



Castro Valley, CA 94546  
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# CVSC SkiZette

September, 2016



## EVENTS CALENDAR

(f) = flyer in this issue



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### SEPTEMBER

- 14 CVSC board meeting at Ray's
- 21 CVSC general meeting at Don Jose's

### OCTOBER

- 2-12 CVSC Fall Foliage Cruise (f) pg15
- 12 CVSC board meeting at (TBD)
- 19 CVSC general meeting at Don Jose's

### NOVEMBER

- 9 CVSC board meeting at Dennie's
- 16 CVSC general meeting at Don Jose's — ANNUAL AUCTION

### UPCOMING

- 2017: 10/16-26 CVSC Cuba trip (f)pg10

### BAC/FWSA TRIPS

Please visit websites for detailed information.

**BAC Web site: skibac.org**

**Far West Ski Assoc: fwsa.org**

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### SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Jennifer Wilson	1	Valerie Caveglia	17
Sherna Svensson	7	Jill Linsk	19
Cherri Gurney	10	Judy Tapson	19
Marianne Hook	13	Gloria Raminha	21
Judy Lim	14	Helga Campbell	24
Sandra Kalinowski	15	Peter Diage	26
Dave Meinhardt	15	George Isaacs	28



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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 .

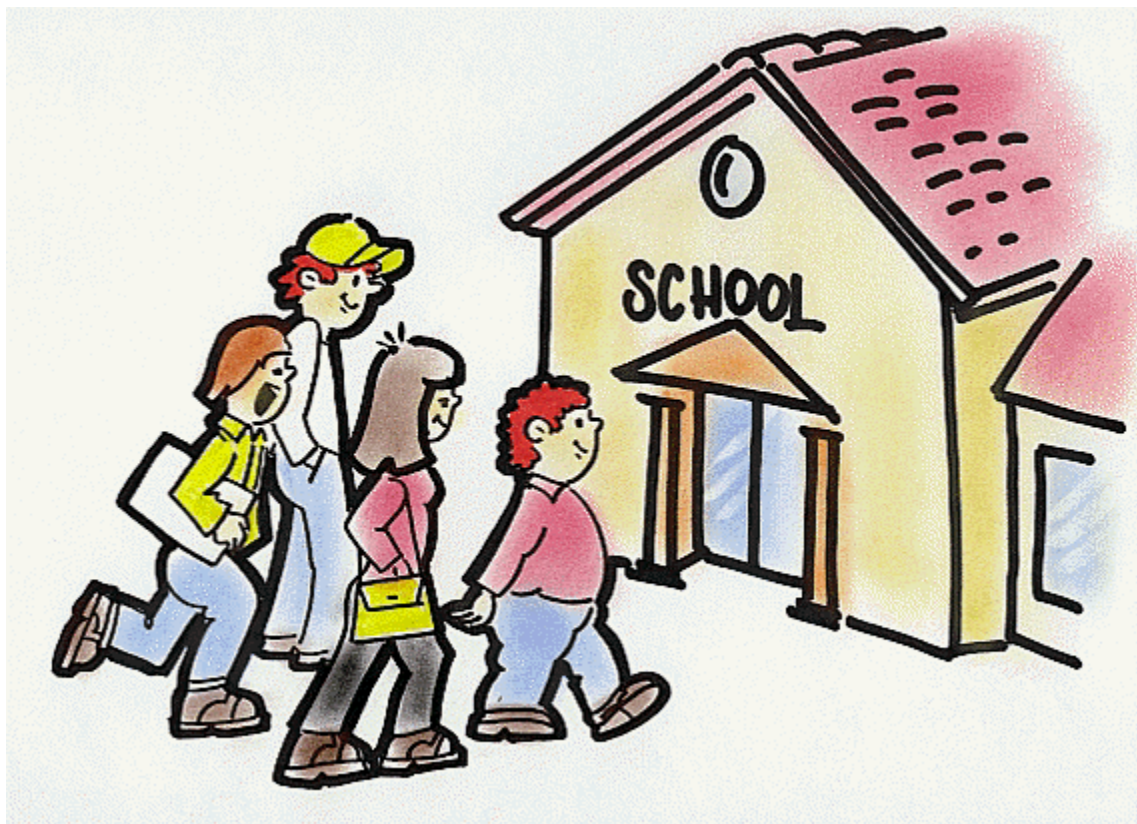
Submit articles to:

Dennie Warren, Editor

email: dennieluuu1@att.net



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



# Castro Valley Ski Club Newsletter

## President's Message

Hello Everyone

Happy September.... The days are changing and we are getting closer to the Fall season and closer to skiing again.

Many of us just got back from Croatia and what a great trip it was, beautiful scenery and ancient history and good friends. Thank you again Kathy and Tucker for a wonderful time, adventures, and many great memories. The Fall Foliage trip is coming up soon and that also looks to be a fabulous trip.



Claudia Fernandes  
President

I want to thank Karen and Jim for getting to Lake Chabot early for our August meeting, to setup and save our spot we almost missed it this time but they were there! Also thank you to Dennie and Rich, and Dan and Pat for setting up early, it turned out to be a great meeting with everyone's help. We had a nice turnout and the BBQ was lots of fun and friends.

This month we will have a speaker at the upcoming meeting September 21. REI has been contacted and we hope to have them present on what is new for ski equipment and clothing, and also what local sport trips they offer to all.

In addition this month, one of our charities, the Alameda County Food Bank, has an event planned at Wente Vineyards, "Savor the Season"-gourmet food, wine, music and an auction Sunday, September 18, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. The cost is \$150.00 per person of which \$100 is a taxable charity deduction. We have several of our members interested in attending and getting a table, would you please let me know if you are interested and I will add you to the table.

Also in Pleasanton, September 10-11, at the Veterans' hall on 301 Main street, attendance is free, wood carvers from around the state will be showcasing the art of wood carving and different pieces for both art and for sale. 10-4 p.m.

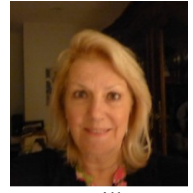
We hope to see you all at our upcoming meeting this month. Please let me know if you have any suggestions for future speakers and events.

Again my thanks to all of our members and the board who continue to support our club through their actions, providing information via our newsletter and website, hosting and scheduling events, BBQs, travel, our auction, and other important items that make our club work.

**Enjoy your September and be safe, Claudia**

## Our Vice President

Here we are into September, summer is winding down and you can feel the approaching fall in the air.



Anne Wilburn  
Vice President

The kids are back in school. Harvest festivals are in full swing. Halloween decorations are appearing in all the stores and the trees are turning different colors of rust. And I have even brought out my long pants and sweaters. As I look back on this summer, it went too fast.

Our CVSC trip to Croatia was one I will long remember and cherish. The country is beautiful and the people friendly. With so many medieval fortresses, castles, palaces and old ruins it is an amazing reflection on their turbulent and rich history. They boast about being the location for many of the sets for the "Game of Thrones" series. Most of the trip was on the water exploring the many islands off Croatia's coastline. If you missed the trip, sorry, we had a great time with our CVSC friends.

It will not be too long before we get out our ski gear and prepare for this upcoming season; I know some of you cannot wait!!

As your BAC Rep. Here is a brief list of upcoming events:

**FWSA Ski Week at Breckenridge, CO Jan 28-Feb 4, 2017, there are not too many spots left. Park City, Utah Feb 4-9, 2017; Innsbruck, Garmich, Munich Feb 26- Mar 12, 2017; Mini trip to Sun Peaks, BC, Canada March 21-26, 2017;**

Dennie will have flyers in our newsletter with further details.

Until next month when many of us CVSC Travelers will be on the Fall Foliage trip from Quebec, Canada to New York City, get out and enjoy these last days of summer.

Anne Wilburn

## RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP!

Just a friendly reminder that it is time to renew your  
**Castro Valley Ski Club membership**

We are also accepting new members! Be sure to pass the word along.

Due by Oct 31: Renewing members with no lapse in membership pay \$35 for the first person and \$15 for each additional person in the same household.

After October 31<sup>st</sup>: Renewing members pay \$50 for the first person and \$20 for each additional person in the same household.

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

The Membership Application and the Release, Waiver and Indemnity Agreement can be found on our club web page at

<http://cvskiclub.org/Membership/Membership.htm>

Click on 'Join Now!'

All NEW and RETURNING club members must sign the waiver form.  
Make your check payable to the **Castro Valley Ski Club**.

Please send dues, membership application form and the signed waiver to:

Maggie Jong / VP Membership  
2597 Wellingham Dr. Livermore, CA 94551



cvskiclub.org

## Membership Application

**October 1, 2016 thru September 30, 2017**

**PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY:**

Member's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Members in Same Household:	Relationship:	Birthdate:
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone No's: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Membership Dues:** *Yearly - October 1<sup>st</sup> thru September 30<sup>th</sup>*

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

**Discount:** *Membership Renewal discount if paid by October 31<sup>st</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup>, membership is valid thru Sept. of the following year.

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

Please send the membership application, the signed waiver, and the dues to:

**Maggie Jong, V.P. Membership**  
**2597 Wellingham Drive, Livermore, CA 94551** / email: [mozoro25@gmail.com](mailto: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 leasees 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, her/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)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature) (Date)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature) (Date)



Please join us for a day of fun with a bike ride through Livermore's lovely wine country. Our ride will start and end at the Garre Winery in Livermore. Following our ride we will have lunch at the Café Garre.

## **GARRE WINERY**

7986 Tesla Rd. Livermore  
<http://www.garrewinery.com/>

**DATE:** Saturday, October 22, 2016

(Please note: If it rains or the roads are wet, the ride is cancelled but lunch will still be on at 1 o'clock.)

**TIME:** Meet in the Garre Winery parking lot at 10:30 AM

Lunch reservations at the Garre Winery Cafe is at 1:00 PM

**We are offering two rides: either a 10 mile or 20 mile ride!**

**SPECIFICS:** An approximate 20 mile/2 hour bike ride on roads and paved trails with some rolling hills.

**-OR-**

An approximate 10 mile/1 hour bike ride on roads and paved trails with some rolling hills.

You **MUST** be a CVSC member for the 2016-2017 year in order to join us. You must have turned in the membership application, waiver form and payment in order to partake in the ride and/or lunch.

## **Helmets Required!**

Remember to bring water, bike lock and hat (for outside seating at lunch).

**Please R.S.V.P. by October 8, 2016 to**

**Maggie or Ray Jong**

at: [mozoro25@gmail.com](mailto:mozoro25@gmail.com) or 925-447-5148

We are limiting the ride to the first 20 people who sign up! There will be a few extra seats allowed for non riders who want to join us just for lunch.

**Hope you can join us!**



**FEBRUARY 4-9, 2017** **PARK CITY, UTAH**

***GROUND PACKAGE INCLUDES:***

- Five nights at the DoubleTree Hotel by Hilton  
Double Occupancy - private room upgrade available
- Four day lift pass to Park City/Canyons & Deer Valley  
Epic Pass Holders & Non skiers deduct \$334  
\$92 Deer Valley tickets available for Epic Pass Holders
- Airport Transfers from SLC (\* must meet transfer schedule)
- Welcome and mid week group event
- Group discounts on equipment rentals and lessons
- \$50 trip credit with Epic Pass Purchase from Sports America

Purchase at: [www.sportsamerica.com/epic-fwsa](http://www.sportsamerica.com/epic-fwsa)

***Ground Package  
starting at:***

**\$854** per person  
Trip option pricing available  
via online registration site

**DOUBLETREE BY HILTON**



***TRIP LEADERS & SIGN-UP:***

Paula Kinahon: [pkinahon@gmail.com](mailto:pkinahon@gmail.com)

Online Registration: [www.sportsamerica.com/online/BAC\\_parkcity](http://www.sportsamerica.com/online/BAC_parkcity)



**Bay Area Snow Sports Council Presents  
Park City, Utah Ski Trip  
Feb 4 – 9, 2017  
\$854 without air**

Come join the BAC for Peak Season Skiing at Park City, Utah

The BAC is now accepting reservations for the annual Park City ski trip coming February 2017. A deposit of \$200 will secure your spot.

**Package includes:**

- 5 Night's lodging at the DoubleTree Hotel formerly The Yarrow (double occupancy)
- 4 Day Ski Pass at Park City / Canyons and Deer Valley Resorts
- Ground Transfers include Baggage Handling and Tips
- Daily Hot Breakfast
- Welcome Party

**Register today:** [http://www.sportsamerica.com/online/BAC\\_parkcity](http://www.sportsamerica.com/online/BAC_parkcity)

**Contacts:**

Trip information and general questions contact

**BAC Park City Group Leader**

Paula Kinahon at 510 910-2707 / [pkinahon@gmail.com](mailto:pkinahon@gmail.com)

Assistance with online registration and payments contact

Sports America Representative Sara Clemons at 800 876-8551 ext. 125

**Epic Pass Promotion:**

- Anyone who purchases an Epic Pass (any variety) from Sports America and attends the BAC Park City Trip will receive a \$50 lodging credit.
- Anyone who purchases an Epic Pass (any variety) from Sports America but does not attend the Park City Trip will receive a \$25 credit good toward any other 2017 BAC trip or event.
- Anyone who receives a \$50 lodging credit for the FWSA Breckenridge trip is ineligible for credit toward Park City lodging.

**Additional trip information:**

- Epic Pass holders and non-skiers deduct \$334.
- Ski pass includes two days at Park City / Canyons, one day at Deer Valley, and the 4<sup>th</sup> ski day of participant choice.
- Epic Pass holders may purchase single-day Deer Valley lift tickets for \$92.

# 2017 Castro Valley Ski Club Rediscover Cuba

## October 16 – October 26, 2017



**\$4,399.00 per person**

### Your tour includes

- **Round-trip airfare from Miami**
- Airfare taxes, fees & fuel surcharges
- Health insurance in Cuba (mandatory)
- Cuban Visa (for US Citizens) & Cuban Departure Tax
- Intra-Cuba ground transportation and transfers
- Pre-night in Miami Airport Hotel
- Accommodations at First Class hotels in Cuba
- 27 meals: 10 full buffet breakfasts (B), 10 lunches (L) and 7 dinners (D)
- Comprehensive People-to-People experiences and cultural tours including admission fees, following U.S. regulation CFR 515.565
- Experienced Cuban English-speaking guide and a USA Tour Director throughout
- **All Tips**

### Highlights

- A true “people-to-people” experience with cultural exchanges such as visits with artists, musical performances, and local organizations
- Riding in American Vintage Automobiles (Havana)
- Home of Ernest Hemingway (Havana)
- Cigar Factory (Havana)
- Casa Fuster (Havana)
- Bay of Pigs Museum (Giron)
- Walking Tour of Trinidad
- Camaguey Ballet Company
- Beaches of Guardalavaca (Holguin)
- Neon Theater (Holguin)

### Itinerary at a glance

- 1 night in Miami
- 3 nights in Havana
- 2 nights in Cienfuegos/Sancti Spiritus
- 2 nights in Camaguey
- 2 nights in Holguin

**Optional overnight in Miami upon return to the states - \$100.** The flight from Cuba doesn't get in until around 8pm if it's on time. Since everyone is doing their own air to Miami you may not be able to get a flight out that late.

**Optional Insurance - \$169**



## Bay Area Snow Sports Council FWSA Ski Week at Breckenridge, CO

**Jan 28 - Feb 4, 2017**

Breckenridge is one of Colorado's premier ski resorts with amazing ski terrain and an historic Victorian mining town. Breck's 2,900 acres with 34 lifts encompass five interconnecting peaks and will satisfy all levels of skier's desires. Located at the base of the ski resort, our deluxe ski in-ski out lodging also offer a complimentary shuttle to get you anywhere you need to go! World class skiing, (avg. 300 inches of snowfall per year), fun nightlife in historic town, and group party/activities will make this an exciting and memorable trip!

**Registration Opens May 9, 2016**

**\$200 Signup Deposit**

**Lodging and Amenities\* Packages range from \$1,040 to \$1,215**

**Prices do not include lift ticket and transportation**

\*Amenities include:

- 7 Nights Lodging with Ski-in-Ski-out options
- Welcome Party
- Hosted Mountain Tour
- Scavenger Hunt
- Pub Crawl
- Council Night Dinner and Dancing
- Mountain Picnic
- Racing
- Banquet with Dancing
- Farewell Après Party
- Optional Vail Ski Day

### Lift ticket prices

5-Day Adult Ticket	\$375
5-Day Senior Ticket	\$332
6-Day Adult Ticket	\$409
6-Day Senior Ticket	\$357

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Purchase Epic Pass through Sports America for \$50 lodging credit.  
<https://www.sportsamerica.com/epic-fwsa>

**Optional Group air Itineraries and Pricing to be announced**

**Registration and Information Contact:**

**Gail Burns, BAC Travel Director**

**[gailburns@earthlink.net](mailto:gailburns@earthlink.net) (650) 255-7883**

**123 Phillips Lane, Woodside, CA 94062**

Must be a Member of Far West Ski Association or an affiliated ski club

FWSA CST #2036983-40 / BAC CST #2050870-40



# FWSA ANNUAL SKI WEEK REGISTRATION FORM

BRECKENRIDGE, COLORADO, January 28 – February 4, 2017

**Please print clearly:** *The information you provide is for the exclusive use of FWSA & will not be sold for solicitation.*

**PRINT NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Nickname** \_\_\_\_\_

**Street Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **City:** \_\_\_\_\_

**State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code:** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE: Home:** (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**Cell / Work:** (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ **E-Mail Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth (M/D/Y):** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/19\_\_\_\_ (We need your birth date for racing and lift tickets)

**Male**\_\_\_\_**Female**\_\_\_\_ **I am a Skier** \_\_\_\_/**Snowboarder** \_\_\_\_/**Non-Skier or Boarder** \_\_\_\_\_

**Ski Club:** \_\_\_\_\_ **FWSA Direct Member:** \_\_\_\_\_

**FWSA Council:** Arizona, Bay Area, Central, Intermountain, LAC, Orange, Northwest, San Diego, Sierra Direct Member

## **REQUIRED EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION** – *Person not at ski week*

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

## **OTHER INFORMATION--OPTIONAL**

**Spouse/Significant Other at Ski Week? Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**List Food Allergies and/or drug allergies (optional):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Medical Conditions (optional):** \_\_\_\_\_

**List Over-the-Counter/prescription drugs taken regularly (optional):** \_\_\_\_\_

- *I have been advised that the FWSA trip package does not include travel insurance and I have the option to purchase my own Travel Insurance.*
- *I am aware that I am financially responsible for myself whether or not I purchase Travel Insurance.*
- *I am aware it is my responsibility to obtain all legal documents required for travel including passports and that my passport must be valid at least 6 months after trip.*
- *I have received a copy of the FWSA Conduct Policy.*
- *I further certify that I'm a current FWSA Club or Direct member and that the information I have provided on this form is accurate.*
- *I am aware that FWSA may use pictures taken at Ski Week in the ski week presentation, on their website, and in any promo DVD's to market other FWSA trips. I have the option to sign a form to deny the use of my photo.*

**X** (Required) \_\_\_\_\_

Ski Week Participant Signature OR Parent/Legal Guardian for Minor

Date

**Complete the Information below if you Plan to Race at Ski Week (including Council Challenge)**

**Age Group:** Junior (0-17 Years Old) \_\_\_\_ **Open** (18--49) \_\_\_\_ **Vet** (50--64) \_\_\_\_ **SVet** (65 & up) \_\_\_\_

**Legends Classes (No Skill Levels):** (75 & up) **1<sup>st</sup> grp on 2<sup>nd</sup> course** \_\_\_\_\_ **1<sup>st</sup> grp on 3<sup>rd</sup> course** \_\_\_\_\_

**Skier Race Class:** SO \_\_\_\_ S1 \_\_\_\_ S2 \_\_\_\_ S3 \_\_\_\_ S4 \_\_\_\_ S5 \_\_\_\_ S6 \_\_\_\_ S7 \_\_\_\_ S8 \_\_\_\_ S9 \_\_\_\_ S10 \_\_\_\_

**Snowboard Upper** \_\_\_\_\_ **Snowboard Lower** \_\_\_\_\_ **Strikes?** Yes No

**Club I will race for:** \_\_\_\_\_



# BAC Innsbruck, Garmisch and Munich Ski Trip

*February 26 - March 12, 2017 (2 weeks - Sunday to Sunday)*

*\$1,730 land double/occ, \$560 more for single*

*\$1,172 Round trip airfare between SFO & Munich*

**Innsbruck, Austria:** The Capital of the Tyrolian Alps, fascinating old city, home of 1964 & 1976 Winter Olympics, 2012 Youth Winter Olympics, surrounded by 9 separate ski areas. Optional day trips are available to Venice, Castles, Swarovski Crystal World, and more.  
Package Includes: 6 nights with breakfast and dinner @ Hotel Grauer Bar.



**Garmisch, Germany:** Garmisch and Partenkirchen were separate cities until combined for the 1936 Winter Olympic games. Today, Garmisch has a slightly more modern feel while the fresco-filled, cobblestoned streets of Partenkirchen offer a glimpse into times past. Garmisch includes: 4 nights with breakfast and dinner @ Garmisch Mercure Hotel; Optional day tours are available.



**Munich, Germany:** Capital of Bavaria, home to centuries-old buildings and museums; known for celebration and cavernous beer halls, including the famed Hofbräuhaus, founded in 1589. In the walkable Old Town, Marienplatz is a central square containing landmarks such as Gothic Neues Rathaus (town hall), with a popular glockenspiel show. Munich includes: 3 nights with breakfast buffet @ Munich Holiday Inn, and farewell dinner at the Ratskeller in Marienplatz.

Land also includes: All transfers between airport and hotel, and hotel to hotel via private coach. Drivers and

bus guides tips are included. Innsbruck and Garmisch hospitality hosts will be available each evening before dinner. All must have valid passport that at least extends 6 months beyond return date of trip. See trip details for non USA passports. Those choosing a "Land only" package are responsible for meeting our arrival and departing flights at the airport - if they do not appear at the appointed place and time as our tour group, they are responsible for their own ground transportation. Each traveler is responsible for their own travel insurance that can cover trip cancellation, interruption, private property and luggage damage and other travel items. We highly recommend travel insurance.

**For questions and trip details, email Norm Azevedo at [nazevedo@sbcglobal.net](mailto:nazevedo@sbcglobal.net) or call 925.944.9816. Insure your space send a \$250 pp deposit now. Complete refund is available until October 1, 2016. Make checks to Bay Area Snow Sports Council (BAC) and send to Norm Azevedo, 901 Sousa Drive, Walnut Creek, CA 94597**

cst #2050870-40



# FAR WEST SKI ASSOCIATION

"The Voice of the Western Skier"



*Presents the 2017 Mini Ski Trip*

## SUN PEAKS—Cahilty Hotel & Suites BRITISH COLUMBIA, CANADA March 21 to 26, 2017

*Nancy Greene's Cahilty Hotel & Suites has been awarded for:*

**"Best Hotel Service"**

Sun Peaks Resort, British Columbia, Canada, is the second largest ski resort in Canada.

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**Package prices range from \$355 to \$585**

Price does **NOT** include air & airport ground transfers

**Included:**

**5 nights lodging (double occupancy) at Cahilty Hotel & Suites, Sun Peaks  
Resort 3 or 4 day lift tickets @ Sun Peaks Resort**

**Ski in/Ski Out**

**Welcome Party**

**Farewell Dinner/Party**

**Optional activities:**

**Cross Country Skiing**

**Snow-shoeing**

**Snow-mobiling**

**Dog sledding**

*Nancy Greene's*  
**CAHILTY**  
**HOTEL & SUITES**  
AT SUN PEAKS RESORT

**Contact Gloria Raminha**  
**661-800-8229 or 661-829-5996**  
**garski2011@gmail.com**

**Must be a Member of a**  
**Far West Ski Association affiliated club or a FWSA**  
**Direct Member**  
**FWSA CST #2036983-40**

For detailed sign-up and registration information, go the [www.fwsa.org](http://www.fwsa.org) and click on the "Travel" tab.

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## 10 DAY FALL FOLIAGE CRUISE ON THE CARIBBEAN PRINCESS OCTOBER 2-12, 2016

Prices are per person double occupancy:

\$1,499.00 Inside

\$2,099.00 Window

\$2,499.00 Balcony

Call for price on Mini-Suite

\$195.00 PORT FEES & TAXES PER PERSON

Air & transfers not included

Group Cocktail Party Included

Ex Military: \$100.00 onboard credit, I will send the form if needed

### Ships Cancellation Policy

FULL REFUND ON DEPOSIT TO JULY 7th, 2016

JULY 8th - JULY 31st, 2016 10% PENALTY

AUGUST 1st - 30th 50% PENALTY

AUGUST 31st - SEPTEMBER 10th 75 % PENALTY

After Sept. 22nd - no refund



Day	Port / Date	Arrive	Depart
1	Quebec City, Quebec Sunday, October 2		Overnight Stay
2	Quebec City, Quebec Monday, October 3		5:00 PM
3	At Sea Tuesday, October 4		
4	Corner Brook, Newfoundland Wednesday, October 5	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
5	Sydney, Nova Scotia Thursday, October 6	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
6	Halifax, Nova Scotia Friday, October 7	8:00 AM	4:00 PM
7	Saint John, New Brunswick (for the Bay of Fundy) Saturday, October 8	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
8	Bar Harbor, Maine Sunday, October 9	7:00 AM	6:00 PM
9	Boston, Massachusetts Monday, October 10	7:00 AM	4:00 PM
10	Newport, Rhode Island Tuesday, October 11	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
11	New York City (Manhattan or Brooklyn), New York Wednesday, October 12	7:15 AM	

Call Tucker Hoffmann to book your cabin. You will need to give him your credit card number

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## FWSA 2017 Int'l Ski Trip to St. Anton am Arlberg, Austria

March 12-19, 2017 (SFO & LAX Group air departs Mar. 11<sup>th</sup>)

### *Optional Extension or Stand Alone trip to Vienna and Budapest March 19-26, 2017*

#### Air Transportation Information:

- **BASIC trip:** Estimated SFO air = \$1186.00\* Estimated LAX air = \$1153.00\*
- **BASIC & Extension trip:** Estimated SFO air = \$1282.00\* Estimated LAX air = \$1189.00\*
- **Stand Alone trip Air will be booked individually** – contact Debbie Stewart for price quote  
(Alternative airport arrangements may be made and deviations are limited)

\*Air prices **DO include** estimated Fuel surcharges, Taxes and current Exchange Rate – subject to change.

If you are arranging your **OWN** flights but wish to take the FWSA bus transfers, you **must** coordinate your flight schedule with the FWSA group air schedule. No special alternate pick up or drop offs by the bus will be permitted.

**It is HIGHLY recommended to use FWSA air transportation!**

#### St. Anton Land Package Information:

The St. Anton land package pricing is based on a minimum of 84 people and the Extension pricing is based on a minimum of 34 people – subject to change if requirements are not met. All local taxes are included. The pricing is based on the Exchange Rate of 1.08 US Dollar vs. 1 Euro – subject to change.

**Land Package at Hotel Schwarzer Adler** (Not including Air) = **\$2185.00 – \$2960.00 pp Dbl. Occupancy**  
Single Supplement rooms, Jr. Suite rooms are available – quantities are limited.

**Pricing based on a min. of 84 people & current exchange rate of 1.08 US Dollar vs. 1 Euro which is subject to change**



*Sankt Anton am Arlberg, commonly referred to as St. Anton, it is one of the most beautiful settings in the Tyrolean Alps which is frequently listed as one of the top ski resorts and après ski locations. With 97 state-of-the-art cable cars, chairlifts and T-bars taking you to the top at 9,222 ft., yielding a vertical drop of 4,944 ft. and its longest run of 6.3 miles. It boasts interesting slopes for all levels of skiers and is one of the historic resorts in the "Best of the Alps". It also offers 41 kilometers of cross country skiing, telemarking, snow shoeing and much more. St. Anton is part of the Arlberg area of ski resorts which means your*

*Arlberg Ski Pass invites you to ski several resorts including St. Anton, St. Christoph, Stuben, Lech and Zurs. The village itself is a charming pedestrian resort accented with specialty stores, sport shops, restaurants, bars and après ski locations.*



#### Land Package Includes:

- All airport ground transfers with Multi-lingual guide meeting the FWSA Group Air people upon arrival
- 7 nights' accommodations with breakfast daily and Free Wi-Fi throughout the hotel
- 5 Dinners at the hotel – 2 nights **on your own** to experience the local Austrian restaurants of your choice.
- Welcome/Orientation and Farewell Party
- Gratuities to bus drivers, transfer guides and restaurant staff
- Afternoon tea including pastries, cakes, tea or coffee at the Hotel Schwarzer Adler
- Après ski party – details to be provided
- Optional day tour – details to be provided

Make checks out to: **Far West Ski Association (FWSA)**. Please reference "FWSA 2017 AUSTRIA Trip" on each check.

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**FWSA VP of Int'l Travel**  
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## **Extension to Vienna, Austria & Budapest, Hungary March 19-26, 2017**

Approx. Land Package – Dbl. Occ. = \$1170.00pp or Single Supp. = \$1330.00pp

**\*\*We are also offering Vienna & Budapest as a *Separate Trip!***

*We will fly you from the US to meet the group in Vienna on March 19th\*\**

*Individual air transportation will be made and cost to be provided*

**Stand Alone Separate trip** - Approx. Land Pkg. (Not including Air transportation)

Double Occ. = \$1205.00pp\* or Single Supp. = \$1355.00pp\*

\*Contact Debbie Stewart to make arrangements for your "Stand Alone" transportation.



*Experience Local Culture*



**FREE TIME  
TO EXPLORE!**



*Enjoy Regional Cuisine*



### **Vienna & Budapest Trip includes:**

- Transfer between St. Anton hotel and Vienna in private motor coach with English speaking guide.
- 4 night's accommodations at the 4 Star Hotel Regina in Vienna - <http://www.kremslehnerhotels.at/en/hotel-regina-vienna/>
- All local taxes including city hotel taxes.
- Breakfast buffet daily at both hotels.
- Dinner at Hotel Regina evening of arrival.
- ½ day city tours in Vienna.
- Full day tour to Baden with Wine Tasting.
- Visit to the Spanish Riding School for morning Lipizzaner horse training.
- Grand Tour of Schonbrunn Castle.
- Transfer between Vienna and Budapest.
- 3 night's accommodation in Budapest the 4 star Hotel Museum – <http://www.museumhotelbudapest.com>
- Dinner at Hotel Museum Budapest evening of arrival.
- ½ day city tours in Budapest.
- Farewell dinner cruise along the Danube in Budapest.
- Transfer to Budapest Airport with English speaking guide for return flight.

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Singles league racing:  
[slracing.tripos.com/schedule.htm](http://slracing.tripos.com/schedule.htm)  
Open league racing: [olrc.org](http://olrc.org)  
Weather: [nws.mbay.net/home.html](http://nws.mbay.net/home.html)

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

Best weather website for snow: [Tahoeweatherdiscussion.com](http://Tahoeweatherdiscussion.com)

Take a bus to the slopes: [nacski.com](http://nacski.com) & [bayareaskibus.com](http://bayareaskibus.com)

Sierra webcam: [sierravisionsstock.com:80/sierravisions/sierra-nevada-webcams/](http://sierravisionsstock.com:80/sierravisions/sierra-nevada-webcams/)

## ***SKIZETTE FOR SEPTEMBER, 2016***



The next meeting will be  
September 21

Don Jose's Restaurant  
3430 Village Dr.  
Castro Valley, CA

(meeting starts @ 7:30 pm)

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