

## ULLRS LEARN ABOUT AND TASTE WINES

by Nancy Sand

Instead of being 30 degrees below zero, the weather on Thursday, January 15, was rather balmy when 30 ULLRs came to Nancy Sand's home to learn about and sample wines. Each ULLR brought a bottle of wine and shared something interesting or unique about the wine. ULLRs learned about wines from California, Oregon, Missouri, Italy, etc. More reds were brought than whites, but that is probably because we are in the winter season.

The party guests learned about blending, spices, food pairings, costs, and where to purchase the wines. And, instead of wine, Judy Burich brought some non-alcoholic ginger beer—said to have certain medicinal qualities!



*Karen G. & Nedra N. have special glasses.*



*Good wine, good food, good friends!  
Carol B. and Charlane S.*

*Left: It was a fun birthday party for Carol B*



*Left: Galen H. & John S. watch Mary Jane H. open another new variety*



Is winter getting you down? This summer promises to be a firecracker of excitement. Look at these activities that have just been announced.

June 14 - Wine tasting at 3 wineries near Waconia.

July 11 - Lake Harriet picnic and concert.

July 18 - Extreme Race Day at Canterbury Downs.

August 6 - Echoes of Elvis Concert.

August 23 - Gangster Tour in St. Paul.

We ARE the ULLR Ski, Bike, and Social Club! Invite your friends to join the fun.



**Don't miss out on ULLR events this year. Renew your membership now.**

Send your check payable to ULLR (\$25 per person) and a SIGNED WAIVER. Forms can be downloaded off the website. On the ULLR homepage, go to "Membership Information" and download the [Application/Waiver Form](#). Print, complete and sign the form.

**MAIL TO:** ULLR, PO Box 201409, Bloomington, MN 55420.

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**LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT -**

By Karen Gray

ULLRs had another successful first on January 15, 2015, with a lovely wine tasting party hosted by Nancy Sand at her party room at the Gramercy Club. Thirty ULLRs enjoyed sharing their favorite wines, some of which were associated with special events in their lives and family connections.



Where's the snow? It was 43 degrees in Burnsville on one day in the third week of January when it was 48 degrees in Venice, Florida. I'm hoping all of the scheduled skiing events are on snow rather than ice. It's too bad we're not getting some of the snow they are getting out East. At least we can call it winter enough for hiking on solid paths. Let's hope the 40 skiers going to Beaver Creek find beautiful conditions on Feb.22-28. Fortunately, our ULLR calendar is filled with events not requiring snow.

Gary and I are hosting the March 21, 2015, Social Party. In search of a theme for this party, I found many interesting options: March 5 is *Multiple Personality Day*; March 8 is *Be Nasty Day*; March 16 is *Everything You Do Is Right Day*; March 28 is *Something on a Stick Day*. I couldn't think of anything to do with the official closing of Alcatraz on 3/21/63. We finally settled on St. Patrick's Day, officially March 17, since everyone is at least a little bit Irish on St. Patrick's Day. 34 Million Americans are of Irish descent which is nine times the population of Ireland. Bring your favorite limerick, dress in green, and bring something Irish to share such as: Irish Soda Bread, Irish Stew, Cabbage and Corned Beef, Shepherd's Pie, Rum Raisin Rice Pudding, Gingerbread, Stuffed Cabbage, Cabbage Salad, etc. And don't forget to bring your own green beer or favorite beverage. Until then, "May the wind be always at your back." Or, "May the wind at your back not be from the cabbage and corned beef that you eat on St. Patrick's Day."

**Proposals for 2015-2016**

Winter activities are in full-force for 2014-15. BUT, it is time to start putting together your proposals for ski and warm weather trips for the 2015-2016 winter season. Go to <http://ullr.org/Forms/2015-TripProposalGuidelines.doc> to learn what the procedure is to make a proposal. Send proposals to Sharon Marini: [smarini@comcast.net](mailto:smarini@comcast.net), 952-893-7408. Proposals are due by the end of April, 2015.

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## NOTICE OF ELECTION

Election of officers for the ULLR Ski, Bike and Social Club will take place during the Annual Meeting which will be held Thursday, April 9, 2015, at the Bloomington KC Hall. Officers to be elected are President, Executive Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Ski Programs Vice President, Summer Programs Vice President, and Membership Vice President. (The current President automatically assumes the position of Past President and becomes a Lifetime Honorary Member of the Club.)

Candidates for offices will be presented by the Nominating Committee at the ULLR General Meeting on March 12, 2015. At that time, any additional nominations must be made from the floor. Any member nominated at the meeting must be present and must have given the Secretary a written consent to such nomination. Write-in nominees are not allowed.

The vote at the Annual Meeting will be by secret ballot. Only ULLR members present at the Annual Meeting will be entitled to vote, except a member may vote on the election of officers by an absentee ballot prescribed by the Board. (By-laws, Section 3.d.)

**Directions for Requesting an Absentee Ballot** Any member wishing to vote absentee may request an absentee ballot from the ULLR President no earlier than March 18 and no later than March 25. Call Karen Gray at 952-895-8960 or mail a request to ULLR Ski, Bike and Social Club, PO Box 201409, Bloomington, MN 55420. Completed absentee ballots must be received by the President no later than April 3.

### Proposed Slate of Candidates

Many thanks to the Nominating Committee (Jerry Swanberg, Nancy Harmon, Jim Habeck and Mary Ellen Goriesky) for this slate of candidates for the 2015-16 ULLR Board:

Patty Fitzgerald, President

Mary Jane Hochstein, Executive VP

Secretary, Sandra Shearer

Barb Sedges, Treasurer

Sharon Marini, (returning) Winter VP

Jim Habeck, Summer VP

Jan Butler, Membership VP

Karen Gray, Past President Advisor

More candidates are always welcome. Contact a member of the Nominating Committee. A brief biography for each candidate will appear in the April NULLR.

## Reminder: PLAN NOW FOR VALENTINE'S DAY

Pick your Valentine's Day activity for an evening of winter fun at Lebanon Hills Regional Park. Cross-country ski, hike, ice skate, and/or snowshoe by candlelight. Slide on the lit sledding hill and warm up by a roaring bonfire. Meet at the Visitor Center at 860 Cliff Road in Eagan at 5:30 PM.

Ski and snowshoe rental is available. Bring your own sleds and ice skates. Dinner is available from food trucks. Prices vary.

### REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR THIS EVENT

You can just show up on that date and pay \$10.00, but the park only accepts 500 participants, so pre-registration is strongly advised. The pre-registration cost is \$8.00. Don't wait! Register now!

To pre-register and pay go to: <https://www.co.dakota.mn.us/parks/parksTrails/LebanonHills/Pages/default.aspx>

Select: Programs & Events

Select: Calendar of Events, and go to February 2015

Select: Trails by Candlelight on February 14

Enter: 5131 for the Course Number. Then click on "Search", and follow directions to complete registration.



RSVP by February 12 to Nancy Sand (h) 952-435-5225, (c) 763-280-2600, [nsand878@gmail.com](mailto:nsand878@gmail.com)

### A walk down the ULLR Memory Lane - as reported in the March 1996 Nullr

by Margie Deutsch

Bill Lyon led a cross-country event at Lake Maria State park. George Graham was asking for volunteers for summer events. Barb Carpenter was collecting funny stories about ULLR antics. Sunny Zenk and Tom Roberts were new ULLR members. Gloria Dombrock described the scary, snowy white-outs on the bus ride to Indianhead, Michigan. George Miller took snowboarding lessons on the Whistler/Blackcomb Trip led by Lorri Christenson. Fifty ULLRs gathered to march in the Holidazzle Parade, but it was cancelled. Colleen Barden turned it into a fun evening. Bill Kansas, elegant in a tuxedo, joined 56 other ULLRs at "Tony & Tina's Wedding" at the Hey City Theatre.

## COME TO THE WINTER GENERAL MEETINGS

**Dates:** Thursday, February 12. Hear about all of the many considerations in planning hiking and biking trails.  
Thursday, March 12. A speaker will tell us (with a bit of humor) about end of life planning.

Thursday, April 9. ULLR Foundation Raffle and Bingo

**Location:** Marion Knights of Columbus Hall  
 1114 American Blvd., Bloomington 55420  
 [See [map](#) in the ULLR directory.]

**Times:** 6:00 PM Socializing  
 7:00 PM General Meeting and Program

**Details:** The KC Hall has a dining opportunity for ULLRs before the meeting. The dining room opens at 5:00 PM. Please contact Lisa at 952-888-1492 to reserve. The cost of the meal and drinks are credited to the club to help defray the cost of the meeting room.

## MARCH MEMBERSHIP SPOTLIGHT -

By Carol DeVore,  
 [This information does not appear in the Online Nullr for security reasons.]

### Directory Changes:

**New e-mail:**

Carol DeVore

**Welcome this new member:**

Ruth Brunelle

[You will find this information in an e-mail sent to you by the web master, Joe Coursolle.]

**"To get the full value of joy you must have someone to divide it with." - Mark Twain**

Who might enjoy sharing your joy being an ULLR? A friend? A near-by skier on the slope? A biker on the path? Invite them to join ULLR.

## Recalling Past Events

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

### February

3-5 – Ski Granite Peak  
 Nancy Sand & Diane Erlandson

12 – General Meeting  
 Mary Ellen Gabel

13 – Singles Card & Game Night  
 Wendy Campbell

14 – Lebanon Hills XC/SS/Hike  
 Nancy Sand

17 – ULLR Bridge  
 Nancy Devitt

17 – Singles Dinner/Movie Night  
 Sherrie Mitchell

18 – Silverwood Park XC/SS/Hike  
 Barb Kolbe & Mary Ellen Gabel

20 – Nullr Folding Party  
 Sally Chevalier

22-28– Ski Beaver Creek/Vail  
 Bruce Warner & Pat Nelson

24 – Singles Fine Dining-Kincaid's  
 Ellise Lamb

26 – Last Thursday  
 Happy Hour-  
 Roasted Pear  
 Joy Knudson & Pam  
 Anderson



## In Memory

### George Francis Miller

**March 29, 1923 –  
 January 5, 2015**

A former member, George Miller, was for many years an ULLR member. He loved the Cubs and the Packers, skiing, shopping, traveling, dancing, and getting "dressed to the nines" for a steak at Murray's. The club offers condolences to his family.

## In Memory

### RITA B. CRAWFORD

[Rita Crawford](#) was a longtime ULLR member. At age 73, she passed away peacefully on November 16, 2014, at her winter home in Venice, Florida. She enjoyed going to the theatre, golfing, biking, skiing, dancing, socializing and planning parties and gatherings, many of which were ULLR events. Rita was thanked in the March 1996 Nullr "for again supplying us with great pictures." And she continued to be the photographer for many ULLR events.

The ULLR Club offers condolences to her soul mate, Bob Stiles, her brother, four sons, and the extended families.



**Rita in 1996**

## ULLR Bridge

Nancy Devitt will host the ULLR Bridge party on February 17. RSVP at 952-945-9595. The location is to be determined for March 17 and April 21. For more information, please call Co-Chairs: Eileen Ronning (763-416-4585) or Ruth Elsberry (952-934-6427.)



# Social & Cultural Calendar – 2015

More details and event flyers at [www.ullr.org](http://www.ullr.org)

## February 12, Thursday

General Meeting  
(6 PM-socialize; 7 PM meeting)  
General Meeting at KC Hall Con-  
tact: Mary Ellen Gabel  
Phone: 612-789-7832

## February 13, Friday - 7:00 PM

Singles' Card & Game Night  
Host: Wendy Campbell  
RSVP: 952-937-1349

## February 17, Tuesday [noon]

ULLR Bridge  
Host: Nancy Devitt  
RSVP: 952-945-9595

## February 17, Tuesday - 6:00 PM

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

## February 20, Friday - 6:30 PM

Nullr Directory Folding Party  
Host: Sally Chevalier  
RSVP: 952-935-7000

## February 24, Tuesday - 5:30 PM

Singles Fine Dining at Kincaids  
8400 Normandale Lakes Blvd.,  
Bloomington, 55437;  
[kincaids.com](http://kincaids.com)  
RSVP by Feb. 22 to Ellise Lamb  
Phone: 952-442-9332

## February 26, Thursday - 3-6 PM

All-ULLR "Last Thursday Happy  
Hour" at Roasted Pear  
14200 Nicolett Av. S.,  
Burnsville 55337  
[www.roastedpear.com](http://www.roastedpear.com)  
Call: Joy Knudson 952-240-8418  
or Pam Anderson 763-315-3772

## March 12, Thursday

General Meeting  
(6 PM-socialize; 7 PM meeting)  
General Meeting at KC Hall  
Contact: Mary Ellen Gabel  
Phone: 612-789-7832

## March 13, Friday - 7:00 PM

Singles' Card & Game Night  
Host: Jean Metz  
RSVP: 541-390-2825

## March 15, Sunday - 4:00 PM

Biking Events Planning Party  
Host: John Stiefel  
RSVP: 952-470-5411

## March 17, Tuesday [noon]

ULLR Bridge  
Host: TBD

## March 17, Tuesday - 6:00 PM

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

## March 21, Saturday - 5:00 PM

Social Party "St. Patrick's Day"  
Hosts: Gary & Karen Gray  
RSVP: 952-895-8960

## March 24, Tuesday - 5:30 PM

Singles Fine Dining at Stephano's  
11849 Millpond Av., Burnsville  
[Stephanosbistro.com](http://Stephanosbistro.com)  
RSVP by Mar. 22 to Ellise Lamb  
Phone: 952-442-9332

## March 26, Thursday - 4-6 PM

All-ULLR "Last Thursday Happy  
Hour" at [Nye's Polonaise Room](http://Nye's Polonaise Room)  
112 East Hennepin Ave.  
Minneapolis, 55414  
Call: Joy Knudson 952-240-8418  
or Pam Anderson 763-315-3772

## April 9, Thursday

General Meeting  
(6 PM-socialize; 7 PM meeting)  
General Meeting at KC Hall  
Contact: Mary Ellen Gabel  
Phone: 612-789-7832

## April 10, Friday - 7:00 PM

Singles' Card & Game Night  
Host: Pam Anderson  
RSVP: 763-315-3772

## April 18, Saturday - 5:00 PM

Social Party-see web  
Host: Diane Erlandson  
RSVP: 952-941-5184

## April 21, Tuesday [noon]

ULLR Bridge  
Host: TBD

## April 21, Tuesday - 6:00 PM

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

## April 25, Saturday -5:30 PM

Spring Awards Banquet  
Fort Snelling Officers Club  
St. Paul, 55111

## April 26, Sunday - 1:30 PM

"Brigadoon"  
Minnetonka High School  
Contact: Sally Chevalier  
Phone: 952-935-7000

## April 28, Tuesday - 5:30 PM

Singles Dining at McCormick's  
Pub & Restaurant  
331 Broadway Avenue South,  
Wayzata, 55391  
[mccormicks.pub](http://mccormicks.pub)  
RSVP by April 26 to Ellise Lamb  
Phone: 952-442-9332

## April 30, Thursday - 4-6 PM

All-ULLR "Last Thursday Happy  
Hour" at Woody's Grille -Shady  
Oak; 6399 City W. Parkway,  
Eden Prairie, 55344  
Call: Joy Knudson 952-240-8418  
or Pam Anderson 763-315-3772

## June 3-5 Wed.-Friday

Paul Bunyan Trail Bike & Golf  
Contact: Joan Roe, 952-914-9124

As of January 30 there are only 4 open spots for lodging at the [Good Ol' Days Resort](http://Good Ol' Days Resort). Call now! A waiting list will be made. Also remember, there are many other lodging opportunities in the Nisswa area. Make your reservations soon. Join in the fun! Please tell Joan if you will be staying elsewhere.

ULLR [Cancellation](#) and [Communication](#) Policies can be reviewed at [www.ullr.org](http://www.ullr.org)

# Activity Calendar – 2015

YOU WILL FIND DETAILS FOR THESE EVENTS AT [www.ullr.org](http://www.ullr.org)

## HIKING-CROSS COUNTRY-SNOWSHOE

### February 14 - Saturday - 5:30 PM

Lebanon Hills XC/SS/Hike/Skate  
Contact: Nancy Sand  
Phone: 952-435-5225

### February 18 - Wednesday - 1:00 PM

Silverwood Park XC/SS/Hike  
Contact: Barb Kolbe 651-633-0936  
Mary Ellen Gabel 612-789-7832

### March 3 - Tuesday - 6:30 PM

Woodlake Moonlight Hike/SS  
Contact: Bill Lyon  
Phone: 612-722-8352

### March 8 - Sunday - 1:00

Elm Creek Reserve XC/SS/Hike  
Contact: Jim Habeck  
Phone: 763-559-5593

### March 14 - Saturday - 12:30 PM

Lake Rebecca XC/SS/Hike  
Contact: Pam Anderson  
Phone: 763-315-3772

### March 28 - Saturday - 10:30 AM

Wolsfeld Woods Hike  
Contact: Joyce Butler  
Phone: 952-941-6130

### April 18 - Saturday

Battle Creek Hike  
Contact: Nancy Sand  
Phone: 952-435-5225

## SKIING

### February 11 - Wednesday - 9:30 AM

Afton Alps [Meet in Highland Lodge]  
6600 Peller Ave. S., Hastings

### February 19 - Thursday - 9:30 AM

Welch Village [Meet in Main Lodge]  
26685 Cty. Rd. 7 Blvd., Welch 55089

### February 22-28, 2015 Ski Beaver Creek/Vail

Contacts: Pat Nelson, 952-893-1045  
& Bruce Warner, 763-229-3377.

### March 5 - Thursday - 9:30 AM

Welch Village [Meet in Main Lodge]

### March 11 - Wednesday - 9:30 AM

Afton Alps [Meet in Highland Lodge]

## ULLR Social Parties 2015

by Mary Ellen Gabel

ULLRs have indicated they wish to have Social Parties since we no longer are having Nullr Folding Parties. This spring we will have three Social Parties. They will occur on the 3rd weekend of the month. The host decides on a Friday or Saturday, and the starting time. Hosts will also decide if they want it to be a theme party (Oktoberfest, St. Patrick's Day, etc.) game night, or other fun activity. The October Party was a Salad Supper and Car Show.

Upcoming parties are:

- \* Saturday, March 21 at Gary & Karen Gray's celebrating all things IRISH
- \* Saturday, April 18 at Diane Erlandson's
- \* Saturday, May 16, at Carol DeVore's



The host provides: the paper products, water & coffee, but does not provide a main dish!

Everyone who attends is to bring: a dish to pass, their own beverages except for the above mentioned ones, and a \$1 donation.

**ALL ULLRS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.**

Call Mary Ellen Gabel, 612-789-7832, if you would like to host a Social Party.

## BIKE THE PAUL BUNYAN TRAIL

Or Golf, Shop, Fish or Swim

**Dates:** Wednesday - Friday, June 3-5, 2015

**Stay at:** [Good Ol' Days Family Resort](http://GoodOlDaysFamilyResort.com) on Cullen Lake by Nisswa, MN

**Cost:** \$147—due at sign-up. This trip fills quickly. There are only 4 places available. Sign-up by **March 1, 2015.**

Make check payable to ULLR Club

**Send to:** Joan Roe, 5800 Creek Valley Road; Edina MN 55439

More details at [ullr.org](http://ullr.org)

**Co-chairs:** Carol Thelen (320-333-6642) [carolte@me.com](mailto:carolte@me.com)

Joan Roe (952-914-9124) [roejoank@gmail.com](mailto:roejoank@gmail.com)

**ULLR Cancellation Policy applies.  
Helmets are required.**

**A Request From the Treasurer** - Trip chairs please turn in deposits for club events to the Treasurer or deposit them in the club bank account on a timely basis - at least once a month. Thank you.

## UPCOMING SINGLES EVENTS

[see detailed flyers on the website [www.ullr.org](http://www.ullr.org)]

ULLR Singles' Events are open to all single ULLRs. Please tell me if you have any suggestions for other activities. Thank you. Margie Seklund – 952-808-8141.

## DINNER &/OR BEVERAGE & MOVIE NIGHTS

**Dates:** Tuesdays, February 17 & March 17.

Order dinner by 6:00 PM or come for a beverage.

**Contact:** Sherrie Mitchell

**Location:** Big 10 Restaurant and Bar  
1106 Main Street, Hopkins, MN 55343

[big10restaurant.com](http://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 [manntheatres.com/theatres/](http://manntheatres.com/theatres/)



## The ULLR 65th Annual Awards Banquet

**Saturday, April 25, 2015**

Fort Snelling Officers Club,

Hwy. 5 at Post Road, St. Paul 55111

Social begins at: 5:30 PM

Dinner at: 6:30 PM

Awards Program: 7:15 PM

Dancing: 8-11:00 PM

Music by the Changing Times Band

**Cost:** \$45.00 per person payable to ULLR Club.

Guests are welcome.

Sign-up begins at the February 12 ULLR meeting.

Or send check (with meal choice) to Diane Erlandson

8200 West 33rd St., #302

St. Louis Park, MN, 55426

952-941-5184

**Reservation deadline is Monday, April 20.**

**Dinner choices:** North Country Walleye with White Wine Sauce served with Wild Rice Pilaf

Champagne Chicken Breast with Au gratin Potatoes and vegetables

(Vegetarian or Special Diet Dinner upon request)

CASH BAR

**Banquet Co-chairs:** Sharon Marini (952-893-7408) and Mary Ellen Gabel (612-789-7832)

ULLR CANCELLATION POLICY APPLIES

## SINGLES CARD/GAME NIGHTS

Bring a dish to share, beverage, and any games that you would like to play.

**Date:** Friday, February 13, 2015 – 7:00 PM

**Host:** Wendy Campbell **RSVP:** 952-937-1349

**Location:** 6725 Sunburst Dr., Eden Prairie 55346

**Date:** Friday, March 13, 2015 – 7:00 PM

**Host:** Jean Metz **RSVP:** 541-390-2825

**Location:** 1034 Anthony Way, Victoria, 55386

**Date:** Friday, April 10, 2015 – 7:00 PM

**Host:** Pam Anderson **RSVP:** 763-315-3772

**Location:** 6217 Creekview Lane N., Brooklyn Park, 55443

## SINGLES Fine Dining

**Date:** Tuesday, February 24, 2014 – 5:30 PM

[Or at 5:00 PM for Happy Hour.]

**Location:** Kincaids; 8400 Normandale Lake Blvd.

Bloomington 55437; [kincaids.com](http://kincaids.com)

**RSVP:** by Feb. 22 to Ellise Lamb, 952-442-9332 or [elise.lamb@mchsi.com](mailto:elise.lamb@mchsi.com)

**Date:** Tuesday, March 24, 2014 – 5:30 PM

**Location:** Stephanos; 11849 Millpond Av.

Burnsville 55337; [stephanosbistro.com](http://stephanosbistro.com)

**RSVP:** by March 22 to Ellise Lamb, 952-442-9332

**Date:** Tuesday, April 28, 2015 – 5:30 PM

**Location:** McCormick's Pub & Restaurant

331 Broadway Avenue South, Wayzata

[mccormicks.pub](http://mccormicks.pub)

**RSVP:** by April 26 to Ellise Lamb, 952-442-9332



*12 ULLR Singles await their dinners at the Pittsburgh Blue Steakhouse in Edina. This dining program is a wonderful way to try many different restaurants in the metro area—and it is fun, too! Thanks, Ellise, for chairing Fine Dining.*



## Mount Kato

by Patty Fitzgerald

It was an unusually warm day when 6 skiers drove to Mt. Kato in Mankato on January 27th. We found perfectly groomed runs and very few people sharing the slopes with us. We skied pretty much non-stop for 3 hours when we found the snow to be getting softer by the minute.

*Patty F, John S, Sharon M*

We finally went in for lunch and then a few of us went back for a few last runs before hanging up the skis for the day. Several of us got our cost down to \$1 per run, which made the icing on the cake!

But we know where our snow is – in Boston! They got 3 feet dumped on them!



*Right: Bostonians dig out.*

## 2015 ULLR MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY

### FOLDING PARTY

**Date:** Friday, February 20, 2015

**Host:** Sally Chevalier

4108 Kerry Court, Minnetonka 55345

All members are welcome! The Folding Party begins at 6:30 PM. A main supper dish and beverages are provided. Members should bring a snack, salad, or dessert to share and contribute \$1.00 per person to offset beverage costs.

**RSVP** by February 19 to Sally (952-935-7000) or [salchevalier@yahoo.com](mailto:salchevalier@yahoo.com)

### Biking Planning Party

Fat tires and thermal underwear are appealing for some bikers. The rest of us know it is time for the 2015 bike planning party for spring and summer. Please come and bring your ideas for bike rides for the upcoming biking season. The main dish and beverages will be provided. Please bring a side dish or dessert and \$1.00.

**Date:** Sunday, March 15th, at 4 PM.

**Place:** The home of John Stiefel and Patty Fitzgerald, 19595 Near Mountain Blvd., Shorewood. (*Directions are on the ULLR [website flier.](#)*)

**RSVP:** 952-470-5411 by March 12.



## BRIGADOON

You are invited to Brigadoon, the beguiling musical tale of a mythical village that appears for only one day every 100 years.

Dinner following -TBA

**Date:** APRIL 26, 2015, Sunday

Arrive 1:30pm

**Place:** Minnetonka Center for the Arts at the far end of Minnetonka High School.

**Cost:** \$19.00. (If 15 people or more, \$16.00. I will refund the \$3.00 the day of play.)

Make checks payable to Sally A Chevalier,

**Send to:** Sally at 4108 Kerry Ct., Minnetonka, MN 55345

**Deadline for reservations is April 10.**

ULLR Cancellation Policy applies.

