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NOW IS THE TIME TO START PLANNING YOUR TRIPS FOR THE '92-'93 SKI SEASON--SEE PAGE 4 FOR MAIL-IN SIGNUP INSTRUCTIONS AND PAGES 9 - 12 FOR INFORMATION ON THIS YEAR'S SKI TRIPS!! HAVE A GREAT TIME SKIING THIS YEAR!!!!





HOPE YOU ALL HAD A **GREAT SUMMER!!!**





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HEAD OF THE LIFT LINE



Unlike the United States Congress, Space City strives to work within the constraints of a balanced budget which I am pleased to announce, the Board adopted for this fiscal year. Additionally, the Executive Committee set goals for itself that the officers feel confident will be achieved in the coming year.

The Trips budgets have been approved and the TCs and ATCs are planning another successful ski season for SCSC. VP-Trips, DEBBIE BERGERON, obviously believes that variety is the spice of life. She has

planned ski trips to six states, from Oregon to Maine, and in conjunction with the Texas Ski Council, Space City will be going to Innsbruck, Austria. More details on all the trips can be found in this month's Sitzmarke along with the trip mailin signup procedures.

VP-Programs, TOM HOGLE, has worked hard this summer to provide activities that have been requested by members. Starting in September, the monthly meetings will once again be held at the Holiday Inn-Crowne Plaza. Check out his September Meeting agenda on page 3.

Thanks to our VP-Membership, A.G. DAVIS, membership is already at 850!!! If you know anyone who might want to join the Club, bring them to an activity or the next Happy Hour and introduce them to A. G. He will be happy to sign them up. Remember, you must be a member to sign up for a Space City ski trip.

Our world-travelling Secretary, RICHARD HALL, is back with great logos! He's just received a new shipment of name tags, so if you don't have your very own Space City name tag, head for the logo table at the September meeting. ANN HARVEY and JOYCE RYAN will be happy to sell you one.

As many of you may have noticed, the Sitzmarke is arriving earlier. This is because of the efforts of our hard-working VP-Publications, PEGGY DONLEY and an earlier article deadline requirement.

Treasurer, MARTI TOOMER, was kept busy the month of June preparing the operating budget for 1992-93.

Just a reminder that Space City does not sell its mailing list to anyone. If you receive mail or a call from anyone selling anything using SCSC's name please be made aware that it does not imply endorsement by Space City.

Beat-the-Heat Bowling will be on August 15th and get those poodle skirts, rolled up jeans and white socks out for the Sock Hop on August 22nd.

See you at the Galaxy on August 20th.

FOR UP-TO-DATE CLUB INFORMATION THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER CALL 688-SCSC

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FIRST OF EVERY MONTH FOR FOLLOWING

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COMING EVENTS

AUGUST

NO GENERAL MEETING

- 15 Beat the Heat
- Bowling
- HAPPY HOUR 20
- 22 50's Sock Hop
- 31 TC/ATC Training

SEPTEMBER

- Volleyball Shoot-out 13
- 14 **GENERAL MEETING** TRIP SIGN UP
- 18-20 Bolivar Beach Blast
- 21 **Board Meeting**
- 24 **HAPPY HOUR**
- Brunch & "BUD" 26 **Brewery Tour**

OCTOBER

- 3 Race for the Cure
- Volleyball shoot-out
- GENERAL MEETING 12
- 9-11 Guadalupe River Rafting
- Midnight Bike Ride 10
- 22 **HAPPY HOUR**
- 24 **Mixed Doubles Tennis** Tournament
- 31 Halloween Party

NOVEMBER

- 8 Horse Racing
- 15 Bike Ride (Galveston)
- **HAPPY HOUR**
- 24-29 TSC Fall Roundup Keystone, Colorado

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GENERAL MEETING NO

AUGUST

SEPTEMBER MEETING AGENDA

6:00PM WARRENMILLER'S "EXTREME SKIING"

Video-Happy Hour Drink Prices

Activity Tables open

7:30PM SKI TRIP SIGN UP BEGINS

8:30PM **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

8:45PM DOOR PRIZE DRAWINGS

HAPPY HOUR

August 20, 1992 HAPPY HOUR

GALAXY

DINER & BAR

6405 Richmond Avenue (at Unity)

783-3958

CHANGES OF ADDRESS AND/OR MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS NEED TO BE RECEIVED <u>NO LATER THAN</u> THE 10TH OF THE MONTH TO RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING MONTH'S SITZMARKE. CHANGES SHOULD BE MAILED TO A.G. DAVIS, VP-MEMBERSHIP, 14100 DEL PAPA # 169, HOUSTON, TEXAS 77047.

YOU ASKED FOR IT, YOU GOT IT -- SKI TRIP SIGNUP FOR OUR 1992-93 SEASON BEGINS BY MAIL MONDAY, AUGUST 17th! Just follow the instructions shown below, then come by the first Monthly Meeting of the SCSC New Year on September 14th at the Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza to verify your registration and pick up additional info from your trip leaders!

THE MAIL-IN SIGNUP PERIOD BEGINS AUGUST 17th AND CONCLUDES
 AUGUST 31st. Each envelope must be postmarked on or between these dates. If you miss
 the deadline, sign up in person at the September 14th monthly meeting.



- 2. ALL MAIL-IN SIGNUPS ARE TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE VP OF TRIPS, AS SHOWN BELOW.
- IF YOU SIGN UP FOR MORE THAN ONE TRIP, you must mail SEPARATE registration forms in SEPARATE ENVELOPES with the Trip Name designated on both the envelope and registration form.
- 4. YOU MUST HAVE RENEWED YOUR SCSC MEMBERSHIP FOR 1992-93. New membership numbers are shown on the mailing label of your August Sitzmarke and must be included with your registration.
- 5. YOU MAY SIGN UP YOURSELF AND ONE OTHER SCSC MEMBER PER TRIP.
- 6. Deposits for the Innsbruck trip are \$300 per person; all other trips are \$100 per person per trip. Make checks payable to "SCSC". Specify the trip name at the bottom lefthand corner of each check and your 1992-93 membership number at the top of the check.
- 7. Prior to Final Payment Date, \$10 Transfer Fees and \$30 Cancellation Fees apply to domestic trips; and \$35 Transfer Fees and \$100 Cancellation Fees apply to the Innsbruck trip. Standing Rules 5.1 and 5.4 apply to cancellations after Final Payment Date.
- 8. Registrations received by mail will be sorted by Trip Name in the order received, and added to Participant Lists in that order, then to Wait Lists once a trip has filled to capacity. If your registration does not make the primary Participant List, you will be put on that trip's Wait List and your deposit check held by the Trip Coordinator. All other checks will be deposited on or after August 31st.
- 9. Signups ON or AFTER the 9/14/92 Meeting should be personally delivered or mailed directly to the TC or ATC.
- 10. These procedures apply to ALL members (except the TC and ATC of their own trip).
- 11. All Trip Participants are subject to SCSC Standing Rules, Policies and Procedures.
- 12. DISCLAIMERS:
 - (a) Any single check that includes deposits for more than one trip destination may be returned to the sender.
 - (b) Any registrations received that do not follow these instructions may be returned to sender.
 - (c) SCSC is not responsible for any problems with U.S. Postal service, including delayed delivery or lost mail.
 - (d) Information shown on the Trip Schedule is subject to change.

--- Clip & Mail. Run extra copies if needed. -----

TRIP REGISTRATION FORM

Each envelope must be postmarked BETWEEN AUGUST 17th AND 31st and MUST CONTAIN REGISTRATION FOR ONLY ONE TRIP, along with \$100 deposit per person for domestic trips and \$300 for the Innsbruck trip. You may sign up yourself and one other SCSC member per trip. Specify trip name on outside of envelope and on Trip Registration Form. If signing up for Steamboat trip, specify either "Steamboat I'" or "Steamboat II".

{TRIP NAME -- only one per envelope}
c/o Debbie Bergeron
15 Edgewood Forest Ct.
Woodlands, TX 77381-3532

TRIP NAME:	TRIP DATES: to		
PARTICIPANT #1	PARTICIPANT #2		
Name	Name		
1992-93 Membership #	1992-93 Membership #		
Address	Address		
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TEXAS SKI COUNCIL REPORT

by Kim Page



TSC Rep at Summer Fun Oympics

The TSC Quarterly meeting was held in Dallas on June 13. Those attending from SCSC were Jerry Montgomery, Pam Holder, Craig Liebergot, Debbie & Ted Bergeron, and myself. Rhonda McGree, President, opened the meeting with introductions of the delegates and the

new TSC Officers for 1992-93. Steve Gucker, treasurer, presented the 92-93 budget. The budget was not accepted and will be brought back before the delegates at the August meeting.

Several committees have been formed by the TSC for the 1992–93 season. They have formed a race committee, of which our own **Ted Bergeron** was appointed to serve. This committee will be looking in to the possibility of realigning the divisions, changing the scoring methods in order to make the racing "fairer" for all clubs, both big and small.

A"Never Ever Program" committee has also been formed this year. SCSC's Jerry Montgomery is serving on the committee. This committee was formed to organize a program to get more skiers on the mountain. The TSC Steamboat trip will be the Never Ever Skier TSC trip for the 1992–93 season. On the trip there will be programs all through the week for never ever skiers—discount lessons, race clinics, parties, etc. If you have any friends that have never skied, this is the year to get them to sign up on a trip. Remember...Steamboat is the Never Ever trip for this season.

A Marketing Committee is another new committee this year. Jerry is also serving on this one. This group will get the Texas Ski Council name out to the mountains and hopefully expand the membership of the TSC.

Pam Holder has volunteered to serve on the By-laws and Standing Rules Committee. Jerry (Mr. Volunteer) Montgomery is also helping put together guidelines for the TSC nominating committee.

The delegates also voted on several changes to the TSC By-Laws and Standing Rules. The changes were put into place to help the smaller clubs in the council.

The next TSC meeting will be held in Austin on August 22, 1992.

NOTICE TO THE MEMBERS:

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(Please include name, address, phone numbers and name of anyone for whom you are paying.)

ADULTS ONLY



HEAVENLY VALLEY II-TSC FINAL SHOWDOWN

by Cissy Dutcher and Nolan Badeaux

We promised you a little bit of Heaven and all seemed to agree that we delivered. Ski levels for everyone, racing, gambling, parties, the famous Tahoe Queen, new friends...we had it all!

ATC NOLAN BADEAUX did an admirable job of directing traffic despite a sling on his arm. He insisted it was due to an injury from Crested Butte, but it seemed to be a magic sling....more about that later!

We started out early from IAH with a minimum of pandemonium, a good omen of things to come considering there were 84 of us to make the flight. Delta provided a hospitality room prior to the flight, so everyone got to have coffee while they mixed and mingled. E. J. BOUDREAUX and JIM RINKE were observed checking out all the single ladies on the trip. HOWARD SCHOENEKE was more discreet as he began to fill his dance card.

It was snowing lightly when we arrived in South Lake Tahoe – surely another good omen, following 20" of snow on Thursday. After check-in and getting the group settled it was discovered that some had fared better than others. RENATE and GUNNAR HEYNE were delighted to discover they had been assigned to a room on the lovely and desirable 19th floor at Harveys. Then Gunnar noticed all the "No Smoking" signs. So much for penthouse living, Gunnar!

After settling in and getting ski equipment for the next day many decided



Heavenly II After the Races!!!

sawyers spotted TC CISSY DUTCHER having a moderate run at the slot machines and succumbed to the temptation (he never gambles). He managed to lose his stake in record time as JIM and GAYLE BOOTH and KERRY LEE looked on. DIANE CARTER was one of our relatively big winners at the tables. She promptly invested her winnings in a new pair of ski boots. Smart girl! MIKE CARR had to be our top winner andwas usually cheered on by BARBARA HALL.

By now everyone knows that KAY ELLIG and ED CAIN added a special, unforgettable note to the trip. They were married quietly on the evening of our arrival with NANCY SARFF, JEFF SARFF, SARA SOLAND and BUDDY SOLAND attending. Now we ask you, how many people do you know who take 150 of their friends on their honeymoon?

Sunday was beautiful and our

first day of skiing. Everyone headed to Heavenly Ski Resort with Nolan rounding up all our first time skiers – LYNN MATLOCK, DON WHITE, MIKE DAWSON and Gayle Booth – and herding them over to the clinic. Others took the Mountain Tour and many just skied to polish their skills. It soon became apparent that new members JOE KULPIN-SKY, BILLCOX, KRYSTYNE ABRASZEWSKA, PAM and MARK YOKUBAITIS were going to be assets on race day. It was a great day of skiing and we all left the mountain more confident.

Tuesday was Kirkwood and it was just one of the many highlights of the trip. Two busloads went and it was well worth the 7:00 AM departure. "Bob" (Jeff) Sarff and "Bobette" (CHRIS JAMES) entertained the bus for the entire trip. Some of us were tagged more than others, but there was not a dull moment.

Tuesday was also practice day on the NASTAR course. MIKE DAWSON learned one goes around (not through) the gates. Nancy Sarff earned the nickname of "the white streak" for her performance. (Six gates out of twenty really isn't bad, Nancy!) OUR LEADER, JERRY MONTGOMERY, although not officially on Heavenly Valley II, was VP for TSC so we claim part of him, as well as PEGGY DONLEY (our overall race director) led the BUTLER Boys (CHARLES & GARY) Gunnar and Renate, KLAUS PRATSCHKER, Jeff and Nancy, Peggy, and Cissy through a race course where the gates were human. He also lead Nancy, Peggy & Cissy down icy trails, over the wall and down the elevator shaft (all those nice blues he promised!) You need to ask Continued on Page 7...

BEAT-THE-HEAT BOWLING!!!

Saturday, August 15, 1992 2:00pm

> Willow Bowling Center 19102 Hwy 249

(Optional Dinner at Luther's Afterwards)

Only \$7.75!!!!

For More Information contact JIM EDWARDS at 955-6675 or SHARON SMITH at 583-9627 or mail check payable to SCSC to Jim at 13323 Birdcall, Cypress, Texas 77429.

All of Your SCSC Friends will be there--Sign Up Now! FAMILY OPTIONAL

HEAVENLY II ... Continued

LORETTA COLCHIN how it was that she and DONNA BERGLUND skiied together but managed to end up on different hills.

JOY HAMER, PETRA LUCHESA, KATIE KRUEGER, SANDI PRESTON and MARK VELA were all over the mountains all week, exploring the intermediate and advanced slopes. G. A. ADDICKS and MIKE DAWSON smoked blues and blacks alike as the week progressed. Lynn mastered getting off the lifts and moved on to intermediates with LIZ STEINMAN. DON WHITE enjoyed skiing lots more than he thought he would and already plans another trip.

We weren't prepared for the Tuesday night Toga Party, but a few enterprising people bought K Mart out and fashioned togas to go with their western boots and tennies.

Wednesdaywas Tahoe Queen day and unfortunately space doesn't permit telling all the tales that resulted. I will only say almost everyone had a rousing great day. LOUISE TALEN and husband LOUIS DUPREE took the day off to explore Tahoe City. Everyone enjoyed the breakfast — some enjoyed it more than once... Squaw Valley was breathtaking. And then we had the trip home. ELIZABETH STEINMANN proved that she can dance as well as ski.



On the Tahoe Queen

KEN MOREDOCK had to leave the trip after Wednesday because of a death in his family. He was missed by all.

Thursday was race day – the day we had all (well, almost all) waited for. World Cup Run lived up to its name, but once you mastered getting off the lift, you felt the worst was over with. Jeff Sarff did a wonderful job of running the races and you all know the result. We were proud to have lots of medal winners on our trip. We were especially proud of everyone who raced. It didn't matter if one DQ'd or not, just being part of those who tried made the day special.

Wild BILL ADRIANCE and MadMIKE WOLFE spent the rest of the day playing pied piper and leading unsuspecting souls into Mott Canyon.

And then it was Thursday night – time for the much prepared for St. Patricks Day Party. This was a joint party with Heavenly I and III and most came prepared.



Another view of the 3 in the May Sitz!!

Of special note were Nancy and Jeff Sarff—they really went all out. Ed Cain proved that SCSC "make do withwhat is at hand" worked as he fash—ioned a green hat out of the lettuce on the cheese tray.

Friday was Alpine Meadows day for a bus load

while others participated in the individual races at Heavenly and some took off for the Nevada side at Heavenly. BILL COX decided to ski in shorts as the weather was mild and sunny. We don't think he'll ever do this again, as he discovered how cold the legs can get when you get off the trail and into deep powder!

Friday night was the awards party and we hapily accepted the cup and settled down to a great night of dancing. Although Saturday came too quickly and it was packup and go home time. We had five people who had birthdays on our trip and had purchased a cake for the party Thursday night. Unfortunately the hotel wouldn't let us serve it unless we paid, paid, paid, so we celebrated on the bus to Reno and wished GARY SAWYERS, Gary Butler, JIM

BOOTH, Lynn Matlock and Bill Cox many happy more.

NANCY NEILL missed near disaster as her luggage didn't make the bus to Reno, but one of the San Antonio groups came through and brought it over in time to make the plane.

There are so many people who helped make the trip the success it was and I can only thank a few. Special accolades go to Liz Steinmann who was always willing to help; to Bill Cox who faithfully played "mule" when anything needed to be toted; Jeff Sarff for his tireless efforts as Race Director; and Jerry Montgomery for the splendid job he did as VP-TSC.

Even though Heavenly Valley II is history and many of us came home poorer in the pockets, we came home richer in so many ways. Richer in memories, new friends, new experiences. And so it seems, everyone was a winner overall.



At the Awards Party



SCSCers at the Picnic after the Races!





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(Payment Deadline: September 10th)

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(Payment Deadline: October 1st)

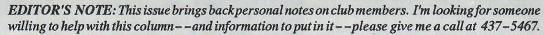
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BEAR CREEK PARK PAVILION #8 \$7.50 (Per Person)

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For more information contact LINDA LICARIONE, 713/468-2816 or send payment made out to SCSC to her at 8814 Croes Drive, Houston, Texas 77040. (Please include your name, address, phone numbers and the name of anyone for whom you are paying.) FAMILY OPTIONAL

HOT GNUS!!!



Congratulations to LORNA JONES, PATTI RICHARDS and JEFF SARFF on completing their certification for scuba diving!! (Their instructor – another SCSC member- GENE DAVIS!)

Also congratulations are in order for SY LIEBERGOT upon his recent certifications as a P.A.D.I. Divemaster (Scuba that is!!)

And last but not least, we'd like to welcome a new member to one of our ski club families--next time you see LYNN or HAROLD EATON, they'll both be beaming and wanting to tell you about their latest addition, BRIAN ALLAN, who arrived April 27, 1992 weighing 8lbs and 13oz!!!



HEARD AT...

Summer Fun Olympics & June Happy Hour



Well, I guess we all have them, but some of us are more prone to phobias than others. One of the conversations I overheard at the Summer Fun Olympics was about phobias. This writer mentioned that a huge cockroach had just crawled out from under JEFF SARFF. Suddenly, BECKY HALL was doing a crazy dance and screeching where, where! You guessed it—her phobia is cockroaches -- she's petrified of these creatures! This prompted NANCY SARFF to comment that her phobia is spiders -- seems she almost caused Jeff to wreck their car because a small spider invaded the front windshield during a trip they were on.

I also heard that at the SFO, that no one should tell RICHARD BUGLER he sounds like a Kiwi from New Zealand or an Aussie--them's almost fighting words!! Also, understand he might have had a problem with a bus--he kept telling everyone about his bus ride!?!? If you really want to hear it, find him at a Happy Hour and ask him—good way to get to know him!!!

I overheard one observer after a particular event at the SFO comment that SCSC was one of the most disreputable looking group of folks she had seen—the costumes were interesting to say the least—hope **DEBBI CHRISSINGER** got some of them on film!!

DENNIS WALTER was getting lots of attention from the single females at the Olympic parties—nice being a new face in the crowd and over six feet tall AND single!!! (Nancy and Jeff Sarff should get kudos from all the women in the Club--this is yet another good-looking, single man they have introduced to SCSC--see June 1992 Ted's Profiles!)

Finally, I don't think I've ever seen so much enthusiasm displayed by the new TCs and ATCs--heard at the June Happy Hour that JIM HEWGLEY is so hyped up on the Sugarloaf, Maine Trip that he's even given in to CAROL HEWGLEY's request to make sure a shopping excursion to Portland, Maine (which has many wonderful discount shops) is included in the trip. Jim, this is a terrific selling point for your trip—only one problem—there will probably only be women on this one when they find out about all the terrific shops!!

by Barbara Huey

KEYSTONE

TSC FALL ROUNDUP November 24-29, 1992

Cost: \$ 455.00

Final Payment Due: 10/5/92

For Thanksgiving - how about guaranteed snow? Keystone Resort has opened in October for the last twelve (12) seasons. To make doubly sure there will be plenty of snow, they have recently invested six (6) million dollars in snowmaking automation. It is the only snowmaking device of its kind in Colorado and it covers 849 acres on Keystone, North Peak and the Outback. Keystone is the only resort in Colorado with two gondolas and added capacity to cut lift lines in half! The Outback skiing experience includes a six (6) million dollar Outpost restaurant complex at an 11,044 foot elevation.

The T.S.C. Fall Roundup will include a Welcome to Keystone Party on Wednesday, Hot Dog Hospitality at noon on Thursday and an optional T.S.C. Thanksgiving dinner Thursday evening. On Friday it is Club Races on Keystone mountain and a Karaoke Pizza Party with Karaoke singing and Black Jack table for those of you who want to try your luck. Saturday we will have individual races and an awards dinner in the Old West.

So pack your western hats and boots as well as your ski gear and be one of the 60 skiers headed for Keystone on Tuesday, November 24, after work. Fall Roundup - a guaranteed good time!

JOYCE RYAN 977-3360 ATC: FARRALD BELOTE 359-5117





STEAMBOAT '93

TSC TEXAS SKI WEEK TRADITIONAL

JANUARY 9-16, 1993 (Long trip) or JANUARY 12-17, 1993 (Short trip)

\$ 607.00 Cost:

Cost: \$ 551.00

Final Payment Due: 10/22/92

Final Payment Due: 11/1/92

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We have two trips going to Steamboat taking 120 of you fun-loving SCSCers! Steamboat I will be taking 80 members and Steamboat II will be taking 40 members.

Steamboat I will be flying into Yampa Valley Regional Airport in Hayden (just 22 miles from Steamboat) and Steamboat II will fly into Stolport Airport in Steamboat (when we touch down, we're there!). No long bus ride! Less travel time...more PLAY TIME! Steamboat I will be staying at The Phoenix (50 yards from the gondola) with Steamboat II next door at The Lodge at Steamboat (200 yards from the gondola).

Plan to join us and enjoy the many events offered during the week: TSC Welcome Party, Texas Cowboy Downhill Fun Race, Wild West Party, Mountain BBO, Nastar Races, Awards Party and, of course, the many Apres Ski Parties!!

Don't miss the BOAT.....STEAMBOAT '93!!!!

Steamboat I (Long trip) TC:

NANCY SARFF

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TANK McNAMARA

by Jeff Millar & Bill Hinds



JACKSON HOLE, **WYOMING**

January 17-23, 1993

Cost: \$652.00 Final Payment Due: 11/2/92

Jackson Hole, Wyoming---this is the "Skier's Mountain"! Just remember the words "Steep" and "Deep"!! Jackson Hole offers nine ski lifts, an aerial tram and a hundred miles of ski trails. Jackson Hole has the most advanced ski runs with the greatest vertical rise of any ski resort in America. If you are a beginner, don't let Jackson Hole scare you. It has expanded to include groomed and gentler runs for the beginner and intermediate skiers.

Included in the Jackson Hole trip are several club happy hours, a lasagna dinner and NASTAR Racing. There will be a one day optional trip to Grand Targhee which averages over 500 inches of snow and powder on the sunny side of the Teton Mountains. If you love to ski and meet new Friends, this is the trip for You!!!

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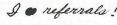
So, the time is here.. Make plans to sign-up early to insure your place on a truly Bodacious Ski Trip. Don't fail, ski VAIL!!!!

JOANN LANE 266-2621 ATC: PATTIRICHARDS 789-9194









REALTY EXECUTIVES P.O. Box 570204 Houston, Texas 77257-0204



No matter your level of skiing

skill, Innsbruck promises you the appropriate level of attraction and excitement. There are five ski areas surrounding Innsbruck, with a common liftpass and free bus service from the hotel to the slopes.

INNSBRUCK,

AUSTRIA

January 29 - February 7, 1993

Cost: \$1,247

Final Payment Due: 11/9/92

Beyond the skiing, there is much to discover while sightseeing in Innsbruck. Green church domes, pastel houses, carved stone balconies, Gothic arcades, and narrow lanes go into making this one of Austria's loveliest cities. If this is not enough for you, optional sightseeing and skiing excursions to other cities and famous resorts will also be offered.

As part of the Texas Ski Council festivities, we will have four parties during the week, including a casino reception.

Our final night will be spent in Amsterdam, giving us a chance to see another flavor of Europe, with its canals and Dutch houses. Fly home with us OR extend your trip to other cities/countries.

TC: KAYLEEN KILL 855-4132





ASPEN/ **SNOWMASS**

January 30 - Feruary 6, 1993

Cost: \$ 723.00 Final Payment Due: 11/16/92

Come with us to the ultimate ski area. Aspen/Snowmass is the area with which every other ski town is compared, and for good reasons.

There are 4 mountains with over 260 downhill trails on 3700 acres:

Tiehack/Buttermilk -- easy cruising. Aspen Highlands -- uncrowded variety. Snowmass -- long runs for all skill levels. Aspen Mtn. -- blue/black excitement.

Plus 49 miles of cross-country tracks.

Adventures: Shop the day away. Visit a museum or art gallery. Be a dancin' fool. Ride a snowmobile, a horse-drawn sleigh, a dog-sled or a hot-air balloon. See a show. People watch (Look! Goldie Hawn!).

Eat up: Over 120 restaurants. Just grub or elegant dining. Continental, down-home or exotic. Cozy & quiet, loud & boisterous or something in between.

With 6 days/7 nights to spend and just enough planned activities to keep everyone in touch, we'll have the time of our lives, especially if you're there.

TC: SUSAN ANSLINGER 688-3933 ATC: JIM EDWARDS 955-6675



Phone 713-667-7773 fox 713-667-7771



Tours & Travel

Patty Bray Travel Consultant P.O. Box 272346 Houston, Texas 77277-2346

BIG SKY. **MONTANA**

February 6 - 13, 1993

Cost: \$ 662.00 Final Payment Due: 11/9/92

Cold Smoke! That's how locals describe Big Sky's light, dry snow conditions – 400 inches of it! Big Sky, located 45 minutes from Bozeman. Montana, is surrounded by three spectacular mountain wilderness ranges.

Big Sky offers over 65 miles of skiing on more than 50 runs, with slopes to challenge everyone. Lone Mountain offers some of the steepest lift accessed runs in the country. Andesite Mountain features wide open alpine meadows, perfectly groomed continuous slopes, mogul fields. and long sweeping runs. Difficulty range is rated as 20% beginner (beginner skiers can ski off of almost every lift), 55% intermediate and 25% advanced.

Big Sky is a short bus ride to Yellowstone Park, one of the most scenic National parks. Our group will experience a full day of snowmobiling through Yellowstone Park (no experience necessary for a good time)!. Locals say the geysers and hot springs are more spectacular in winter than summer.

TC: CINDY OVERTON 782-3530 ATC: KAREN PUTNEY 495-4999



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SUGARLOAF, MAINE

TSC WINTER SHOOT-OUT February 20-27, 1993

> \$ 738.00 Cost: Final Payment Due: 12/7/92

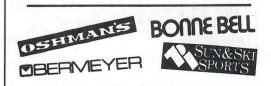
Join in the fun "Back East" at Sugarloaf, Maine, Feb. 20-27, 1993! The Texas Ski Council and the resort of Sugarloaf, Maine has planned one heck of a trip. Sugarloaf vows they will make this one of the greatest trips the T.S.C has ever

A few of the activities planned are: Nightly Apres Ski party with live band or D.J., a shopping trip to Freeport. Maine where L.L. Bean has their store, plus many Outlet Stores, a FREE timed race course for us to practice on with free racing instruction one day and a Lobster & Clam Bake is planned as one of the T.S.C. activities. The mountain has 81 trails evenly divided for all levels of skiing, 14 lifts (1 Gondola), 2800 feet vertical, low altitude/high mountain. Most noteworthy is the fact they have HI-TECH Grooming Machines that groom out the ice if it appears, and a chair lift that runs down thru the Condo's. Our lodging, the Sugartree Condos, are "ski in/ski out"

SUGARLOAF is rated the #2 SKI RESORT IN NORTH AMERICA. So come along and enjoy the MAINE EXPERIENCE. The Locals are warm, friendly, and have a very unique sense of

TC: JIM HEWGLEY 286-4280





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FEB. 27 - MARCH 6, 1993

Cost: \$ 667.00

Final Payment Due: 12/14/92

RIGOROUS RELAXATION!

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With 268 trails, 56 lifts, and 4,200 skiable acres there is an abundance of terrain for every level of skier. You can ski morning, noon, and NIGHT above the timberline, cross-country, mogul challenges, open bowl or back country.

Join us for 6 great ski days—everything a winter vacation should be and more.

TC: **DEBBIE MOSTERT** 980–4596 ATC: **ELIZABETH STEINMANN** 723–0441







MT. BACHELOR, OREGON

March 13-20, 1993 Cost: \$ 697.00

Final Payment Due: 1/18/93

Wide back-mountain bowls, open snowfields and tree-lined runs with 150-200 inches of dry powder base and no crowds! That's what you'll experience at Mt. Bachelor in Oregon.

You can ski or snowboard the 9,065 ft. wonder from summit-to-base. The dry powder will lure you down 54incredible runs covering nearly 360 degrees of mountain. Nine lifts, including three super express quads and a high-speed summit chair, serve the mountain's 8,060 acres.

With 15% of the mountain rated for novice, 25% for intermediate, 35% for advanced/intermediate and 25% for experts, Mt. Bachelor has something for everyone. In addition, there are over 60 kilometers of machine-groomed cross country skiing trails and virtually limitless untracked opportunity in neighboring forest lands. Mt. Bachelor ranks in the top one percent of all U.S.ski areas and earned a rating in the Top Ten among 1990 and 1991 readers of Ski and Snow Country magazines.

COME EXPERIENCE THE UNPARALLELED THRILLS OF SPRING POWDER SKIING IN OREGON!

TC: LINDA DERENBECKER 772-6714

ATC: LAURIE RIVET 367-6013





The Sitzmarke

PARK CITY, UTAH

TSC FINAL SHOWDOWN March 27-April 3, 1993

Cost: \$ 598.00

Final Payment Due: 1/18/93

Ever wonder how Heaven looks in the Winter? Sign up for the TSC Final Showdown March 27-April 3 in Park City, Utah to find out. Utah's Wasatch Mountains have "The Greatest Snow on Earth". The Park City Ski Area is also equipped with a state-of-the-art snowmaking system.

Park City is a short 27-mile bus ride from Salt Lake City, allowing more ski and party time! We are staying at Shadow Ridge condos across the street from the Park City lifts. Night skiing is offered 7 nights a week for those die-hards who can't get enough of the slopes! And, luxurious Deer Valley is only 5 minutes away by bus.

This is the final trip of the year and it will be a trip to remember. So join us for the "GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH" in Park City, March 27-April 3.

TC: **JEFF SARFF** 461–9665 ATC: **LORNA JONES** 575–9057





'Sure, I'll probably freeze to death. But when they find my body 500 years from now, they'll know what was in style in 1992.

TED'S VOLUNTEER PROFILES

BY: TED BERGERON



Name: Sara Green Birthplace: Houston, Tx

AGE: AGELESS

OCCUPATION: PRESS & ADVANCE

STAFF FOR PRESIDENT BUSH

Marital Status: Single Joined SCSC: 1984

SKIING LEVEL: "RACEE"

WHY DID YOU JOIN SCSC: To GO

WITH A FRIEND ON A SKI TRIP

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Hobbies: Shopping, Bridge,

HOT TUB

FAVORITE SKI RESORT: VAIL, ASPEN

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE IN SCSC:

SIGN-IN DESK FOR PROGRAMS

& MEMBERSHIP, ACTIVITY

COORD. FOR BRIDGE TOURN.

Space City Ski Club expresses our sympathy to the family and friends of SUE LANDIS who died July 12, 1992. She encouraged many to join SCSC on Skitrips—she will be missed by her many friends!!



NAME: BYRON MAKARWICH
BIRTHPLACE: FORT WORTH, TX

AGE: 45

OCCUPATION: ENGINEER/GRAVE DIGGER

MARITAL STATUS: SINGLE

JOINED SCSC: 1989

SKIING LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE

Why did you join SCSC: To meet

"WIMMIN"

HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT SCSC:

THE PHONE NUMBER WAS ON

THE WALL IN THE MENS ROOM AT

THE ASTRODOME

HOBBIES: WATER SKIING, SAILING,

CAMPING, OUTDOOR DRINKING

Previous Ski Trips with SCSC:

SNOWMASS & WINTER PARK

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE IN SCSC:

ACTIVITY COORDINATOR FOR THE

REDFISH SAIL OUTING 1992



Name: Angie Westergren Birthplace: La Porte, Tx

AGE: 36

OCCUPATION: CPA/CORP. CONTROLLER

FOR CENTEQ DEVELOPMENT

MARITAL STATUS: SINGLE, SINCE TOM

CRUISE & I BROKE UP

JOINED SCSC: JAN 1990

SKIING LEVEL: EXPERT

PREVIOUS SKI TRIPS WITH SCSC:

PURGATORY, SUN VALLEY,

TAOS, PARK CITY

HAVE YOU EVER WON A NASTAR

MEDAL: YES, BRONZE

HOBBIES: SCUBA DIVING, SOFTBALL,

SNOW SKIING, GOLF, CAMPING,

C& W DANCING

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE IN SCSC:

PARTICIPATED IN 1991 FOLLIES, ATC FOR PARK CITY 1991

GALVESTON BIKE RIDE

SUNDAY -- NOVEMBER 15, 1992 10:00 am 'til ???

Ride along the Seawall, through the old homes district, the Strand, eat along the way and possibly ride the ferry (if its not too cold!)



COME JOIN BILLIE NOWAK—— call her at 861–8581. She'll let you know where we're meeting and you can let her know you plan to come along !!—no activity fee, just lots of fun!!!

ADULTS ONLY

OFFICERS' SERIES.... SECRETARY by Kim Page, Secretary '90/91



EDTIOR'S NOTE: These articles are the second and third in a series on SCSC offices.

The office of secretary would appear relatively simple to the general membership of SCSC. All the secretary has to do is attend meetings and take minutes. This is only one little job in several.

The secretary has to attend the Executive Committee Meetings (once a

month), Board of Directors Meetings (four times a year) and any special meetings called by the Board or Executive Committee to take minutes. She/he is also responsible for sending out the notices for the next meeting, along with the minutes for the past meeting and a map.

A lot of the secretary's work is done in the summer. She/he is the "keeper of the forms" and is responsible for updating, copying and distributing these forms. Just as an example, take 1400 members – trip releases for each trip and function – and that's just trip releases. There are numerous forms needed by the trip leaders and officers to do their jobs too. If you need a form, call the Secretary she/he has it (in my case they were in the trunk of my car and always accessible!!).

All of the name badges worn by the TC's, ATC's, officers, board, and past officers are ordered by the secretary. Getting names spelled correctly, keeping up with name changes, and replacing lost badges takes time. (It seems to me that there was one a few years ago that had all three of the problems above!! I won't mention any names.)

Logo sales is another responsibility of the secretary. I was lucky enough to have Anne Harvey and Joyce Ryan volunteer to take care of the logo items. Because of the wonderful volunteers that I had, the work normally done by the secretary on the logo sales was minimal.

The lift liners that work at the front door at the general meetings also fall under the Secretary. I again was lucky enough to find a volunteer in B.J. Scott that made the calls before each General Meeting to line up people to work the front door.

The directory for SCSC is compiled by the secretary. She sells the advertising and invoices the advertisers, collects the pictures of the officers, trip leaders etc., and picks the cover. She

also has to make sure that any changes made to the by-laws and standing rules over the last year are updated in the directory.

I guess that's about it. Oh ya, one more thing (and this has to do with all of the offices) you must be able to work with the other officers and members for the good of SCSC. We're all here to do a good job and hopefully have a good time too.

THINK ABOUT IT!!!
VOLUNTEER!!!!

OFFICERS' SERIES...

VP OF TRIPS by Craig Liebergot, VP/Trips '90/91

Very simply stated, the Vice President of Trips has the overall responsibility for all ski club trips. More specifically, the VP-Trips has a myriad of duties that contribute to a successful ski season as outlined in the Club Standing Rules 10.3. In addition to the eligibility requirements stated in 4.3. of the By-Laws, a candidate should have been a past TC and/or Director of Trips in order to better



understand the duties and responsibilities of the office of VP-Trips. Patience, determination and good people skills come in handy, too.

Space City offers between 12-15 trips that send 550-650 members to the slopes annually. Approximately half of those trips are Texas Ski Council (TSC) trips. Those trips are decided at the TSC April Bid meeting. Once the Council trips are decided, the VP-Trips goes to work to round out the coming SCSC trip schedule.

In order to better suit the needs and desires of the members, the VP-Trips carefully reads the Trip Survey and Evaluation Forms from the previous year to help in the selection of ski destinations for the coming year. At times the VP-Trips resembles someone doing a balancing act. Cost is a big consideration in planning trips and therefore the VP-Trips must balance the desires of the majority of the members with what they are willing to pay as expressed in the Trip Evaluation forms. A one week window can make the difference in a ski resort being able to offer "high season" and "low season" prices which can translate into the difference between a \$600 and \$750 trip to the same ski area. Consideration must be given to the length, location and price of each trip. One statement that sums up the job of VP-Trips would have to be "you can't please all of the people all of the time", but past VP-Trips have always strived to please "most of the people most of the time" while working within the realistic framework of a budget.

Once the locations and dates for each trip have been selected, the tough job of negotiating with the airlines begins. All of the above often starts soon after the March elections. The trips schedule is then presented to the Ex Comm for approval in May.

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50's SOCK HOP AUGUST 22, 1992

8:00PM - 12:00 AM

\$6.00

Autumn Chase Townhouses
2379 Briarwest Blvd

There will be prizes, refreshments and a dance contest.

Contact LONI EVERINGHAM at 370-5396 (h) or 780-5854 (o) or mail checks to 15927 Timbervalley, Houston, Texas 77070.

Please include your name, phone numbers and the name of anyone for whom you are paying.

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Officers' Series, VP/Trips, Continued

The VP-Trips has between 26-32 volunteers working for her/him who include trip coordinators (TCs), assistant trip coordinators (ATCs), and two Directors of Trips (DOTs). A list of potential TCs and ATCs who meet the qualifications as outlined in Standing Rule 10.3 is submitted by the VP-Trips for approval by the Ex Comm. The DOTs are usually selected from past TCs who have proven skills and understanding in running Space City ski trips. The DOTs are appointed by the Ex Comm with approval by the Board of Directors. The VP-Trips is responsible for the training and supervision of the TCs and ATCs, including trip budgets to be approved by the Executive Committee.

Additionally, the VP-Trips writes a monthly Sitzmarke article "From the Ski Desk" to keep the members up to date on trips.

You must be ready for the unlikely because no matter how well-organized you are, something can happen that you have no control over such as cancelled flights at the last minute, striking airlines, Mother Nature (i.e., no snow in February), etc. To sum it up, the VP-Trips is teacher, coach, advisor and psychic weather forecaster.

Despite the hard work, as is found with any office in Space City, it gives you a great deal of satisfaction to look back on what you hope has been a successful ski season.

THINK ABOUT IT!!!! VOLUNTEER!!!!

CLIQUES

Rumor has it that our club is run by a Clique. Careful investigation shows that this is true. Furthermore, you will find that the Clique is composed of faithful members who are present at almost every affair, who do the work, give their time, energy and efforts.

They believe that the more one puts into an organization, the more one will get out of it. There is no Question that those members are of value to the membership and the organization. And it is suggested that you join this Clique. It is very easy to do so. Begin by attending meetings regularly, take a lively interest in the club's activities, accept responsibilities and work on its committees. Show a continual interest in all affairs pertaining to your club's activities. Before you realize it, you will become a member of "the Clique" and you would be surprised to know how anxious they are to have you.

(Reprinted from the Corpus Christi Skiers' Ski Breezes.)

EDITOR'S NOTE: Check the September Meeting Agenda on Page 3...we think you'll enjoy what the VP of Programs has in store for the meetings this year!! Plan to join us at meetings, happy hours, activities and on ski trips!!!







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ATTENTION!!!!

INJURY SURVEY PARTICIPANTS

Some of you may recall being asked to complete a questionnaire at the beginning and end of your ski trip this year. Well, ninety seven SCSC skiers successfully completed the forms which were developed by the Baylor College of Medicine. SCSC received an honorarium for participating in this project. The Executive Committee decided to divide the money into three SCSC Club credits. Three names were drawn at the June 26th Board of Director's meeting and each of the following three recipients will receive a \$50.00 certificate which can be used on any SCSC ski trip or activity. The winners are BILL COX, BOB MILLS and TERRY MCGUINNESS. Please contact Craig Liebergot, President, to receive your certificate at (789–7950 (o) or 776–9754 (h).

The Executive Committee thanks all of you who took the time to complete the survey correctly.

"WHY ASK WHY ?!?!" BUD BRUNCH



September 26, 1992 11:30AM to 4:00PM

\$7.00

Brunch with Brewery Tour——contact MARY McDONALD at 713/461–5254 or mail check payable to SCSC to her at 1846 Hollister #15, Houston, Texas 77080.

(Please include name, address, phone numbers and the name of anyone for whom you are paying.)

FAMILY OPTIONAL

SPRING GOLF SCRAMBLE

by Kayleen Kill



Winners!!!Stuart Traver, Rich Henderson, Stacy Thrash and Matthew Clark

RAIN, RAIN, PLEASE GO AWAY!! Such was the cry of yours truly and the rest of the golfers who showed up on May 16 at the Woodlands Country Club for the Spring Golf Scramble. About 5 minutes before the first group was to tee up, we made the decision that the weather was not going to cooperate and postponed the event. Thank goodness we did, as the weather got much worse, and was basically miserable for the rest of the day. The Woodlands was able to reschedule the tournament for May 30. TED and DEBBIE BERGERON graciously invited us all to their house to watch the tape of the Follies (it's not often they have a group of people in their neighborhood). Then a group of us attempted to go out for a bite at Papasitos (2 hour wait) and ended up at Ninfa's. At least if you can't play golf, you might as well drink margaritas!

MAY 30—The rescheduled date was overcast but no rain had started. Praying for dry weather, we all headed back to the Woodlands. It turned out to be agreat day. Cooler because it was overcast, and dry except for a light rain that lasted one hole. It was a good thing we got to play, because BILL BURNETT delayed knee surgery just for this event! JEFF and NANCY SARFF worked the check—in desk (before going off to celebrate Jeff's 50th birthday), while JOYCE RYAN and ANN HARVEY took pictures.

I had set up what I thought were typical prize holes: longest drive, closest to the pin, straightest drive, and longest putt. This last one caused a great deal of confusion. I was asked a number of times if you had to sink the putt to get the prize.

YOU BET!! The foursome of ROBBIN ANDERSON, HOWARD PAILET, BARBARA HUEY, and NANCY GENTZEL later were convinced they thought this hole was closest to the pin. They claimed they actually sunk about an 8-footer on this hole, when the prize went to about a 4-foot putt made by JIM WEISKOPF. Guess we'll have to make this much clearer next year.

CAROLYN DELANO almost repeated getting the straightest drive (also the shortest), but KEITH TALBERT came through at the last minute and stole it from her. For all you big hitting males out there, Iwant you to know that a woman, CARRIE NIEMEYER, won the longest drive. Way to go, Carrie. I do have to admit, I had the pro move the women's tee up about 60 yards, but even so, Carrie, I'm proud of you. Closest to the pin was won by MARK ELLIS.

Left handed golfers are rare, but we had two of them (Jim Weiskopf and TERRY HESSE). I randomly put most of



2nd Place!! Robbin Anderson, Howard Pailet, Barb Huey and Nancy Gentzel

the foursomes together and they both ended up on the same team! PEGGY SCHILLINGER reported giving a sand bath to her playing partner JOE SMITH. Those of us in the later foursomes had to play number 18 with a gallery around the green. This didn't bother CRAIG SEARS any as he holed out with a chip from in front of the green.

For door prizes, we had sold mulligans and then raffled off the money to two winners. Somehow my name got pulled, as well as my playing partner DON CRABTREE. With Keith Talbert's prize for the straightest drive, GARY GUILLIE was the only one from my foursome that didn't win!

A handicap system was used to even out the teams. The low gross (66) team of MAX RICHIE, NEAL COLLINS, BILL NEAL and KEITH KIRKMAN ended up with the highest handicapped score, so I guess it really works.

Thanks to all for coming out and see you next time.



The Workers!!

MIXED DOUBLES TENNIS

Saturday, October 24, 1992

Tennis 1:00pm to 5:00pm Dinner 5:00pm-6:00pm

OLDE OAKES RACQUET CLUB

\$22.00 (Includes tennis, dinner, drinks and awards)

\$12.00 (Dinner and drinks only)



FORMAT: Round Robin /Different Partner Each Round Contact STUART TRAVER, 350-4839(h) or LEONA SCHROEDER, 468-4609(h). Mail checks made out to SCSC to Leona at 12402 Rip Van Winkle, Houston, Texas 77024.

(Please incude name, address, phone numbers and the name of anyone for whom you are paying.)

ADULTS ONLY

More Golf--Some of the Foursomes!!!





Our THANKS to the following VOLUNTEERS!!!!!!!

SARA GREEN
SANDY PRESTON
VICKIE HUGHES
JUDY VAUGHN
ROBERT CLEMENTS
TOM FITZPATRICK
JOAN DIAL
TERRY MCGUINNESS



Guadalupe River Expedition OCTOBER 9 - 11, 1992

Cost: \$128.00

Contact SUE SALVAGE at 690-5551 (h) for more information or send a check made payable to SCSC to her at 9365 Springmont, Houston, Texas 77080.

LIMITED SPACES SO SIGN UP EARLY!!!

Price includes transportation, food, rafts, tubes and camping.

Please include your name, address, phone numbers and the name of anyone for whom you are paying.

ADULTS ONLY



COMING NOVEMBER 8, 1992!!! HORSE RACES

E KACE

DELTA DOWNS

Cost: \$26.00

For more information Contact CRAIG CAMPBELL at 453–5798 (h) or send a check payable to SCSC to him at P. O. Box 96743, Houston, Texas 77213.

Please include your name, address, phone numbers and the name of anyone for whom you are paying.

Price includes, bus, admission fee, snacks and refreshments on bus.

Plan now to join Craig at the Races!!

ADULTS ONLY



HELP SCSC TO HAVE ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL YEAR!!!

by A. G. DAVIS, V.P. MEMBERSHIP

Last year we had the luxury of reaching full membership. At full membership we found that it was financially easier to hold our general meetings, publish a monthly Sitzmarke and to keep your membership dues reasonable. With the full membership this year we can continue to provide the same for our ski club.

It is very important that we the current members keep in mind that this club is a volunteer organization. Increased membership provides the club with additional volunteers. You and I are in a very unique position, in that we can help to meet our membership goal of 1,400 members.

To meet our goal you can help by reminding a member to renew their membership or sponsor one new member this month. With everyone's help our full membership will be met, by the first general meeting in September. This financially benefits all of us in the club by keeping our dues reasonable. We also broaden our base of volunteers, friends, and skiers.

Feel free to invite your friends to the August happy hour. I will be sure to have a large supply of our brochures and membership applications plus extra copies of our Sitzmarke, especially for those that join.





HOW DID YOU BREAK YOUR ARM?

Even if you are not a skier, you will be able to appreciate the humor of the slopes as written in this account by a New Orleans paper. A friend just got back from a holiday ski trip to Utah with the kind of story that warms the cockles of anybody's heart.

Conditions were perfect, -12 degrees, no feeling in the toes, basic numbness all over, the "tell me when we're having fun kind of day."

One of the women in the group complained to her husband that she was in dire need of a restroom. He told her not to worry, that he was sure there was relief waiting at the top of the lift in the form of a powder room for female skiers in distress. He was wrong, of course, and the pain did not go away.

If you have ever had nature hit its panic button in you, then you know that a temperature of -12 below doesn't help matters. So with time running out, the woman weighed her options.

Her husband, picking up on the intensity of the pain, suggested that since she was wearing an all-white outfit, she should go off into the woods. "No one would even notice", he assured her. "The white will provide more than adequate camouflage." So she headed for the tree line, began disrobing, and proceeded to do her thing. If you've ever parked on the side of a slope you know there is a right way and a wrong way to set your skis so you don't move. Yup, you've got it. She had them positioned the wrong way. Steep slopes are not forgiving, even during embarrassing moments. Withou't warning, she found herself skiing backward, out-of-control, racing through the trees, somehow missing all of them, and into another slope. Her derriere and the reverse side were still bare, her pants down around her knees, and she was picking up speed all the while.

She continued on backwards, totally out-of-control, creating an unusual vista for the other skiers. The woman skied, if you define that verb loosely, back under the lift, and finally collided violently with a pylon. The bad news was that she broke her arm, and was unable to pull up her ski pants. At long last her husband arrived, put an end to her nudie show, then went to the base of the mountain and called the ski patrol, who transported her to a hospital.

In the emergency room, she was regrouping when a man with an obviously broken leg was put in the bed next to hers. "So how did you break your leg?" she asked, making small talk.

"It was the darndest thing you ever saw"—he said. "I was riding up this ski lift and suddenly I could not believe my eyes. There was this crazy woman skiing backwards out—of—control down the mountain with her bare bottom hanging out of her clothes, and her pants around her knees. I leaned over to get a better look, and I guess I did not realize how far I'd moved. I fell out of the ski lift."

"So, how did you break your arm?"

(The above article was provided by a couple of club members who thought the rest of the members would enjoy the humor of the situation!!!)

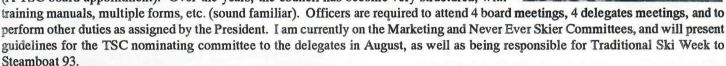
TEXAS SKI COUNCIL--VICE PRESIDENT OF TRIPS

hy Jerry Montgomery, Vice President of 1993 TSC Traditional

Editor's Note: The following is one of a couple of of articles that will be appearing on the Texas Ski Coucil. Space City plays an active role in the council and welcomes any member's interest in the Council. If you'd like to know more about the council talk to Jerry at one of the Happy Hours or meetings or plan to attend the December Delegates meeting that will be held at the Hobby Hilton. (If you are interested in attending the meeting contact SCSC's Texas Ski Council Rep. Kim Page for date and time.)

In April of each year a bid meeting is held in San Antonio to select locations for next seasons Texas Ski Weeks. At the same meeting the TSC Nominating Committee (3 members from different parts of the state) presents their slate of potential officers to delegates from all clubs. They select the TSC officers who will lead the council in the coming year. First time nominees must be approved by their respective club, and there can be nominations from the

A training session is held in May for all new officers and the Expedition Coordinator (A TSC board appointment). Over the years, the council has become very structured, with



The TSC VP of a Texas Ski Week coordinates the trip from start to finish. Some of the obvious duties:

- 1. Main contact with the area to make certain requirements of the bid are met by the resort and the TSC member clubs.
- 2. Contact person with all TSC clubs, making sure they are kept abreast of trip itinerary, race directors meeting, TSC functions, deadlines for reports and payments.
- 3. Assist clubs in air and ground transportation, and lodging which is not covered in the bid.
- 4. Order items such as NASTAR bibs, sponsors' prizes, ID badges or pins, and coordinate their arrival at the area prior to the trip.

One of the biggest challenges is planning the activities during Texas Ski Week. Your \$25.00 activity fee needs to be spent in a manner which benefits all persons. As an example - the Welcome Party is informative and a great mixer. However, short trips will not be able to attend. Therefore, less money should be allocated to that function, and more should be spent on the mid week and awards party. Should we have a Casino Night, Fun Race, on mountain BBQ, scavenger hunt? Well, you get the idea. Party security, corkage fees, sound system, size of dance floor, band or DJ, awarding of trophies are all items which have to be handled.

Generally other council officers are on the trip. Their lodging, lift tickets, and work schedules need to be handled. YES - I said WORK!!! If we participate on a trip other than our own, we are expected to work. That can range from assisting at check-in, race director's meeting, inputting data into the race computer, door security, or wherever needed. Periodically a TSC VP will ask the clubs for volunteers to assist in the above activities. That help is greatly

appreciated,

As you can see, there is a lot to be done. It's very rewarding to have members from all TSC clubs to say "Thanks -We had a great trip." I really appreciate the vote of confidence SCSC has given me in nominating me as a TSC officer.

Hope to see all of you at the "BOAT" in January.



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SCENES FOM THE JUNE HAPPY HOUR and "JUST CANDID SHOTS" (From Jeff Sarff's 50th Birthday, a group's trip to Mexico, & the Margarita Party!)

My thanks to Merrel Smith, Nancy Sarff and Tom Hogle for the pictues used this month——Please join them and provide pictures for the Sitzmarke. Please send any pictures of your fun times with other SCSC members to me at address on inside cover.



Space City Ski Club 1992 - 1993 Trip Schedule

TRIP	#NIGHTS/	TRIP	TRIP	FINAL	LODGING	SPECIAL	NO.	TC	HOME
DATES	SKI DAYS	DESTINATION	PRICE	PAYMENT	#BEDRM/BATH	ACTIVITIES	SKIERS	ATC	PHONE
11/24 - 11/29/92	5/4	KEYSTONE Colorado TSC Fall Roundup	\$455	10/5/92	The Pines 2/2 Condos	TSC Activities Wine & Cheese TSC Club Races	60	Joyce Ryan Farrald Belote	977-3360 840-6450
1/9 - 1/16/93	7/6	STEAMBOAT I Colorado TSC Traditional	\$607	10/22/92	The Phoenix 4/4 Condos	TSC Activities Fun Theme Parties! Direct Flight	80	Nancy Sarff - TC Gary Butler Llona Doubet	461-9665 583-7515 320-2547
l/ 12 - 1/17/93	5/4	STEAMBOAT II Colorado TSC Traditional	\$551	11/1/92	The Lodge 3/3, 2/2 Condos	TSC Activities Fun Theme Parties! Fly To Steamboat	40	"Pete" Thorpe Sharon Smith	448-9767 583-9627
1/17 - 1/23/93	6/6	JACKSON HOLE Wyoming	\$652	11/2/92	Wind River	Group Parties Fly to Jackson	40	Angie Westergren Cary Faden	847-1070 491-6182
/23 - 1/30/93	7/6	VAIL Colorado	\$649	11/9/92	Simba Resort 2/2 Condos	Group Parties Happy Hours	40	JoAnn Lane Patti Richards	266-262 789-919
/ 29 - 2 /7/93	8/6	INNSBRUCK Austria TSC Expedition	\$1,247	11/9/92	Scandic Crown 4 Star Hotel & Amsterdam Overnight	TSC Activities Dinner & Brkfst Opt'l Side Trips Opt'l Extension	24	Kayleen Kill	855-413
730 - 2/6/93	7/6	ASPEN/SNOWMASS	\$723	11/16/92	Chateau DuMont	Group Parties	40	Susan Anslinger	688-393.
		Colorado			2/2 Condos	Aspen Nightlife		Jim Edwards	955-667
76 - 2/13793		BIG SKY Montana	\$002	1179792	Huntley Lodge 1/1 Hotel	Group Parties Yellowstone	40	Cindy Overton Karen Putney	782-353 495-499
/20 - 2/27/93		SUGARLOAF Maine TSC Winter Shootout	\$738	12/7/92	Sugar Tree Inn 2/2 Condos	TSC Activities Fun Theme Parties! Freeport Side Trip	- 24	Jim Hewgley	286-428
/27 - 3/6/93		SKI THE SUMMIT Keystone, Colorado	\$667	12/14/92	Snowdance 2/2 Condos	3 Min. Walk to Lifts The New Outback!	40	Debbie Mostert Elizabeth Steinmann	980-459 723-044
/13 - 3/20/93	7/6	MT, BACHELOR Oregon	\$697	1/18/93	Sun River Resort 2/2, 3/3 Chalet w/loft		40	Laurie Rivet	772-671 367-601
/27 - 4/3/93		PARK CITY Utah TSC Final Showdown	\$598	1/18/93	Shadow Ridge 2/3 Condos	TSC Activities Snowshine Festival 100 Yds. to Lifts	40	Jeff Sarff Lorna Jones	461-966 575-905

Any information shown on this sheet is subject to change.

Cancellations & Transfers are subject to SCSC Standing Rules

Innsbruck, Austria trip requires a \$300 Deposit; \$100 Minimum Cancellation Fee; \$35 Transfer Fee

All other trips require a \$100 Deposit; \$30 Minimum Cancellation Fee; \$10 Transfer Fee

Cancellation or Transfers after Final Payment Date may result in Substantial Penalties

Lift Tickets not included in Trip Price

LOUISE JOB Director of Trips 493-6676 DEBBIE BERGERON Vice President of Trips 367-7534

CHRIS JAMES
Director of Trips
580-3698

SKI TRIP REGISTRATION

YOU ASKED FOR IT, YOU GOT IT -- SKI TRIP SIGNUP FOR OUR 1992-93 SEASON BEGINS BY MAIL MONDAY, AUGUST 17th! Just follow the instructions shown below, then come by the first Monthly Meeting of the SCSC New Year on September 14th at the Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza to verify your registration and pick up information from your trip leaders!

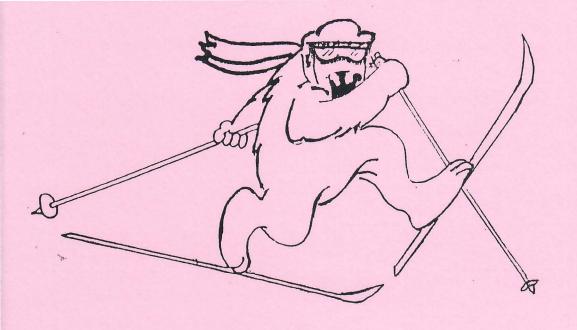
- 1. THE MAIL-IN SIGNUP PERIOD BEGINS AUGUST 17th AND CONCLUDES AUGUST 31st. Each envelope must be postmarked on or between these dates If you miss the deadline, sign up in person at the September 14th monthly meeting.
- 2. ALL MAIL-IN SIGNUPS ARE TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE VP OF TRIPS, AS SHOWN BELOW.
- 3. IF YOU SIGN UP FOR MORE THAN ONE TRIP, you must mail SEPARATE registration forms in SEPARATE ENVELOPES with the Trip Name designated on both the envelope and registration form.
- 4. YOU MUST HAVE RENEWED YOUR SCSC MEMBERSHIP FOR 1992-93. New membership numbers are shown on the mailing label of your August Sitzmarke and must be included with your registration.
- 5. YOU MAY SIGN UP YOURSELF AND ONE OTHER SCSC MEMBER PER TRIP.
- 6. Deposits for the Innsbruck trip are \$300 per person; all other trips are \$100 per person per trip. Make checks payable to "SCSC". Specify the trip name at the bottom lefthand corner of each check and your 1992-93 membership number at the top of the check.
- 7. Prior to Final Payment Date, \$10 Transfer Fees and \$30 Cancellation Fees apply to domestic trips; and \$35 Transfer Fees and \$100 Cancellation Fees apply to the Innsbruck trip. Standing Rules 5.1 and 5.4 apply to cancellations after Final Payment Date.
- 8. Registrations received by mail will be sorted by Trip Name in the order received, and added to Participant Lists in that order, then to Wait Lists once a trip has filled to capacity. If your registration does not make the primary Participant List, you will be put on that trip's Wait List and your deposit check held by the Trip Coordinator. All other checks will be deposited on or after August 31st.
- 9. Signups ON or AFTER the 9/14/92 Meeting should be personally delivered or mailed directly to the TC or ATC.
- 10. These procedures apply to ALL members (except the TC and ATC of their own trip).
- 11. All Trip Participants are subject to SCSC Standing Rules, Policies and Procedures.
- 12. DISCLAIMERS:

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- (a) Any single check that includes deposits for more than one trip destination may be returned to the sender.
- (b) Any registrations received that do not follow these instructions may be returned to sender.
- (c) SCSC is not responsible for any problems with U.S. Postal service, including delayed delivery or lost mail.

(d) Information shown on the Trip Schedule is subject to change. Clip & Mai	il. Run extra copies if needed			
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