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**Sunday, August 28  
Cream City Century  
Bike Ride**  
Paul Keber

your lawn chairs (or rent them for \$2) and stake out your place while we eat. Beer, wine, popcorn, and snacks are available for purchase and you can carry in whatever food and beverage you choose. There may also be a food truck that evening selling burgers and sandwiches. No pets are allowed.

**September 1 - 5  
Hartman Creek  
State Park Camping  
Trip**  
Paul Keber

The area is sprayed for mosquitoes but bug spray is a handy option as well as a light jacket for later in the evening. Most people walk from the parking area to the Summer Stage (so don't bring too much stuff), but a golf cart does offer shuttle service if needed.

**October 1  
Bavarian Bierhaus  
Octoberfest**  
Cathy Ward

The performances are held rain or shine, but will be cancelled for electrical storms. If the weather is "iffy" that day you can call their number for an update; otherwise, "the show must go on."

Please call Joanne Ziarek @ 262-821-2064 by noon on Friday, August 12, if you have questions or to let me know you are coming. We can try to "stake out" an area with our chairs to eat and party together.

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**Lulu Lake GSP Canoe Trip**

*Sunday, August 14, 10:00 am*

Join the Glacier State Paddlers on Sunday, August 14 for an easy, social canoe trip. This trip will start and end at the Eagle Springs Pub on Eagle Spring Lake, so no car shuttling will be needed. The canoe trip will begin at 10:00 AM and will cross Eagle Spring Lake, traverse a marshy channel, and enter Lulu Lake. We will take a lunch break on a nice sandy beach, so please bring along a bag lunch and beverage and wear your swimming suit for a dip in the lake.

After a nice break, we will return to our starting point where you can get refreshments at the pub. Eagle Spring Lake is on County E southeast of Eagle, WI. From I-43, take the Hwy 83 Mukwonago exit and follow it thru town a little over 1 mile to County LO. Turn left on LO and go about 5 mi to County E. Turn left and go a short distance to Eagle Springs Pub.

Call GSP trip leaders Maureen Quinn at 414-324-7261 or Marge Brewer at 414-873-4565 to reserve a spot on the trip, or for more information. Please hurry if you need to rent a canoe since this is a popular trip. Identify yourself as a Nordic Ski Club member. Canoe rental cost is a maximum of \$6.00 per person. Money should be paid directly to Marge. There is no fee if you have your own canoe or kayak.

**Milwaukee River GSP Dinner Paddle**

*Wednesday, August 17, 6:00 pm*

What better way to enjoy a late summer evening than a twilight paddle on the Milwaukee River with dinner at the Milwaukee Ale House? Join other Nordics and GSP members Wednesday evening on August 17 starting at 6:00 pm.

We'll paddle the Milwaukee River from the Schlitz Office Park to downtown Milwaukee where we will dine at the Milwaukee Ale

**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? [paul\\_matteoni@hotmail.com](mailto:paul_matteoni@hotmail.com)

Next Month,  
Look For:

*The Odd Couple at  
Summer Stage  
September 9*  
Joanne Ziarek

*Monthly Meeting  
September 16*

*Nordic Trail Hike  
September 17*  
Mike Craig

*Pedal the Kettle Bike  
Ride  
September 18*  
Paul Keber

*Vernon Marsh  
Guided Hike  
September 24*  
Barb Tremel

*Local Hike  
September 25*  
Dennis Drake

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,

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renewal forms may be  
mailed to:*

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House. After dinner we will return to our starting point. Please bring a light for your canoe since it will be dark on the return trip.

[pkeber@milwpc.com](mailto:pkeber@milwpc.com)

Contact GSP trip leader Debbie Luetzow at 414-333-0064 to let her know you are attending and to get trip details (where to meet, etc.). Identify yourself as a Nordic Ski Club member. Please contact Bill Ross at 414-332-1889 or [wmbross@hotmail.com](mailto:wmbross@hotmail.com) if you wish to rent a canoe. Canoe rental cost is a maximum of \$2.00 per person for this trip. Money should be paid directly to Bill. There is no fee if you have your own canoe or kayak.

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**Waukesha Friday Night Live**

*Friday, August 26, 5:30 pm*

Meet your NSCM friends at The Steaming Cup, 340 W Main Street, Waukesha (on the corner of Main & Clinton). Join Kayleen at 5:30 for a bite to eat at The Steaming Cup or across the street at People's Park. At 6:30 we will venture out to explore the streets of Historic Downtown Waukesha, including 10 stages of live music and a variety of restaurants and unique shops. The music plays until 9:00 pm. For more info, check: [www.WaukeshaFridayNightLive.com](http://www.WaukeshaFridayNightLive.com).

Call or e-mail event leader Kayleen Kauffman @ (home) 262-549-2389 or [kgkauffman@yahoo.com](mailto:kgkauffman@yahoo.com). Use (cell) 262-501-9280 on event day.

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**Lowes Lake GSP Canoe Trip & Barbeque**

*Saturday, August 27, 11:30 am*

Join the Glacier State Paddlers on Saturday, August 27 for an easy, social canoe trip. This trip will start and end on Hwy Q at the bridge over the Oconomowoc River just east of the town of Monches, so no car shuttling will be needed. The canoe trip will begin at 11:30 am and will follow the Oconomowoc River for several miles until it reaches Lowes Lake, part of the Kettle Moraine State Forest.

After a nice swimming break, we will return to our starting point followed by an optional barbeque dinner at the home of Lynn and Diane Pagenkop after 3 pm. Please bring your meat to grill and alcoholic beverages, plus a dish to pass. A swimming pool is available. Contact Diane Pagenkop at 414-540-1161 or [dianegp@wi.rr.com](mailto:dianegp@wi.rr.com) to RSVP for the picnic. Contact GSP and NSCM trip leader Mike Craig at 414-552-5011 or [craig8993@gmail.com](mailto:craig8993@gmail.com) to reserve a spot on the trip for the paddle and for more information. Bring something to drink and snacks for the canoe trip. Identify yourself as a Nordic Ski Club member. Canoe rental cost will probably be \$6.00 per person. Money should be paid directly to Mike. There is no fee if you have your own canoe or kayak.

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**Cream City Century Bike Ride**

*Sunday, August 28, Start Times: 7 - 9 am*

This is the 33rd Anniversary CCCC Century Ride, with terrific routes like last year's, but with an updated 100 mile route. There are four distance options - 32, 53, 68, and 100 mile routes beginning and ending

at Waterford Union High School. Many quiet country roads, with some rolling hills. Shady lanes. Dairy air! Full-service rest stop @ every 16-25 miles on all routes. 4 rest stops on the 100 mile route. Great food, Home-baked goods. Full sag support. Post-ride showers, pasta dinner, ice cream, and beverages at Waterford Union High School.

Adult Registration Fee is \$30 through August 20, or \$35 after August 20. Go to the CCCC website at <http://www.creamcitycycleclub.com> for more information or sign-up on <http://active.com>. Look for Nordics on the route! Any questions? Contact Paul Keber at 262-547- 4827 or email at [pkeber@milwpc.com](mailto:pkeber@milwpc.com).

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### **Labor Day Camping Trip at Hartman Creek State Park**

*Thursday, September 1 - Monday, September 5*

Join us for a 5-day camping trip over Labor Day weekend at Hartman Creek State Park. Hartman Creek State Park is about 6 miles west of Waupaca and less than a 2-hour drive from Milwaukee. You can arrive on any of the 5 days and stay as many days as you wish. Enjoy great hiking on either the park trails or 1 ½ miles of the newly rerouted Ice Age Trail through the park. The park also has separate mountain bike trails, a beach on a park lake, and the Chain of Lakes for paddling.

The surrounding area has beautiful country roads for road biking. There are also dining opportunities in Waupaca. We'll be in group campsite 2 in the park, with access to shower facilities in the family campground. Campfires will be held nightly, but do not bring firewood from home. Our traditional group potluck dinner will take place on Saturday night, so bring your favorite dish to pass.

The trip cost for the entire weekend is only \$14 (non-members \$15.50). Please make checks payable to NSCM and mail to Paul Keber; 2000 Cobblestone Ct; Waukesha, WI 53188. Also include your email address where I can send a trip letter shortly before the trip. Only 30 spots are available, so don't delay! A Wisconsin State Park admission sticker is required for your vehicle (annual \$28, daily \$8).

Contact Paul at 262-547-4827 or [pkeber@milwpc.com](mailto:pkeber@milwpc.com) for more information. Check out the following links for more park information: <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/parks/name/hartman/> and <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/parks/name/hartman/pdfs/hartmanmapsummer.pdf>

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### **Bavarian Bierhaus Oktoberfest**

*Saturday, October 1, 6 pm*

**Wilkommen und Prost!** Join your Nordic Ski Club friends on Saturday, October 1, 2016 5 pm at the Bavarian Bierhaus, 700 Lexington Blvd., Glendale, to celebrate **Oktoberfest**. Admission is \$5.00 at the door. Tickets can be purchased for \$4.00 in advance by calling 414-236-7000.

Join us as we celebrate the oldest and most authentic Bavarian Oktoberfest in the Midwest right here in Glendale, Wisconsin. Oktoberfest is modeled just like the one held in Munich, Germany. Continuous entertainment

includes traditional German brass bands, Schuhplatter folk dancing, singing, yodeling, sing-alongs and dancing for everyone.

Delicious and authentic German food is available at Oktoberfest. Dinners of broiled chicken, Oktoberfest bratwurst or spanferkel (young pig spit roasted over an open pit), include potato salad, coleslaw and bread. Rollbraten (sliced pork roast on a Kaiser roll), hot dogs, pretzels and sweet roasted almonds are available. Desserts include fruit strudel, tortes and assorted homemade cakes. Get in line early for your Bienenstich or "Bee sting" cake. Of course there's plenty of beer on tap - imported and domestic - as well as other drinks. There are traditional German imported gifts and souvenirs sold at the park as well. The main festivities take place in the Bavarian Fest Garten - an Alpine style pavilion equipped with weather curtains on the open sides.

Check it out at [bavarianbierhaus.com](http://bavarianbierhaus.com). Click on the Oktoberfest link in the upper right corner for details, pictures, etc. **Two tables have been reserved for us in the covered Oktoberfest pavilion, so we can enjoy the festivities regardless of the weather. We must occupy the tables by 6 pm.** For those who plan to attend, please e-mail Cathy Ward at [cward4@att.net](mailto:cward4@att.net) by **Sept. 14** so a count of the number attending is obtained. One table will be cancelled if necessary after that date.

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#### **New Procedure for Ski Trip Flyers**

**BIG NEWS!** Flyers for the 2016-2017 NSCM ski trips will arrive earlier via email in the second half of September.

Earlier access to the trip flyers means you'll have lots of time before the October 21 signup meeting to review trip details and decide which ones to register for. Plus, you'll have anytime access to the online flyers--save a tree and print only the flyers you need. If you register online (opens on October 22, the day after the signup meeting), you won't need to print anything.

Do you also want paper copies of the trip flyers mailed to you as they have been mailed in the past? You'll need to respond to a special email to be sent in late August. Mailed flyers will arrive after the emailed versions.

We hope you'll enjoy this new, environmentally friendly flyer distribution that also results in less paper, printing, postage, and mailing costs for our club. If you're a current NSCM member, just sit back and wait for your ski trip flyers to arrive electronically and early!

Questions or feedback? Please contact a Program Committee member.

-- *Paul Keber, chair of the Program Committee*

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