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HOTFLASHES: KESSELS RING BELL IN HOLIMONT...DARIEN DEMON RAPP STARS IN SKIT...BRONCO DITSIOUS BOLTS DETROIT FOR BUFFALO..... BOARD BOLTS BUFFALO FOR CHALET MEETING....BUILDING BOOM BREAKS IN HOLIHUTS....BROWNELL BECOMES BTO...BOB MCHUGH PLANS H'MONT GOLF DAY....JERRY SCHARF OFFERS WORK WEEKEND...MEMBERSHIP WHITE SALE ANNOUNCED....BOYLAN HONORED AT PARTY...SENDS LETTER TO MEMBERSHIP AS FOLLOWS:

TO FRIENDS AT HOLIMONT:

"In remembrance of the night of April 22, 1967 in the Chalet at HoliMont, with no thought or tips from anyone, the surprise was quite terrific, and, may you all, present at that time, know words and thoughts at that time came hard. So, would like to take this opportunity to show my appreciation and gratitude, to thank you all for the kind words and donations, and also the people who put on the play on my behalf; I did not think such things were necessary. I figured my job was to keep things in operation which I tried hard to do and thought we were fairly successful.

When the skiers came down the slopes with a smile on their face and the words from their lips, 'it's beautiful', that's about all the pay I needed. When they were happy, I was happier yet.

And now my constant prayers are: can I have everything in tip-top shape (as you skiers want), the wheels of progress running smoothly, steady and above all safely, from the first snowflake that flies in the sky to the last skier gliding down the slopes of HoliMont in the Spring. This is my prayer.

And once again, thank you all for kindness and appreciations in the past and may the future be much better.

Al Boylan

SOME BEFORE-THOUGHTS:

Included with this mailing, should be a report of the Boylan Appreciation Committee, a notice of the planned Golf Tournament, Summer announcement and rate schedule for Holiday Valley, announcement of the work weekend planned. A report of the Annual Meeting of the 22nd of April and Board actions should go to you by special letter from President Brownell under separate cover, so let's get on with the Leaf....

AND NOW ABOUT MEMBERSHIP

Floyd and Jane Kessel get the brass ring for their sponsorship of the application of:

James J. Bell, 30 Cayuga Avenue, Lancaster, N. Y 14086
Stockbroker, Western Savings Bank Bldg. Buffalo, N. Y.
Wife: Gail; Children: Susan Ann 6, Darci Lynn 5, Melinda Jay 2

This application for transfer of Bob Kreitner's membership has been approved by the Board. Members have ten days, if there are any objections to the application.

With the mercury up next to ninety, the white stuff that is the makings of our beloved Holimont may be out of mind, so, to help you keep the pressure on for membership we are enclosing the latest effort of Jack Derbyshire, our new brochure, in Holimont Green to help in your efforts. The new application blank should also be enclosed, AND HEAR THIS:

It worked for Ford (and Mercury, according to Ditsious) and it can work for us. We are announcing a Summer White Sale.

During July and August any member signed up, paying the full fee of \$ 875 will have next year's dues excused.

WOW! IS THAT A BARGAIN! Just think! Scuttlebutt has it that day rates and season passes are going up next year, so here's a chance for a skiing family to make a very smart investment. In the first place, the saving of next year's dues is a 17 % return on the \$ 875 invested...and looking at one new member's record, it could be a 50 % return. Put another way, a season pass fee applied to an \$ 875 membership can amount to 30 - 40% of it. So we really are offering a bargain.

Let's show the Board some action on our Summer White Sale. Twenty five new members in two months will be just fine!

HOLI HUTS REPORT

Our Chalet Colony Corporation, HoliHuts Inc. elected new offices this Spring: Earl C. Watson, Pres., Ollie Hazard, Vice-Pres., Doug MacKinnon, Sec'y., Ron Hettich, Treas. Several new members have been added, ie., have purchased lots; four are planning to build, and two are busy with plans, hoping to be in shape for the first snow. An ambitious program of road improvement is in the works so this 'in' group can get in and out with ease. Only ten lots are left, which should be pointed out when you are promoting HoliMont's Summer White Sale.

HOLILEAVINGS...AND MISCELLANY

Visitors to HoliMont and the E'ville area these past two weeks say they never have seen the countryside so lush and green. It is almost breathtaking....as Green as the Hills of Erin, if you can believe Al Boylan. Bring your skiing prospects down, it will sell itself...and the HoliDay Inn in Town is open this summer, as well as the Valley restaurants and motels. Give your Soul a break and spend a 'different' weekend in E'ville.

Lt. Dale Watson will be doing just that, being married on July 1 and honeymooning at the Watson Chalet which he helped Dad build.

And Dick Walters who will be gamboling at Gimbel's in Pittsburgh, having forsaken Cleveland, may sneak up for a honeymoon of sorts...careful Dick that gamboling will getcha, especially on those repeat honeymoons.

Lois Fahrner and Dennis O'Leary may be gamboling about now, their broken ankles, should be healed...and When Karl Fahrner comes skiing again next season, somebody better have a camera handy to catch that masterful style that is just as pretty now as when you and I were young, Jane.

HoliMonters who visit E'ville in the summertime should know that the latch strings are out at Scotty Lavtar and Earl Abels on Poverty Hill Road and McHughs in Hencoop Hollow, and the HoliHuts people are hospitable too.

And speaking of hospitality, Ted and Helen Buell did it again at the Skylon Formal arranged by Dauntless Doug MacKinnon back in April...what a posh passel of people....ah, but wait 'til you see them all at the Hencoop Hollow hoedown come September. By popular demand another old fashioned square dance is to be held in the loft of the barn, bigger and better than last time.

HOLILEAVINGS continued

Walter Brownell was elected President again by the Board, but he lost his job as Asst. Sales Manager of the Dental Div. of Ritter Pfaudler. Now he's Advertising Manager of same...and bouncing Bronco Ditsbous is Gen'l Service Manager for Lincoln Mercury in Buffalo and in three weeks owned three houses, ending up at 190 Culpepper in Williamsville....these two directors along with the others have been hard at it ironing out H'Mont's program with a considerable assist from Kevin Maloney, Ted Tarbell and Chuck Groves. They even have Art Hilger coming to meetings. Brownell says he needs him when Swanson starts raising the roof.

And Bill Weir says 'raising kids ain't hard', the second one which came in June was easier than the first. Just wait 15 years Bill....and what are you waiting for Merilee, it's about time isn't it?

And you HoliKids, where are all those designs for a HoliMont Flag? Oooh, and yes, if your Holileaf has a big Red X on it your Daddy has not sent in the data for the roster, which we would like to get out complete and up to date. We started this last December and it is still not complete. Please send us your name and correct address and the family names and ages of the children. Please!

Shirley Bowers, we are sorry to say is in hospital in Elyria having crashed the airplane she was flying. Hope you are in shape for cross country, come November.

Come November, HoliMont should be in great shape. Al Boylan, Art Hilger and Committee, and the Board have been at it. The Board met at the Chalet June 9th for an inspection of the facilities. The lifts have been inspected by the manufacturer. All Tees have been removed, completely disassembled, will be greased, painted and overhauled. Chairs have been removed and refurbished. Realignment of all wheels and drives will be done. All safety switches are being checked. Loading ramps are being redesigned and changed. Grading is being improved for better loading. Trail drainage is being improved to eliminate wash outs. If skiing was good at HoliMont, it will be better next year. Come on out for the work weekend and see the changes. Bring out your prospects for our Summer White Sale! Let's make good on Brownell's Slogan 'Every Member a New Member' and with that done, you can enjoy the summer and look forward to the biggest and best year yet for HoliMont!

John Mc Hugh