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November
2013

HAVE YOU VISITED US ON THE WEB LATELY? WWW.ULLR.ORG

THE ULLR HOLIDAY BALL

Sign-up at the November 7th General Meeting or send your check now.

SATURDAY, November 30, 2013

[Note: I had the wrong day in the October Nullr. Sorry]

Open to ULLR members & their guest[s].

Reservations end November 25, 2013. Cost: \$40.00

Fort Snelling Officers' Club

Highway 5 at Post Road, St. Paul MN 55111

5:00 PM - Social gathering *[cash bar]*

6:00 PM - Dinner *[Parmesan Walleye, Top Sirloin Steak with Sautéed Mushrooms or Champagne Chicken]*

7:30 PM - Dance to the "Changing Times Band"

Make checks payable to ULLR Ski Club.

Mail your check *(with menu choice to):*

Diane Erlandson

8200 West 33rd Street, #302

St. Louis Park, MN 55426

ULLR Cancellation Policy applies.

Holiday Ball committee:

Sharon Marini [952-893-7408]

Mary Ellen Gabel [612-789-7832]

and Diane Erlandson

[952-941-5184]

Please bring and donate a new, unwrapped toy for "Toys for Tots."



FINAL SUMMER WHAT'S COOKIN' PICNIC CELEBRATED THOSE WHO TURNED 70

by Margo Dinneen

Three of us, Jon, Margo, and Rick, who came forward last fall to admit that we would turn 70 in 2013, were seeking other ULLRs who might like to join us to create the traditional ULLR 70th birthday party. No one else came forward so we donated a large birthday sheet cake to the ULLR Foundation which they sold for dessert at the final ULLR What's Cookin' picnic on September 4th. Guess what? Four more ULLRs admitted their 1943 births that evening: Marlys, Ron, Vickie, and Nancy. The cake said "Happy 70th" to all of you, too!

It was another wonderful picnic season for ULLRs. Picnic attendance averaged around 100. The seven picnics were evenings filled with friends and good food. Thanks to all who cooked and served and to those who came. See you at the Winter General Meetings.



Happy birthday to Ron F, Vickie L, Rick N, Nancy K, Marlys S, Jon Z, and Margo D



Good eats at the September 4th What's Cookin' picnic

HELP TOYS FOR TOTS

Mark your calendars! More information to follow later.



Help sort at the "Toys For Tots" Warehouse.

Date: Monday, December 9, 2013 – 12:45-4:30 PM

Location: Toys for Tots Warehouse
985 Aldrin Drive, Eagan, Minnesota

Optional: Dinner afterwards at a restaurant near the warehouse.

Contact: Nancy Sand
952-435-5225 or nsand878@gmail.com

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LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

By Cheryl Rogers



Many of our ULLR members have ended their summer season in Minnesota and departed for warmer temperatures. I'm pretty sure they don't miss the cold or the winter driving on snow and ice-packed roads. Some of them will join our ULLRs for western skiing.

Those of us who stay in Minnesota have a host of activities to keep us "fit" through hiking, skiing, snow-shoeing and cross-country activities. Our biking season culminated at the repaved Sakatah (Singing Hills) State Trail Ride. We've enjoyed seven great hikes in October. Three hikes are scheduled this month (hoping for continued good weather) at Minnehaha Falls, Fort Snelling and Lebanon Hills Regional Park. Thanks to all the wonderful ULLR volunteers who have run so many enjoyable events and continue to volunteer all year long.

Our social events always draw a good crowd. We had a wonderful fall color boating event on Lake Minnetonka. Gary Gray led a discussion on the Mayan Exhibit at the Science Museum and early this month ULLR members are joining Nancy Sand to tour that exhibit. ULLR Bridge continues to host games monthly at various ULLR member homes and is open to new players.

Mary Ellen Gabel has continued to host the "Pine Tar Party" to get us in the cross-country frame of mind. At our November General Meeting we will have a lesson in line dancing. At the end of the month we look forward to the Holiday Ball at the Fort Snelling Officers Club hosted by Mary Ellen Gabel and Sharon Marini.



In Loving Memory

PATRICIA DeMARIAS-VOGT

January 1, 1936 – September 15, 2013

Beloved wife of John; mom; grandmother; horsewoman, skier. ULLRs will remember her bright smile and twinkling eyes.

The club offers condolences to her family.

"Happy trails to you..."

For updated details visit our website

www.ullr.org

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can be reviewed at www.ullr.org**

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UPCOMING SINGLES EVENTS [see detailed flyers on the website www.ULLR.org]

ULLR Singles' Events are open to all single ULLRs. I need to get the 2014 ULLR Calendar host list filled for the singles card/game nights for January thru December as soon as possible. Please call me and let me know if and when you'd like to have it at your home. We do appreciate all of you who have participated. And if you can do it again, we would welcome it. Call me at 952-808-8141 or email me at: margie1002@juno.com Also, if you have any suggestions for other activities that you think we could do, let me know. Thank you. Margie Seklund

SINGLES CARD/GAME NIGHTS

Bring a dish to share, beverage, and any games you'd like to play.

Date: Friday November 8, 2013 – 7:00 PM

Host: Carol DeVore

Location: 2400 West 102nd Street, #109
Bloomington, MN 55431

We will be in the party room of the Pennbrook apartments. Go into the entry and ring the party room phone number that will be marked. The party room is on the 3rd floor.

RSVP: Call Carol D. at 952-426-3755

Date: Friday December 13, 2013 – 7:00 PM

Host: Bill Handsaker

Location: 11879 Minnetonka Boulevard
Minnetonka, MN 55305

RSVP: Call Bill at 952-594-9061

2014 ULLR SKI TRIP TO STEAMBOAT!



Please check with trip chairs for possible openings.

Dates: Sunday-Saturday, February 2-8, 2014
Limit 42

Trip includes: Roundtrip airfare to Denver [**price subject to fuel surcharge*], Condo for six nights at "The Lodge", Pretrip and Welcome Parties, Roundtrip coach bus from Denver and Group dinner at Ore House

Trip Options: Discounted lift tickets [*ski 1-5 days*]
Read about that week's Winter Carnival activities at www.steamboat-chamber.com under "events."

Payment Schedule: \$850 after October 1, 2013.
Checks to "ULLR Club"

Mail to: Patty Fitzgerald
19595 Near Mountain Blvd.
Shorewood, MN 55331

Trip Chairs: Patty: [H] 952-470-5411, [C] 612-743-4565;
patfitzjohns@msn.com
Karen Holmquist: [H] 952-431-1903, [C] 952-270-4739;
kholmquist@frontiernet.net

ULLR Cancellation Policy applies.
[Reservations confirmed when 6-person condo filled.]

DINNER &/OR BEVERAGE & MOVIE NIGHTS

Dates: Tuesdays, November 19 and December 17. Order dinner by 6:00 PM or join in for a beverage.

Host: Sherrie Mitchell

Location: Big 10 Restaurant and Bar
1106 Main Street, Hopkins, MN 55343
www.big10restaurant.com

Movie after dinner at the close by

Mann Hopkins Cinema Six Theater

For a listing of movies call 952-931-7992 or go to www.manntheatresmn.com/locations

RSVP: Call Sherrie at 952-942-8898

SINGLES DINING

Date: Tuesday, October 22, 2013 at 5:30 PM

Location: Eden Avenue Grill
5101 Arcadia Ave
Edina, MN 55436
www.edenavenuegrill.com

RSVP: Call Ellise Lamb at 952-442-9332 or ellise.lamb@mchsi.com **by October 20**

Date: Tuesday, January 28, 2014 at 11:15 AM

Location: Ciao Bella
3501 Minnesota Drive, Bloomington [or Edina], MN 55435

Note: Everyone knows that south of I-494 is Bloomington and north of I-494 is Edina. Well that isn't 100% true. There is a small parcel of land north of I-494 that is actually Bloomington. Ciao Bella is located there. So the restaurant website says "Bloomington" but we will drive to Edina!

RSVP: Call Ellise Lamb at 952-442-9332 or ellise.lamb@mchsi.com



RECALLING PAST EVENTS

A sincere thanks to these ULLRs who organized and/or led an event in October. VOLUNTEER!
Call a program coordinator with your program idea.

OCTOBER

1 – Sakatah Singing Hills Trail

John Stiefel & Patty Fitzgerald

9 – Minnesota Arboretum Hike

Jim Habeck

10 – General Meeting at KC Hall

Mary Ellen Gabel

11 – Singles' Card/Game Night

Carol Schwebach

12 – MN Valley Wild Life Refuge Hike

Joyce Butler

15 – ULLR Bridge Club

Eileen Ronning

15 – Dinner &/or Beverage & Movie

Night – Sherrie Mitchell

16 – Pine Point Regional Park Hike

Nancy Sand

18 – Folding Party

Gary & Karen Gray

19 – Lake Maria State Park Hike

Nancy Sand

22 – Singles' Fine Dining at Eden

Avenue Grill – Ellise Lamb

23 – Fish Lake Regional Park Hike

Pam Anderson & Barb Kolbe

26 – Ritter Farm Park Hike

Cheryl & Woody Rogers

LAKE MINNETONKA CRUISE

by Sally Chevalier

On September 22, 2013, Twenty ULLRs met in Excelsior, MN for an autumn cruise on the "Minnehaha" Steamboat. With ULLR's Bob Higgins as Captain, and Carolyn Buswell and John Egan as Pursers, we had a great time on a beautiful Sunday afternoon. Afterwards, many had dinner at Haskell's, followed by cake, ice cream and coffee at Sally A. Chevalier's. The entertainment (?) there made Bob Higgins laugh so hard he doubled over. ULLRs are great people!



ULLRs, ready for a cruise on Lake Minnetonka

ULLR FOUNDATION NEWS

This fall several ULLR Foundation members will be volunteering at three Galas. The first is on October 11 for "Bridging" at the Radisson Blu Mall of America. From its website, www.bridging.org "Bridging was founded on one simple, yet powerful idea – that together we can create a bridge between those *in need* and those with excess. Twenty-five years and nearly 50,000 square feet later, Bridging is the largest furniture bank in North America." The second will be on October 18 for "The Spotlight on Broadway" at the Ordway Theatre in St. Paul. Profit from this Gala supports the Ordway and arts education programming. The third will be November 2 for "The Dawn of a Dream" at the Depot in Minneapolis. This Gala, the 33rd annual, raises funds to benefit the Children's Cancer Research Fund. All three are charitable organizations that help people in our community. (Hurrah! We can wear that expensive gown more than once!)

ULLRS WENT TO THE THEATRE

by Karen Gray

"Singin' in the Rain" was a smash hit. 25 ULLRs enjoyed a great performance at the Bloomington Civic Theatre on August 23, 2013. It was a light hearted show about the transition from silent movies to talking pictures with plenty of great singin' and dancin'.

Stay tuned for another exciting performance next April, burlesque classic, "Gypsy" with familiar tunes, such as "Let Me Entertain You" and "Everything's Coming Up Roses."



Theatre goes at "Singin' in the Rain"

READY, SET, GO TO WAUSAU, WISCONSIN

Dates: February 18-20, 2014

Cost: \$105 per person for a king room or \$128 per person for a double queen room.

Join ULLRs to downhill ski, cross-country ski, or snowshoe on mid-week days. This should provide us with fewer people on the slopes and trails. Downhill at Granite Peak, snowshoe or cross-country at Nine Mile Forest, or snowshoe at Rib Mountain State Park. Enjoy mid-week discounted tickets and park fees.

Package includes: two nights lodging at the rustic Stoney Creek Inn, a happy hour & pizza party Tuesday evening, and Wednesday & Thursday morning breakfasts. We will choose a restaurant for a group dinner on Wednesday evening.

Trip chairs: Nancy Sand (952-435-5225) and Diane Erlandson (952-941-5184)

Send checks payable to "ULLR Ski Club" to: Diane Erlandson, 8200 West 33rd Street, #302 St Louis Park, MN 55426

The deadline for sign up is January 1, 2014.

ULLR CANCELLATION POLICY APPLIES

Social & Cultural Calendar – 2013-2014

October 15 – Tuesday

ULLR Bridge Club
Host: Eileen Ronning
8162 Archer Lane N.
Maple Grove, MN 55311
Phone: 763-416-4585

October 15 – Tuesday

Dinner &/or Beverage & Movie Night
Contact: Sherrie Mitchell
Phone: 952-942-8898

October 18 – Friday

Folding Party [changed location]
Hosts: Karen & Gary Gray
Phone: 952-895-8960

October 18-20 – Friday-Sunday

Ski and Snowboard Expo at the
Mall of America

October 22 – Tuesday

Singles' Fine Dining at
Eden Avenue Grill
Contact: Ellise Lamb
Phone: 952-442-9332

November 3 – Sunday

Pine Tar Party
Host: Mary Ellen Gabel
Phone: 612-789-7832

November 5 – Tuesday

Maya Exhibit
Contact: Nancy Sand
Phone: 952-435-5225

November 7 – Thursday

General Meeting at KC Hall
Contact: Mary Ellen Gabel
Phone: 612-789-7832

November 8 – Friday

Singles' Card/Game Night
Host: Carol DeVore
Phone: 952-426-3755

November 15 – Friday

Folding Party [changed location]
Host: Jim Habeck
Phone: 763-559-5593

November 19 – Tuesday

ULLR Bridge Club
Host: Carol Burgess
16705 12th Avenue N.
Plymouth, MN 55447
Phone: 763-404-1010

November 19 – Tuesday

Dinner &/or Beverage & Movie Night
Contact: Sherrie Mitchell
Phone: 952-942-8898

November 30 – Saturday

Holiday Ball
Contacts: Sharon Marini, Mary
Ellen Gabel & Diane Erlandson
Phones: 952-893-7408 [S]
612-789-7832 [M] &
952-941-5184 [D]

December 3 – Tuesday

Singles at Reentry House
Contact: Margie Seklund
Phone: 952-808-8141

December 9 – Monday

Toys for Tots Warehouse
985 Aldrin Drive, Eagan, MN
Contact: Nancy Sand
Phone: 952-435-5225

December 12 – Thursday

General Meeting at KC Hall
Contact: Mary Ellen Gabel
Phone: 612-789-7832

December 13 – Friday

Singles' Card/Game Night
Host: Bill Handsaker
Phone: 952-594-9061

December 17 – Tuesday [Noon]

ULLR Bridge Club
Hosts: Joyce Krake
& Dave McCaffrey
14319 Stewart Lane, #106
Minnetonka, MN 55345
Phone: 952-472-8361

December 17 – Tuesday

Dinner &/or Beverage & Movie Night
Contact: Sherrie Mitchell
Phone: 952-942-8898

January 9 – Thursday

General Meeting at KC Hall
Contact: Mary Ellen Gabel
Phone: 612-789-7832

January 10 – Friday

Singles' Card/Game Night
HOST NEEDED

January 21 – Tuesday [Noon]

ULLR Bridge Club
Host: Sunny Zenk
3663 Park Center Blvd., #908
St. Louis Park, MN 55416
Phone: 952-920-9177

January 21 – Tuesday

Dinner &/or Beverage & Movie Night
Contact: Sherrie Mitchell
Phone: 952-942-8898

January 28 – Tuesday

Singles' Fine Dining at Ciao Bella
Contact: Ellise Lamb
Phone: 952-442-9332

Visit our website at
www.ullr.org
for updated details

ULLR Ski Calendar

DECEMBER, 2013

December 13-15 – Friday-Sunday

Event: MSC Winter Carnival at
Lutsen [see article p. 7]

Contact: Jerry Schuster
Phone: 952-888-0860

December 18 – Wednesday [9:30 AM]

Event: ULLRs at Welch
26685 Cty Road 7 Blvd.,
Welch [Meet in Main Lodge]

JANUARY, 2014

January 1 – Wednesday [9:30 AM]

Event: ULLRs at Afton Alps
6600 Peller Ave S., Hastings
[Meet at Highlands Lodge]

January 7 – Tuesday [9:30 AM]

Event: ULLRs at Wild Mountain
37200 Wild Mountain Rd.,
Taylors Falls, MN
[Meet in Lodge Upper level]

January 15 – Wednesday [9:30 AM]

Event: ULLRs at Welch
26685 Cty Road 7 Blvd.,
Welch [Meet in Main Lodge]

January 22 – Wednesday [9:30 AM]

Event: ULLRs at Afton Alps
6600 Peller Ave S., Hastings
[Meet at Highlands Lodge]

January 28 – Tuesday [9:30 AM]

Event: ULLRs at Wild Mountain
37200 Wild Mountain Rd.,
Taylors Falls, MN
[Meet in Lodge Upper level]

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2013 ULLR Fall Hiking Calendar

OCTOBER

October 12 – Saturday

Event: MN Valley Wild Life Refuge
3815 American Blvd. E.
Bloomington

Contact: Joyce Butler
Phone: 952-941-6130

October 16 – Wednesday – 10:30 AM

Event: Pine Point Regional Park
11900 Norell Avenue N.
Stillwater

Contact: Nancy Sand
Phone: 952-435-5225

October 19 – Saturday

Event: Lake Maria State Park
11411 Clementa Ave. NW,
Monticello

Contact: Nancy Sand
Phone: 952-435-5225

October 23 – Wednesday

Event: Fish Lake Regional Park
14900 Bass Lake Road
Maple Grove

Contacts: Pam Anderson
& Barb Kolbe
Phone: 763-315-3772 [P]
651-633-0936 [B]

October 26 – Saturday

Event: Ritter Farm Park
19300 Ritter Trail
Lakeville

Contacts: Cheryl & Woody Rogers
Phone: 952-469-1647

NOVEMBER

November 2 – Saturday – 10:45 AM

Event: Minnehaha Park Hike
Lunch at Cap's Grille
afterwards

Park: 4801 Minnehaha Park Dr.
Cap's Grille: 5000 Hiawatha Avenue
Minneapolis

Contact: Karen Holmquist
Phone: 952-431-1903

November 9 – Saturday

Event: Fort Snelling Hike
Meet at Fort Snelling
History Museum
Parking Lot,
200 Tower Avenue
St. Paul

Contacts: John Egan
& Carolyn Buswell
Phone: 612-729-2470

November 16 – Saturday – 10:30 AM

Event: Lebanon Hills Park Hike
Meet at Jensen Lake
Trailhead
1350 Carriage Hills Drive
Eagan

Lunch after at Ansari's
Mediterranean Grill
Ansari's: 1960 Rahnclyff Court
Eagan

Contact: Nancy Sand
Phone: 952-435-5225

DECEMBER

December 8 – Saturday – 1:30 PM

Event: French Regional Park:
Hike, Snowshoe or cross
country [snow or no]
Meet at Park HQ's building
12605 Rockford Road
[Co. Rd. 9]
Plymouth

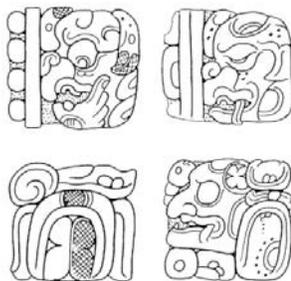
Lunch after at Chili's
Chili's: 4000 Vinewood Lane
Plymouth

Contact: Jim Habeck
Phone: 763-559-5593

GARY GRAY AND THE MAYA EXHIBIT AT THE SCIENCE MUSEUM OF MINNESOTA

by Margie Deutsch

On Sunday, September 29, Gary Gray unlocked some of the secrets of the Mayan people. Discussion attendees learned about glyphs. A glyph is a pictorial symbol that could stand for a word, several words, or a complete thought. These are examples I found on the Internet.



Gary showed us how scholars have learned to decipher the glyphs made by the Mayans. Gary also showed us the numbering system and calendar. The world didn't end December 21, 2012 as folks had said that the Mayan calendar had predicted, because really that calendar was just the end of a longer calendar cycle. With this and other shared details, ULLRs will be eager to go with Nancy to the Mayan Exhibit. Thanks Gary for sharing your research again with us. Anyone can attend this exhibit created by our museum and be amazed, entertained, and educated via artifacts from the Mayan world, combined with interactive exhibits and interesting displays.

MAYA EXHIBIT: HIDDEN WORLDS REVEALED



Date: Tuesday, November 5.
Meet at 12:30 PM in the lobby of the Science Museum in St. Paul.

Activities: 1:00 PM – View the Omnitheatre film
"Mystery of the Maya"
2:00 PM – Enjoy coffee and a bakery treat
2:30 PM – Visit the exhibit
5:15 PM – Dinner at nearby Patrick McGovern's
Pub [www.patmccgoverns.com]

Cost: \$14 per person [or \$9 for Museum members]
This includes general admission, exhibit, coffee and bakery treat, and the film. [This is a group ticket price. If later on you find you can attend, you may purchase a standard ticket yourself on-line or at the door].

Make check payable to: Nancy Sand. [Museum members should write their member number on their check.]

Send to: Nancy Sand, 15001 Burnhaven Drive, #108, Burnsville, MN 55306 **by October 15.**

ULLR GENERAL MEETINGS

Date: Thursday, November 7, 2013
Location: Marian Knights of Columbus Hall
1114 American Blvd., Bloomington, MN 55420
Times: 6:30 PM Socializing
7:00 PM Meeting
7:45 PM Eileen Ronning will give us a little lesson on line dancing

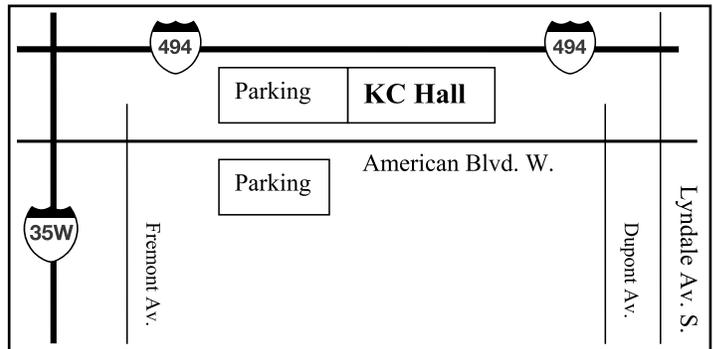
Details: The KC Hall will set aside a special area upstairs for ULLRs. The dining area opens at 5:00 PM. **Please contact Lisa at 952-888-1492 to reserve space.** Let her know how many persons are attending and arrival time. [The cost of the meals and drinks, including those at the Social Hour, are credited to the club to help defray the rental cost of the meeting room.]

Upcoming meeting activities:

The **December 12th** meeting will include an "Ugly Winter Sweater Contest" and a drawing for members only. This drawing has already received offers of donations. **Think what you can donate.** Here are some ideas to get you started: tickets to a baseball game or movie tickets, an

offer to make dinner, a boat ride, homemade Christmas cookies, etc. The more donations there are, the more members get to take home a gift! Let me know what you come up with so I can add your donation to the list. Thanks! Call Mary Ellen Gabel at 612-789-7832 or e-mail: maryellengabel@hotmail.com

Thursday, January 9, 2014 will have a Hawaiian theme. Plan to wear your Hawaiian shirt or island dress. Judy Palapala, a former ULLR who was married to a Hawaiian, will teach us how to do the Huklau.



DONATE FOR THE RE-ENTRY HALFWAY HOUSE HOLIDAY VISIT

by Margie Seklund

Date: Tuesday, December 3, 2013 [6:30 PM]
Location: 5812 Lyndale Avenue South
Minneapolis 55419
Phone: 612-869-2411

ULLR Singles will be going to the ReEntry halfway house to deliver gifts to the residents. There are about 14 men and 3 women who live there and they all have some form of mental illness. Many of these residents do not get gifts from anyone. We will sing Christmas carols, socialize with the residents, hand out the gifts, and have cookies and beverages. Afterwards singles may choose a local restaurant for something to eat or drink.

All ULLRs who would like to donate items, please bring them to the November 7th general meeting. These are some of the items you may donate: any men or women toiletries, hair products, cologne, toiletries from hotels,

disposable razors, socks, hats, gloves, scarves, ear muffs, and fall or winter clothing (new or used and cleaned.) Also, new or used books, DVDs, games, decks of cards, candy, gum, and snack foods. No summer clothing or bars of soap are wanted. Any money donated will be used to purchase needed items.

I need all donated items by November 24th. If I receive enough items, I will take some of them to another halfway house for men in Bloomington, and/or to the Lewis House, a shelter for battered women and their children. The Lewis House shelters about 500 women a year and serves three times as many through outreach programs.

Thank you for helping to make someone's holiday more cheerful. If you have any questions, and want to participate, call me at 952-808-8141 or email me at margie1002@juno.com

[If the weather is bad, we will go on Wednesday, December 4.]

MSC WINTER CARNIVAL AT LUTSEN MOUNTAINS

Dates: December 13-15, 2013
Cost: \$221 per person – quad occupancy,
\$265 – double; \$365 – single

Package includes: Round trip motor coach transportation from Minneapolis; 2 nights on-hill lodging at Eagle Ridge; 2-day lift ticket; Saturday night dinner; live music at *Papa Charlie's* both Friday and Saturday night; 2 drink tickets; on-hill party, and more! Take the 7:00 AM bus, and ski Friday afternoon for an additional \$20. This trip is limited to 150 participants. **Sign up now for preferred lodging near other ULLRs.**

ULLR Club Trip Leader: Jerry Schuster 952-888-0860
jeschus@usjet.net

Send checks [payable to ULLR] to:
Jerry Schuster
8407 Emerson Ave. S.
Bloomington, MN 55420

MSC [automatic if you are an ULLR] Membership & Cancellation Policies Apply

For updated details visit our website
www.ullr.org

ULLR Ski, Bike & Social Club

PO Box 201409
Bloomington, MN 55420-1409

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It is time to renew your membership!

Visit our website at
www.ullr.org for meeting,
event and trip news,
photos and recipes.

FOLD LINE ↓

<p>Future Folding Parties:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • January 17, 2014 (at noon): Nancy Sand • February 21, 2014 (at noon): Patty Fitzgerald & John Stiefel • March 21, 2014 (at noon): HOST NEEDED 	<p>Folding Parties are fun to host and attend and are a great way for members to get acquainted. Parties begin at 6:30 PM. A main dish is provided. Please bring a snack, salad or dessert to share and a \$1.00 donation for beverages. <i>If you are interested in hosting a Folding Party, please call the Folding Party Chairs: Patty Fitzgerald & John Stiefel 952-470-5411. [An allowance is provided to help defray costs.]</i></p>
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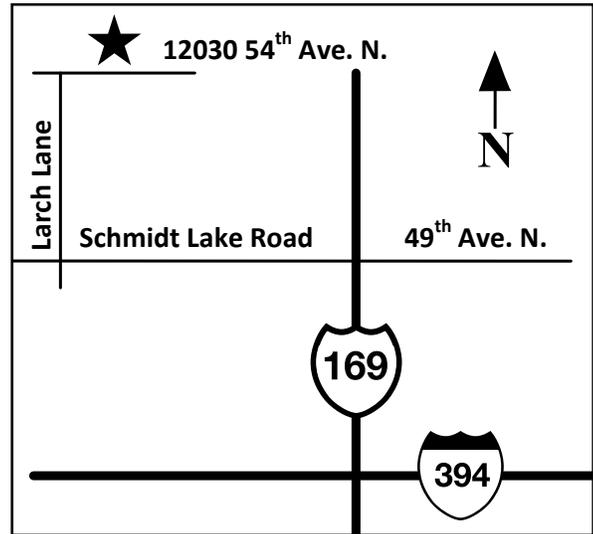
**The next Folding Party is Friday, November 15, 2013
hosted by Jim Habeck**

12030 54th Avenue North, Plymouth, MN 55442
*Please RSVP to Jim at 763-559-5593
[so he can plan food].*

DIRECTIONS:

From I-394:

- Go north on Highway 169 for 5.1 miles
- Exit on 49th Avenue North. Turn left [west], the street becomes Schmidt Lake Road.
- Go 2.2 miles to Larch Lane North, turn right [north], go .5 miles to 54th Avenue North [a dead end], turn right and go .1 mile.
- 12030 54th Avenue North is on the left.



For updated details visit our website **www.ullr.org**