



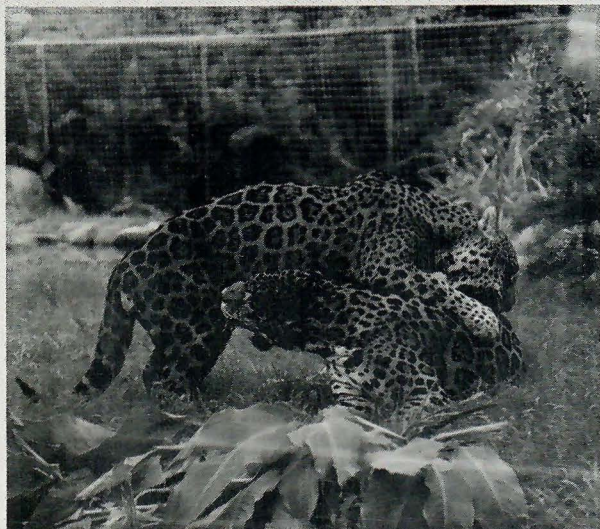
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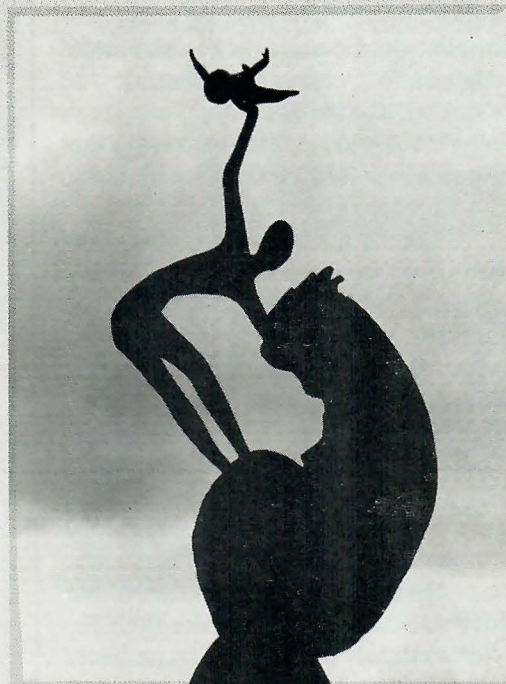
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Jerry Montgomery

As we hoped, our Summit groups won first place at Texas Ski Week. This was one of the closest finishes ever, and points out that every racer is important. Congratulations to all participants and particularly to the medal winners. By now - Purgatory has returned, and the Heavenly Valley trips are on the way. A first place by either group assures the 1990 Division I Texas Ski Cup for Space City.

Nominations were presented at the February meeting for next year's officers, by Committee Chairperson **Harold Eaton**. Their nominations were: **Ray Naudain**, President (*also known as Ray Nau*); **Peggy Donley**, Vice President - Programs; **Craig Tharpe**, Vice President - Trips; **Kathy Morgan**, Vice President - Membership; **Jeri Hartman**, Vice President - Publications; **Kim Page**, Secretary; and **Mike Rooney**, Treasurer. **John Rice** was nominated from the floor for Vice President of Trips. All nominees have indicated a willingness to serve and are qualified by their past involvement in the Club. For those of you on the Heavenly trip, ballots will be available at the airport and will be counted at the March meeting.



We will also be voting on a By-law change. This aligns us with a Texas Ski Council By-law which states that first time nominees for a Texas Ski Council office must have club approval.

Also at the March meeting - the Annual Photo Contest. Dig out those pictures and contact **Beverly Merritt** if you need more details.

Through a lot of hard creative work, **Craig Tharpe** (*TC Snowbird*) was able to secure a refund for each Snowbird participant with a minimal loss. Being able to convert an air cancellation penalty to the Vail trip cut the loss by \$3000.00. This was for-

tunate, but it's not a guarantee on future trips that are cancelled. After being postponed, the Wolf Creek Trip has also been cancelled. Our thanks to the Wolf Creek area for being honest with us, by advising not to come because of marginal conditions. We will be refunding to those participants as soon as all funds have been returned to the Club Treasurer. We will do everything possible to expedite.

Activities scheduled are a Camp-out in Fayetteville for late March. This is Festival Time in Fayette County and will be a family option activity. A Pub Crawl and Road Rally for April. Upcoming Casino Night, Tennis Tournament, Dive Trip, and a Beach Blast in Galveston. Don't forget the Breaux Bridge Crawfish Festival - always great fun. Those of you who have a desire to be in show business, stop by **Kathy Morgan's** table and volunteer for the annual Follies' production.

Happy Hour this month will be at the Westwind Club in the Westchase Hilton on March 22. Even though ski season is about over, there will be a wide variety of activities for your participation. Hope to see you in Heavenly Valley or at other Club functions.

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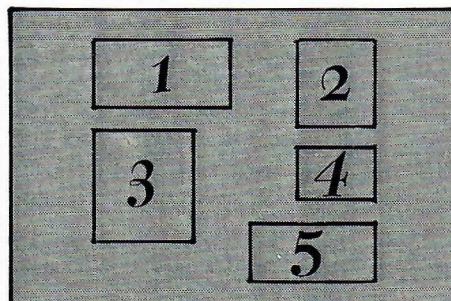
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SUMMIT TRIP I

TSC SUMMIT - TRADITIONAL

by Mike Rooney

At last! SUMMIT COUNTY here we come! The trip up was without event except for when TC **Mike Rooney** had to sprint (?) to stop a loaded bus with a cargo door open. Sunday was a good warm-up day with a welcome party at Keystone's new Convention Hall. Most went and learned of any activity changes. Monday's weather gave us some needed snow, but also gave 60 plus mph winds which by 2:00 p.m. had most of the lifts shut down.

Monday night we had a fine dinner prepared by chefs **Richard Nicosia** and **Howard Paillet**. How good? Just ask **Sam Ross**. **Teresa Hurst** and **Marilyn Miller** were busy making new friends and making plans for Breckenridge later in the week. Tuesday a large group went to Copper Mountain. Most notable item during this trip was **Bob Basch** doing the NASTAR course in fine style; he won a GOLD. Those who didn't make this side trip benefited from the free race clinic at Keystone. **Elyse Turla** especially liked it. Tuesday night was at Breckenridge with reservations being made by everyone for everywhere. **Joan and Jim Kachtick** had a great dinner of reindeer with rabbit sauce (*Rudolph and Thumper*). **Howard Schoenihe** lost his Bronze medal which he won several years ago and thought it was lost forever. His condo-mate, **Roy Schmidt**, found it on the bus later that night. He thought he didn't have to race since he had his medal.



Teresa Hurst, Marilyn Miller, Nelson Turner, Mike Rooney and George Hirasaki.

Our three musketeers: **Stuart Smith**, **Tammy Williamson**, and **Cheryl Cortez**, were seen enjoying the shops along with everyone else.

Wednesday was our group warm-up party which was followed by the TSC Party/Charity Auction. This auction included some SLAVES who had their services auctioned. Among these were **John Cook**, **Jeri Hartman**, and **Becky Hall**. This auction raised over \$10,000 for Cystic Fibrosis and all those who contributed are to be congratulated.



"Slaves" Jeri Hartman and Becky Hall.

We were all a little groggy Thursday morning, especially DOT **Dick Bryant** (*the first of three party nights where he really abused himself proper*). But this was race day and we had to get our ski legs early. Summit I had a good

participation in races, over 85% and brought home one GOLD, four SILVER, and nine BRONZE medals. We would have had more medals but our pacesetter had to be one of the best in the Rockies. Still there was a lot of almost medals which gave us points (25). All those who raced helped us win First. These people are:

GOLD MEDAL winner is George Hirasaki.

SILVER MEDAL winners are:

John Cook
Harry Gaston
Frank Riesenberg
Nelson Turner

BRONZE MEDAL winners are:

Cheryl Clements
Harry Melnick
Howard Schoenihe
Karl Gautschi
Berwin Price
Cheryl Houge
Gloria Rooney
Jerry Landers
Dave Rosenthal

25 pt. "Almost Medal Winners":

Ron Flowers
Bruce Lowther
Frank Stanley
Lotti Gautschi
Phillip Mead
Roger Holzman
Donna Repka
Jim Kachtick
Roy Schmidt

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SKI THE SUMMIT II

by Robbin Anderson



Saturday, January 6th, brought gray skies and rainy weather, but the weather wasn't about to dampen the spirits of the gung-ho skiers headed to Ski The Summit in Colorado. **TC Kim Page** and **ATC Robbin Anderson** made sure everyone got checked in on time, including **Joe Daleo**, who showed up a mere 10 minutes prior to departure. He had mistakenly gone to Intercontinental.

Upon arrival in Denver, Summit II boarded the slowest bus ever to Keystone. This gave everyone a chance to drink up all the cold beer and wine and some of the warm beer, too. A perfect mixture for battling altitude breath and luggage toting to the condo.

Michele Keating was so impressed by the gourmet cinnamon rolls served at the breakfast party Sunday morning that she showed up at the ATC's condo again Monday morning to take the leftovers back to roommates **Donna Naskrent** and **Ruth Seiler**. The cinnamon rolls were delivered piping hot that morning courtesy of Graham's in Breckenridge. If the cinnamon rolls were good Sunday, **Leslie Pace's** luck was not. A bad fall at Keystone left her in a full leg cast for the rest of the week and possible surgery when she got back. The other **Paces**, **Kim** and **Chuck**, managed to ski without a mishap.

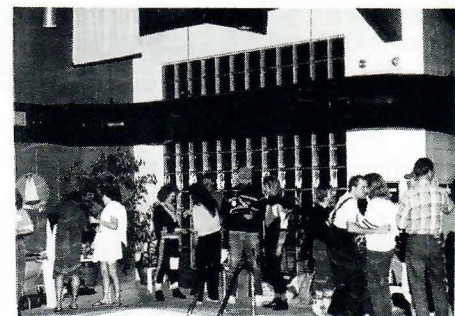
Poor snow conditions at Breckenridge kept all but a few of the group at Keystone on Monday. However, **Bob Simmons** and **Susan Tillotta** did their

own version of Breckenridge. Susan checked out the shops, Bob checked out the bars. Snow conditions at Copper on Tuesday proved to be the best of the week. Despite this, Susan still showed her new technique for the snow plow - with her face. **Becky Reitz** and **John Gay** offered special thanks to Robbin Anderson for mistakenly getting them on a double diamond in Resolution Bowl. **Cindy Byard** was grateful to the Copper Mountain Ski Patrol for retrieving her ski; she was half way up the lift when it fell off. It took the ski patrol an hour to find it. This was Cindy's first ski trip. She hated it so much that, true to form, she didn't want to leave by week end.

Wednesday night's pool party was hi-lighted by ATC Robbin Anderson's 40th birthday and **Becky Reitz's** 36th birthday. They were both born on January 10th. After the pool party, the group went to the TSC "Neon Nite" party where many of the group dressed in whatever neon they could find.

Warren Thompson attempted to teach friends a new C & W dance - the 3 step? **Barry Palmer** and **John Brodie** did their best to carbo load on the Miller Lite for the NASTAR races the next day. And why was **Bill Upchurch** out walking between 2 and 2:30 A.M. after the party?

Thursday was NASTAR day. Most of the group completed their runs without mishap and with good times. Believe it or not, **TC Kim Page** made it down without falling this time. Most of the racers were seen afterwards enjoying the TSC barbeque on the mountain top.



Lining up for food at pool party.
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Un-Sung Heros February General Meeting

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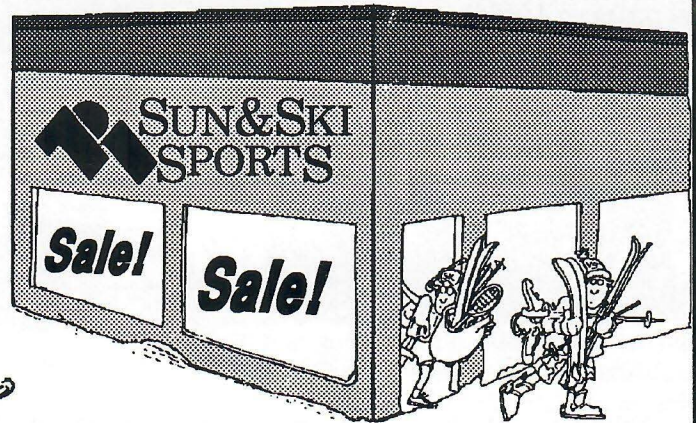
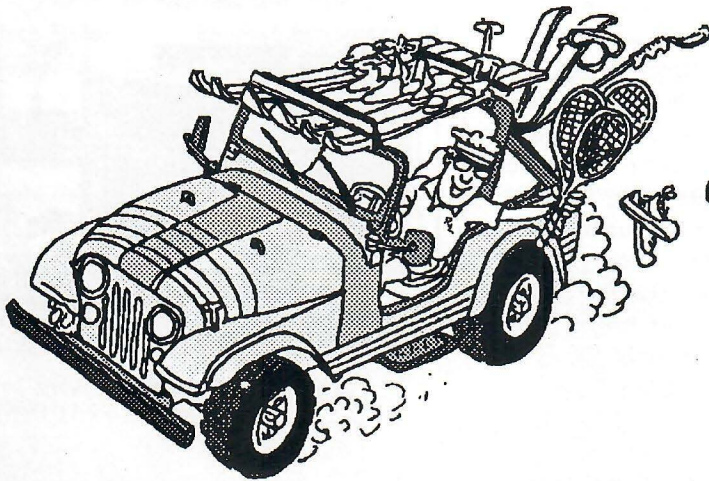
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SUMMIT III

by Dave & Winnie Pullin (and a fine bottle of wine)

*T'was two weeks after Christmas,
when all through the airport
38 Space City skiers were stirring,
with #39, Rick Kivch, nowhere to be found.
TC Patrice Reed, patiently waiting for him,
while ATC Dave Pullin checked everyone else in.*

*Finally, all 39 with dust masks in hand boarded the plane
when found Los Amigos Ski Club willingly waiting
For us to join them in their game.*

*When almost in Denver, there arose such a clatter,
when the condom captain from Los Amigos
sprang from his seat,
Wishing all a safe ski trip, throwing condoms and
saying, "Isn't this neat!"*

*Finally in Denver and waiting for our bags
we spied Mike Birowski and Paul Garcia
Meeting us there so our trip wouldn't lag.*

*When all were settled and on the bus,
liar's poker was popular
With four of us (Richard Boehck, Don Moore,
Roger Williams and Dave Pullin).*

*Even with seven cases of beer,
some wanted to stop at Applejacks
To keep a tradition so dear.*

*Meanwhile Monica Williams and Diane Benson went
on a race through the grocery store--
Who could keep up their pace?*

*Upon arrival in Keystone
we checked into our rooms,
Only to find Dawn Pyle, Vern Oliver, Randy Siesy
and Jimmy Licari spent the first night in gloom
(Due to the condo owner not wanting to give up his room).*

*Sunday's breakfast of Gram's cinnamon rolls (YUMMY!)
and fruit, gave everyone a chance to see
Veronica Selinko's smashing ski suit!*



Left to right: Mike Birowski, Merlyn Harger, Dennis Bentley and Pam Gillan celebrating Merlyn's birthday.

*Some of our group elected to take ski lessons the first day
(Karen Putney, Oswald Castillo, Veronica Selinko,
Dawn Pyle, Terry Endsly, Pam Gillam)
And Ozzie left his kneecap on the slopes when he was
ready to play!*

*Cross country ski lessons were a first for two
(Louise Talen
and Patrice Reed), but Lee Mixon was
there to encourage them through!*

*Monday and Breckenridge-bound
found nine adventurous skiers
To go to their town.*

*The remainder stayed in Keystone,
to ski in the powder,
Competing with snowboarders --
who was louder?*

*Almost all went to Copper
and loved the snow,
Returning to Keystone
in zero below.*

*Nighttime found many hitting the streets,
but Dave Ross, why did you "short our sheets?"
Could it be because you had gone to bed
with an ironing board instead of visions in your head?*

*There were hot tub parties
and birthdays, too.
Merlyn Harger, didn't you
turn the big fifty-two?*

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"Hillbilly Poets"; Dave and Winnie Pullin.

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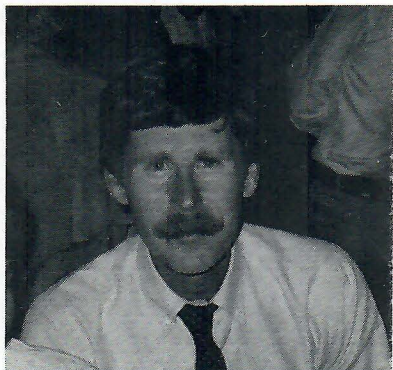
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**1990-1991
OFFICER
NOMINEES**



RAY NAUDAIN

President

*Nominating Committee Nominee
(Also known as "Ray Nau")*

Ray joined the club in 1980. He skied with the club at Aspen, Park City, Sun Valley, Keystone, Big Sky, Banff, and Telluride.

He served on the Audit and Nominating committees, ATC for Park City and Keystone and TC for Big Sky. He was Director of Trips, Treasurer and currently is on the Board of Directors.

He enjoys skiing, windsurfing, sailing and bicycling. In real life, he is a Loan Officer for an independent bank.

His goal as President is to support the other officers in providing activities and trips desired by the members, maintain financial responsibility and create a cohesive and friendly atmosphere for all members.



PEGGY DONLEY

Vice President of Programs

Nominating Committee Nominee

Peggy joined Space City Ski Club in 1987 and went on her first ski trip (*ever*) that year to the TSC Fall Round-Up at Copper Mountain. Since that time she has gone on one to two trips a year. Last year Peggy was the ATC on the TSC Texas Ski Week trip to Steamboat. This year she heads up one of the TSC Final Showdown trips to Heavenly.

Peggy immediately jumped into the swing of things upon joining SCSC by running an activity: a Progressive Murder Mystery Dinner. She ended up doing such a fine job on recruiting that she had to have two groups participating on one murder! This year Peggy has been busy recruiting members and volunteers to run some activities. One of those activities is the April Fools Day Campout.

Peggy has also been involved this year serving as a member of the By-laws committee.

Professionally Peggy is a litigation attorney with Exxon. Peggy believes her ability to deal with people and the skills she has developed in civil trial work will benefit her in "negotiating" other club members into a position of volunteering and participating in the planning and running of activities and/or programs in the coming year.

Peggy offers her enthusiasm and commitment to the club's Vice President of Programs position and challenges other members to become involved and find out how much fun volunteering with the club can be.



NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Left to right: Harold Eaton, Linda Licarione, Ted Bergeron, Beth Nolen, Pam Holder, Floyd Hanks. (not pictured, Loren Gullledge.)



CRAIG THARPE

Vice President for Trips

Nominating Committee Nominee

Craig Tharpe has been a member of SCSC since 1980 and an active participant since 1987. She has taken trips with the club to Steamboat Springs, Taos, Winter Park, Purgatory, Snowbird and Park City.

Craig was ATC for the Family trip to Winter Park in March 1989. She was TC for the Fall Roundup trip to Snowbird in November 1989, which unfortunately was cancelled due to lack of snow. Not to be discouraged, Craig volunteered to TC a trip to Vail for the club in April 1990.

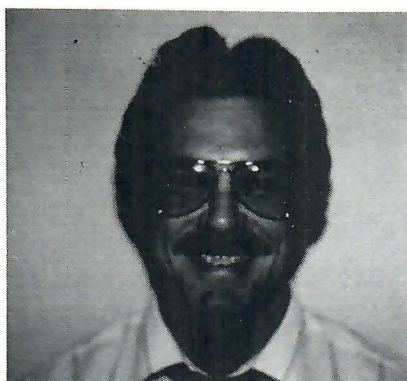
Craig has participated in such SCSC activities as the Follies, Style Shows and numerous weekend club activities. She has been responsible for introducing several new members to our club.

In addition to skiing, Craig has been an avid scuba diver for 13 years and helped organize and run numerous scuba diving trips to Central America. She enjoys exploring Mayan ruins and has traveled extensively in Europe.

Craig owned and operated her own company in women's retail for six years here in Houston. Since variety is the spice of life, Craig changed careers and is now a real estate agent with Texas Apartment Locators. She loves her job as it enables her to meet and work with so many new people.

Craig enjoys SCSC and wants to give something back to the club. She believes that SCSC belongs to the members and plans to offer them the traditional trips, as well as other exciting trips that will take into account the length of time and the cost.

Craig plans to keep an open mind to any and all ideas the members may have. If elected, Craig will be a visible, communicative and enthusiastic officer of SCSC.



JOHN RICE

Vice-President, Trips

Nominated from the Floor

John joined Space City Ski Club in 1983 and has skied at Copper Mountain, Snowmass, Breckenridge and other destinations, and has been a regular participant in other club activities and events.

John served as Race Director for TSW in Copper Mountain in 1985, Asst. Trip Coordinator for TSW at Snowmass in 1986, and as Trip Coordinator for Breckenridge in 1989. Currently he is a Director of Trips.

As Director of Trips for the 1989/90 ski season, John has become experienced in every aspect of planning and running Space City ski trips. He was responsible for helping train this year's TCs and ATCs and for supervising them in their management of Space City's ski trips. He has worked directly with the current Vice President of Trips to plan Space City's trip agenda, schedule transportation, book lodgings and coordinate with the Texas Ski Council. He also has regularly helped to represent Space City in this year's Texas Ski Council meetings.

John also works in the travel industry in his professional life. As a Pricing Analyst for Continental Airlines, his job requires him to stay knowledgeable about current air travel trends in order to set rates for the general traveling public and to keep Continental's rates competitive with the other major carriers.

John's goals as Vice President of Trips would be to use his experience as Director of Trips to continue Space City's quality procedures for running the best trips at the lowest costs, and to provide even greater variety in ski destinations.



MIKE ROONEY

Treasurer

Nominating Committee Nominee

Mike joined Space City Ski Club in 1984 and enjoyed his first Club ski trip in 1985 to TSC Final Showdown in Big Sky, Montana, where he met his wife, Gloria.

A volunteer from the very beginning, Mike first signed up as a Liftliner and then ran the SCSC Logo Sales Desk. He has served as ATC twice (- Jackson Hole, Wyoming and Steamboat, Colorado) and is TC for the Summit I trip for 1990 Texas Ski Council Traditional Ski Week.

Mike is employed by the Coastal Corporation Federal Credit Union, where he has held the position of Manager for several years. In this position, Mike has the responsibility for maintaining the Credit Union's financials, as well as overseeing day to day operations and future planning for long-range direction.

Mike looks forward to combining his expertise in financial management, along with his desire to work with his fellow ski club members, to promote a strong and thriving Space City Ski Club.

**COMING AT
MARCH
MEETING
Photo
Contest**



JERI HARTMAN

Vice President, Publications

Nominating Committee Nominee

Jeri is a native Texan and has lived in the Houston area since she was a child except for almost three years in the Denver area while working and attending the University of Colorado at Boulder. The first time she attempted to ski was at Winter Park in 1979. She joined SCSC in 1984 and went on her first club trip to Lake Louise/Banff in 1986.

She participated in the Follies as a first-year member and has participated in numerous club activities since then. She was activity coordinator for the Guadalupe River Rafting Trip in 1987, ATC for TSC Final Showdown in Banff in 1988 and TC for Texas Ski Week in Steamboat in 1989. This year she is serving as a Liftliner.

Professionally, Jeri is a petroleum exploration geologist and enjoys this challenging and interesting work and serves on two committees in the local geological society. In her leisure time she enjoys dancing and riding her bicycle.

She is looking forward to serving as Editor for the *Sitzmarke* and plans to continue its excellent quality as a club newsletter. She will also welcome all comments, suggestions and newsworthy information.



KATHY MORGAN

Vice President of Membership

Nominating Committee Nominee

Kathy Morgan has been an active member of SCSC for eight years. She was ATC for Mammoth Mountain, California in 1983, and was TC for Sun Valley II, Idaho (*Texas Ski Week*) in 1984. Kathy and her husband, Charles, have participated in numerous activities throughout the past several years. They have hosted a few SCSC activities at their home on Lake Livingston which have included a fall campout and the Halloween Party Weekend for the past two years. Kathy enjoys meeting new people and making them feel welcome.



KIM PAGE

Secretary

Nominating Committee Nominee

Kim joined Space City Ski Club in 1986 in order to make the trip to Keystone for Thanksgiving. She started volunteering in her second year with the club as a lift liner. She was ATC Vail I - 1989 and TC Summit II - 1990. Other trips which she has taken with the club include Tahoe 1987, Copper Mt. 1987, and Banff 1988. She has also participated in numerous non-ski activities.

Kim is looking forward to serving as secretary for SCSC, and being involved in the decision making process of the club. She feels that her organizational skills as a secretary in her professional workplace will be of benefit to the Club.

Kim is employed by the Coastal Corporation as an Executive Secretary for the VP of Wholesale Marketing.



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SUMMIT IV, "THE QUICKIE" TRIP

by Sue Salvage



Tired racers from the "Quickie" trip. Standing: Kathleen Hannaman, Jack Harmuth, Joe Brothers, Cissy Dutcher, Gary Sequeira, Sue Salvage, Ray Davis and Bill Landfield. On Ground: Nancy Boelsen, Sharon Griffin and Dave McGehee.

We got off to a great start when we provided some first-time entertainment for a Continental flight attendant who had never before witnessed a SCSC demonstration of the pre-flight announcements. Her next assignment was to ask **Sharon Griffin** and **Gary Sequeira** to "cool it," at least until they arrived at their destination.

Our first ski day began at 7:30 A.M. with breakfast at the ATC's. The day ended early for **Roseanne Clark**. Rumor has it a Wild Irishman laid her on her butt, spread eagle, then sent her home with a knee injury.

What did **Eric** and **Shirley Holm** do to run off their roommates; and why did **Bob Mills** leave his condo on Wednesday, not to be seen again till Saturday?

A special congratulations to our "bronze metal winners: **Sharon Griffin**, **Lee Hall**, **Bill Landfield**, **Billie Nowak** and **Gary Sequeira**.

Who skis faster than **Miro Castello** and **Ray Kreitz**? (These two ski without making any turns.) **Marsha Lutz** when she has to use the bathroom. Ask **Bob Porter** about his expertise in tree skiing, jumps and face plants. Why was **Joyce Margarce** missing from the snack bar at Copper? **Mike Gay** was named "THE Ski Master" after taking several of us on a Black Diamond trip Sunday. None of us could keep up.

A. G. Davis took 1st place in the Sadie Hawkins costume contest! This isn't his 1st win either. Has anyone seen **Mike Bissell** since he headed for **Ida Belle's** after the Sadie Hawkins?

Condo #1780 had some wild women. **Pam Dugas** didn't use a bathing suit at the hot tub. **Becky Odom** had the grocery boy meet her at the bus stop at midnight. **Bonnie Binnie**, purchased a foot massage at the auction, but why did he come back a second time and did he use the "missing" condo key?? **Barbara Dovidas** and **Mark Picard** enjoyed a sleigh ride they purchased at the auction.

Who stole **Mike Heald's** bathing suit? Could it be (nice guy) **Jack Harmuth**, or "better late than never" **Randy Elkins**?

The fondue party our last night turned out to be a most noteworthy



Saturday Night Fondue at top of the mountain. RIGHT: Pam Dugas, Bob Mills, Billie Nowak. LEFT: Laurie Haischer, Mike Bissell, Joyce Margarce, Marsha Lutz, Bob Frazier, Melissa Frazier.

event. On the way to dinner **Nancy Sarff** was overheard saying, "I'm so hungry I could eat **Jeff's** (her husband) arm off. His reply, "That statement is ripe with possibilities." Did anyone besides **Dave McGehee**, TC, notice the lady in the white leather mini skirt? **Nancy Boelsen** and **Cissy Dutcher** came as twins. All was well until **Nancy** remarked, "I could go either way." There was some talk about **Kathleen**

Hannaman losing her "cherries," but keeping her meat, or was it the other way? **Laurie Haischer** was named the best fondue cooker - she timed each piece. **Kay Dierks** had the warmest knees on the trip, per **Joe Brothers**, **Bob Porter** and **Jeff Sarff**. This doesn't explain why **Jeff's** glasses were fogged and his hair messed up. To **Bob** and **Melissa Frazier**, thanks for putting together this fun dinner, and their "daily wake up service" for their roommates.

Cynthia Banuelos, where'd you go? **Lee Hall** says you disappeared for quite a while.

Peggy Schillinger won the most luggage award - four bags and her skis.

Sue Salvage, ATC, was caught "accidentally" barging in on **Ray Davis**, **Bob Mills** and some nameless blur in various states of undress?!

All in all everyone came back partied and skied out, and ready for some R & R at the office.



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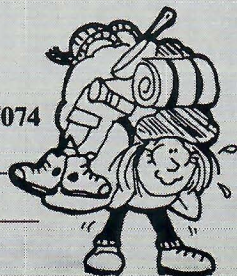
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note, there will be no bathroom facilities, although portable toilets will be available.)

The activity is open to members and non-members, as well as children accompanied by an adult parent. Any child over the age of three will have to pay the per person price to attend the activity.

For more information, contact Terry Ross at 771-6561, or Kay Ellig (H) 952-6012, or look for the campout table at the March meeting.



SUMMIT II

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Friday, our final full day, had group members enjoying skiing, shopping, snowmobiling, and relaxing. The culmination of the trip was the TSC Awards Banquet that night. And what a night it was for SCSC! SCSC won 1st place overall and many other individual awards and medals were handed out. When the door prizes were called out, B. J. Scott walked away with a new pair of Tyrolia skis, Nancy Meir won a T-shirt, Nolan Badeaux and John Gilbert didn't win a thing, but they did feast on the food and beer.

When the group left Saturday morning, they had plenty of laughs and memories to bring back with them, such as: John Welkey spent two hours at The Saloon, compliments of the Summit Stage Co., due to a 5-car pile-up. "Lulu" Welkey took a chairlift up that serviced blue and black runs only. She skis greens. Jeff Linden still has the imprint of his thermal underwear on his butt, thanks to the fall he took. His wife, Laurie, in the meantime, was melting one of her Visa cards in the ski wear shops. George Zupp made a point of getting to all of the free Miller Lite happy hours. Of all the chili dogs Chuck Johnson saw, he ate only one. Bob Simmons almost became a permanent fixture at Copper Mountain when his fanny pack got stuck in the lift. After being at the condos for a whole week, John Gay was seen the morning of departure asking Robbin how to get back to his condo so he could get his luggage. Last but not least, the "I had more fun than anybody else" award went to Lou Ann Walter.

Special thanks to Tuti Ottinger and Keystone for the wonderful accommodations and to Texas Ski Council for arranging another great week. See you on the slopes.



Coming Events April

April Fools Day Campout
March 30 — April 1

Vail Ski Trip
April 3 — 8

General Meeting
Presentation / Demonstration by
Houston Southwest Whip Club
April 9

Family Optional Miniature Golf
Tentatively scheduled for April 22

Pub Crawl
April 27

Road Rally/Treasure Hunt
April 29

May

Beaux Bridge Crawfish Festival
May 4 — 6

Beach Ball Weekend
May 18 — 20

Spring Tennis Tournament
May 20

Cayman Island Get-a-Way
May 24 - 28

June

Volunteer Party
June 3

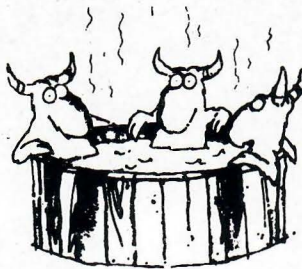
★ Events in the Making ★

Texas Wine Tour
Casino Boat Cruise (Galveston)
Murder Mystery Dinner



Lawrence Helm taking the first fall.

HOT GNUS



The word is out! SCSC won 1st at Purgatory! Way to go, group!!

Gloria Rooney reports to us that Liftliner Randy Taylor has moved to Aruba. "Come on down and feel free to stay" was one of his last departing quotes.

Frank Riesenbergs and Warren Thompson (first year SCSC member) were principal singers at the Junior League Charity Ball (February 18) held at the Westin Galleria.

John Cook won a very large cup trophy at Laax/Flims for being the fastest male racer. If we are lucky, maybe Jon will bring it to the March meeting.

SUMMIT I

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Others who contributed more than one pt.:

Lawrence Heim - 9 pts.
Becky Hall - 16 pts.
Carol Schmidt - 9 pts.
Robert Clements - 9 pts.
Mike Rooney - 4 pts.
Elyse Turla - 4 pts.

Roger Holzman says he would have done better if his regular skis hadn't cracked during a fall on Wednesday. Thursday night a few celebrated with Elyse Turla for her birthday. Reports have it that she didn't make the next day until well past 1:00 p.m.

Friday's Award night party confirmed what our race director George Hirasaki had told us; we'd be first, but it would be close. Hey! a First is a First! Saturday was for most of us a shopping day before leaving later that afternoon. Ask Amy Bryant about her necklace. The trip back to Houston was uneventful, but enjoyable.

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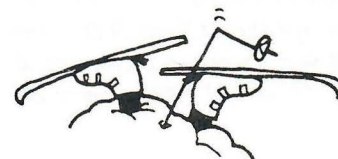
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*And Scott Covington was the best
martini maker,
And was even seen in Applejacks
buying his own shaker!*

*Wednesday was "Neon Night"
and time to glow,
But Dave Ross almost stopped the show!*

*Even though Steve Benson
was sick with the flu,
He gave out race numbers and
knew what to do.*

*But Monica Williams got more
than expected,
When she flew off the practice course
and a tree she inspected!*

*Thursday dawned and NASTAR beckoned one and all,
Except the TC and ATC who didn't know they were on call!
There was no group picture as all of you know
As Dave and Patrice were enjoying the snow.*

*Nevertheless, our trip had its winners:
Silver medals: Terry Chamness, Mike Birowski
Bronze Medals: Merlyn Harger, Steven Benson,
Dennis Bentley, Keith Rogers, Alex Potter.*

*Friday was a day of decision,
did we want to ski Copper, Keystone or Breckenridge?
With decisions finally made, we went on our cheery ways,
but that night the creative juices were flowing
For our Sadie Hawkins Day!*

*NASTAR Trophy - Most Participative Club
Best Dressed Male: A. G. Davis (Summit IV)
Best Dressed Male and Female: Dave and Winnie Pullin*

*Saturday dawned and the dirty dozen arose,
to go to Arapaho before they closed.
With video clicking and camera in hand
these 12 adult men attacked the land!
(Richard Boehck, Dave Ross, Mike Wolfe, Don Moore,
Steve Benson from Summit III)*

*A chain gang formed to help with the luggage,
From condo to bus -- weren't even sluggish.*

*The bus finally was loaded but no one wanted to leave,
Because of new fallen snow We couldn't believe!
(Especially John Anderson, who finally got his wish!)*

*As we exclaimed as we drove out of sight,
We'll miss you, Keystone, you were such a delight!*



*Back Row: Karen Putney, BJ, Merlyn,
Donna, Elyse, Gloria. Kneeling: Cheryl
Hogue and Kim Page. Center Floor: Dave
Pullin.*



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5. Picture matted and unframed.

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2. Portraits (people)
3. Portraits (pets only)
4. SCSC Activities (i.e. Bash, Mardi Gras, Road Rally, etc.)
5. Architecture
6. Wildlife
7. Scenery (Winter)
8. Scenery (Summer)
9. Still Life
10. Underwater Photography

Judging will be done by SCSC membership at the March meeting. All entries will be returned to owners.

Winners must be in a group photo at the end of meeting. 1st Place winners leave their pictures for publication.

*ATTN.: Heavenly Valley trip participants (ONLY) may submit photos prior to the March meeting. Please call Beverly Merritt at 721-7814 for details.

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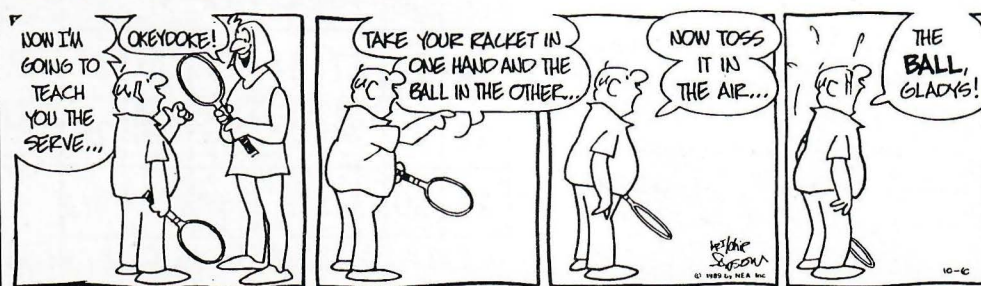
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COMING ATTRACTIONS

APRIL

April 1..... Campout
April 3-8..... Vail
April 9..... GENERAL MEETING
April 19..... Happy Hour at Humphrey's
April 22..... Putt-Putt
April 27..... Pub Crawl
April 29..... Road Rally

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