



A Ski Club... And A Whole Lot More!

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Karaoke NIGHT

Tuesday, April 2
7:30pm Dinner • 8:30pm Karaoke
Luciano's Italian Restaurant

[39091 Garfield Rd, Clinton Twp](https://www.google.com/maps/place/39091+Garfield+Rd,+Clinton+Twp)

April Fool's – A Day Late! Karaoke has a special gift of providing entertainment for the songs we've enjoyed over the years. It gives some a chance to express feelings and others a chance to show talents. As always, the comradery with friends will make this a fun night.

We have reserved three tables for a 7:30pm dinner (Limit 30). PLEASE RSVP FOR DINNER. You must be there on time as orders will be taken promptly. For Karaoke only, you may "Just Show Up" after 8:30pm. A waitlist will be provided on the Meetup site for dinner.

Contact Dennis: dennis4179@gmail.com

FEATHER BOWLING

Saturday, April 13 • 7pm
Cadieux Cafe

[4300 Cadieux Rd, Detroit](https://www.google.com/maps/place/4300+Cadieux+Rd,+Detroit)

The Cadieux Cafe is proud to be the only home of Feather Bowling in the United States. The game originally was a Belgian pastime akin to horseshoes and Bocci. The game is rarely played in Belgium, and visitors from the old country are often astonished to see the game preserved as it is here.

Limit of 24 people. Please do not sign up unless you're sure you can make it.

Dinner at 5pm - your tab. Due the small size, a "dinner only" option is not available.
Feather Bowling 7pm - \$10 per person

Contact: Linda, 586-662-8803
ljsilvonen@gmail.com

MONTHLY STORY TELLING

Thursday, April 18 • 7:30pm
Go Comedy! Improv Theater

[261 E 9 Mile Rd, Ferndale](https://www.google.com/maps/place/261+E+9+Mile+Rd,+Ferndale)

An evening of storytelling from various Detroit artists. True stories, heartwarming anecdotes, cheap drinks, big laughs. Let's just say it'll be a good time. **Our very own Sharon Rose will be telling her special story!**

Pre-purchasing tickets is highly suggested. Arrive at least 10 minutes before showtime. There is drink service throughout the show. Please choose your seat online. Seating is limited and there may be more than one party per table. Free Parking is available in the lot and the Courthouse next door after 5pm.

Cost: \$15. Get tickets here: https://app.gopassage.com/events/let-s-just-say/event_times



BIKE RIDE

Saturday, April 20 • 12:30pm
Paint Creek Cider Mill

[4480 Orion Rd, Rochester](https://www.google.com/maps/place/4480+Orion+Rd,+Rochester)

Start the season with a leisurely 5.5 mile ride from the Paint Creek Cider Mill to the Sagebrush Cantina for lunch.

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APRIL BIRTHDAYS

April 15 Penny Sage

April 16 Kathy Jordon
Gary Ward

April 19 Elaine Garvin

April 20 Jane Jones

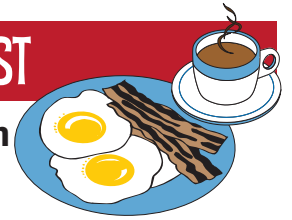
April 24 Glenna Buehler

April 27 Jean Garwood



SUNDAY BREAKFAST

Every Sunday • 10:00am
Leo's Coney Island



[1858 E. Big Beaver Rd., Troy](#)

All Are welcome. No need for reservations. Just show up and we'll make room for you.

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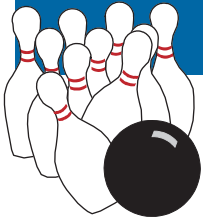
(810)488-0155



The MDSC has existed since 1955 and is the umbrella organization for twenty ski clubs located in the Metro Detroit area, Toledo Ohio, and from Grand Rapids to Windsor and Sarnia, Canada.

The GMSC is a member of the MDSC. As such we are allowed to attend other MDSC Clubs' advertised trips at their member fee. There are also discounts and many other benefits.

www.mdscski.org



BOWLING PARTY

**Friday, April 26 • 6:30pm
Avon North Hill Lanes**

[150 W Tienken Rd, Rochester Hills](#)

Arrive in bar area at 6:30pm to receive team assignments. Once your team is formed, go to the Control Counter and get your shoes and lane assignment. Give the counter person the team sign up sheet. If everyone on the team agrees, you may request 9 Pin No-tap.

Afterwards, there is an optional bar/food meetup at RJ's Pub on Tienken - 1 block west of the Lanes.

Cost: \$12/person for 2 hours of bowling. This includes shoe rental. Pay Ken during team formation.

RSVP via [Meetup.com](#)

[Metro Detroit Fun n Fitness 49's+](#)

euchre party



Saturday, April 27 • 5:00pm

[16485 Congress Dr, Clinton Twp](#)

Many thanks to Glenna and Ludwik for hosting a Spring Euchre Party at Ludwik's condo. They will provide chicken wings and mini corned beef sliders. Bring a dish-to-pass (salad, veggie dish, fruit bowl, appetizer or healthy snack - no leftovers please).

Arrive around 5 pm. We will play a round or two before breaking for dinner. Note: there are several steps leading down to Ludwik's basement.

Cost: \$10/person (Bring quarters for Euchre cups)

RSVP: Glenna, glenna1949@wowway.com
586-943-0839

ROUTE 66 PLAY

Sunday, April 28 • 6:30pm • Meadow Brook Theatre

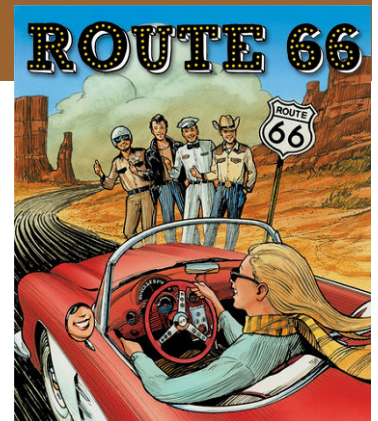
[378 Meadow Brook Rd, Rochester](#)

Take a dollop of Grease, mix in some Pump Boys and Dinettes, and add a generous dose of Forever Plaid and you've got the high-octane fun of Route 66! This exciting musical revue features great 'Rock n' Road' hits of the 20th century. Songs include "Dead Man's Curve," "King of the Road," "Beep Beep," "Little GTO," "Fun, Fun, Fun," and many more.

Tickets are \$30 for GM Ski Club members and \$37 for GM non-members. A limited number of great seats have been reserved thru March 23rd.

We will meet for an early dinner at 4:30pm at Red Ox Tavern, 3773 E. Walton Blvd, Auburn Hills. Mail check to Christine Luhrs, 23210 Harrellson, Macomb, MI 48042

Contact: Christine chris.luhrs@juno.com or text 586.246.3436



ella, FIRST LADY OF SONG

Sunday, June 2 • 6:30 • Meadow Brook Theatre

[378 Meadow Brook Rd, Rochester](#)

This play traces the 60-year career of the woman Mel Torme called "the best singer on the planet." The story of Ella Fitzgerald truly challenges the age-old saying "The show must go on." Featuring Detroit native, Grammy Award nominated artist, Freda Payne, this jazz musical covers Fitzgerald's hardscrabble childhood to her enduring legacy in the music world and beyond. Songs include classics such as "Sweet Georgia Brown,"

"A Tisket-A-Tasket," and "It Don't Mean a Thing (If It Ain't Got That Swing)." - Michigan Premiere -

Tickets are \$30 for GMSC members, \$37 for non-members. Limited seats have been reserved thru April 29. We will meet for dinner 4:30pm at Red Ox Tavern, 3773 E. Walton Blvd., Auburn Hills.

Mail check to: Christine Luhrs, 23210 Harrellson St., Macomb, MI 48042

Contact: Christine, chris.luhrs@juno.com or text 586-246-3436



Siete de Mayo

Tuesday, May 7 • 6:30pm
Don Patron Mexican Restaurant

[43650 Schoenherr Rd, Sterling Heights](#)

It's hard to get reservations for a group on May 5th, so on Tuesday, May 7th we will celebrate "Siete de Mayo" at Don Patron. Dress in Mexican attire as we will give a round of applause for the top three best costumes.

We have reservations for the first 30 who reply. There will be a waitlist. Please don't RSVP unless you are sure you can make it.

Please RSVP to Dennis: dennis4179@gmail.com, 248-318-1491 or on [Meetup.com](#)

BEST BALL GOLF

Sunday, May 19 • 1:00pm
Twin Lakes Golf Club

[455 Twin Lakes Dr, Oakland Twp.](#)



Arrive about 1:10pm and pay the Golf Course directly. Mention you are with Metro Detroit Fun & Fitness. We will play nine holes (with a cart) - Best ball format. First tee off is at 1:30pm. Cost: \$35 per person

After the round, weather permitting, we can eat on their beautiful patio overlooking the lake. Otherwise we will meetup at RJ's Pub on Tienken Rd.

RSVP via [Meetup.com](#)
[Metro Detroit Fun n Fitness 49's+](#)



DETROIT TIGERS VS TORONTO BLUE JAYS

Sunday, May 26 • 1:40pm • Comerica Park

[2100 Woodward Ave, Detroit](#)

Optional breakfast starting 10:15am at Leo's Coney Island on Big Beaver, west of John R. Possible ride sharing after 11:30am. We will eat after the game at a nearby venue to be determined. Parking should be free or \$10 in many structures in Detroit on Sundays.

Seating is in the Mezzanine Section 217, upper deck just beyond first base.

Sun at your back plus nearby shade or cover higher up.

Cost: \$19 for GM Ski Club members, \$24 for non-members.

Pay Ken at April 11 meeting or mail check to Ken Phillips, 51194 Romeo Plank, No. 425, Macomb, MI 484042 OR via [Meetup.com](#) - [Metro Detroit Fun n Fitness 49's+](#) with PayPal or Venmo

RSVP: Ken, kenphillips@mail.com or text to 586-242-2003.



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GENERAL MEETING

Thursday, April 11
6pm - 8pm

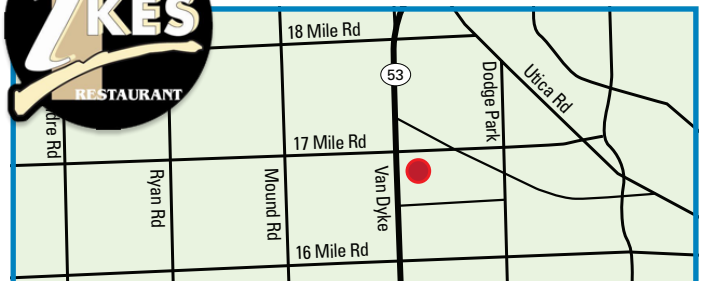
As we bid adieu to Ike's until October, our last indoor meeting will be great fun. We all have made good friends through this wonderful club. Please help expand our circle by inviting someone new and sharing the fun!

Ike's cuisine focuses on excellent Italian and Lebanese fare at a reasonable price... guaranteed not to crush your wallet. Can't wait to see everyone!
Announcements at 7:15pm

Contact Donna: dmhutton4@gmail.com

2ND THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH
Ike's Restaurant • 6pm

[38550 Van Dyke, Sterling Hts](#)
(SE corner of 17 Mile & Van Dyke)



www.gmskiclub.org

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