

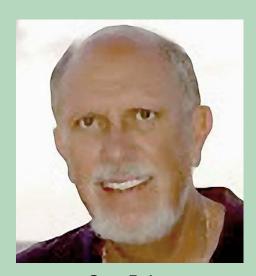
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Great Sports for All Seasons!

Meet the Candidates



Leo Boelhouwer



Gary Rubens



David Toms



Donna Harris



Mary-Jo Swinimer



Foster Stolte

President's Message



This month SCWDC will conduct its annual Election for the offices of Club President and Director (at least 4 positions).

Candidates for President shall have been members of the Club for at least three (3) consecutive years immediately prior to the January 1st preceding election and shall possess skiing ability at least equal to that required to pass the SCWDC Basic Skills Test

and have skied or snowboarded within three years of the date that the candidate would become President.

Candidates for Director shall have been members of the Club for at least one (1) year immediately prior to the January 1 preceding their election. At least five of the eight Directors, including the Vice President, shall possess skiing ability at least equal to that required to pass the SCWDC Basic Skills Test and have skied or snowboarded within three years of the date that the candidate would become Director.

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Candidates should have leadership experience within the Club, and familiarity with the Club's Policies, administrative and financial practices. Candidates will have the opportunity to present their qualifications and background experience in a written article for the website and magazine, and in a speech at the election meeting.

This year the Club will introduce electronic voting for the first time. In every other respect, the election will be conducted as always, as follows:

- Only active members will be able to vote; lapsed and archived members will not be eligible; nor will junior or complimentary members.
- · Voters can only cast one ballot.

Gary Rubens

- Votes may be cast in person (at the election meeting), via electronic ballot, or via paper absentee ballot.
- Voters can vote for up to four candidates, plus any ballot initiatives (such as a change to the Club's Bylaws and/or Rules of Procedure).
- Voters can choose to submit a candidate vote for "Other" and provide write-in candidate(s).
- Voting results will be summarized to show the total number of votes for each candidate and/or ballot initiative.
- Voting results will also be tabulated to show the votes cast on each individual voter's ballot.

The Club's Nominating Committee is seeking qualified candidates for election. If you are interested and willing to serve, I urge you to step forward.

Gary K. Rubens, SCWDC President



President: Gary Rubens Vice President: Leo Boelhouwer

Board of Directors: Jelena Berberovic, Leo Boelhouwer,

Donna Harris, Mary Kaye Hrivnak, Charlie Lorenzetti, Foster Stolte, René Thierry, Cindy Wallace

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Sports and Recreation: Geoffrey Pennoyer

Cultural: Bernie Joiner Social: Bernie Joiner

Tennis Instruction: Tammy Vetter, Jayne Lynch

Tennis Parties: Casey Tarr Tennis Trips: Vacant

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Policy: Howard Fisher

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MEETINGS

April Membership Meeting and Election

Date: Thursday April 18

Time: 5 – 7 p.m. - Happy Hour downstairs at Potomac Bar and Grill in the Hotel

7 – 7:30 p.m. - Visit with Event Leaders and Exhibits

 $7:30-8\ p.m.$ - Candidate Speeches, Nominations from the Floor and

Collection of Ballots.

8 - 8:30 p.m. - Treasurer's Report, President's Message, Awards and

Election Results

Location: Crowne Plaza National Airport Hotel (Crystal City)

1480 Crystal Drive., Arlington, VA 22202

703-416-1600/http://www.cpnationalairport.com/

Our Club's annual election is coming up soon. SCWDC is a membership club and we need every member's participation. The preferred way of voting is to come and listen to the candidates' speeches and vote for the candidates you believe are best equipped to lead the club in the next year. You can talk to fellow members, listen to the candidates' speeches and discussion of proposed changes to Club rules, and then participate in the election process by casting your vote.

Active Members may cast their votes in person, by electronic ballot sent to their email address of record, or by Absentee Ballot. Inactive members are not allowed to vote, so please ensure that your membership is up to date if you plan to vote. Guests are welcome to attend, and they may join SCWDC at the meeting and therefore participate in the election.

Members will also be asked to vote on proposed changes to the Club's Bylaws and Rules of Procedure, including changes to the membership dues, and composition of the Board of Directors based on skiing ability.

You may obtain your ballot upstairs between 6:45 and 7:15.

Biographical statements for the announced candidates will be available in the Club magazine, which will be posted on the SCWDC website around April 1.

Schedule:

Election Meeting will start at 7 p.m.

Order of business:

- 1. Introduction of Candidates
- 2. Nominations from the floor
- 3. Candidate Speeches
- 4. President's and Treasurer's Reports
- 5. Awards
- 6. Election Results

Absentee and Electronic Voting

We encourage all our members to attend the election meeting, listen to the candidates' speeches, and vote. If you are unable to attend the election meeting, you can vote for these candidates via an absentee ballot, shown below. This year, you can also vote by electronic balloting. Details of electronic voting are provided below. You can request an absentee ballot from the club office, by sending an email to scwdc@scwdc.org. Your membership will be confirmed, and you will receive, via reply email, a PDF ballot to be used for one vote. For a family membership, each individual wishing to vote absentee will need to email a separate request. Your ballot must be received in the club office by noon, April 11. It must be submitted in accordance with the following excerpt from the Policy and Procedures. "An absentee ballot may be used for voting only if it is received directly from an official

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SCWDC source; and it may be reproduced only for members of the same household. An absentee ballot is counted only if the voter mails it directly to or delivers it in person to the Club office." Mark your envelope, "Ballot." Mail to SCWDC, 5309 Lee Hwy, Arlington, VA 22207.

VOTING RULES:

Members may only vote once. For Family memberships, if two or more family members share the same email address, only one member may vote electronically. This is because the Club's membership database uses the member's email address of record as the Member ID. Other Family members can vote in person at the annual Club Election meeting on April 1 or request and submit an Absentee Ballot.

In addition, members may run by petition or by nomination from the floor. (See the Club Bylaws and policy on the web site www.scwdc.org for details on running by petition.) Any club member who has been a member of the club for one year may run for the Board. Any member who has been a member for three years may run for President. In addition, members must agree to serve if elected. At least five members of the Board must be skiers. Below are their biographies:

We have also been notified that a member of the club wishes to submit an amendment to the bylaws. This amendment must be submitted in accordance with Section VIII of the bylaws to be voted upon.

In addition, the club proposes a change in the Bylaws replacing "Officers" with "President and Board of Directors". Also, there is a proposed dues increase for new members.

Voting will commence no later than April 4, which is two weeks before the Election Meeting. This is in accordance with Club rules. Processing of Absentee Ballots will be the same as last year, with submissions received at the Club office by April 11, one week prior to the Election Meeting. Electronic voting will be cut off one day prior to the Election Meeting.

CANDIDATES:

ONE candidate for the office of President, elected for one year: Gary Rubens

FIVE candidates for four Board of Directors openings, elected for two years: **Leo Boelhouwer, Donna Harris, Mary-Jo Swinimer, Foster Stolte, David Toms.**

Write-in candidates may be entered in the Other category.

PROPOSED CHANGE TO CLUB BYLAWS:

Election of Officers (Bylaws Article V, Section 3)

Currently: "For the election of officers, votes may be cast either in person, via electronic balloting, or via paper absentee ballot.

Proposed: Change "officers" to "the President and Board of Directors"

Reason: Precision of language.

PROPOSED CHANGE TO CLUB RULES OF PROCEDURE:

Membership Dues (Rules of Procedure Article II, Section 1)

Currently: 1-year Single - \$35, 3-year Single - \$95, 5-year Single - \$155

1-year Family - \$53, 3-year Family - \$149, 5-year Family - \$249

Proposed: 1-year Single (renewal) - \$35, 1-year Single (new) - \$45, 3-year Single (renewal) -\$95, 3-year Single (new) - \$105

 $1-year\ Family\ (renewal)\ -\ \$53,\ 1-year\ Family\ (new)\ -\ \$70,\ 3-year\ Family\ (renewal)\ -\ \$149,\ 3-year\ Family\ (new)\ -\ \166

Reason: There is currently no incentive for members to renew on time, reducing renewal rates and Club revenue. Only the membership dues for new members are increased; while the renewal rates are unchanged. The 5-year plans are not popular.

PETITION TO CHANGE CLUB BYLAWS:

Composition of the Board of Directors (Bylaws Article V, Section 2)

Currently: "At least five of the eight Directors, including the Vice President, shall possess skiing ability at least equal to that required to pass the SCWDC Basic Skills Test and have skied or snowboarded within three years of the date that the candidate would become Director."

Proposed: Change "five of the eight" Directors to "four of the eight"

ANNUAL ELECTIONS

CANDIDATES

GARY RUBENS FOR PRESIDENT!



Gary Rubens

I am honored to seek re-election as your next SCWDC President. I strongly believe that I possess the experience, judgment, and leadership skills that the Club needs to ensure its future success. Following are my credentials:

- SCWDC member since 1968
- Past SCWDC President (three separate terms)
- Past SCWDC Director
- Past Committee Chair (Budget & Finance, Elections, Nominations)
- Past Program Chair (Business, Meetings, Member Services, Public Relations, plus Tennis Program Chair for over 20 years!)
- Designer and Administrator of the SCWDC website
- SCWDC Facebook Administrator (one of several)
- Lifelong skier (over a dozen NASTAR ski racing medals)

Our Club is doing many things right! Let's continue to improve:

- **We have a world class website!** I spent over 2 years designing our website and then stood it up in June of 2016. This year we leveraged the website's capabilities to enable electronic voting, even from a smart phone.
- **We now have our first ever Corporate sponsors!** I successfully recruited Club Med and Travel Protectors, with many benefits to the Club and its members. We now include basic trip insurance on all flight trips.

Our Club is facing many challenges, and requires strong leadership:

- **Credit card processing fees have soared**, stressing the Club's budget and financial health. Credit cards are here to stay! We will need innovative solutions to maintain this essential benefit while keeping our costs as low as possible.
- Several key leadership positions are vacant, such as Budget & Finance Chair. Our Club is a business, and we need effective financial planning to ensure the Club's long-term success. As a former Budget and Finance Chair, I have the experience to lead our budgeting process effectively.
- **Membership levels are steady but need improvement.** This year we averaged almost one new member every day, but our members too often are delaying their membership renewals. We have recommended some changes to our dues structure to address this problem.

As President, I will attack these issues with dynamic solutions. This will require substantive changes, while avoiding disruption. I hope you will support me in my quest to improve and modernize our Club. You can count on me, and I am counting on you!

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CANDIDATES FOR BOARD OF DIRECTORS



Leo Boelhouwer

I joined the club in 2000, after I found SCWDC in the yellow pages (!). Very soon I became the cultural chair, a position I held for 6 years. During that time there were about a dozen people running cultural events. In 2009 I became president of the club and helped celebrate the organization's 75th anniversary in 2011.

It was also during my presidency that I started what turned out to be a 6-year tradition of holding an annual pool-and-pizza party at the apartment complex where I lived in McLean. About the same time, I got involved in editing the club's magazine. I have been vice president and magazine editor ever since.

More recently, I joined the Policy Committee, where we update the club's policy manual with changes in the club's rules of operation.

There is of course an ongoing concern about our club's membership numbers. They appear to have stabilized the last year or so, but they are not increasing. Lately we started to experiment with social media to attract people to our activities. It looks promising.

I have taken countless ski trips with the club, both in the US and Canada, all very enjoyable. There was also the benefit of the club's ski school. It has helped me a great deal in my efforts to become a parallel skier.

As for my professional life, I am retired from both IBM and Lockheed Martin. I was fortunate in that I rotated through many assignments. They ranged from predicting how many mainframes it would take to stay in touch with the Apollo program astronauts 99% of the time, to designing online data collection for the New York City Police Department.

With your vote, I will be happy to continue to support the club to the best of my ability.



David Toms

David Toms has been a member of the Ski Club since 2006. During that time, he has been very active with the club participating as a skier, tennis player and sailor. He has led several ski trips and has been a skipper for the sailing program. He is presently leading the trip to Club Med, Sandpiper Bay. Finally, David has previously served as a Board member for the 2016-17 board. During that time, he re-invigorated the Club's marketing efforts by establishing a Marketing / Communications committee. The committee developed several efforts to improve the Club's visibility in the local market.

Before retiring in 2017, David was a business development consultant with several technology firms in the DC area. He also is a retired naval officer and government program manager.

If elected as a Board member, David intends to help strengthen the club's efforts in marketing and membership enrollment.



Donna Harris

My name is Donna Harris and I have been a member of SCWDC since 2000. I take 2 Western trips each winter and would like to give back to the club as a thank you for all the great trips and fun friends that I have met through the years. I am also a part time ski instructor at Ski Liberty. My other passion is tennis. I play year-round, captain a team, captain contract time groups, and play at the USTA 4.0 and 4.5 level. We all would like to see the club membership increase, and keep trip costs down. I will do my best to work with the other board members in these efforts. I have strong organizational skills (taught this in a business environment) that often come in handy. I am retired from 25 years in the biomedical supply business, and co-chair a 30-year-old ladies' investment club. My husband and I have 2 grown sons, and we live in Maryland.

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CANDIDATES FOR BOARD OF DIRECTORS



Mary-Jo Swinimer

My name is Mary-Jo Swinimer and I am a candidate for the SCWDC's Board of Directors. I have been an active Club member for over 30 years—wow, that is a long time. I have enjoyed participating in a wide variety of club activities, social events and trips with an emphasis on skiing. I have met lifelong friends and tons of ski buddies. I believe in our Club's ability to bring people together and to provide great value to its members.

Over the past year, I have gained increasing knowledge of the nuts and bolts of the Club's operations. I am currently serving as the Club's Secretary, which means I am an Officer who attends all Board meetings and takes the official minutes. As a result, I have become very familiar with the Board's duties and with Club policies and procedures. Additionally, I am a member of the Ski Flight Trips Committee, which provides members with one of their greatest benefits – our excellent ski trips. Every year the Committee plans the trip schedule, contracts with tour operators to provide the best value, and supports and directs trip leaders.

Professionally, I am a recently retired Diplomatic Security Officer for the US Department of State. I have managed large programs and contracts in an international environment. I know

the importance of establishing consistent policies and managing large budgets. As a side benefit, I have traveled and skied around the world, giving me a unique perspective on planning and evaluating air, transportation, and lodging. While I served in Frankfurt Germany, I was a member of the Frankfurt International Ski Club and was their Membership Co-Chair. I am currently an aspiring goldsmith.

SCWDC is competing with not just other clubs but also with businesses and the do-it-yourself travel opportunities that weren't so easy a decade ago. My goals as a Board Member would be to help the Club reach out to and engage potential members using social media, to identify activities that would attract new members, to increase member benefits, and to recruit new volunteers.

I respectfully ask for your vote.



Foster Stolte

Dear fellow members:

I am retired from work and have served as a member of the SCWDC Board of Directors for about 18 months now. Since Gary Rubens took over the position of President last April, I am happy to report to you that the club now has a firm hand at the helm and that the club's future is bright. Gary brings strong financial, interpersonal, and technical skills to the forefront. The club is in a solid cash position, and we continue to do a brisk trade on our ski club and adventure trips. The tennis program also continues to thrive. Things are stable and are likely to continue that way. Gary is capable of digging deeply into the website, user access and utility, and wave of the future computer-related advertising issues to ensure that we will maintain our relevancy in the on-line modus operandi that the club has taken by necessity. We have a very cooperative Board-cooperative in the sense that we have healthy debates and variances of opinion about issues, but that we usually reach a unanimous or nearly unanimous consensus by voting time. So we thrash out the issues. We have not solved all of the club's problems on the membership roll issues, but we are actively working those problems, most of which are demographically based.

I will be proud to serve on our Board for the next term, and I solicit your vote toward that end.

ELECTIONS 2019

2019 Official SCWDC Main Election Ballot

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For President, vote	for no 1	nore than one		
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☐ BOD-Donna Harri	S			☐ Mary-Jo Swinimer
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Printed Name				Signature

SAILING PROGRAM

It's finally sailing season – yeah! Spring is well on its way, May will be here soon, meaning we will be out on the water before long. Sails begin on the Potomac River on Saturday, May 4, continuing through October 29. If you've never sailed before, that's no problem; we'll teach you through formal lessons at various levels and informal instruction while sailing!

Sailing Lexons

Sailing lessons for the 2019 sailing season will be held later in the season this year, instead of our usual Spring-time schedule. If you're interested in learning to sail, make sure you join us for a Potomac Sail, held each Tuesday evening, and every other Saturday.

Watch for our Centerboard and Keel Boat classes in the SkiGram and on the Ski Club Website.



We sail on the Potomac every Tuesday evening from 6 – 8 p.m. (earlier beginning in late August) and every other Saturday morning from 10 a.m. to noon from Belle Haven Marina (www.saildc.com). Belle Haven is located on the George Washington Parkway just south of the Wilson Bridge. [Note: This is NOT the marina next to National Airport.] Turn off the Parkway at the Belle Haven Marina sign and follow the road until you see the boats and water, then park. The group meets outdoors, at or near the picnic tables by the marina's office trailer. Sails begin on Saturday, May 4.

No experience is necessary. We sail very stable, 19' Flying Scots, each of which has an experienced skipper and often experienced crew. You can go along for the ride or enhance your sailing instruction by participating in boat handling. Our

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skippers are also excellent teachers and will provide guidance to all interested in learning. After the sails, all hungry sailors adjourn to a local Greek/American restaurant, Primo's, where we enjoy lunch or dinner in the back room (separate cost).

Dress is casual and based on the temperature. Layering is suggested since it's often cooler on the water than on land. Occasionally you may get splashed, and the water in the spring can be cool. There is a restroom if you need to change clothes after work. Sun block, water, hats, and croakies to keep your glasses on your head, are also recommended. Reservations are strongly encouraged – and the only way to guarantee a place on a boat. We reserve the number of boats and confirm our skippers based on the number of people who have signed up 3 days in advance. To reserve, call the trip leader listed below, on the web site, or in the SkiGram; the latter options will have updated information in case there are changes. If you get a machine, leave your name, phone number, number of people in your group, and the date of the sail; please repeat your name and number slowly so we're sure we have it correct. Unless you hear otherwise, you have a reservation for that date. Plan to be at the marina at least 15 minutes before the sailing time. The marina is very busy on Saturday mornings and you may have to walk from a distant parking lot so allow sufficient time. The trip leader will collect money, assign people to boats, and get everyone on the water. Exact change, or checks made payable to Belle Haven Marina, are appreciated.

If you can't make it at the last minute, please call the trip leader, leaving a message if necessary. That way we can check our messages if you don't show up and give your space to someone who did. If you have a last-minute chance to sail, call the trip leader or come by to see if there's room. We can't guarantee it, but we'll try to accommodate you if possible.

If the weather is questionable, call the marina at 703-768-0018 an hour before the scheduled sailing time to see if they're allowing boats to go out. The wind can be very different on the river from other areas, so don't assume there's too much or too little wind to sail. Sometimes we can't decide about the weather until we get to the marina. If you come and we can't sail, we'll head to Primo's early.

If you have experience as a small boat sailor and would like to possibly be a skipper, please contact Bernie Joiner at 703-560-2203 or choosri@aol.com to arrange a check-out. He will schedule it during one of our regular sails.

The schedule for the Potomac sails is listed below. Updates on trip leader changes, if any, will be on the website and SkiGram.

Potomac Sails:

Every Tuesday Evening from 6:00 - 8:00; please arrive by 5:45.

May 7 Leader: Linda Joy Wilson, 202-213-3600
May 14 Leader: Irene Stefanski, 703-887-2847
May 21 Leader: Janice Windau, 703-960-3339
May 28 Leader: Diane Smith, 703-389-2987
June 4 Leader: Irene Stefanski, 703-887-2847
June 11 Leader: Patty Hagan, 703-742-8137
June 18 Leader: Linda Joy Wilson, 202-213-3600

June 25 Leader: Mary Thibault, 703-476-6624

Cost: \$13 members, \$18 guests

Every other Saturday morning from 10 - noon. Please arrive by 9:45.

May 4 Leader: Patty Hagan, 703-742-8137 May 18 Leader: Debby Block, 703-765-0666 June 1 Leader: Pam Burdick, 301-509-4218 June 15 Leader, Bonnie Piper, 703-965-3923 June 29 Leader: Mila Mateu, 703-683-1774

Cost: \$16 members, \$21 guests



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Social Committee

Your social committee is planning for many fun activities this summer, starting with the "Dancing through the Decades" party on April 13, trips to Nationals Park for baseball games, the Wolf Trap opening concert and fireworks, LEDOs and the Thursday Happy Hours. Information on these are given below. Details of other summer activities are being worked on, but plans are not yet firm. They include the Citi Open Tennis Tournament, concerts and plays, including the Capitol Steps, picnic, beach trip, river or bay cruise, crab feast, dancing at the Spanish Ballroom, July 4th fireworks, and many others. Watch the skigram, and club calendar for details as they become available.

We are always looking for ideas and volunteers. We are also looking for some community events or others that club members might like to go to. If you know of any in your area, please contact the Social Chairman. Also, we are looking for places to have parities. If you find any suitable places that will permit us to serve beer and wine, please also contact the Social Chairman, Bernie Joiner, at choosri@aol.com, or 703-560-2203.

Summer Beach Weekend

Our Social Committee is working on putting together a beach weekend BUS trip. Once we have all the details including the price and lodging down, we will post it on our web site. Stay tuned for announcements and updates appearing in our weekly SkiGram.



April Happy Hour at Potomac Bar and Grill in Crowne Plaza Hotel

Date & Time: Thursday, April 18, 5:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Leader: Bob Sobun, 703-503-3294

Location & Directions: Potomac Bar and Grill

Crowne Plaza Hotel Crystal City 1480 Crystal Dr, Arlington, VA 22202

703-416-1600

http://www.cpnationalairport.com/

May Happy Hour at Chevys

Date & Time: Thursday, May 16, 5:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Leader: Bob Sobun, 703-503-3294

Location & Directions: Chevys in Falls Church 3052 Gate House Plaza, Falls Church, VA 22042 (Route 50 and Gallows Road) Click on this link for directions.

(703) 573-4280

http://www.chevys.com/locations.aspx

June Happy Hour at Triple Craft

Date & Time: Thursday, June 20, 5-8 p.m. **Leader:** Bob Sobun, 703-503-3294

Location: Triple Craft @ Washington Sailing

Marina

1 Marina Dr, Alexandria, VA 22314

(703) 548-0001/https://triplecraftdc.com



Nationals Baseball: 2019 Season

We have good seats in the mezzanine, section 225, with 14 tickets per game. See the schedule below.

Saturday, April 7, 1:05 p.m. Nats vs. New York Mets Saturday, May 5, 4:05 p.m. Nats vs. Philadelphia Phillies Tuesday June 19, 7:05 p.m. Nats vs. Baltimore Orioles Wednesday July 4, 11:05 a.m. Nats vs. Boston Red Sox Saturday July 21, 7:05 p.m. Nats vs. Atlanta Braves Saturday August 18, 7:05 p.m. Nats vs. Miami Marlins Saturday September 8, 7:05 p.m. Nats vs. Chicago Cubs

To register and pay by credit card go to www.scwdc.org and click on Sports and Recreation and Spectator Sports. Select the games you want for details and to pay.

Send any checks, payable to SCWDC, to:

Pete Campbell 2513 N Kenilworth St. Arlington, VA 22207



SCWDC Dance through the Decades Party Saturday, April 13, 2019 6:30 to 10 p.m. Vienna, VA 22003



Come join us for a wonderful dance party as DJ Jim Dawson spins the tunes. Remember the twist, the jerk, the bump and line dancing...It's all here!

WHEN: SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 2019

6:30 to 10 p.m. / Come for a lesson at 6:30

WHERE: Our Lady of Good Counsel School Counsel room, at the left end of the school, 8601 Wolftrap Road, Vienna, VA,

Beer, wine, soft drinks & food provided - A great deal!

DRESS: If you wish, come dressed as your favorite decade & wear your best dancing shoes. Or just come and dance!

COST: \$20 for SCWDC members advance

\$22 for SCWDC members at the door

\$25 non-members

Contact phone #: _____

PAY with EVENTBRITE AT: www.scwdc.eventbrite.com.

For more information, contact leader Christina Anderson at ckand27@gmail.com.

To pay by check please fill out this form and include with check made out to SCWDC.

Send to: 3704 Whispering Lane, Falls Church, VA 22041

Name: ______ Email: ______

Bring your friends and join us!

SOCIAL



Location: Peter Chang (Arlington): 2503-E N. Harrison St., Lee Harrison Shopping Center, Arlington, VA 22207. tel. 703-538-6688 www.peterchangarlington.com

Date and Time: Saturday, April 27, 2019, 6:30 p.m.

Peter Chang was born in China's Hubei Province and trained to be a chef in China before coming to the US as Chef at the Chinese Embassy. After that job, he worked in

various restaurants in the South before opening his first restaurant in the DC area in the Spring of 2015. He has 3 restaurants in the DC Metro area now. The Arlington location has a variety of spicy and non-spicy dishes for the vegetarian, vegan, and the carnivore. He was nominated for the James Beard Award for Best Chef Mid Atlantic. There is plenty of parking. Prices: \$11 to \$24. Appetizers are less.

Please RSVP to Julie Carr by April 26 at juliacarr839@gmail.com or call Julie at 703 888 7448.

Location: Josephine's Italian Kitchen, 2501 Columbia Pike, Arlington, VA 22204, tel. 571 312 2850

Date and Time: Saturday, May 25, 2019, 6:30 p.m.

Josephine's opened in the Fall of 2018 and has become a fine dining favorite in Arlington. It's a family- owned and operated restaurant serving cuisine from the recipes of the owner's grandmother who came from Sicily. Antipasto include bruschetta, minestrone soup, and homemade bread with olive oil. Examples of entrees are scallops and risotto, pasta Bolognese, shrimp scampi, and linguine with clams. Entree Prices: \$16 to \$24. For desserts, there are 6 tempting choices, one of which is hard-to-find Italian cheesecake. Price: \$7.00. Parking is free in the garage by Giant when validated.

Please RSVP to Julie Carr by May 24 at juliacarr839@gmail.com or call Julie at 703 888 7448.



TEAM SPORTS

Friday Night Bowling

Date and Time: Friday nights 7:30 p.m.

Leader: Pete, pcampbell@scwdc.org / 703-532-7776

Location: Bowl America in Falls Church

Each week we send out an email to see who is interested in bowling on Friday and will reserve the necessary lanes to accommodate. This of course will be dependent on lanes available. That's right, you will not need to commit to bowl every Friday; only those Fridays you want to. Emails will be sent out to all those who are interested in keeping up-to-date on what is going on. Email Pete to get on the list.





Monday Night Volleyball

Advance reservation not required. Beginners and newcomers always welcome. Two levels of play, social and advanced. Meet afterward for refreshments. We meet every Monday night throughout the year.

Questions: John Henrehan, johnhenrehan@yahoo.com, cell: 202- 438-5640 or Ira Silvergleit, irates@verizon.net, cell: 240-263-8217.

Event Pricing: Member Cost \$5.00 Guest Cost \$8.00

Date & Time: Every Monday night, 6:30 – 9 p.m., September – May (except

Memorial Day, Columbus Day, and Labor Day)

Location: Jelleff's Recreation Center, 3265 S Street NW, Washington, just off

Wisconsin Ave.

2019 Spring Golf Outing @ Bryce Resort in Basye, VA

Date: April 26 – 28 (Friday thru Sunday)

Cost: Golfers \$225, Non-Golfers \$125 (non-members add \$25) **Leader:** Pete Campbell 703-532-7776 (day)/pcampbell@scwdc.org

Location and Directions: Bryce Resort, Basye, VA

1982 Fairway Dr., Basye, VA 22810

800-821-1444 (Toll Free) 540-856-2121 (Local)

For directions go to http://www.bryceresort.com/Resort/Directions.aspx
Price includes lodging, breakfast, plus two rounds of golf at the Bryce Golf course.
An additional Friday afternoon round of golf is \$30.

For Non-Golfers - a weekend getaway: Plenty of hiking on local trails or visit historic Orkney Springs. There's also plenty of antiquing and other historical sites to see.

To sign up, send check, payable to SCWDC, to:

Pete Campbell 2513 N Kenilworth St. Arlington, VA 22207

To register and pay by credit card go to www.scwdc.org and click on Sports and Recreation and Golf.



TENNIS



Indoor Tennis Parties (Best Deal in Town)

Ski Club Indoor Tennis parties are held almost every Saturday night from October through April. Tennis parties provide competitive social doubles and mixed doubles, where players enjoy good tennis, mingle, and enjoy a light buffet and beverages.

Who is eligible to attend?

Parties are for adults over 21 years of age who are experienced intermediate players (NTRP 2.5 to 4.5 or higher). If you are not sure of your numerical rating, please review the USTA's National Tennis Rating Program (NTRP) guidelines, (to discuss your level, contact Jack Tarr (jtarr5@verizon.net). Attendance is typically a mix of active singles and couples from their late 20's to 60's. Parties average 64 players each week. but some have up to 80 in attendance. Male/female split is close to 50/50 at each party. Newcomers and non-SCWDC members are welcome. Non-players are also welcome, just pay \$10 online or \$15 at the door and you can eat, drink, and socialize.

Where & when are the parties held?

Most tennis parties are held at Fairfax Racquet Club in Virginia. Three parties are held at Georgetown Prep Tennis Club in Maryland. Check-in begins at 6:15 p.m., and scheduled tennis play is from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. Please allow for traffic delays to ensure arrival on time. If you arrive after 7:30 p.m., you may be replaced by a standby, and will forfeit the entire party cost. You can register for each party in advance and pay online. SCWDC members pay \$20, non-members pay \$25.

Sat, April 6
Fairfax Racquet Club
Leader: Thu Ogburn/asst. Didem Lenz
9013 Helmsley Drive
Clinton, MD 20735
202-361-7753
Ogburnth@me.com

Sat, April 27
Fairfax Racquet Club
Leader Needed, Contact Casey Tarr, eileentarr1@verizon.net



Sunday Instructional Tennis 2019-20



Dates: Alternating Sundays, September 15, 2019 – May 3, 2020

Co-Leaders: Tammy Vetter 703-449-9554 email: tgvetter@gmail.com

Jayne Lynch 703-636-9149 email: jaynelynch@yahoo.com

Cost: \$349 per person; \$1,396 per team

Deadline: Sunday, July 14, 6 p.m., for receipt of all applications with full payment. All applicants must have a valid SCWDC membership for the period August 2019 through May 2020. Applications and memberships received after the deadline will be considered in the order they are received, as space permits.

Sunday Instructional Tennis Program is a mixture of professional instruction, drills, and fun play for 16 Sunday afternoon/evening sessions from September 15, 2019, through May 3, 2020, at Fairfax Racquet Club. Participants play with the same group on alternating Sundays. Each session is two hours, which includes 35-40 minutes with a tennis professional from the club. There will also be a holiday party in December and an indoor end-of-year tennis party in May.

Please send names, phone numbers, postal and email addresses of players in your group on the application form with checks totaling \$1,396 by 6 p.m. on Sunday, July 14, 2019, to Jayne Lynch, 12000 Ridge Knoll Dr. #4, Fairfax, VA 22033.

If you are an individual interested in joining an existing group, contact Tammy at least three weeks before the July 14 deadline to allow time to put you in touch with groups looking for members.

If you have any other questions, contact Tammy or Jayne.

COST:

DATES:

2019-20 SUNDAY INSTRUCTIONAL TENNIS APPLICATION

DEADLINE: July 14, 6 p.m., for applications with full payment for all applicants. **All participants must** have a valid SCWDC membership through May 2020.

\$349 per person; \$1,396 per team (Make checks payable to SCWDC)

Alternating Sundays, September 15, 2019 - May 3, 2020

(Session #1 begins September 15; Session #2 begins September 22) SEND TO: Jayne Lynch, 12000 Ridge Knoll Dr. #4, Fairfax, VA 22033 Captain Name Email Mailing Address Phone Player #2 Name Email Mailing Address Phone Player #3 Name Email Mailing Address Phone Player #4 ___ Name Email Mailing Address Phone SCWDC court times: 1-3 p.m.; 3-5 p.m.; 5-7 p.m.; 2:30-4:30 p.m.; 4:30-6:30 p.m.; 6:30-8:30 p.m. PREFERRED SESSION/TIME:

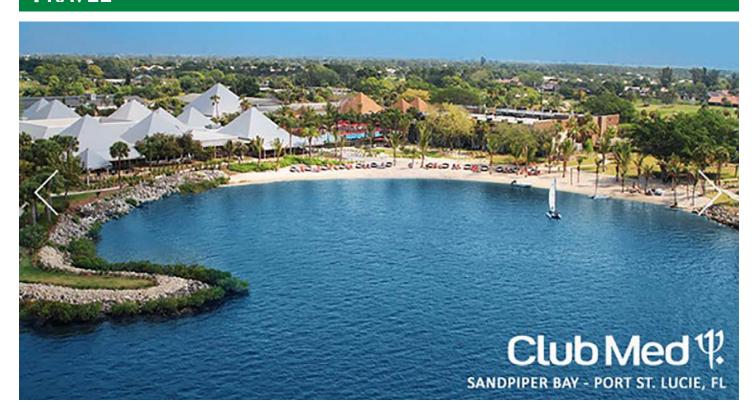
PROGRAM CO-LEADERS;

Jayne Lynch – <u>jaynelynch@yahoo.com</u> / 703-636-9149 Tammy Vetter – <u>tgvetter@gmail.com</u> / 703-449-9554

Most groups who return year after year choose to keep the same session/time slot. If you would like to be

considered for a different time, should one become available, please contact Tammy or Jayne.

TRAVEL



Our next Club Med getaway will be to the fabulous <u>SANDPIPER BAY</u> resort in Florida, fro April 27 to May 4, 2019. Price is only **\$1,229/pp!** David Toms is Trip Leader.

For a luxurious all-inclusive stay with a focus on sport, Sandpiper Bay is the ideal Club Med Resort for an active vacation. Located along the St. Lucie River, amid wonderfully lush vegetation, Club Med Sandpiper Bay enjoys a delightfully tropical climate and a Sports Academy that combines the joy of learning with the goals of serious technique and progress.

- FREE- Gourmet / healthy meals in 2 separate restaurants, including beer and wine at meals, Premium cocktails, beer, wine, and soft drinks at 2 different bars
- FREE- Nightly entertainment, happy hours, beach parties, live music
- FREE- Golf, tennis, and pickleball instruction, round robins, tournaments. Championship golf course and practice facilities on premises
- FREE- Windsurfing, sailing, kayaking, paddle boarding, Yoga, Zumba, & aqua fitness classes

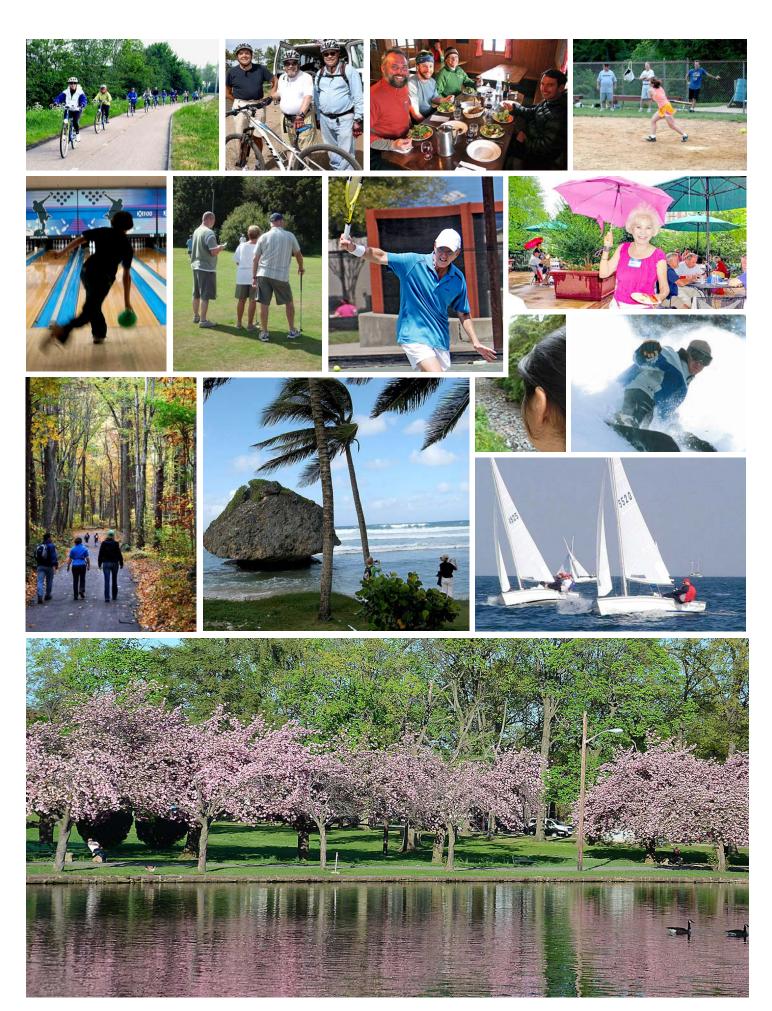
Additional costs are for private tennis or golf lessons, jet ski, water skiing, wake boarding, other excursions, and spa treatments. Discounted prices for golf play.

All transportation, transfers, lodging, and meals are included for 7 nights. Non-stop round-trip flight from BWI to West Palm Beach provided via Southwest Airlines.

Itinerary:

4/27/19: Depart BWI 8:30 a.m. - Arrive PBI 11:05 a.m. 05/4/19: Depart PBI 6:15 p.m. - Arrive BWI 8:35 p.m.

Register online at https://scwdc.wildapricot.org/event-3159482 Only a few spots left!



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SCWDC MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

The Ski Club of Washington, DC...

Great Sports For All Seasons

Fill out the the membership application below, and mail it to the Club office at the address indicated. For Family Memberships, spouses, partners, and juniors (age 18 or younger) must reside at same address. Membership term is 12 months from initial signup, and annual renewal date thereafter.

Your membership information is confidential, and will only be visible to Club administrators, unless otherwise specified in your user profile. Your valid email address will serve as your Membership ID, and is used for most member communications, such as confirmation of event registrations and payments, membership renewal notifications, and election notices.

Find us on the web at https://scwdc.wildapricot.org/. Contact the office at 703-532-7776, M-F, 9 AM – 5 PM Email the office at scwdc@scwdc.org

Please **sign** the application at the bottom & mail a check, payable to **SCWDC** for the correct amount, and this completed application to:

Ski Club of Washington, DC, 5309 Lee Highway, Arlington, VA 22207 (703) 532-7776

Last Name	First Name		MI	Suffix	Gender (M/F)	_
Address				/ State	Zip	
E-Mail Address (must be a valid address)			Hom	e Phone		Mobile Phone
Spouse/Partner Last Name	First Name		MI	Suffix	Gender (M/F)	_
E-Mail Address (must be	a valid address)		Hom	e Phone		Mobile Phone
Juniors: (18 or First Name younger)	Birth Date	First Name	Birth Date First Name		First Name	Birth Date
Membership type	One Year	Three Year	Five Ye	ar		
Single	□ \$35.00	□ \$95.00	□ \$155	.00		
Couple/Family	□ \$53.00	□ \$149.00	□ \$245	.00		
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