



IBEX SKI & SNOWBOARD CLUB

THE OLDE GOAT



**MEETS THE 1ST & 3RD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT:
GRAVE
1204 W. RAND RD. ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, IL.**

MAY 2008

MEETINGS

7:00 PM BOOZE & SCHMOOZE

8:00 PM MEETING

> **MAY 7**

> **MAY 21**

EVENTS

> **BOM
-MAY 9**

> **VOLLEYBALL
-MAY 12**

> **DON JUAN'S
-MAY 17**

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IBEX GOLF OUTING

The Ibex golf outing on **June 14, 2008** will be held at **Chapel Hill Country Club in McHenry, IL**, with the after golf party at John & Debbie's house (approx. 3.6 miles from the golf course)

The golf will be a scrambles format (all 18 holes) and the golf committee will try to set-up foursomes with similar handicaps or foursomes may be set-up using Todd Strogers' rules. Scramble rule will be in your cart at tee time.

The first tee time is set for 9:00 A.M. and the party will start at 2:00 P.M. and will finish when the fire stops. There will be golf prizes, plenty of food and drinks.

Note: The party is not reserved for golfers only!

Golf only (includes cart) = \$50.00 @
(all golfers must use a cart)

Golf and party = \$65.00 @

Party only = \$15.00 @

We have 40 spots reserved for golf and unlimited spots for the party.



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DON JUAN'S RESTAURANTE

Hey Ibexer's, it's time to burnish your appetite in preparation for our next evening of fine dining. On **Saturday May 17**, we've made reservations for 26 diners at [Don Juan's Restaurante](#) of Edison Park to partake of their excellent and original nouveau-Mexican style repast.

From personal experience, I can tell you they also are the purveyor's of the finest Margarita's in Chicagoland.



Our host, Maria, has arranged to put together a fantastic fixed price dinner that will delight the palate of even the most discriminating gour-

met and food aficionado. In our private room, our diners will enjoy several familiar appetizers and then move on to select from a list of three offerings for the main course, which will be prepared to order for each individual. To put an exclamation point on the evening, you will have a choice of ice cream or Flan accompanied by coffee. You will relish the time spent at this gallup-tious evening with old friends, new friends and truly exceptional victuals.

So open up your vault, let some of the coin of the realm see the light of day and join us on the 17th. You

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We have a lot of chairs but if you want to be sure you are not sitting in the grass you may want to bring your own chair.

Greg Kujawinski and/or John Brandt will be at the meetings to take sign-ups and your money. When signing up for golf we would like for you to give us your best estimate for your golf score for 9 holes.

Addresses:

Chapel Hill Country Club
2500 N. Chapel Hill Rd.
McHenry, IL
815-385-3337

John & Debbie's
2024 Orchard Beach Rd.
McHenry, IL
815-578-0277

-John & Greg

DON JUAN'S RESTAURANTE –CONTINUED

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won't find a better value at \$33.00, which includes taxes for the kingdom and a modest but appropriate gratuity for our host and staff. Beer, Margarita's and any other adult beverages will be the responsibility of the individual diner.

A mere \$5.00 proffered at any of the next three regular meetings will assure you a chair at the table. The balance will be due by the May14.

Hors d'oeuvres - Fresh Guacamole, Chips & Salsa, Mini-Burritos

Salad – Caesar

Main Course Selections
(Select one)

Fillet of Tilapia w/ Asparagus, Cherry Tomatoes and Chile de Arbol Brown Butter

Sautéed Chicken Breast, Wild Mushroom Risotto & Chile Serrano and Cilantro Veloute

Bistro Medallion of Beef Tenderloin with Chile Chipotle Bordelaise

Desert (Select one)

Flan

Ice Cream

Beverage – Coffee or Tea

6:30 – 7:00 PM - Hors d'oeuvres, beverages and schmoozing

7:00 PM - Main Course

-Joe



IBEX RUNNING/TECH SHIRTS!

We will be placing an order with Kathy Burns early in the month of May for wicking Ibex shirts. We have a group that does running races that would like to “advertise” ourselves at races, so we picked out a few styles for men and women. Everyone is welcome to join in our

order. They are great to wear if you plan on doing any physical activity! Contact Kathy if you want to get in on the order but can't make the meeting.

-Mindy

LOU'S LOG

Well, our ski season wrapped up with a bang in Breckenridge. What a great trip to end a fantastic ski season. We again experienced prodigious amounts of snow, fun, and laughter. Sarah presided over one of the most successful trip schedules we have had in regards to great destinations, good snow, and fun times!

Now that are skies are stored away to collect dust for a few months we are off and running planning next years trips already. Pam has started soliciting bids form trip providers, and we will attend several provider events over the next few months to line up our 2008-09 trip schedule.

Well enough about skiing, the local weather has finally shown some serious signs of spring and the Ibex summer activities are about to kick off. Chris will be planning a long list

of fun summer activities to keep us moving, entertained, well fed and maybe even over served. You can look forward to golf (summer and fall), volleyball, bike rides, dinners, shows, Ravinia, picnic, wine tasting, bars of the month, and whatever other fun activities we can dream up to keep us having fun all summer and fall.

If you have an idea for a fun summer activity please contact Chris with your ideas, and hopefully we can fit it into the Ibex calendar. It is a great way to give a little back to the club and inspire a little old fashioned Ibex fun and camaraderie at the same time.

I look forward to seeing you all at an Ibex activity real soon.

Play and party safe!

-Lou DiFrancisco



“If you have an idea for a fun summer activity please contact Chris (Smith)”

IBEX VOLLEYBALL

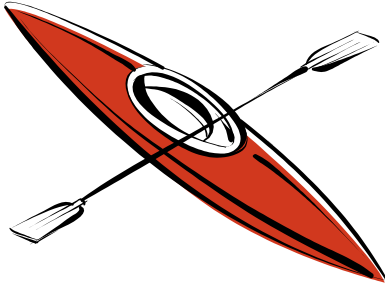
When: Every Monday Night, starting May 12 to Labor Day
Time: 6:00pm until dusk
Where: Busse Woods Grove #28
Directions: Golf Rd, east of Rt 53 to the “first & only” grove entrance (approximately ¼ mile on the south-side of Golf Rd), then go south & stay to your right until you get to grove #28. As your “Old” Volleyball coordinators, we welcome you & your “new goats” to come out and play some “inspiring” volleyball this year! We predict some beautiful summer nights of fun!! Bring a volleyball friend! Ibex provides the nets & balls.

Note: If we encounter “inclement” weather, total lack of energy, or any other lame excuse, you can always meet us at our backup plan “B”: “drinking” @ “Morretti’s Sports Bar” (1893 Walden Office Square, Schaumburg), located just west of Rt 53 on Algonquin Rd - around 8:30pm! Any questions? Call Denny Gawlik @ (847) 849-8004 (work)/ (847) 275-8778 (cell) or “Sweet” Sue Lessen @ (847) 781-0943 (home) *** “MORE FUN THAN HUMANS CAN POSSIBLY ENCOUNTER” is our MOTTO!

-Denny



KAYAK THE FOX RIVER!



I bet is going down the River!
Sunday, June 22 at 10:00am a group of us will take a short lesson on how to kayak. Though similar to canoeing it is a little different. We will be renting small, one person plastic kayaks along with your own personal flotation device and paddle. After our lesson, we will proceed with a "there and back" trip starting at Geneva Kayak Center and paddling up to the Illinois Street bridge and back. Paddling alongside several parks is "delightful" as this stretch sees little motorized traffic. We estimate spending 2 to 2.5

hours with the lesson and time spent paddling up and down the river. Afterwards we will meander over to the River Lane pub west across the river for a few brews and lunch.

Cost is \$ 35.00 per person

Sign up with Ed Fee at the next meeting, first come, first serve as we are limited to 14 people.

Geneva Kayak Center

34 N. Bennett

Geneva, IL 60134

Phone: 630.232.0320

www.genevakayak.com

-Ed



RAVINIA NIGHTS



We have lawn tickets again this season for Ravinia! Shows this year are:

Bodeans, August 9th

Donna Summer, August 30th

Both are on Saturday nights

Sign up at our next meeting.

Prices TBD



SKI SCHOOL WRAP UP

This year Ibex instructors logged in over 100+ hours of teaching 40 of our members on skis and snowboards. Lessons were offered at Salt Lake City, Wilmot, Tahoe, the Midwest trip, Alyeska and Breckenridge. The new video analysis clinics got rave reviews from everyone that tried it. There were video clips at the banquet, but in case you missed it, our instructors video taped individuals skiing and then were able to go inside and review the run to actually watch themselves ski. This provides everyone with feedback right away. Reviewing the footage allows the student and instructor(s) to walk through every step of the run; rewinding, pausing and slow motions. As we all know a picture is worth a thousand words. If you have taken a lesson and have any feedback for us (good or bad) please let me know at haussmaw@hotmail.com. One of our members is requesting a terrain



park lesson for next year. Also if anyone would like a special type of lesson let us know, we are happy to help.

Ski Instructors, John & Debbie, showing students videos of their ski lessons in Alyeska

-Bill Haussmann

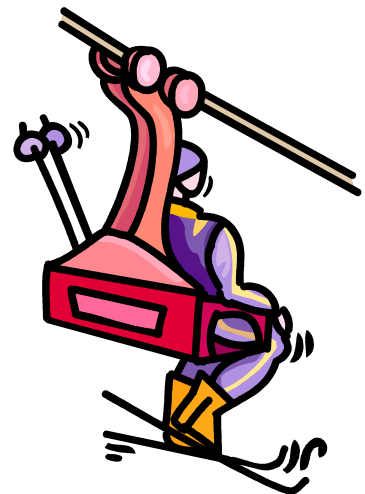
TRIP CONNECTIONS

Greetings from your new Trip Chair! I hope everyone enjoyed the trips that they participated in this year. Thanks again to Sarah for all of her efforts in making 2008 a successful ski season for Ibex.

As you are aware, a lot of work goes into making each season successful and it all starts with each of you completing the Trip Survey. Thank you to everyone who completed the survey this year. The Trip Survey results have been compiled and we are in the process of developing our short list of desired destinations and

soliciting bids from several trip providers. While we are still very early in the process, I can share that some great destinations have made the short list this year – some old favorites along with a few destinations that would be new for Ibex! We also remain open to any deals that may be presented by the trip providers at the Trip Seminar which will be held on May 17 this year. Stay tuned for further updates in the next newsletter.

-Pam Arnold



2008 BANQUET RE-CAP



Thanks to the 63 IbeX that came out to Hackney's Saturday April 19, 2008! A good time was had by all! There was lots of food, five hours open bar, a few hours of dancing and laughs by all who attended! Thanks to Mark Westlund who put many hours of his time into a fantastic slide show showcasing our good times and a few times we would like to forget! Thanks also to Bill Haussmann for running Ski School last year and Kathy Burns for keeping us looking good in our IbeX Apparel. We had a couple "changing of the guards" as I step down from Activities and Chris Smith takes over and as Sarah gives the reigns over to

Pam Arnold for a two year term as Trip Chair. We had one shuffle as Lou went from Treasurer and temporary President, to current 2008-2009 President and Bill Haussmann takes over as Treasurer. We have Doris HOFFIE for a second one year term as Membership and Ed Fee is serving his second one year

term as Secretary a.k.a. newsletter guy.

On to the many serious, funny, over the top awards given out this year!!

Lovers of The Year...Ed Bendickson and Karen Geborek for Karen referencing Ed's "tripod" qualities in Alaska

Gunny sergeant...Pat Calabrese for making the sissy men of Lake Tahoe get there asses in gear each morning

Broken Crutch...Chuck Binzel for

colliding with another snowboarder (sending him "cart wheeling") in Breck only to receive a broken finger nail!!

GQ Award...Hottie Brian Blome was photographed in a flattering fuzzy pink Spider ski coat in Salt Lake City

The Duke Carl Berg...fuzzy man-thong with tail. Ask and you



might get a glimpse!!

Unlikely Angel of Mercy Jean Bagel for walking a mildly intoxicated person through the streets of Chicago and attending to another person praying to the porcelain gods at Howl at the Moon (all in one night with a glass of wine in her other hand)

Biggest Mistake was made by Mickie Polk for starting a pub crawl at a dry establishment in Alaska

Best Use of Retirement...our treasurer's favorite member, Mike Edens, for going on every trip in 2008!

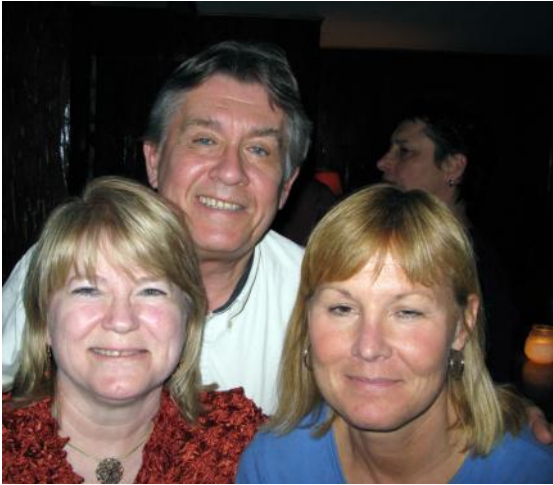
Prince William of Shopping Bill Haussmann for going to the gift shop on a powder day in Salt Lake City

The manual bubbler...Kirby made his own bubbles one night in the hot tub!!

Porno Condo...Kirby "accidentally" ordered porn in his Breck



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condo only to find his condo-mates, Rich Fontengeres, Carl Berg, and Jerry Gagliano watching, intently over fruit loops the next morning

Bunny of the Year 2008= Peggy Sue Wilson's ditzy attempt to ditch a guy for hitting on her in Alaska by getting a bunch of people to take a picture

Après Skier= Paula Hiller for her intense commitment to having a good time off the slopes

-Mindy



BRECKENRIDGE –RECAP

32 Ibex headed to Breckenridge for a “Spring” ski trip in Breckenridge Colorado on March 29. We would soon find out that Mother Nature had pretty much decided it would be a winter trip... and what a trip it was!



We all arrived in Breckenridge from multiple destinations including Milwaukee, Boston, Washington DC, Atlanta and Chicago by 4:30 on Saturday. Some of us were really

happy to be there (Carl), maybe due to a stop at the liquor store by our friendly bus driver. After a minor snafu unloading from the bus, the group quickly realized by huffing and puffing with our first bit of exertion, or flight of stairs, that Breck is pretty high, with this condo complex sitting at 9710' of altitude! Nonetheless, the property provided all the amenities with a lift right outside the door, multiple hot tubs, shops, a restaurant, a bar, and a ball room where some of the CMSC functions were held.

1st day skiing Breck, with surprisingly cool temps and snow flurries in the afternoon: The day got kicked off with the CMSC welcome breakfast to fuel everyone for the day of skiing. Some of us got a mountain tour first thing in the morning with local Ibex Jerry Stein and quickly realized that Breck had much improved the mountain accessibility with the several new quads, including a great new Super-connect Quad that ran diagonally across

several of the peaks. Really, Breck has changed for the better in the past few years, like a different mountain, including the great access to the bowls at peak 8 and Peak 7. After meeting for lunch some of the ladies were entertained (???) by Jerry's tour in the afternoon, and the clouds and snow started to move in. Michelle Moran spent a part of the day getting new member Jerry Gagliano up to speed on the finer points of skiing, allowing him to get to a point where he could enjoy the mountain a bit. After a quick hot tub by many (and the first appearance of Paula Hiller's ever present large insulated Margarita glass at the hot tub, with an apparently very good/strong margarita mix in it, as she was always very happy), we were off to the CMSC welcome reception that provided us a few drinks, some food, and an opportunity to catch up on everyone's ski day and a few CMSC friends too. Randy Fleiger introduced his Monkey to the crowd by tossing it into Paula Hiller's Lap, catching her completely by surprise causing her to scream or screech loudly as if...well, as if a monkey had just landed on her crotch. Randy's Monkey became a frequent companion at various Ibex events with many of the ladies very interested in touching, playing with, beating or pounding Randy's poor screaming monkey.

2nd day at Breck with about 6" fresh snow: much to David Lee's frustration you could tell it was race day number 1, because there was plenty of fresh powder, which we would have very little chance to ski before the race started. On top of that, David may have been a bit frustrated in the morning and he

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“condo complex sitting at 9710' of altitude!”

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apparently had to miss the un-tracked first powder runs of the day as other Ibex went out before him, as he waited for his roommates to square away a deal with a pharmacist for some good drugs. Believe me it was worth missing a powder run to see David spooled up like a top with frustration...we almost thought his head would explode... very funny stuff. Ibex started their great showing with good runs on the course and we had a great afternoon skiing in heavily falling snow, and truly amazing midwinter conditions. Monday night was the CMSC pub crawl night in downtown Breck. Many Ibex trounced around the town to the 12 different wine or beer bars lined up with the party ending up down at the Napper Tandy's bar. Though the pub crawl provided ample opportunity for partying, the still falling snow kept a lid on the partying a bit as folks anticipated a fantastic day of skiing at Vail the next day...if the snow would actually stop, and we could get there. Nonetheless, CMSC organized a great pub crawl, with lot of options and found a way to tie it into a nice charity.

3rd day at Vail with 17" of fresh snow in previous 24 hours: We woke up to sunshine and news that the busses could make it to Vail after all, though there might be a bit of slow going on the pass. This news split the group a bit as some decided not to go to Vail and risk a long ride, and stayed at Breck. We did make it to Vail in a pretty reasonable time and were on skis by 9:15am for a fantastic Powder Day in the back bowls and Blue Sky Basin. Vail was at it's absolute best, and what a tribute, as CMSC trip leader Teri Kinney dedicated the ski day and the Après Party to our

friend Craig Moon, on the day that would have been his 63rd birthday. Lynne Moon joined us at Vail, flying in that morning and talking a shuttle up to Vail. When she arrived she, Maureen and Peggy decided to tour Vail Village for some drink and shopping. This was the scene of the purchase of the infamous "Duke" they presented to Carl the following evening. They saw a mannequin in a store window with this fur lined G-Sting/Jock Strap type thing and decided Carl would love it.....don't ask me why they would think that..but he did smile and laugh a lot when he received it, so I guess they were right. That night a bunch of Ibex went to an Italian restaurant and Randy's Monkey made another appearance, and many of the ladies including Janine, Mickie, and especially Lynne were really beating the heck out Randy's poor Monkey.

"Ibex trounced around the town to the 12 different wine or beer bars "



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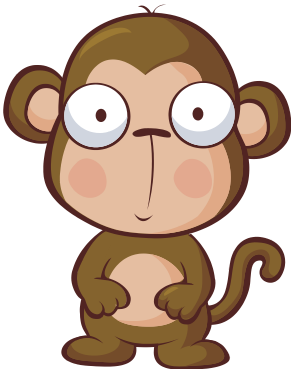
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4th day at A-Basin: a smaller group of Ibex made their way over to A-Basin for a day of skiing there, while some stayed at Breck and some



simply took the day off. Another great snow morning with several inches of fresh, and blue skies and cool temperatures. After an Après Ski Beer or 2 the group headed back for some hot-tub before our Club dinner at Salt Creek Breck. About 30 of the 32 Ibex joined Jerry Stein and his girlfriend at what turned out to be an excellent place for dinner that Jerry recommended (it does pay to know the locals sometimes). Yes, Randy's Monkey turned up again for more abuse..**why are the ladies so fascinated with Randy's Monkey??**



5th day at Keystone with some new snow in the morning significant fresh snow falling all afternoon: Race day #2 and Ibex kicked butt!!! As I predicted Janine, completed her win of the Overall Women's B-class for the week, followed very closely by Amy

Pikarsky in 2nd for B. These Ibex ladies did so well (and yes the rumor is true, they both beat David and I on day #2), they would have placed 2nd and 3rd in the A-class... excellent work ladies. There were numerous Ibex notable performances, with Mike Edens doing the best in Ibex overall, followed by Randy, me, David, Janine, Kirby and Amy. Several other Ibex placed in their divisions, including David, CJ, Chris Jackson and a few others I probably missed. The second day also had the overall team races with 3 person men or women's teams with an A, B and C racer on each team. Ibex women again kicked butt with the "Nucking Futz" team of Janine, Amy and Paula taking the gold. On the men's side, the "Kiss Me I'm Shitfaced" team of David, Mike Warta and me, took the silver. A great 2 days of racing for Ibex with many Nastar medals earned...and lots of fun.

The race was followed by a nice mountain lunch and then an afternoon of steady snow and absolutely great conditions at Keystone, I am sure I have never seen Keystone in better shape.

6th day at Breck with, you got it, more fresh snow in the morning and finally a somewhat mild afternoon conducive to true spring Après ski outside on the deck. The group enjoyed a beautiful spring day with new snow in the morning and warm sun on the afternoon. Some of us made it up to the summit (with a short hike form the Imperial lift) after they finally opened the bowls after several hours of blasting for avalanche control, with the fresh snow. What a fantastic view from 13,000 feet! All on the mountain had a pic-

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ture perfect afternoon of spring skiing to end our trip.

After a nice Après Ski where we all basked in the afterglow of a perfect day, we all headed back for some quick packing and we were off to the CMSC final night banquet, where there was too much free beer, wine and a very good Italian dinner buffet. After CMSC did its awards thing (with Ibex getting plenty of racing hardware), the band and dancing began. Ibex was in full party mode now, since there was no saving it for skiing the next day. Our friend Randy again had the monkey, and apparently some other toys as "Spiders" started appearing in everyone's drinks, causing quite a stir at times.

The band was looking for participation from the crowd and soon Janine made her debut for backing vocals on stage, shortly after that they looked for a volunteer to play the washboard (yes, this is true, people play the washboard and call it music). Of course we volunteered Carl and he put on his fur lined "Duke" thing for the occasion....what a picture, Carl in his fur lined Jock strap..playing the washboard...good times !!! By the way, Carl killed on washboard, I think he has a future in corny country music.

As the evening wore on Ibex folks took over the dance floor, because of course, good Ibex must party until the band stops playing or the booze runs out. Afterwards some of us headed downstairs for a night cap at the bar, to put a perfect ending to a nearly perfect trip.

There are so many other stories on this trip that I don't have space to do justice to, including Chris Jackson's wardrobe malfunction, Kirby's bubbly hot tub incident, Mickie's incessant shopping sprees, Chuck's vi-

brating "bong" that he used to treat bronchitis (that was his story anyway), Paula's ever present Maragrita's, David Lee wailing a tree branch and drawing blood...from his own forehead (no worries only a flesh wound), Kirby's pornography adventure with his roommates (ask someone who went to the banquet for that story), Patrice enjoying way too much referring to some group as the "Testosterone Posse", Chuck Binzel's ridiculous collision with another boarder, that resulted only in a broken fingernail (luckily), Paula Hiller and CJ going on steep and deep adventures off of the Palivacini lift at A-basin and plenty more.

It was a pleasure to lead this trip of fun loving Ibex (old and new members), and I want thank those who participated, organized, and helped make the trip the great experience it was.....my suggestion to all you Ibex members: don't miss next year's spring trip with Ibex, it is always more fun than you can shake a stick at!

-Lou



IBEX SCUBA DIVING



We just completed a trip to Curacao, an Island off of the coast of Venezuela by Aruba. If you are interested in joining us sometime, or in gaining your open water certification, please contact Cindy Warta at ibexscuba2007@skiibex.com

Trips planned so far include...

MAY 27 to JUNE 9 - ALASKA
Come tour & cruise with us.

NOVEMBER – 2 choices
Enjoy diving from 2 different live-aboards. Some Ibex are diving near St. Kitts, Statia & St. Marten. Others are diving the Australia's Great Barrier Reef. -Cindy



THANK YOU!



I just want to take a quick minute to thank everyone that helped me in the last 2 years as Activities Chair!! I had a great time and it was all because you stepped up and ran an activity, had a meeting at your house, came to a bar of the month, schlepped stuff around for the picnic

or came early/stayed late to help everything run smoothly. This club is a social club run by people that care about the club, each other and having a good time doing it!!

-Mindy

**we will miss you on the board, Mindy!* -Ed

MAY ACTIVITIES

May 3 –postponed
 May 9
 May 12 - every Monday night
 May 17

Wine Tasting
 BOM
 Volleyball starts
 Don Juan's

Bill Haussmann
 Fox & Hound
 Denny Gawlik
 Joe Heater

June 14
 June 22
 July 19
 Aug 9
 Aug 30

LOOKING AHEAD
 Golf Outing
 Kayak Fox River
 Picnic
 Bodeans
 Donna Summers

John & Debbie
 Ed Fee
 Ibex
 Ravinia
 Ravinia



BOM
 Bar of the
 Month
**Fox &
 Hound**
 Friday
 May 9th

Bar of the Month

Friday May 9, Fox and Hound Smokehouse and Tavern, Schaumburg Known by men for their great service, Fox and Hound has tons of TV, pool tables, good food and great drinks (for the rest of us). We'll be meeting at the Schaumburg location this month, 1416 N Roselle Road (between Golf Rd & Remington Rd), for drinks after work until we're done (last month the BOM lasted till about 10, so if you're out and about, come join us!!).

<http://www.tentcorp.com/>



-Mindy

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 Ibex news &
 information

IBEX WEB SITE!

Please check out the Ibex web-site. Webmaster **Cindy McElligott** has done a spectacular job updating and modernizing it. This is the place

to go to for the latest news on activities and events. More improvements are planned for the future so keep coming back often. -Ed

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Couple/Family	\$ 35.00	\$ 50.00

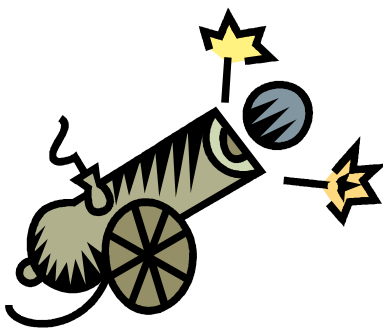
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When Insults had Class –part two (There was no need for four-letter words)

- "I am enclosing two tickets to the first night of my new play; bring a friend.... if you have one." - George Bernard Shaw to Winston Churchill
- "Cannot possibly attend first night, will attend second... if there is one." - Winston Churchill, in response.
- "I feel so miserable without you; it's almost like having you here."
- Stephen Bishop
- "He is a self-made man and worships his creator." - John Bright
- "I've just learned about his illness. Let's hope it's nothing trivial."
- Irvin S. Cobb
- "He is not only dull himself, he is the cause of dullness in others."
- Samuel Johnson
- "There's nothing wrong with you that reincarnation won't cure."
- Jack E. Leonard
- "He has the attention span of a lightning bolt." - Robert Redford
- "They never open their mouths without subtracting from the sum of human knowledge." - Thomas Brackett Reed
- "He loves nature in spite of what it did to him." - Forrest Tucker
- "Why do you sit there looking like an envelope without any address on it?" - Mark Twain
- "Some cause happiness wherever they go; others, whenever they go."
- Oscar Wilde
- "He uses statistics as a drunken man uses lamp-posts... for support rather than illumination." - Andrew Lang
- "He has Van Gogh's ear for music." - Billy Wilder
- "I've had a perfectly wonderful evening. But this wasn't it."
- Groucho Marx



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