

Snowsfest 2010 - Board Games

Schedule of Events

Sponsored by the Les Cheneaux Chamber of Commerce

Most activities at tent area- **Downtown Hessel**

Unless otherwise specified

Snowsfest buttons required for all events – 2010 logo designed by Trevor Kohlmann. FREE hot chocolate or coffee at the Snowsfest concessions if you are wearing your Snowsfest button!

Get your Snow Buddies at the Les Cheneaux Welcome Center! Enter your snow sculpture or Snow Buddy in one of our decorating contests by calling the Welcome Center at (906) 484-3935 or by sending e-mail to: lcichamber@lescheneaux.net!

Take advantage of Michigan's FREE FISHING weekend by participating in our Snowsfest Fishing Contest (more info below). No MI fishing license required for fishing Feb 13 & 14.

Thursday, February 11th

8 a.m.: Pike and Perch Fishing Contest Begins! – through 4 p.m. on Sunday, February 14th. Cash prizes for top three fish in adult and youth divisions, with \$100 grand prize in adult division for largest pike and perch. \$5 registration fee, and must register before fishing, please at Cedar Pantry, Hessel Grocery, or Fish Tales Bait and Tackle before fishing. Measure fish at same businesses. Awards on Sunday, 5 p.m. @ Hessel Grocery

Friday, February 12th

2 p.m.: Explore the Birge Preserve in Hessel on a guided tour. Grab your skis or snowshoes and join Little Traverse Conservancy staff on the trail loops of this beautiful 435-acre preserve, on Point Brulee in Hessel. Registration is required by calling (231) 347-0991.

3:30 p.m. - 4 p.m.: Registration for Cardboard Box Sled Races - School Sledding Hill, at Les Cheneaux Community Schools, Cedarville - use Elementary parking lot on Hilltop Drive

4 p.m.: Cardboard Box Sled Races take off with Board Game theme, ALL ages welcome.

5 p.m. - Snow Statues and Snow Buddy Judging - be registered by 4 p.m. to be considered in the judging. Register by calling 484-3935 or send e-mail to: lcichamber@lescheneaux.net.

5-8 p.m: Les Cheneaux Community Library Book Fair @ the Library on Hodeck Street, Cedarville

Evening: Snowsfest Pub Shuffle and Costume Contest

- Visit Bumpa's, Cattail's, Islander, Runway Bar and the Hessel Kewadin Casino bar to vote on your favorite themed pub decorations, drinks and bartenders. Ballots available at each establishment.
- Best Dressed in Theme Costume – wear your **board games theme costume!**

Saturday, February 13th

50/50 raffle ticket sales all day, various locations, drawing and final ticket sales at Islander Bar, Hessel; Kewadin Casino Shuttle will run between Casino and downtown Hessel today!

7:30 a.m. – 11 a.m.: Pancake and Sausage Breakfast. At Les Cheneaux Community Schools' cafeteria on Beach Street, Cedarville. Served by Les Cheneaux Snowmobile Club. \$6 adults; \$4 kids ages 5-12, free for 4 and under!

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.: Kitty Cat Race Registration in the Tent. \$10 Registration Fee

10 a.m.: Snowman Burning – Hessel launch ramp area and Blessing of the Snowmobiles - Pastor Jeff Meyers of the First Union Church

10:30 a.m.: Kitty Cat Races in Hessel Bay. Just for Kids! Register @ 9 am, Snowsfest tent

10 a.m. – 4 p.m.: Arts and Craft Show & Concession by Les Cheneaux Community Foundation. Community Center, Cedarville

10 a.m. – 3 p.m.: Les Cheneaux Community Library Book Fair @ the Library on Hodeck Street, Cedarville

11 a.m. – 2 p.m.: Concessions - in Snowsfest warm-up tent, downtown Hessel. Hot dogs and hot beverages!

11 a.m. – 2 p.m.: Horse drawn Sleigh Rides – donations welcome

11 a.m. – 2 p.m.: Chili Cook Off. Commercial & Individual divisions- chili entries must be at the tent between 10:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Taste and buy tickets to cast votes for your favorite chili! *Sponsored by First National Bank of St. Ignace, Les Cheneaux Branch.*

11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.: Poker Run Registration in the Tent

Noon: Dog Sled Rides – suggested donation \$10, portion of proceeds to Mackinac County Animal Shelter

Noon: Kids Games @ the Tent. *Presented by Carmeuse Lime and Stone Company, Cedarville.*

11 am – 4 pm: Les Cheneaux Sportsman's Open Shoot. Trap & Sporting Clays. Les Cheneaux Sportsman's Club, East M-134, Cedarville. Coffee, Refreshments, and Warm-up Area Available. ~Public is Invited~

11 a.m. to 5 p.m. - Indian Taco Sale Fundraiser for Hessel Elders, at Kewadin Casino on 3-Mile Road, Hessel

1:00 p.m.: Snowshoe Hare Race - sign up at the warm-up tent on Hessel Bay. Races will be at a nearby location.

1:30 p.m.: Cross Country Ski Tour. Peek-a-boo Trail, West State Ave. Cedarville

2 p.m.: Dog Show - Best Dressed, Best Trick, Obstacle Course competitions. Near Snowsfest tent. Register on-site.

2:30 p.m.: Emergency Ice Rescue demonstration - Clark Township EMS Team on Hessel Bay

5 p.m. – 7 p.m.: Poker Run Ends at Islander Bar, Hessel – 50/50 raffle drawing, costume winners announced

Sunday, February 14th

11 am – 4 pm: Les Cheneaux Sportsman Open Shoot. Trap & Sporting Clays. Les Cheneaux Sportsman's Club, East M-134, Cedarville. coffee, refreshments, and warm-up area. Public welcome.

Noon- 12:30 p.m.: Ice Hole Golf Scramble Registration. Islander Bar – Hessel

1:00 p.m.: Ice Hole-Two Man Golf Scramble- Hessel Bay Area – shot gun start. Followed by awards at Islander Bar!

4:00 p.m.: Snowsfest Pike and Perch Fishing Contest ends. Awards @ 5 p.m. @ Hessel Grocery

3 p.m.-11 p.m. at the Community Center, Cedarville: “FOR THE LOVE OF LIFE” Skate & Dance presented by the Lucas Izzard Foundation for Teens (LIFT)

- **3:00-5:00pm: Skating** - be sure to show your Snowsfest Button

- **3:00-6:00pm: Refreshments & soup supper**

- **7:00-11:00pm: Teen Dance.** Cost \$4 per person, \$1 discount if you present the national suicide prevention hotline phone number at the entrance.

Snowsfest is possible due to the generosity of Volunteers, Local Businesses and Non-Profit Organizations. THANK YOU!!