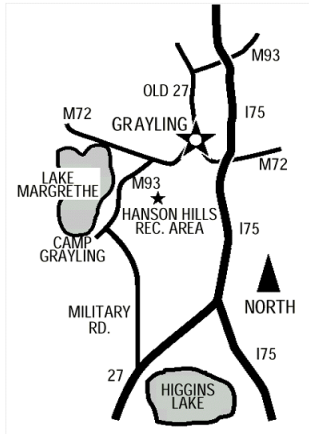


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WHY THE CRAZY NAME?

The "Cote Dame Marie" name comes from a hill range located on the Hanson State Game Refuge/Camp Grayling Military Reservation and has WWI significance. In 1918 the German army's last line of defense was the Hindenburg Line.

The key to breaking the German line were two hills – the Cote Dame Marie and the Cote de Chatillion. The Michigan 126th Regiment found a gap in the barb wire fortifications of the Cote Dame Marie but was pinned down by German machine gun fire. Captain Edward Strom then led seven men to find another gap. After finding a gap they attacked up a steep hill in a single rush without loss of life. A full assault followed and the Hindenburg line was pierced.

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Saturday, January 21st
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8K JUNIORS
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Cote Dame Marie Ski Loppet

January 20-21, 2012

Cote Dame Marie Ski Loppet

Michigan Cup Juniors Race: Boys and Girls 8K

Citizen Races: Men & Women's Skate 8K, Men & Women's Classic 8K.

Michigan Cup-Point Races: Men 30K & Women's 15K Skate Races

Location: Registration at Hanson Hills Recreation Area Friday January 20, 5:00pm-9:00pm; Race Day Registration and Start and Finish at Hanson Hills Recreation Area three (3) miles west of Grayling.

Event Schedule:

Friday:	
Bib Pick-up at Northbound Outfitters (Corner of M-72 and Old Lake Rd. Grayling)	5:00-9:00 PM
Free Kid's Race at Northbound Outfitters Lighted Trails (Kids Race ages 15 under)	7:00 - 7:30 PM
Saturday:	
Registration at Hanson Hills	7:00- 9:30 AM
Michigan Cup: (Freestyle)	
Men's Heat	10:00 AM
Women's Heat	10:05 AM
Junior Race: 8K (Freestyle) Start	10:10 AM
Citizen Races	
Men's 8K Skate	10:15 AM
Women's 8K Skate	10:17 AM
Men's / Women's 8K Classic	10:19 AM
Awards Banquet at The Ole Barn	1:00 - 2:30 PM

Course: Rolling Terrain. Wide skate lanes and set track.

Awards: Custom Gift to first 250 registered. Overall Awards for each division and Age Group awards in each division.

Entry Fee:

MI-CUP RACERS: Pre Registration \$35 postmarked by January 14, 2012;

Late & Race Day Registration \$45

JUNIORS & CITIZEN RACERS: Registration \$20

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MICHIGAN CUP Points Race

Juniors 8 K

MENS 30K

WOMEN'S 15K

CITIZENS RACE

Men,s Skate 8K

Women's Skate 8K

Men's Classic 8K

Women's Classic 8K

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Grayling, MI 49738

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Address _____

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Sex _____

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