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## Annual Meeting Notice

*March 20, 2010 at Emery Park*

Save the date for the club's annual meeting at Judge Stohrer Lodge in Emery Park.

Activities include:

*Potluck Lunch*

*President's Awards*

*Map Hike Participant Recognition*

*Entertainment*

*Details on the 2010 Schedule*

*2010/2011 Board & Officer Elections*

All members are invited to attend. Guests are welcome.

## Park Profile: Chestnut Ridge

*The Jewel of the Erie County Parks*

Chestnut Ridge Park features stunning views of downtown Buffalo and Canada, mature woods, grassy meadows, steep ravines, and miles of hiking, ski, and horse trails.

Established in 1926, Chestnut Ridge is one of the 5 original Erie County Parks. It covers 1,231 acres in the town of Orchard Park. In the 1930's, the federal Works Progress Administration built many of the stone features for which the park is now known. The current casino building dates from 1938. It and other structures were made from diseased Chestnut trees that gave the park its name. The seldom-visited Shale Creek Preserve, located in the southwestern section of the park, is home to Eternal Flame Falls.

## Ski-O Set for Byrncliff Resort

*January 31, 2010*

Byrncliff Resort was voted "Best Cross-Country Skiing in Western New York" by *Buffalo Spree Magazine*. Located off of Route 20A in the town of Varysburg, Byrncliff features 12 miles of groomed trails.

A \$10 fee includes participation in the meet and use of the Byrncliff facilities. Ski rentals are available for an additional \$10. Participants may bring a lunch to eat in an indoor room reserved for the Club. A restaurant is also located on-site. Contact Patty Lyons for details or to volunteer.

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## Meet Results

Location:  
Holliday Valley

Weather:  
Sun, clouds, drizzle, 65°

Date:  
September 26 2009

Meet Directors:  
Jacky Novkov & Doug Kennedy

### 5-Hour

Place	Competitor	Minutes	Points
1	William Hawkins	146	1130
2	Dave Levine	270	1130
3	Patty Lyons	284	1130
4	Gary Maslanka	295	1020
5	Ralph Lindzor	299	950
6	Jennifer Malarchik	287	920
7	Greg Hyatt	282	890
8	Bob Bundy	289	860
9	Brian Thomas	296	690
10	Ken Vail	297	620
11	Henry Davis	290	460

### 3-Hour

Place	Competitor	Minutes	Points
1	Detwilwer/Schwartz Team	175	560
2	Hart Team	170	360
3	Sweeney/Pecorella	186	300
4	John Brady	113	200

### 90-Minutes

Place	Competitor	Minutes	Points
1	Bechtel/Hess Team	82	270
2	Van Natter/Courtright	90	270
3	Matt & Travis King	90	160

Volunteers: **Phil Wolfling, Linc Blaisdell, Patty Lyons, Walt Lyons, Greg Hyatt,**

## 2010 Buffalo/Rochester Orienteering Club Winter Schedules

Date	Start Time	Location	Event Type
January 17	12:00-1:30pm	Mendon Ponds Park	ROC Ski-O
January 31	10:30-11:00am	Byrncliff Resort 2357 Humphrey Rd, Varysburg NY	BFLO Ski-O <i>Patty Lyons, meet director</i>
February 7	12:00-1:30pm	Mendon Ponds Park	ROC Ski-O
February 14	12:00-1:30pm	Harriet Hollister Park	ROC Ski-O
March 20	12:00pm	Emery Park, Stohrer Lodge	BFLO Annual Meeting

*Check websites for updates, registration times, and directions.*

*[www.buffalo-orienteeing.org](http://www.buffalo-orienteeing.org)*

*[roc.us.orienteeing.org](http://roc.us.orienteeing.org)*

## Meet Results

Location:  
Schoellkopf Boy Scout Camp

Weather:  
Cool, sunny, morning frost

Date:  
October 3, 2009

Meet Director:  
Phil Wolfling

### Red: 5.9km, 15 controls

Place	Competitor	Time
1	Dave Levine	71:35
2	Doug Kennedy	114:16
3	Greg Hyatt	122:52
4	Tom Wightman	136:30
5	Jeliazka Novkova	141:50
6	Andy Donahue	DNF
7	Robert Reeves	DNF
8	Maritime Charter - Alpha	DNF
9	Maritime Charter - Bravo	DNF
10	Maritime Charter - Charlie	DNF
11	Maritime Charter - Delta	DNF

Volunteers: Linc Blaisdell, Robert Reeves

### Orange: 4.5km, 12 controls

Place	Competitor	Time
1	Charles Wightman	103:00
2	Rebecca Wightman	119:24
3	Rainee/Kerry Group	120:15
4	Wayne Childs Group	DNF
5	Chris Norton	DNF

### Yellow: 3.0km, 10 controls

Place	Competitor	Time
1	Paul & Nicole Fehringer	44:42
2	Zingapan Group	67:38
3	Hutz Group	147:00

### White: 2.1km, 8 controls

Place	Competitor	Time
1	Roger Keeney	70:08

## Membership Information

Club memberships expire at the end of the calendar year. Expiration dates appear above the newsletter address label. Now is the time to renew for 2010. Please complete and mail the form below along with your payment. Discounts are now available for three-year individual and family memberships. Membership benefits include:

- Fee discounts at Buffalo and Rochester Orienteering Club meets and events
- Three yearly issues of the BFLOrienteer newsletter
- E-mail updates on club events
- Discounts at Eastern Mountain Sports Club Days
- Voting rights at the annual meeting
- Helping to support club expenses and future mapping projects

## Meet Results

Location:  
**Sprague Brook Park**

Weather:  
**45°, sunny**

Date:  
**October 18, 2009**

Meet Director:  
**Charles Wightman**

### Green: 5.2km, 11 controls

Place	Competitor	Time
1	Jackie Novkov	83:31
2	Mike Lance	84:19
3	Ort Team	100:12
4	Henry Davis	130:05
5	VanNatter Team	132:50
6	Maslanka Team	137:50
7	Gary Maslanka	DNF

### Yellow: 2.0km, 9 controls

Place	Competitor	Time
1	Hyatt Team	85:44
2	Backtrackers Team	120:15
3	Boy Scout Troop 156—Patrol 1	DNF
4	Boy Scout Troop 156—Patrol 2	DNF
5	Boy Scout Troop 156—Patrol 3	DNF

### Orange: 3.9km, 9 controls

Place	Competitor	Time
1	Howard Kraus	57:09
2	Robert Reeves	65:17
3	Ken Vail	69:40
4	Venture Crew 78—Team 1	110:03
5	Blaisdell Team	110:15
6	Michaud Team	130:00
7	Venture Crew 78—Team 2	143:15
8	John Tracy	163:50
9	Lance Norton	DNF

### White: 2.2km, 9 controls

Place	Competitor	Time
1	Standish Team	63:47
2	Signore Team	64:34
3	Kirsch Team	DNF

Volunteers: **Greg Hyatt, Ken Vail, Mike Lance,  
Becky Wightman, Judi Geer, Tom Wightman**

## Call for Nominations

### *Elections to be Held at Annual Meeting*

The nominating committee is currently accepting nominations for officers and board members to serve through 2011. The President, Secretary, Treasurer, and the four at-large board members are up for election at the annual meeting on March 20, 2010. Nominees need not be expert orienteers, but should be able to attend monthly board meetings. Contact Linc Blaisdell for specific job descriptions. Nominations should be submitted to Greg Hyatt, nominating committee chair, by February 1, 2010.

**2009 Buffalo Orienteering Club Map / Map Hike Order Form**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

*Quantity discounts available on orders of 20 or more  
 Contact Phillip Wolfling for details at (716) 832-9758*

*Make check payable to:  
 Buffalo Orienteering Club*

*Mail to:  
 Phillip Wolfling  
 263 Morris AVE, Buffalo, NY 14214*

Qty.	Map Hikes	Each	Total
	Chestnut Ridge	\$7.00	
	Emery	\$7.00	
	Sprague Brook	\$7.00	
Qty.	Maps Only	Each	Total
	Chestnut Ridge	\$7.00	
	Emery	\$7.00	
	Sardinia	\$7.00	
	Hunter's Creek	\$7.00	
	Sprague Brook	\$7.00	
	Allegany	\$8.00	
	Ellicottville	\$5.00	
Shipping (1-19 items)			\$2.00
Shipping (20 or more items)			Free
<b>Total Order</b>			

**Buffalo Orienteering Club Membership Application / Renewal Form**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

*For family memberships list additional family  
 members \_\_\_\_\_*

*Make check payable to:  
 Buffalo Orienteering Club*

*Mail to: David Cady  
 148 W Humboldt PKWY  
 Buffalo, NY 14214*

<input type="checkbox"/> New Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Renewal
\$15 <input type="checkbox"/> Individual—1 Year
\$40 <input type="checkbox"/> Individual—3 Years
\$20 <input type="checkbox"/> Family—1 Year
\$50 <input type="checkbox"/> Family—3 Years

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