



## Theta Phi

Dear Sisters,  
It's about that time when we start thinking "Where did the summer go?". I hope you have enjoyed some fun activities with your favorite people. I also hope you've finished your summer reading list because we have saved "the best for last"--- your Theta Phi newsletter is full of information and voting opportunities!

There is a reservation form for Fall Raquette Lake Weekend with options to stay for all or part of the time. You can make it as active or as restful as you wish. We will hold our annual meeting, the popular auction, and the yearly 50-50 raffle. Our first-time-ever Theta Phi Murder Mystery will play out with sisters trying not to break character "as sinister behavior creates mayhem and murder"--- it should be a hoot!!

If you cannot attend there is an opportunity to participate via mail by buying a raffle ticket and/or sending an auction item. I also encourage you to use the enclosed ballots to vote on the slate of board members and the Constitutional change.

The final item of Raquette Lake news is that Rhonda Jacobs Pitoniak '01 M '16 has been named as the new Director of the William H. Parks Family Center for Environmental and Outdoor Education. We congratulate Rhonda and look forward to working with her!

Other items of interest include the thank you letter from the 2017 recipient of the Marjorie Dey Carter '50 Scholarship and a report on the appropriately named "Crazy Cape Walk

In the spring edition of the "Columns" alumni news, both President Bitterbaum and Alumni President Judy Wolfe '84 highlighted the edition's theme, "Because of You." They emphasized that, because of you...the alumni, SUNY Cortland is a top-notch institution. They also suggested that we consider, and thank, the "because of you" people who have supported us in our personal lives. I'll bet we can all name several Theta Phi sisters to that list---I know I can and I'm forever grateful!

So, enjoy the newsletter! If you are unable to join us at Raquette Lake please stay connected, as we are all part of that "Long Long Line of Thetas"!

Enjoy, be well, because of  
you...all, Theta Love,  
Pat Quinn '72