or can of non perishable food, we are collecting them for the needy. Free for chili or cornbread cooks.



Contact Kevin Parker 758-0323 for details.

### Ski House Rooms

By Okemo / Mt Snow / Stratton



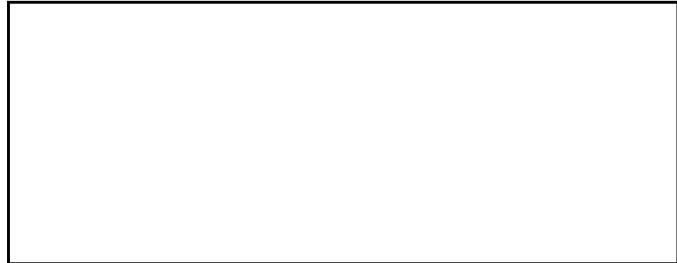
Rooms available in group ski house. \$40 per person per night.

Contact Rudy Kopecky  
[kopecky@verizon.net](mailto:kopecky@verizon.net) (914-762-2745)



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## Happy Hour

*A few times a month, the club members meet at an area bar or eatery. Join us for a couple of hours of libation and friendly conversation.*



### March

- 5 **Skytop**, Rte 28 in Kingston
- 19 **Red Brick Tavern**, Rosendale

### April

- 2 **Tin Pan Alley**, Red Hook
- 16 **Steel House**, Kingston. Eric Ericson performing. More info next month.

Contact Dave Cardall 336-8876 for suggestions

*Check for last minute changes on our Website at [trailsweepers.org](http://trailsweepers.org)*

## 50/50 Raffle



Current jackpot: **\$100**  
(estimate)

The price for raffle tickets is \$1 each or 3 for \$2. At the end of the meeting, two tickets will be drawn. The holder of each drawn ticket gets to pick one card from a deck of playing cards. If one picks the Ace of Spades, that player wins the 50/50 jackpot. If not, the picked cards are discarded and the unclaimed jackpot is held over to the next meeting.

At each meeting, as the jackpot grows, the deck of cards shrinks until the Ace of Spades is pulled and we have a winner.

## Upcoming Events

Check up to date events calendar on our Website at [trailsweepers.org](http://trailsweepers.org)



### Regular Meetings:

On 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month at 7:30pm in the downstairs room of the Bridgewater Bar & Grill, on Abeel Street in Kingston. Varies during holidays.

**Belleayre \$20/Wednesdays and \$25/Fridays till end of season.**

### March

- 5-7 Stowe Trip
- Wed 10** 7:30 meeting
- Thu 25 7:30 meeting,

### April

- Thu 8 7:30 meeting. **Election Nominations.**
- Thu 22 7:30 meeting. **Election Night and Chili Cook-Off**

### May

- Sat 1 TSSC 60th Anniversary Banquet
- Thu 13 **8:30** meeting. Summer hours start.
- Thu 27 **8:30** meeting.