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Monthly Events - Virmond Park - Port Washington Scenic Pedal (34 miles) <i>Tuesday, June 6, 9:30 am</i> Meet: Virmond Park, 10606 North Lake Shore Dr., Mequon, parking lot east of tennis courts. Bathrooms & water available. On a likely, warm and sunny Wisconsin summer day, join Nordics as we bicycle from Virmond Park to Port Washington. The scenic, out-and-back, 34 mile, route often skirts Lake Michigan before it merges with the Ozaukee (County) Interurban Trail ending in Port Washington. We'll stop and take a breather and brunch break in the charming "Port" city before heading back home. Questions: contact leader Jane Stoltz, ljmstoltz@gmail.com , or, 414-378-1691.			Coming Up: Fireworks <i>July 4</i> Namekagon River GSP Paddling & Camping Trip <i>July 5-9</i> Milwaukee River GSP Twilight Paddle <i>July 19</i> Red Cedar River GSP Paddling & Camping Trip <i>August 3-7</i> Lulu Lake GSP Paddling Trip <i>August 9</i> Local Bike Ride & Picnic Lunch
Rock River GSP Paddling Trip <i>Sunday, June 11, 10:00 am</i> Join the Glacier State Paddlers for a fun day trip along a scenic section of the upper Rock River. The trip shuttle starts at 10:00 am at Harnischfeger Park (3048 N Crawfish Rd, Ixonia). Please arrive before 10:00 to unload. Directions: Take Hwy 67 north from the Hwy 16 Oconomowoc bypass, a little over 3 miles. Turn left onto Evergreen Rd. and go 2.1 mi., then turn right onto Highview Rd. and go 1.1 mi., then turn right onto N. Crawfish Rd. and go to the parking lot near the Rock River. The canoe trip will end at Kanow Park near Hwy 16. This trip is suitable for beginners. Please bring a bag lunch, beverage, and gloves to protect your hands. Call GSP trip leader and Nordic member David Rosenberg at 414-975-2298 to reserve a spot on the trip and to get additional trip details. Identify yourself as a Nordic Ski Club member.			

<p>Big Bend to Tichigan Lake Fabulous Fox River Weekday GSP Paddling Trip <i>Thursday, June 15, 9:50 am</i></p> <p>A few miles south of the city of Waukesha, explore a short portion of the Fox River, also known as the Little Fox River; the name distinguishes it from the one further north. We will put in just south of the intersection of Co. Hwy L and Hwy 164 in Big Bend. Briefly traveling parallel to Hwy 164 the river will shortly flow west and south through the Vernon Marsh area. There are many birds and other wildlife to look for as we paddle through this beautiful region of the Fox River for approximately six miles. We will take our boats out at the DNR public landing near the beginning of Tichigan Lake at river mile 146.5.</p> <p>The shuttle will start at 9:50 a.m. Contact Carol before the day of the paddle to let her know you will join this weekday paddle on Thursday morning June 15. Her email is tortoiseski@wi.rr.com. Afterwards, a stop at a nearby restaurant will be offered. There will be no lunch stop on the river.</p>	<p>August 12</p> <p>Milwaukee River GSP Twilight Paddle August 16</p> <p>Retzer Nature Center Beer Garden August 18</p> <p>Potawatomi State Park Camping Trip September 1-4</p>
<p>Upper Sugar River GSP Paddling & Camping Trip <i>Friday, June 16 - Sunday, June 18</i></p> <p>Join the Glacier State Paddlers for a fun weekend trip near New Glarus. Group camp at New Glarus Woods and enjoy two days on the rural and woodsy upper New Glarus river. Bring your bike and enjoy an evening ride on the Sugar River bike trail or bike into town for an ice cream. Leave for Friday night fish fry at 5:00 pm. Contact Anresa Tekus: Resa0061@yahoo.com. Identify yourself as a Nordic Ski member.</p>	<p>Contact Us:</p> <p>Email nordicskiclub.mke@gmail.com</p> <p>For membership information, call Pat Doornek 414-906-0629</p>
<p>Milwaukee River GSP Twilight Paddle <i>Wednesday, June 28, 5:45 pm</i></p> <p>Enjoy a summer evening with a twilight paddle on the Milwaukee River. Join other Nordics and Glacier State Paddlers members Wednesday evening on June 16 starting at 6:00 pm and ending at dusk, so please bring a flashlight. We'll paddle the Milwaukee River through downtown Milwaukee. Launch site is the Kiwanis Boat Landing at 2135 N Riverboat Rd - on river side of street with street parking. Arrive by 5:45 pm to help get canoes and kayaks into the water before the 6:00 launch.</p> <p>Let GSP trip leader Debbie Luetzow know you are attending by calling or texting her at 414-333-0064. Identify yourself as a Nordic Ski Club member.</p>	<p>Nordic Officers</p> <p>President Carol Doebler</p> <p>Vice Presidents Renee Couture and Ellen Riley</p> <p>Secretary Paula Brookmire</p> <p>Treasurer Dave Herrewig</p>
<p>2024 Ski Trips Update, Labor Day Camping</p> <p>If you like reruns, you'll love the following ski trips that have been scheduled for next winter.</p> <p>Keweenaw Peninsula: Friday, December 29 (8 am) – Monday, January 1 (No US National Championships at MTU) Valley Spur: Friday, January 19 (8 am) – Sunday, January 21 Minocqua Winter Park: Friday, February 9 (8 am) – Sunday, February 11 ABR Trails: Friday, March 1 (8 am) – Sunday, March 3</p> <p>Lodging for all ski trips will be the same as last winter's lodging including the Comfort Inn & Suites in Munising for the Valley Spur ski trip where everyone will have a lakeside room and be</p>	<p>Board Members Julie Amundson Paula Brookmire Renee Couture Carol Doebler Steven Fabina Dorothy Riesing Ellen Riley David Rosenberg Mary Wozniak</p> <p>Program Committee Members:</p>

able to keep their room until we leave for home on Sunday.

A week-long ski trip to Vermont will potentially be led by Stan Rosenstiel next winter. Stay tuned for more details.

Mark your calendars for the Labor Day Weekend camping trip that will be held at Potawatomi State Park in Door County, WI from Friday, Sept. 1 thru Monday, September 4.

*The Nordic Ski Club of Milwaukee (NSCM) continues to practice social distancing and the use of face masks, **as recommended by the CDC and Wisconsin authorities.** Know that your participation in any event is at your own risk. Before attending any NSCM outing or event, please check with the event leader. Use good judgment and continue to keep us all safe.*

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The Nordic Ski Club runs on volunteers.
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	more.
	Club Membership Membership Renewals due Oct. 1. Renew online. Then pay through PayPal or mail check to Pat Doornek. Dues - Individual \$25 Household \$35 Must be a current member to book ski trips at member rate.
	Web Tips Adjust your profile settings so that fellow Nordic Members can see your name, address and phone numbers. Select “Members Only” to protect the information from the general public. That is the default for new members. Go to www.nordicskiclub.org and login to your profile. The login is in the upper right-hand corner. From there, the Member Tab will appear on the menu. Full instructions are located on that page in a PDF file.
	Add Photos To The Nordic Website As a member of the Nordics, you may upload photos to your personal photo album or to the public albums. Simply log-in so all member privileges are available. Then the upload and edit buttons are visible for you to add to the fun. Need help? katiebivens@ymail.com If you are interested in leading a Nordic Event, or have a great idea for a member event, please contact a member of the Program Committee or Paul Keber, pkeber@milwpc.com