

Community of Minnesota Resorts What's Happening? November 2023

Members, I hope you are looking forward to your winter season! Here is an update of *What's Happening* in the CMR.

Elections since the CMR 2023 Fall Conference:

Kayla Daigle, CMR President – CMRPresident@Minnesota-Resorts.com – 1^{st} term. Kyle Walter, CMR Vice-President – CMREducation@Minnesota-Resorts.com – 1^{st} term. Emily Norris, CMRTreasurer@Minnesota-Resorts.com – 1^{st} term. Timberly Christiansen, CMR Secretary, CMRMarketing@Minnesota-Resorts.com – 4^{th} term.

Newly elected CMR Board Members:

Kyle Walter, Acorn Hill/Brindley's Resort -2^{nd} term.

Mike Boldt, Cedar Point Resort -2^{nd} term.

Timberly Christiansen, Finn'n Feather Resort – 4th term.

Thomas Bales, Swan Lake Resort & Campground – 1st term.

Alex and Lindsey Haagensen, Woman Lake Lodge – 1st term.

Diana Grundeen, Tri-Birches Resort – 1st term.

Jen Bloomquist, Cedar Rapids Lodge – 1st term.

Byron Greenwaldt, Fiddlestix RV & Golf Resort – 1st term.

To view the entire list of your board members and their contact information, visit - https://minnesota-resorts.com/membership/.

Legislative:

Save the Date! CMR Day on the Hill (DOH) is scheduled for **Feb. 27 – 28, 2024**. The CMR will cover the cost of the round-trip bus ride, hotel, dinner, and tickets to a MN Wild Hockey game for all DOH attendees. Official sign-up is coming soon! Contact Mike Boldt if you have any questions - michael.r.boldt00@gmail.com | 218-396-0042.

From Joel Carlson - Some interesting points about tourism in Minnesota. I was a little surprised the twin cities received slightly more tourism than the great outdoors, but resorts and outdoor recreation remains a leading tourism attraction for Minnesota. https://www.startribune.com/tourism-visitors-minnesota-wisconsin-iowa-north-dakota-illinois-south-dakota/600318763/



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Welcome! New Resort Owners and Members -

Jackie & Jeff Novitsky, Black Pine Beach Resort, Pequot Lakes.

Please take some time to reach out to a neighboring resort and encourage them to join the CMR!

Scholarship Liaison - We are looking for a member at large to volunteer to be our CMR Scholarship Liaison. Please contact Kayla Daigle at CMRPresident@Minnesota-Resorts.com | 218-699-3632 if you are interested or have any questions.

Marketing:

Minnesota Resorter Magazine - Submit your stories, ideas, and photos for the 2024 Spring issue by **Feb 9, 2024**. Feel free to contact Amanda Wheece, Editor, at CMRMagazine@Minnesota-Resorts.com.

Please let me know if you have any questions. I am happy to help.

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