



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Here we are; already it's September! That means football and fall, and the advent of winter! And winter means: SKIING! This year, we may even have local snow, too (we certainly hope so, don't we!). So, dust off your equipment, sharpen those edges, and polish the boots; the season will be here before you know it. I certainly encourage all of you to attend our monthly meetings which begin again this month. Our September meeting is being held at The Lamplighter Restaurant in Arlington (see separate notice). Come early and join other Club members there for dinner before the meeting. We are planning a film at the meeting which will whet your skiing appetites. If we have local snow this winter, we look forward to energy saving local trips by getting together with other Club members for combined car-pooling trips. These will have the double benefit of saving fuel for the good of the country (and your billfolds) and sharing the fun of your local skiing with other Club members with whom you join up. So, start THINKING SNOW now!

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MAX E. BUNNELL

SEPTEMBER MEETING

When: September 17, 1974  
Where: The Lamplighter Restaurant  
3501 North Fairfax Drive  
Arlington, Virginia  
(just west of Clarendon in the Virginia  
Square Shopping Center)  
Time: Meeting time - 8:00 P.M.

Come early (no later than 6:30 P.M.) and have dinner with Club friends. We've promised the Restaurant management a minimum of twenty diners in order to get the meeting room free of charge - so help the Club by coming to dinner. Cash bar during the meeting. Also, we plan a skiing film for your pleasure.

COMING EVENTS

- Sept 17 - PVS Meeting. See separate notice.
- Sept 22 - Blue Ridge Ski Council Fall meeting, host club is PVS! See paragraph 3 under EXCOM REPORT for details.
- Sept 24 - EXCOM meeting. President Max Bunnell will be host at his Arlington residence. Time: 8:00 P.M. Members invited.
- Oct 15 - PVS meeting. At Bob and Gail Gell's home. NOTE: This is a correction to last month's TOOT where it was erroneously reported that the October meeting would be held at Dick Clark's house. Bob and Gail are at 12715 Hathaway Drive, Wheaton, Md (just west of Route 97 - Georgia Ave - in Glenmont Hills which is due north of Wheaton). Meeting time: 8:00 P.M.

## EXCOM REPORT

The monthly EXCOM meeting was held at Ralph and Peggy Anderson's rec room. Fine snacks and good beer were provided and kept the meeting moving along smoothly! Attending were the following officers: President (and Treasurer) Max Bunnell, EXCOM members Ralph Anderson, Bob Gell, Art Topping and Geoff Wadey (also known as VEEP); Secretary Marilyn Long, Program Chairman Don Cope, and TOOT editors Dick and Julie King. EXCOM members absent due to conflicting schedules were Peggy Burns and Dick Clark. Items covered were:

1. Our secretary read the minutes of the last EXCOM meeting and they were approved as read and corrected (someone had some dates mixed up). By the way, Marilyn, don't forget the name tags for the September meeting. We expect some new applicant/members there.

2. Meeting sites and entertainment for subsequent meetings were discussed. Several invitations from club members are under consideration for meetings in private homes as is a possible November wine tasting meeting. More on these as they develop.

3. PVS is hosting the fall meeting of the Blue Ridge Ski Council on September 22. The meeting site is The Hospitality House Motor Inn at 2000 Jeff Davis Hwy (old Route #1) in Arlington, (Crystal City), Virginia. This meeting begins at 10:00 A.M. and ends by 4:00 P.M. Dinner for delegates and attendees is available for \$6.00. Those interested in helping host this meeting should contact coordinator Art Topping (Tel. 521-6215). Art can use some help and you, in turn, can learn the latest news of goings-on in organized skiing. Noteworthy is the fact that PVS applicant/member Elaine Sullivan is the current President of the BRSC! Good Luck, Elaine, in this 1974 fall meeting.

4. The annual Octoberfest sponsored in support of the U.S. Ski Team Fund is coming around again on October 32nd! (also known as November 1st). Art Topping is an active coordinator in this activity, too. He needs lots of help so let's pull PVS together and provide Art with "many hands" to help do the job. Art assures TOOT that a PVS table or tables can be reserved if sufficient early reservations are made and early planning completed. So let's have a good turn-out for this one; new management promises better organization than in past years and, from the flyer attached to this TOOT, it is apparent that, if you order and pay for food this year, you will get what you pay for! Get your reservations in right away; and, secondly, call Art and offer your assistance.

5. EXCOM member Ralph Anderson is an enthusiastic hiker. He will talk to members at the September meeting about some fall hiking. This is a good time to think (and act) about getting your legs in shape for the winter season and Ralph can help you do just that. Listen to Ralph, and then sign up for his day long events.

6. EXCOM authorized the purchase of a loose leaf binder to hold and display Bulletins received by PVS from other BRSC member clubs. This binder will be on display at the September and subsequent PVS meetings. These Bulletins are interesting to peruse and TOOT recommends you take time to look them over.

7. EXCOM approved the expenditure of funds to obtain official PVS stationery and envelopes. Secretary Marilyn Long is following up on this purchase.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE # 1

### MEMBERSHIP

We are now in our new year. Renewals are due. You will be dropped from club rolls November 1st if you have not renewed by then. We plan a new membership roster and telephone tree in early November so get your renewals with current address and telephone information in by then so that information can be included in the new roster and tree. Membership cards enclosed for those who have recently renewed.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE # 2

A correction. The home phone for Ray and Malle McKinley has been changed. That new number is: 938-0693. This is a correction to last month's TOOT where we reported no change for the McKinley's home phone.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE # 3

We are forwarding to you, with this issue of TOOT, three pages of a four page news publication from Eastern Ski Association entitled EASTERN ALERT. This publication supplements ESA's SKIER newsletter and contains information to all club members. Although an added expense to PVS to duplicate and forward this publication to you, it does contain information of interest to the club membership and we are happy to be able to pass it along to you. Page four of this particular ALERT contained a NEWS REPORT of the USSA Executive Committee meeting held in August and the content was of low interest to PVS membership.

### CHARTER FLITE INFORMATION

PVS member Bob Wychoff reports on a charter flite going to Europe February 5 - 22, 1975. The flite is a KLM charter, from Dulles to Munich on February 5th with return from Zurich to Dulles on February 22nd. Air fare is \$249.00. Two land packages are available: One; for ESA members, first two nights in Munich during Fashing! one week in Val Gardena, Italy and one week in St. Christoph, Austria (between St. Anton and Zurs); Two; for SCHDC members only, first two nights in Munich, one week in Kitzbuhl and one week in Zurs. Thesecond land package costs \$650.00 (with bath), \$584.00 (without bath). This land package trip is being run by Bob Wychoff and Elaine Sullivan and currently, 37 out of 40 places have been reserved. The first land package costs \$685.00 (with bath) and reservations may be made thru Bob Wychoff.

### Odds and Ends: and TOOT TIDBITS

by 'Ginny Larson

Applicant/members Dale and Virginia Choukalos have received a sudden and unexpected assignment to Paris, France. Dale will be assigned to the U. S. Embassy there. Thus they now look forward to skiing the Alps this winter instead of Colorado! PVS wishes them luck during this exciting assignment and looks forward to seeing them on the slopes of the Alps! Bob and Jan Marx have been heard from! All goes well with them in Louisville, Ky. The two Marx heirs (Eric and Brian) are growing like Kentucky Bluegrass and Brian (9 months) is reportedly talking so much his mother is considering running him for state Senator! Bob and Jan attended the 100th running of the Kentucky Derby and reported they were even able to see some of the horses on infrequent occassions! Eric and Brian went too, so it was a real family event for them. Jan says: Next time we will go on an "off" day and get some seats! Bob is the newly appointed Chief of the Geographic Operations Branch of the Data Preparation Division of the Census Bureau. PVS wishes Bob well in this new assignment and extends best wishes to the entire Marx family as well (Bob's parents have been guests at past PVS meetings). Any skiing down that-a-way, Bob? TOOT understands Dr. Aina Hertelis has changed apartments at her current address. She is now in Apt. 1225 instead of Apt. 919. President Max Bunnell attended Porche Club activities in July and spent the long Labor Day weekend in upstate New York visiting distant friends. Max continues to play tennis weekends with "Charlie's Group" at Hains Point and reports seeing Byron Gutheil showing up just about the time Max leaves. Max had a note from Jack Coyle wherein Jack reported selling his Bonanza aircraft and buying a Cessna. You could call that going from a low wing to a high wing, without a doubt! Jack might possibly visit the east coast this fall and we would look forward to seeing him, if so. Alice Farley is leaving September 21st to go to Japan for a month to visit her daughter who teaches there and is married to a Japanese husband. That's an exciting trip, Alice, and we hope you enjoy it to its fullest. The Ray McKinleys are in their new home and enjoying the extra space there. Also, they have a small hill nearby and, given some snow, may have their own ski slope to practice on! Thelma Belloli leaves September 9th for one month's temporary assignment to Chile (Santiago, we assume!). Sounds great, Thelma. Take lots of pictures so we can share them with you upon your return. Art Topping recently travelled to Long Island and launched his brother into the realm of the married people. TOOT has a report of no authority whatsoever that his brother is now going to go to work on Art in that department. And so, until next month; adieu for now.

CLUB OFFICERS

- President - Max E. Bunnell
- Vice President - Walter "Geoff" Wadey
- Treasurer - Max E. Bunnell
- Secretary - *Marilyn Long*
- EXCOM Members - Ralph Anderson  
Peggy Burns  
*Dick Clark*  
*Bob Gell*  
Art Topping  
Walter "Geoff" Wadey
  
- Program's Chairman - Don Cope
- Membership Chairman - Penny Weiderhold
- Answering Service - Brooke Armat
- TOOT Editors - Dick & Julie King
- Eastern Ski Ass'n rep - Dick King
- Pennsylvania Ski Ass'n rep - Art Topping
- Blue Ridge Ski Ass'n rep - Bob Wyckoff

Don't forget your PVS

Activities Answering Service:

Call EM 2-4724. Brooke and Mary Armat will have the latest events for you.

Mail form below with check to:  
Penny Wiederhold  
7214 Delfield St.  
Chevy Chase, Md. 20015

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Member's Application Form  
Potomac Valley Skiers

NAME (please print) \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST FIRST MI

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ OFFICE PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is payment for \_\_\_\_\_ membership(s) in PVS. Membership costs, which include Eastern Ski Association membership and automatic subscription to The Skier, are as follows:

Individual	\$10.00 _____	Junior	\$3.00 _____
Spouse	8.00 _____	Absentee	5.00 _____

Members of SCWDC:- YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

\_\_\_\_\_ Signature