

AMERICAN SOKOL, WASHINGTON, D.C.

REGULAR MEETING

WEDNESDAY, March 7, 2007, 8:00 P.M.

at

AT LITTLE FALLS LIBRARY, 5501 MASSACHUSSETTS AVENUE, BETHESDA, MD

After a short business meeting, join us for conversation during a traditional social hour with soft drinks, coffee and snacks. Looking forward to seeing you there!

MESSAGE FROM THE STAROSTA

I would like to encourage you to express your interests and ideas for improvement. Write down your ideas and E-mail them to me <u>neoveskym@msn.com</u>. This way you will participate in forming the future of Sokol Organization.

MEMBERSHIP ISSUES

Thanks to all Sokol Washington members who already submitted their 2007 dues.

The membership dues are \$29,- per member, and should be submitted the latest by *March 31st*. New members also pay a one-time administrative fee **\$5,-**.

Members, who did not pay the dues to date, please make a check payable to Sokol Washington, and mail it at your earliest convenience to our Financial Secretary:

Br. Tibor Bartalos 1001 3rd Str., S.W., Apt. 705 Washington, D.C. 20024

Your contributions to Sokol Washington may be tax deductible. Please give us your consideration when you are deciding on your end-of-year contributions. The United Way CFC designation code for our unit is 7151.

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MARCH EVENTS

Volleyball:	Mondays,	March 5, 12, 19 and 26	8:00 to 10:00 p.m.
Gymnastics for Children:	Fridays,	March 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30	8:00 to 10:00 p.m.
Adult Aerobics:	Fridays,	March 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30	8:15 to 9:30 p.m.



Volleyball, Gymnastics and Adult Aerobics are taking place at Wood Acres Elementary School, 5800 Cromwell DR, Bethesda, MD.

For more information call Br. Pavel Klein – (301)424.1658 or Milos Toth (301)585.8534

March 24th: Josefska Party - a traditional party for everyone. ASW seeks volunteers to help to organize this party, otherwise the party would have to be called off. If you are eager to help please do not hesitate to contact Br. Tibor Bartalos at <u>tbartalos@gmail.com</u> before March 17, 2007.

March 31st: Volleyball Tournament - the annual volleyball tournament, this year organized by SOKOL New York. Please check our web for details.

COMMUNITY EVENT – BACA CUP 2007

The 29th Annual Baca Cup came to a close on February 17th, 2007. www.bacacup.com

Current Baca Cup Champions for 2007:

Men's Alpine:	Ian Cruz
Women's Alpine:	Radka Kurfurst
Ambassador's Cup:	Tomas Pavlicek
Men's Snowboard:	Lukas Bart
Women's Snowboard:	Jordan Weitzel

Congratulations from ASW members to all participants and to the winners!

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FUTURE - PLANNED EVENTS

April 4th weekend: hiking and camping in Shenandoah National Park. For more information contact Br. Pavel Klein at 301.424.1658 or at <u>kleinp@epilepsydc.com</u>

April: Paleni Carodejnic (Witches Burning) - an old Czech and Slovak custom.

- May: Jiri Vaclav Parma Memorial Tennis Tournament an annual sporting event attracting local & out of town participants. Contact Br. Milos Toth at 301.585.8534 with your suggestions or help offers.
- May: Memorial Day weekend traditional early summer canoeing trip outing. 3days event on the Southern Branch of the Potomac in Monangahela National Forest in West Virginia.
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- May: Whitewater outing traditional whitewater outing for beginners and mid-advanced in PA State Park. For more information contact Br. Tibor Bartalos at <u>tbartalos@gmail.com</u>

June: 60th American SOKOL Washington anniversary

June: Canoe Trip - Traditional early summer outing event. For more information contact Br. Tibor Bartalos at <u>tbartalos@gmail.com</u>

August: Summer children's camp - The "Blue Rock" camp by the Potomac River in West Virginia. For more information contact Br. Pavel Klein at 301.424.1658 or at <u>kleinp@epilepsydc.com</u>

DETAILED INFORMATION ABOUT THE ABOVE PLANNED EVENTS WILL BE PUBLISHED

IN THIS FLYER AND ON THE SOKOL WEBSITE.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Detska hodina / Children's Hour

If you have any children between the ages of 12 and 30 months and are interested in an invitation to "Detska hodina/Children's Hour", e-mail Sabina at <u>detskahodina@yahoo.com</u> Sabina has a little boy herself and it would be her pleasure to organize a monthly gathering of children and their moms/parents. There would be a lot of singing Czech songs, dancing, fairy-tale reading, etc. In your e-mail, please state the number of children you would like to bring as well as their ages.

Czechoslovak Happy Hour – a social gathering of Czech and Slovak community and friends Feel free to obtain more info at <u>http://cshappyhour.net/index.html</u>

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