



February Newsletter

Penn State Alumni Association Harrisburg Chapter

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LETS HIT THE ICE !!!!!

The Penn State Alumni Association National Service Week is almost here! The Harrisburg Chapter is sponsoring an ice skating event for The Second Mile. The event went so well last year that we are having it again! The Second Mile, based in State College, serves more than 100,000 at-risk youth statewide through a series of prevention, early-intervention and community-based programs. We are proud to host this event and welcome any members/non-members to volunteer for the event.

Last year at the ice skating party, we had a total of 30 Penn State Alumni Association Harrisburg Chapter Members come out and support the event. Our volun-



teers can assist with registration, help the kids on the ice, monitor the food & beverages, and get to do all this while having fun! If you want to be part of a great afternoon, and support National Service Week, please call or email Kim Smith at 533-9048 or kms20@psu.edu. We would love to see you - and so would the kids! Come out and show us your talents on the ice!

Where & When

Saturday, March 9, 2002
Twin Ponds East - off of Union Deposit Road - Harrisburg
2 pm - 4 pm Skating Session
Food & Fun provided !

Upcoming Chapter Events

Basketball Bus Trip RSVP Deadline	Saturday February 16th
Basketball Bus Trip	Saturday February 23, 8:45 AM
Board Meeting	Tuesday March 5th, 6pm
Service Project Ice Skating--2nd Mile	Saturday March 9th 2-4 pm
Board Meeting	Tuesday April 2nd, 6pm
Penn National Event Dinner & Horse Racing	Friday April 26th 6pm -- 'til

Urgent !!! Basketball Trip Reminder Urgent!!!

We have extended the deadline for the Penn State vs Minnesota Basketball Bus Trip scheduled for Saturday, February 23rd 8:45 am 'til 9:30 pm. At the time of printing the newsletter there were many empty seats remaining on the bus. If you would like to go and/or have friends that would like to go, contact Brad Treaster as soon as possible. Cost of the trip is \$30 for members and \$35 for non-members. The trip is always lots of fun and you will have time to visit the campus or downtown State College. If you are interested call Brad at 651-2848.

Did you receive your Newsletter by US Mail ??

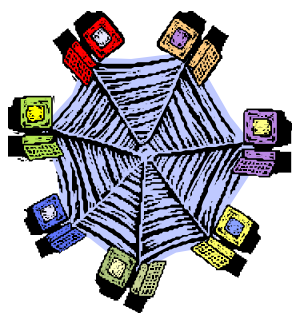
Last month was the first month the Harrisburg Chapter sent out its newsletter by email. We used email addresses supplied off of membership applications. If you have email, but have not received your newsletter in that format, please give it a try. We have over 50 members using the new service at this point at a savings to the Chapter of over \$25 per month.

If you received your February newsletter by US Mail and would like to try our emailed method, please email Craig Hinkle at chinkle@knouse.com.

Monthly Board Meeting

On behalf of the Officers and Board Members, we invite ALL members to attend our monthly Board Meetings, which are held at 6 PM on the first Tuesday of the month at Penn State's Eastgate Center. The Eastgate Center is located at 1010 North 7th Street, Harrisburg. During these meetings, we

plan the activities for the Penn Staters in our area. If you are interested in getting involved or have any ideas for activities the Chapter should sponsor, stop by a Board Meeting or call one of the Chapter Officers. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 5th, 2002 at 6:00 PM.



Harrisburg Chapter Website

The Harrisburg Chapter would like to remind everyone that we are on-line at www.psualumnihbchapter.org. This is your opportunity to stay connected with Penn State and other Penn Staters in your area. Visit this site to find chapter news, events, membership information, and links to many other Penn State related sites!

PSU Football is # 2 in the Nation

The Nittany Lions had a school record average of 107,576 fans for its six home games in 2001. Michigan (109,908) was the only school to top Penn State among the 608 NCAA members surveyed. Tennessee (106,843), Ohio State (103,532) and Louisiana State (90,491) rounded out the top five, followed by Georgia, Auburn, Florida, Texas A&M and South Carolina.

Cooking Class Review

If you missed the Tailgating Cooking Class, you missed a really great time and excellent food. 20 members were a part of a night filled with cooking, questions and answers, and fun. We learned many new cooking techniques in making soup, dips, smoking meats, and desserts.

A special thanks go Jim Lupia and the Kitchen Shoppe for putting on a great class. Congratulations to Debra Nattress, Jane Freeman, and Diane Hoffman winners of three door prizes. We hope to see you out for the next cooking class.

Future Events to Watch for

February 23 – PSU Men's Basketball Bus Trip to the Bryce Jordan Center to see PSU play the Minnesota Golden Gophers. Departure – 8:45 am Harrisburg East Mall, Pole 32 near Hecht's.

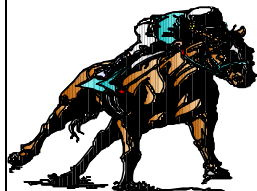
March 5 – The March Board meeting is the first Tuesday of the month at 6 PM in the Penn State Eastgate Center on 1010 North 7th Street, Harrisburg.

March 9 – Service Project with the Second Mile Program – Ice Skating Party. Twin Ponds East from 2 pm to 4 pm

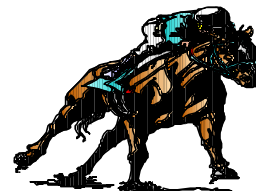
April 2 – April Board Meeting

April 26 – PSU Alumni Night at Penn National Race Track – Dinner and Horse Racing

Harrisburg Chapter is Off Again To The Races!



Friday, April 26th
Penn National Race Track
6:00 pm-til ??



The Harrisburg Chapter is sponsoring an evening at Penn National Race Course on Friday, April 26, 2002 beginning at 6:00 p.m. We will be in the Turf Club, a private room overlooking the race track. Happy hour will begin at 6 p.m.

Dinner will begin at 6:30 with an Italian buffet dinner followed by live racing action.

A cash bar and a betting window will be close by for your convenience.

Test your skills or luck selecting the horses, or just enjoy the view of charging thoroughbreds.

The cost is \$20 for Chapter members and \$22 for non-members.

This price includes Clubhouse admission, an Italian buffet dinner, and a racing program.

Buffet includes: Tomato Bruschetta, Lasagna, Italian Sausage w/ peppers & onions
 Tossed Salad, Garlic Bread, Coffee, Hot & Cold Tea.

(Vegetarian meals available upon request)

We have reserved a large room so come out and bring all of your Penn State Friends and Family to enjoy a night of Penn State fun.

Make Checks payable to: Penn State Alumni Association Harrisburg Chapter

Mail Checks to: Bob Martin 3748 Vista Terrace Harrisburg, PA 17111

For questions, please call Bob at 564-8789, or email: bdnoll@aol.com

Reservation Deadline April 17, 2002

Penn National Event Cost: Members \$20 , Non-members \$22

Number of Member Attendees: _____ Number of Non-member Attendees: _____

Names of Attendees: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____ Email: _____

We look forward to seeing you at the event!

If you haven't been to a PSU HBG event yet – come see how much fun we have!



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