

# SOARING WITH SAS

**Sports for Active Seniors**

**You don't stop playing when you get old,  
You get old when you stop playing!**

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## GOLF

**Golf on Fridays** for women and men. Tee time in most cases will be mid morning. We play at a different course each week. Notice of course and time will come on Mondays. You let me know if you're playing on Wednesday. We generally have lunch after.

If interested contact **Vernon Flesch** by email or Text [vflesch@gmail.com](mailto:vflesch@gmail.com) 608-873-5906

Weather permitting, I would like to start golfing at **Nine Springs Thursday** May 5th, 2022 at 9:00 am. Call me at 608-271-2950 if you'd like to join.  
**Ann White**

## MEMBERSHIP

People over the age of 55 who are interested in actively participating in sports are invited to join us. Questions? Call Sarah at 575-9685

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## TENNIS

**Rotation Tennis** will start Monday, May 2nd, weather permitting. We play Monday, Wednesday and Friday at Rennebohm Park. No sign up is required and everyone is welcome. Please bring a new or slightly used can of tennis balls along with your racquet when you come to the park. In May, the start time will be 10:00 am. June through the end of the season the start time will be 9:00 am.

For more information or questions call Burt or Karen Scheele at (608) 238-4430 or contact by email at [bkscheele@att.net](mailto:bkscheele@att.net)

**Set Tennis** will begin on Tuesday, May 3rd, at 9am at Elver Park. We'll play on Tuesdays & Thursdays.

Anyone interested in playing should contact Lois Langenfeld ([llangenfel@aol.com](mailto:llangenfel@aol.com)) by 4pm on the previous Sunday afternoons.

An email will be sent out on Mondays indicating who will be playing. Please bring a new or slightly used can of tennis balls.

For more information or questions, please contact Lois [loislangenfeld@att.net](mailto:loislangenfeld@att.net) — 608-233-2612

## General Meeting -Picnic Thursday May 26

SAS's 32 Anniversary General Meeting will be a picnic Pot Luck at Huegel-Jamestown Park Shelter located at 5810 Williamsburg Way on Thursday, May 26 from 10 am to 3 pm.

Directions: From the beltline: Go South on Verona Road past Raymond Road stop-light. Take the exit lane West to Williamsburg Way and a roundabout. The park is about 0.8 miles West of there. The shelter with restrooms is on the right. There is NO parking lot but lots of street parking.

There will be a short **bike ride** about 10:30 am led by Larry Neuman before our noon lunch and a brief business meeting to follow where our members will (hopefully) approve an upgrade of the SAS By-Laws. The park has accommodations for Baseball, Basketball, Soccer, Tennis, Trails & Volley Ball.

Please bring a dish to pass. SAS will provide Plates, Cups, Flatware, Napkins & Leomonaide.

There will be an opportunity to pay dues in time to be included in the 2022 SAS Directory.

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Our August Pot Luck Picnic has also been scheduled. It will once again be at Lake Farm Park on August 16.

# CAMPING

(Save the dates August 21- 26, 2022)

Betty Jean has again, in an unusually high volume site occupancy year, snatched a reservation for a great double site for camping at Firefly Lake near Minoqua, Woodruff, and Boulder Junction, a Wisconsin's prime vacation spot. Joint activities with Cottage Dwellers will include biking, hiking, swimming, boating etc. Questions ? [bettyjean312@gmail.com](mailto:bettyjean312@gmail.com) or 651-231-6879

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## CAMPING REGISTRATION SUNDAY AUGUST 21– FRIDAY AUGUST 26, 2022

To reserve a space, send a \$20 (non-refundable deposit) check with your name, address, phone number, and e-mail address to Betty Jean Grafton: 7 Sugar Maple Trail, Madison Wi. 53717. Questions: 651-231-6879 or [bettyjeank312@gmail.com](mailto:bettyjeank312@gmail.com)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

**A \$20 non-refundable deposit is required** to reserve your space. Any remaining expenses will be determined while camping. Please mail registration and deposit: TO Betty Jean Grafton, 16 Oak Grove Dr. Madison, Wi. 53717

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## BIKING

### Monday April 25th

Meet at Burrows Park, 25 Burrows Road, Madison. at **10 am**. This city park is located off of Sherman Ave., near Banzo's Restaurant and Kappels Clock Shop. The parking lot, with restroom, is located on the backside, towards Lake Mendota. The ride is approximately 12 miles. The ride will be on city streets, and parts of Capital City Trail. We will be going along the Yahara River, Lake Monona (Orton Park/ BB Clarke), to Olbrich Gardens area. We will stop at Cafe Brittoli which is on the bike path. .Bob Brooks (cell 608 - 658-2016)

**CONSTRUCTION ALERT!** There is considerable construction in the area of Machinery Row , Blair & John Nolen so it is probably wise to avoid that area when biking & driving.

**Monday, May 9** (in case of rain, Wed., May 11): meet at parking lot, Lussier Family Heritage Center off Lake Farm Road, **11 a.m.** Ride north on Capital City bike path past Olin Park. (Those wanting a shorter ride can pick up the ride at Olin boat launch parking at 11:25 a.m.) Take Capital City Bike Path east to Garver Feed Mill. Break there for lunch/ snack. Return via streets past Orton Park. Back at cars at 2 p.m. About 15 miles (longer ride); 10 miles (shorter ride). Mainly easy terrain. Contacts: Paul Beckett ([beckettpa@gmail.com](mailto:beckettpa@gmail.com), 608 440 3079), Kathie Beckett ([kbtraveler@gmail.com](mailto:kbtraveler@gmail.com), 608 772 1992).

**Thursday May 26 10:30 am** at the SAS Picnic - Larry Neuman will lead a short ride in the area of the Huegel-Jamestown Park at 5810 Willamsburg Way, Fitchburg. [wlneman@yahoo.com](mailto:wlneman@yahoo.com).

## CELEBRATING 99th Birthday of Jesse Kehres



Lee Schuchardt, Georgine Hinz, Betty Jean Grafton, Pompeyo Rios, Mary O'Brien, Jesse, Vern Flesch and Mary Maas (snapped the photo).

Jesse was our SAS treasurer for 5 years from 2010 thru 2014.

## SAS WEBSITE

The website has been updated. One of the new features is having an updated Newsletter under the "Newsletter tab". This will allow future members, and those that deleted their newsletter, to find information more quickly. If you have any suggestions for the website or the newsletter contact

Bob [bandalaro@chartermi.net](mailto:bandalaro@chartermi.net)

The website is [sportsforactiveseniors.org](http://sportsforactiveseniors.org)

## EMAIL NOTIFICATIONS

Please watch for emails announcing resuming activities. If you are a SAS activity leader and would like to publicize an activity which will resume, please let me know and I can easily send an email notification to the general membership between newsletters. [yvonesor@gmail.com](mailto:yvonesor@gmail.com) or 221-3926.

# Sports for Active Seniors (SAS) MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 2022

The SAS Release of Liability clause requires us to have a separate Membership Application for each member. Couples may send one check to cover both memberships @\$20 each, but must send individual Membership Applications.

**Please complete this application and return with check made out to SAS for \$20.00 per membership.**

**Mail to: SAS, P.O. Box 8742, Madison, WI 53708**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

Retired    Semi-Retired    Working    New Member    Renewing Member

Optional Donation \_\_\_\_\_ How did you hear about Sports for Active Seniors? \_\_\_\_\_

## INTERESTS

Biking    Bowling    Camping    Canoeing    Dancing    Golf  
 Hiking/Walking    Skiing X-C    Snow Shoeing    Tennis

Other sport interests \_\_\_\_\_

Please check ways you'd be willing to help with SAS activities:  Membership    Hospitality    Programs  
 Newsletter    Computer Literacy    Activity Leadership    Finance    Archives    Publicity

## RELEASE OF LIABILITY/INDEMNITY

*(Application will not be accepted without signing this release.)*

I understand that participation in the activities of this organization may put me at risk of injury or loss. I hereby assume such risk, and I release, indemnify, and hold harmless the organization, its officers, its activity leaders, and my fellow participants from all liability for any injuries, damages, claims, or allegation of misadventure or negligence. I agree to indemnify and hold those identified above harmless and pay for all costs, attorney fees and other monetary awards incurred or determined in any lawsuit or claim related to the organization and myself.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# PICKLE BALL

*(Due to the recent Covid 19 surge, please check with the facilities below to see if they have temporarily paused their operation.)*

We do NOT have a leader for Pickle Ball but will once again publish a list of the facilities that have begun to offer it again since the pandemic restrictions have been lifted. Please let me know of any additional facilities so that I can list them for our members. [yvonesor@gmail.com](mailto:yvonesor@gmail.com)

HITTERS: 833-4488 (Please call as times are currently variable)

PRAIRIE ATHLETIC CLUB: 837-4646 (Please call)

SALVATION ARMY 256-2321 (Please call)

TURNERS: 222-4922 (Please call)

WAUNAKEE VILLAGE CENTER: 850-5992 Monday 9:30am - noon

Wednesday 9am - noon

Friday 9am - noon

Saturday 9am—11 am

YMCA (east) :221-1571 Tuesdays and Fridays 1pm-3pm

They also have an outdoor facility which is available during their regular hours.

YMCA (northeast - Sun Prairie): 857-8221 Mondays and Thursdays 1pm - 3pm

YMCA (west) :276-6606 Tuesdays and Thursdays Noon - 2pm (\$5 for non-members)

## NEWSLETTER ITEMS

Please send all items, pictures, and address changes for the SAS newsletter by the 15th of the previous month to Yvonne Sorge, 5310 Painted Post Dr., Madison, WI 53716, or call 221-3926, or, send an e-mail to [yvonesor@gmail.com](mailto:yvonesor@gmail.com)

Please also notify me if you have not received your newsletter by the 22nd of the previous month.

## PAPER COPIES OF NEWSLETTER

If you have problems printing out the newsletter or would like a paper copy sent to you for any reason, please contact Yvonne at 221-3926 or [yvonesor@gmail.com](mailto:yvonesor@gmail.com) to be put on the paper copy mail list. You will still receive the email copy and other alerts by email if we have your email address.