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## Is Life at MLC Still Fun in the Winter?



### Spraying Snow-steepieces

It was a Saturday like any other in New Ulm . . . well, almost. The temperature had dropped to a bitter -15 degrees plus wind chill. However, rather than hibernating in their dorm rooms and sleeping till spring, some brave students woke up early and headed outside. Why, you ask? The MLC Events team was holding a snow-painting competition, and there'd been whispers of "awesome prizes" to be won.

Sophomore **Grace Sievert** (*RMLHS / Grace-Yorba Linda CA*) was among the hopeful contenders. Pictured here, all bundled up to endure the cold and cement her artistic legacy, she said, "I'm not used to the cold because I'm from California, but I still had a blast. Although art is not my strong suit, I had a great time and a unique experience laughing and painting alongside my friends."

### Sub-Zero Skiing

Believe it or not, the temperature only continued to fall for the next week. By the following Friday it was a frigid -30. But the blustery Minnesota winter breeds hearty future called workers! The temperature was not enough to faze participants in the annual ski trip to Mount Kato!

The trip was a fantastic time for all—once each student covered every last inch of exposed skin and hit the slopes. Some shredded the powder for the first time, while others were more seasoned skiers. It was **Isaiah Hahm's** (*WISCO / Zion-Hartland WI*) second time to Mount Kato after going on last year's trip as well.

Isaiah said, "It was super cold last weekend but skiing was totally worth it. MLC activities are super fun because they have introduced me to things like skiing that I otherwise wouldn't have experienced."



### Warming Up at Prof Late Night

Not all MLC students have an affinity for enduring the cold, but never fear! We've got plenty of indoor activities in the winter too. Last week professors worked with the cafeteria staff to prepare one of their favorite snacks for "Prof Late Night." What followed was a great chance for students and instructors to get to know each other on a deeper level.

Pictured here are two of the aforementioned profs—**Dr. Whaley** and **Professor Mehlberg**. Sophomore **Jenna Boggs** (*LPS / Divine Savior-West Palm Beach FL*) had a chance to stop down and have a chat with them in the caf and found the experience extremely valuable.

She said, "Being at a smaller college definitely gives us the opportunity for a more personal relationship with professors who know us by name. Whether you want to talk about a class or life in general, the professors are always here to help with anything."