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CVSC SkiZette

July, 2019



EVENTS CALENDAR

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JULY

- 10 CVSC board meeting at Dennie's
- 17 CVSC general meeting at Lake Chabot (details forthcoming)

AUGUST

- 7 CVSC board meeting at Kathy & Tucker's
- 16 Concert in the Park pg 2
- 21 CVSC general meeting at Lake Del Val

SEPTEMBER

- 5-19 CVSC Presents wonders of Israel & Jordan, Jerusalem, Galilee, Nazareth, Dead Sea, Masada & Tel Aviv (f) pg 13
- 25 CVSC general meeting at Lake Chabot
- 28-10/12 FWSA 10th Annual Scuba Dive Trip—Philippines (f) pg 11

UPCOMING

- 2020: 7/17-29 CVSC Russia River Cruise (f) pg 12

BAC/FWSA TRIPS

Please visit websites for detailed information.

BAC Web site: skibac.org

Far West Ski Assoc: fwsa.org

2020:

JULY BIRTHDAYS

Gary Niese	6	Anne Wilburn	25
Jane Fontius	8	Phyllis May	25
Sherri Reid	10	Helgard Burri	25
Lynda Nestlebusch	15	Jim Silva	27
Suzanne Goldman	17	Roy Faulhaber	29
Walter Johnson	18	Liz Jue	31
Keith Wilson	20		



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SkiZette Policy

NEWSLETTER

DEADLINE: 1st of the month

Articles submitted by this date will be included in the following month's newsletter .

Submit articles to:

Dennie Warren, Editor

email: dennieluuul@gmail.com



*Didn't get your newsletter? - Change of Address? -
PLEASE Contact Maggie Jong, VP Membership
email: mozoro25@gmail.com*

CONCERT IN THE PARK

Tommy & the 4 Speeds

Friday, Aug. 16 @ 7pm (get together @ 5pm)

Lions Wayside Park—First & Neal Sts, Pleasanton

Bring a dish to share & BYOB — any questions call Pat—925-746-7250.

President's Message

Summer is here, and time for BBQs, food, fairs, and fun.

The FWSA convention in Indian Wells was a great event, with some excellent speakers, and good food....they tried some new ways of meeting with vendors and some of the optional events were excellent. Anne was in a foursome golfing that came in second, congratulations and Tucker was the auctioneer for the vendor packages as he called out the names of those winning the bids for various packages... Dancing at the evening event was well received and all danced....a fun time was had by all, hot weather, but fun still the same.

We had our End of Season Banquet at the Crow Canyon Country Club, where we recognized our outgoing and incoming CVSC board. As always Pat put on a wonderful event, the food was great, the drinks and appetizers were good, and the turnout was wonderful. So nice to see so many



Claudia Fernandes
President

faces and visit and catch up as we so often don't get to do.....New faces and our tried and true were there to enjoy the evening. **Thanks again Pat and thanks to the board for all that you do to keep our club active and fun.....**

This month we **WILL** have our general meeting at Lake Chabot for a BBQ. So we hope to see you all there....These times are fun as the evenings are usually balmy and the food and friends flowing. But always bring a jacket as we never know in the Bay Area. You will hear more about what to bring.

We have more fun coming up, in August, we will be attending the Friday concert in the Park August 16, in Pleasanton, stay tuned as Pat and others find more fun events for our members. Thank you again Pat for providing us with such good times with friends.

Have a Happy and Safe Summer.... Whatever you do Enjoy!!!

Claudia



Upcoming Travel:

ISRAEL: September 5-18, 2019 – our next great adventure is coming up soon. We have 38 members going on this fantastic trip which includes Petra.

RUSSIA: JULY 17-29, 2020. We have room for 48, 46 already signed up. Looking for a female or a couple for last cabin.

On the Horizon for 2021 – looking at a couple of possibilities

*Bike & Boat in Italy

*CRUISE THROUGH SPECTACULAR FIJI (boat only holds 68 passengers) – If you liked Croatia and Tahiti this ones for you. Would be in 2021. Let's fill the boat.....

RHINE RIVER CRUISE: We had 34 Castro Valley members join us on the Rhine River Cruise from Amsterdam to Mainz. We started in Amsterdam and visited many of the sites before boarding our boat heading down the river. I think we will all agree the Keukenhof Tulip Gardens were a big hit. Many of us also went out to see the windmills and also visited a cheese factory and saw how wooden shoes were made. We did have free time to visit the red light district (interesting), the many wonderful museums and the Anne Frank house. We enjoyed an included canal cruise just for CVSC members. Our stops on the river included Arnhem, Cologne, Koblenz, Rudesheim, Mannheim & Strasbourg. Never made it to Mainz as we got stuck in the locks and disembarked before then and bussed to the airport so as not to miss our flights.





Happy Skiing & Travels.....



Tucker - CVSC Travel Director & Kathy
 2657 Rivers Bend Circle, Livermore CA 94550
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 cell # 510-329-4242

CVSC CST # 2081040

Attention CVSC Members!

Do you know someone interested in joining the CVSC?

Please pass the word:

Our CVSC membership drive is on now. The CVSC year runs October 1 to September 30. New members can join now for next year and get 3 months free!

NEW members pay \$50 for the first person and \$20 for each additional person in the same household for the first year only.

CURRENT members who renew their membership any time before October 31 get a discounted rate of \$35 for the first person and \$15 for each additional person in the same household.

To download the CVSC membership application and the waiver form go to www.cvskiclub.org. Click on Membership, then click on Join Now! or use the following forms.

Have any questions?

Please contact Maggie Jong at mozoro25@gmail.com



cvskiclub.org

Membership Application

October 1, 2019 thru September 30, 2020

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY:

Member's Name: _____ Birth Date: _____

Family Members signing up in Same Household: _____ Relationship: _____ Birth Date: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Member's Phone No: (Home) _____ (Mobile) _____

Family Member's Phone No: (Home) _____ (Mobile) _____

E-mail Address: _____

(Please provide e-mail address to receive the club's newsletter 'CVSC SkiZette')

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Membership Dues: *Yearly - October 1st thru September 30th*

☐ \$50.00 Primary Member / \$20.00 Each Additional Family Member *in Same Household.*

Discount: *Membership Renewal discount if paid by October 31st with No Lapse in Membership.*

☐ \$35.00 Primary Member / \$15.00 Each Additional Family Member *in Same Household.*

Check # _____ / Date: _____ / Amt Paid: _____

- Interested in Volunteering as our Club is only as Strong as its Volunteers?
☐ Chair/Host Social Activity ☐ Committee Volunteer ☐ Phone Committee ☐ Other
- New Member; how did you hear about our club? _____
- New members joining after July 1st, membership is valid thru Sept. of the following year.

**YOU MUST READ AND SIGN THE WAIVER AGREEMENT
OR YOUR APPLICATION CANNOT BE ACCEPTED!**

Please send the membership application, the signed waver, and the dues to:
Maggie Jong, V.P. Membership
2597 Wellingham Drive, Livermore, CA 94551 / email: mozoro25@gmail.com
Make your check payable to the Castro Valley Ski Club.

RELEASE, WAIVER AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

In consideration of my being allowed to participate in CASTRO VALLEY SKI CLUB Events and Activities, I HEREBY AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

I HEREBY ASSUME ALL RISKS INVOLVED IN MY PARTICIPATION IN CASTRO VALLEY SKI CLUB EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES.

I HEREBY RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE the Club members, its officers, participants, promoters, sanctioning organization or any subdivision thereof, owners and lessees of the premises used to conduct said events, and each of them, all for the purposes herein referred to as "release" from all liability to the undersigned, his/her personal representative, assignees, heirs, and next of kin for any and all loss or damage on account in injury (including death) or property.

I HEREBY AGREE TO INDEMNIFY, DEFEND, SAVE AND HOLD THE RELEASEES, AND EACH OF THEM, HARMLESS from and against any and all claims, losses, damages, liabilities and fees (including attorney's fees), damage to personal property, personal injury or death that any of them may incur as a result of, or relating to my participation at any event, and whether caused by the negligence of releasees or otherwise, and whether such claims, losses, damages, liabilities and fees (including attorney's fees) including any personal injury or death are brought against me or any of the releasees.

EACH OF THE UNDERSIGNED FURTHER EXPRESSLY AGREES that the foregoing release, waiver and indemnity agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by law in the State/Province in which the event is conducted and that if any portion thereof is held invalid it is agreed that the balance shall continue in full force and effect.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS READ AND VOLUNTARILY SIGNS THIS RELEASE, WAIVER AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT and further agrees no oral representations or inducements apart from the foregoing have been made.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE (ALL APPLICANTS MUST SIGN)

Parents or guardian must sign for those under 18 year of age.

(Signature)

(Date)

(Signature)

(Date)

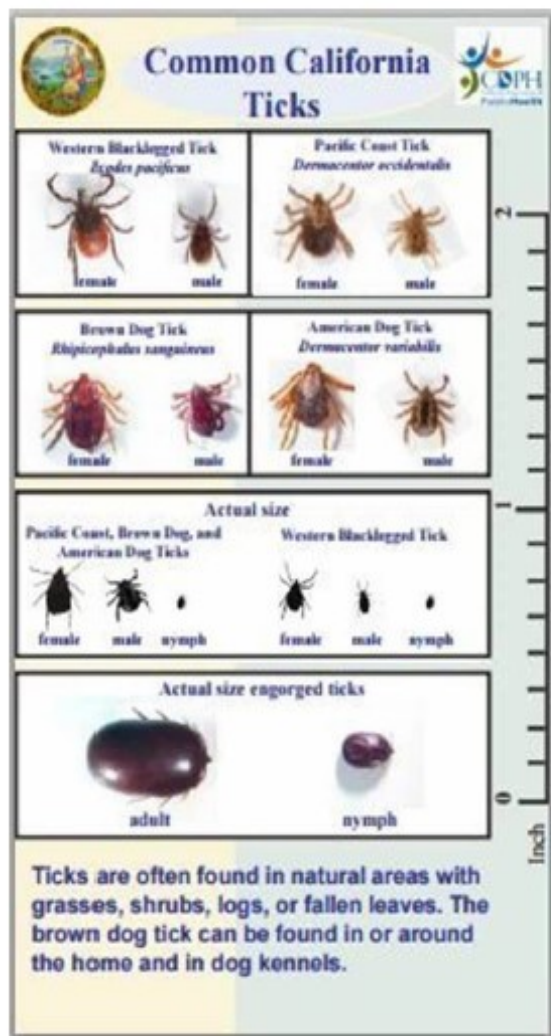
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IT IS TICK SEASON. PLEASE BE VERY VIGILANT AND CHECK YOUR CATS, DOGS AND YOURSELF FOR THESE UGLY CRITTERS



Keep Ticks Off You



Repel

- Use bug repellents with at least **20% DEET** on all exposed skin.
- Follow directions and reapply as needed.
- Parents should apply this product to the children, avoiding hands, eyes, and mouth.
- Avoid logs and areas with high grass or fallen leaves.
- Walk in the center of trails.
- Wear long sleeves and pants when possible.
- Treat clothes and shoes with **permethrin** that kills ticks. This remains protective through several washings. Pre-treated clothing is available and may be protective longer.




Remove

If you find a tick crawling on you, brush it off.

If you find a tick attached to your skin, remove it quickly.

- Ways to dispose of a live tick:
 - Flush it down the toilet, or
 - Submerge it in alcohol, or
 - Place it in a sealed bag to mail her.
- Never crush a tick with your fingers.
- Use fine-tipped tweezers to grasp the tick as close to the skin's surface as possible.
- Pull upward with steady, even pressure. Don't twist or jerk the tick.
- After removing the tick, clean the bite area and wash your hands with soap and water.



Shower



- Bathe and shower with in two hours or as soon as possible after leaving an area with ticks to wash off ticks and to find them more easily.
- Do a full body check using a mirror to view all parts of your body. Ticks are usually found:
 - Under arms
 - In and around the ears
 - Inside the belly button
 - Behind the knees
 - Between the legs
 - On the scalp
- Parents should check their children for ticks.
- Tumble unwashed clothes in the dryer on high heat for 10 minutes to kill remaining ticks.
- Examine gear and pets. Ticks can hitchhike into homes.

(submitted by Sandy Beecher, Safety Chair)

FWSA CONVENTION

**CASTRO VALLEY SKI CLUB GETTING DOWN
TO BUSINESS**



MEETINGS....MEETINGS....MEETINGS!!!



In the meantime, Kathy & Tucker “testing” out the dance floor.....!!!!!!

[Photos courtesy of Claudia Fernandes]

Bay Area Snow Sports Council

BIG SKY FWSA SKI & SNOWBOARD WEEK...

January 25 – February 1, 2020

BAC Package Includes:

7 Nights Lodging: Ski in/Ski out

Huntley Lodge: Hotel rooms with Two Queen Bed or Loft with 3 Queens \$1,310 pp

Summit Lodge: Hotel rooms with One King or Two Queen \$1,610 pp

Single Supplements available.

ONLINE REGISTRATION ONLY

<http://BAC83.sat.tours> – Payments made to Sports America, our Tour Operator



BAC Lodging/Amenity Package:

- Welcome Party
- Mountain Picnic
- BAC Council Dinner
- Ski Week Banquet Dance
- Farewell Awards Après Party



Additional Options:

Optional Day Trips to West Yellowstone Or Wildlife Center

Council Challenge Races & Non Skier Activities

Discounted Lift Tickets:

Group Air & Ground Transportation: TBA

Discounted 5-6 Day Lift Tickets will be available

Buy IKON Pass w/Sports America for \$30-50 lodging discount.



The Bay Area Snow Sports Council Presents
A Mini Ski Week to:



Alta, Snowbird, Brighton & Solitude, Utah
February 19 – 23, 2020

Utah is renown for its wonderful powder snow & epic mountain terrain! By staying at the base of Big & Little Cottonwood Canyons, our BAC skiers will be able to access four great Utah ski resorts!

Lodging & Amenities Package Includes:

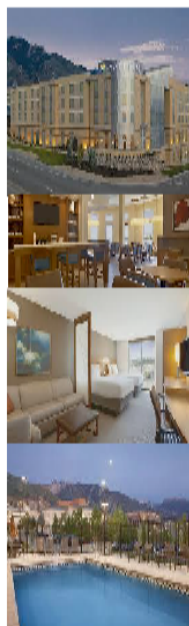
- ❖ 4 nights at the Hyatt Place/Cottonwood – double occupancy
- ❖ Welcome reception and Group Dinner included
- ❖ Free daily hot breakfast
- ❖ Free hotel shuttle to ski bus transit center
- ❖ Free wifi & parking

Lodging & Amenities Package Pricing:

- ❖ \$575 per person – based on double occupancy in King or 2 Queen bed hotel rooms.
- ❖ Registration opens on April 5. To insure your spot send your \$200 deposit check, payable to BAC Travel, in with your completed Trip Preference Form & Waiver. You must be a member of a BAC Club to reserve a spot.

Not Included - Airfare, Lift Tickets & Ski Bus Tickets

- ❖ Airfare Options & Ground Transportation - Delta, United & Southwest all have non-stop flights from the Bay Area into SLC airport - only 20 minutes from the hotel
- ❖ Lift Tickets: Alta, Snowbird, Brighton & Solitude are all on the IKON pass.
- ❖ Two Ski Buses for either Alta/Snowbird or Brighton/Solitude depart every 20-30 minutes from the ski bus stop. Ski bus tickets are nominal at around \$8 round trip.



BAC Trip Leader: Cathy Wilson

Send your \$200 deposit
(payable to BAC Travel) to:

Cathy Wilson
BAC Utah Trip Assistant
1469 Firebird Way, Sunnyvale,
CA 94087

BAC CST# 2050870-40

FWSA 10th Annual Scuba Dive Trip – The Philippines

September 28 – October 12, 2019



5 nights – Azure Dive Resort in Dumaguete

9 nights – Marco Vincent Resort in Puerto Galera

Azure Dive Resort – September 28-October 3, 2019

Diver Land Package = \$1139.00 Superior Hotel Room - Double Occupancy
Non-Diver Land Package = \$684.00 Superior Hotel Room - Double Occupancy
Single Supplement Hotel Room Add = \$381.00
Lodging Upgrades Available – contact Randy Lew for details
(air transportation not included in above pricing)

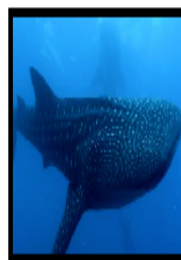
Marco Vincent Dive Resort – October 3 - 12, 2019

Diver Land Package = \$2621.00 Superior Hotel Room - Double Occupancy
Non-Diver Land Package = \$2192.00 Superior Hotel Room - Double Occupancy
Single Supplement Hotel Room Add = \$386.00
Lodging Upgrades Available – contact Randy Lew for details
(air transportation not included in above pricing)

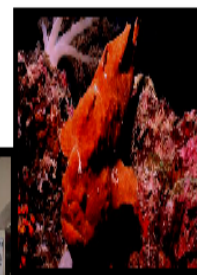
****Passport must be Valid thru April 12, 2020****

Price Includes:

- ** Transfer to and from airport to resort
- ** Complimentary Wi-Fi
- ** Resort Amenities
- ** PADI Certified Dive Resorts
- ** Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner daily
- ** Resort fees, government taxes & gratuities (dive tips not included)
- Azure Dive Resort – 4 days of 4 dives per day – Oslob Whale Shark Diving
- Marco Vincent Dive Resort – 8 days of diving – 24 boat dives



Create New Memories
with Friends,
Old and New!



Experience Local Culture
& Entertainment



Enjoy a Beautiful Resort



Kayak, snorkel, spa
services and more...



Contact: Randy Lew
FWSA Dive Trip Leader
829 SE 11th Place
Battle Ground, WA 98604
Cell: 530/304-0802
E-mail: FWSA13Randy@telis.org

You must be a Member of a Far West Ski Assn.
affiliated club or a FWSA Direct Member!

CST # 2038083-40

Castro Valley Ski Club

Presents

Russian River Cruise with Emerald Waterways

*Moscow • Uglich • Yaroslavl • Goritsy • Kizhi •
Mandrog • St. Petersburg*



Price \$5464

Includes:

- RT Air from SFO & LAX
- 32 Meals (11 breakfasts, 10 lunches and 11 dinners)
- Airport transfers on tour dates when air is provided by Mayflower Cruises & Tours
- Fully escorted by an English-speaking Tour / Cruise Director
- Eleven-night cruise aboard the *MS Rossia*
- **All gratuities onboard and onshore**
- Shore excursions with English-speaking local guides
- Personal listening device for excursions
- Visits to many UNESCO World Heritage Sites
- Selection of complimentary drinks to accompany meals
- Variety of onboard entertainment
- All port charges included

WHAT IS NOT INCLUDED:

- Travel Insurance – If you don't need travel insurance let me know. I'm trying to set up something.
- Russian Visa

\$400 Initial deposit NON –refundable - 1 cabin left either 1 single gal or a couple

Make Checks payable to Castro Valley Ski Club (CVSC) Send payments to:

Tucker Hoffmann, CVSC Travel
2657 Rivers Bend Circle, Livermore CA. 94550
Phone 925-371-1910 Cell 510-329-4242
Email: tkhoffmann@comcast.net

CVSC CST # 2081040

Castro Valley Ski Club
Presents
WONDERS OF ISRAEL & JORDAN

JERUSALEM, GALILEE, NAZARETH, DEAD SEA, MASADA & TEL AVIV



\$4875.00 per person

SEPT. 5-19TH, 2019

INCLUDED IN THE CVSC PACKAGE :

- Round-trip airfare from SFO Lufthansa Air or LAX on Air France
- Airfare taxes, fees & fuel surcharges
- Intra ground transportation and transfers
- Accommodations at First Class hotels
- 10 full buffet breakfasts, 2 lunches and 6 dinners (more meals being added)
- **Most Tips**
- **and more.....**

WHAT IS NOT INCLUDED:

- Travel Insurance \$179 per person



2018/2019 Avid Skiers in Control

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WEBSITES & PHONE NUMBERS

Singles league racing: slracing.tripos.com/schedule.htm
 Open league racing: olrc.org
 Weather: nws.mbay.net/home.html
 Best weather website for snow: Tahoeweatherdiscussion.com

Far West Racing Assoc: fwra.com
 Web cams on the slopes: magnifeye.com
 Road conditions: 1-800-427-7623
 Info on all ski areas: onthesnow.com

Take a bus to the slopes: nacski.com & bayareaskibus.com
 Sierra webcam: sierravisionsstock.com:80/sierravisions/sierra-nevada-webcams/

SKIZETTE FOR JULY, 2019



The next meeting will be at

Lake Chabot Regional Park
 Castro Valley, CA

(meeting starts @ 6:00 pm)

SKI WITH PRIDE, LET IT RIDE, WATCH ALL SIDES
First With Safety Awareness Slogan award sponsored by:



ASPEN & SNOWMASS