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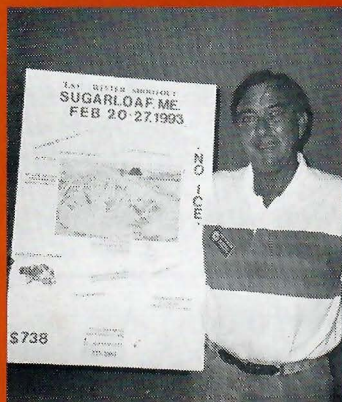
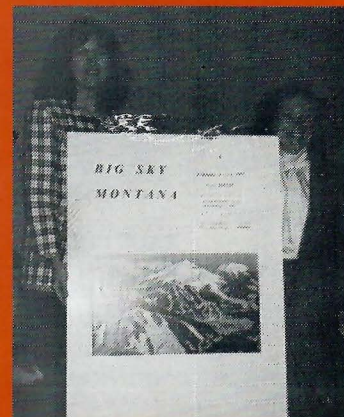
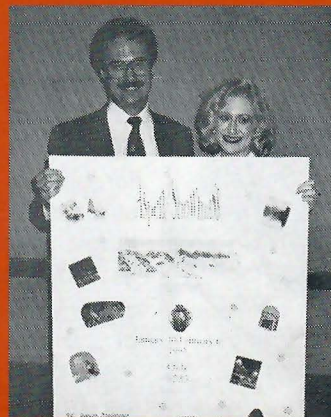
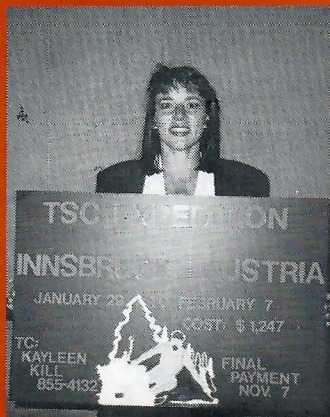
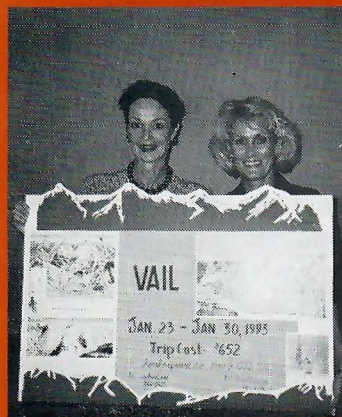
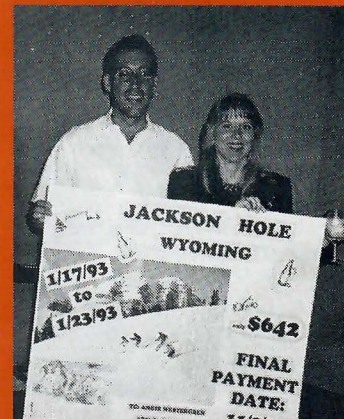
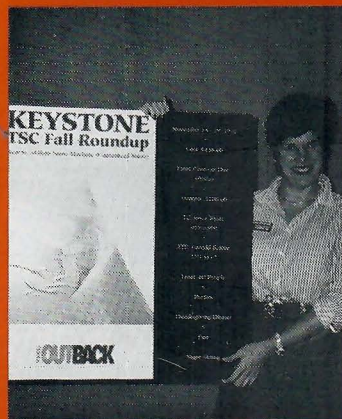
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## HEAD OF THE LIFT LINE

by Craig T. Liebergot

It's that time of year when the leaves are beginning to turn, a nip is in the air and those of us who plan to go skiing this year need to start thinking about getting our skis waxed. Trip sign-up went pretty smoothly this year and at this writing, there is still space on some of the trips. Steamboat I is full with a long waitlist. Your VP-Trips, **DEBBIE BERGERON**, is trying diligently to get additional space, but she has encountered several roadblocks along the way. She should know something more concrete soon and will include it in her November Trips article.



The Nominating Committee for '92-'93 officers has been selected and approved by the Executive Committee, per article 4.4 of the By-laws. **PAM HOLDER** is the chairperson and Space City is fortunate that she has agreed to take on this very important task. Pam served as the Texas Ski Council Nominating Committee Chairperson for 1991-92 and did an outstanding job. Additionally, she was SCSC President for 1988-89. The rest of the committee includes **GLENN BISHOP** (former VP Programs), **JIM EDWARDS** (member-at-large), **GINGER HOWARD** (President, '91-'92), **BOB OLSEN** (President '75-'76), **JANET PICKELL** (Secretary) and **MEL TAWNEY** (Member-at-large). This is one of the most important committees that SCSC forms each year. They are responsible for selecting the officers for the upcoming year and I am confident that they are up to the challenge. If you would like to be an officer or know someone who might be interested, please call Pam at 988-1075 as soon as possible as the committee has its first meeting this month. If you have questions regarding a specific office, please feel free to contact one of the officers. They will be happy to address any of your questions.

**TOM HOLGE**, your VP-Programs, has provided us with yet another fun-filled month of activities! **RACE FOR THE CURE** will be October 3, **VOLLEY BALL** is October 4, the **GUADALUPE RIVER RAFTING TRIP** will be October 9-11, the **MIDNIGHT BIKE RIDE** is October 10, **MIXED DOUBLES TENNIS** will be held October 24, and last, but not least, the annual **HALLOWEEN PARTY** will be October 31. Be sure and check this month's *Sitzmarke* for more information on the activities that interest you. As you can see, there's a lot to do with SPACE CITY and you can sign up for most of these activities at the monthly meeting October 12.

**HAPPY HOUR** will be October 22, at the Black Forest where they plan to have a German band, so come join in all the fun!!

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## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

### OCTOBER

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## COMING EVENTS

### OCTOBER

- 3 Race for the Cure
- 4 Volleyball shoot-out
- 6 Executive Committee
- 9-11 Guadalupe River Rafting
- 10 Moonlight Bike Ride
- 12 GENERAL MEETING
- 22 HAPPY HOUR
- 24 Mixed Doubles Tennis Tournament
- 27 Alley Theater
- 31 Halloween Party

### NOVEMBER

- 1 Golf Tournament
- 8 Horse Racing
- 9 GENERAL MEETING
- 15 Bike Ride (Galveston)
- 19 HAPPY HOUR
- 21 Wine Tasting
- 24-29 TSC Fall Roundup  
Keystone, Colorado

### DECEMBER

- 4 Christmas Party
- 5 Dickens on the Strand
- 12 TSC Mtg-Houston  
Christmas Caroling
- 14 GENERAL MEETING
- 17 HAPPY HOUR

*think snow!!*

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## Monday, OCTOBER 12, 1992 MEETING AGENDA

- 6:00PM Warren Miller Video-- "Deep & Steep"  
*Happy Hour Prices & Activity Tables Open*
- 7:00PM Meeting Room Open
- 7:30PM Announcements/Guest Speaker--Dr. Mosley  
*"Skier's Health/Fitness/Injuries"*
- 8:15PM Door Prize Drawings after Guest Speaker

**HOLIDAY INN - CROWNE PLAZA**

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## HAPPY HOUR

October 22, 1992

5:00 - 8:00 P. M.

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## FROM THE SKI DESK... by Debbie Bergeron, VP of Trips



The photograph at the left of this article may look like mass confusion, but don't worry -- it's just a group poster shot at our August 31st Training Meeting. I can assure you that our TCs and ATCs are working hard to get their trips fully coordinated before it's time for us to depart all across the USA and overseas to Austria for another exciting season of great ski runs, bright blue skies, some of the most gorgeous scenery to be offered anywhere, and tons of fun, both on the slopes and off!

Mail-in signup from August 17th to 31st was quite productive -- so much so that if your registration was not postmarked August 17th, you need to contact the TCs and ATCs of your requested trip to see if you made it on the trip or are on their waitlist! 80% of our trip slots were filled, seven trips rose to 50% to 75% capacity, and five filled to capacity, one of which with a rather lengthy waitlist! Yes, we're referring to the always popular, 7 night **TEXAS SKI WEEK TRADITIONAL** trip to **STEAMBOAT SPRINGS**. Other trips that filled during mail-in signup and have (or had as of Sept. 1) relatively short waitlists are **STEAMBOAT II** (the 5 night trip), **BIG SKY**, and **ASPEN/SNOWMASS**. Although **INNSBRUCK** filled, we were able to secure a few more spaces for those of you who may still be considering a European skiing and/or siteseeing adventure.

Going into our September 14th Meeting, over 100 spaces were still available within **JACKSON HOLE**, **MT. BACHELOR**, **SKI THE SUMMIT**, **SUGARLOAF**, **PARK CITY**, **KEYSTONE/TSC THANKSGIVING**, **VAIL**, and on **INNSBRUCK**. By the time you are reading this article in early October, however, it's difficult to predict where the numbers may be. So if you still haven't signed up for a trip, give the TCs and ATCs of the aforementioned trips a call to find out if space is available, then sign up quick!

To our Waitlistees, please remember that good things come to those who wait! SCSC history has shown that some trips can have up to a 50% or better turnover rate! So there is still a good chance of a cancellation or transfer that will open up that space for you over the next few months.

Some of you have asked about trip expansions, such as on Steamboat I. If it is feasible (a 50% waitlist or more) and possible to expand a trip, then we will make every attempt to do so. However, there are often many stumbling blocks that get in the way. A primary consideration is that airfare or lodging may no longer be available, or if it is, it may not be at the same price. Knowing the numerous problems we had in getting our original 80 in and out of Steamboat on January 9th and 16th, I felt a real "thrill of victory" to find that 12 to 16 seats had opened up on our Steamboat I flight. That was quickly extinguished by "the agony of defeat" when I learned that the seats were now \$560 as opposed to the \$263 the trip price is budgeted at! With over 750 Texans trying to get in and out of Steamboat from all over the State, it is quite tricky when you have a resort with such limited flight service. I have been looking for other avenues, only to find many roadblocks and one very slight possibility for 16 to 24 more spaces. If we are able to pull it together, everyone on the waitlist will be contacted right away. In the meantime, **HANG IN THERE!**

My personal thanks to all who participated in the August 31st meeting and registration paperwork session -- to all the TCs and ATCs (**FARRALD BELOTE** was there even after very recent surgery!), to **LOUISE JOB** and **CHRIS JAMES** for their DOT expertise, to VP of Programs **TOM HOGLE** for helping arrange and conduct this meeting, to **SUZANNE BAKER** and her **LIFTLINERS** who attended to become acquainted with the 9/14 meeting setup and procedures, to **MERREL SMITH** for the official SCSC photos, to **TED BERGERON** for the unofficial SCSC photos and TSC Race Info, to **CAROL HEWGLEY** (a/k/a "Mrs." Sugarloaf) for her assistance, and to the other **EX COMM** and **BOARD MEMBERS** who attended and participated. And a **VERY SPECIAL THANKS** to **MARTI TOOMER**, our talented and very much appreciated Treasurer, who hung in there til the bitter end of that important event!

Hope to see all of you October 12th at our next Monthly Meeting! By the way, you'll notice in the second photograph that our TCs and ATCs are great at getting things organized. Now, all they need are trips full of eager participants like you -- so **SIGN UP SOON** before **ALL** the spots are filled!



## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING IN THE SITMARKE!!!

*SCSC members can advertise in the monthly newsletter for the low price of \$12.00 per month. For that great price you will get up to FOUR lines, single column -- \$2.00 per line for each additional line. To submit a classified ad print and mail with \$12.00 (checks payable to SCSC) to Peggy Donley, 2830 Lakeview, Missouri City, Texas 77459 by the first of the month prior to when you want the ad to appear.*



## Programs Preview...

by Tom Hogle, VP Programs

Hope everyone is now on the ski trip of their choice and like me is waiting with eager anticipation for the next time they can put on their skis.

**Dr. BRUCE MOSLEY** along with **DEAN CHEN** & **DOUG HOUSE** will be our featured speakers at the October 12th meeting. Their goal is to help make your next "Ski Adventure" more rewarding by discussing and demonstrating the benefits of exercise and conditioning. They will also explain how to prevent injury.

Special thanks to last month's models - **JOAN DIAL**, **DONNA KIDWELL**, **BRUCE KILGORE**, **BARBARA MATERANEK**, and **MEL TAWNEY**. You too can be a model and get a discount on the clothes you wear. Thanks to **SUN & SKI SPORTS** for providing the clothes that were modeled.

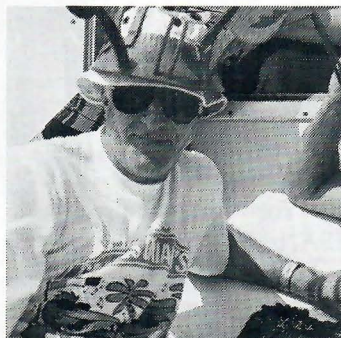
Starting with the October meeting, activity tables will be available at 6:00 p.m., the ballroom doors to the ski trips will open at 7:00 p.m., and the meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m.

New!, New!, New! **Mystery Members!** Don't forget there will be mystery members circulating in the crowd. To win a 2 for 1 dinner, simply say "Hi" and introduce yourself to as many people as possible. If you say Hi! to a Mystery member (could be anyone in the crowd), you will be an instant winner.

Door prizes for this month are being provided by:

**SUN & SKI SPORTS** -- ski equipment  
**HOLIDAY INN** -- weekend for 2 free  
**ALLEY THEATRE** -- free tickets  
**AMC THEATERS** -- free tickets  
**OLIVE GARDEN** -- free pasta

Don't miss the October meeting!!! Just show up and be a winner. See you there!



## Texas Ski Council Report...

by Kim Page, TSC Rep



The Texas Ski Council second quarter delegates meeting was held in Austin on August 22, 1992. Attending from SCSC were: **JERRY MOTNGOMERY**, **PAM HOLDER**, **DEBBIE & TED BERGERON**, **PEGGY DONLEY**, **ED CAIN** and me. The Audit report was given and looks like the TSC is running

smoothly and within guidelines as far as the financials go. Steve Gucker, Treasurer TSC brought the 1992-93 budget before the delegates again and it was approved.

Peggy Donley gave a final report on the Summer Fun Olympics. For those of you from Space City that attended I know you had a good time! The Council presented plaques to the host clubs and also a special plaque to Peggy for keeping all of us committee members in line. Next years Summer Fun Olympics will be held in Corpus Christi the weekend of June 24th. Put that date on you calendar and keep a look out for the ad for "TSC Summer Vacation" in future issues of the *Sitzmarke*. They are offering discount rates for the condos for 2 nights up to 7 nights making it possible for you to make a vacation.

Committee reports: The "Never Ever" brochure is complete and will be distributed to club members and retail outlets. The Cookbook committee is still collecting recipes (see ad in this issue for recipes). The TSC has formed an officer training committee and **DICK HOWARD** of SCSC is serving on this committee. The Marketing Committee is contacting magazines, newspapers and other ski clubs in the state in hopes of adding more clubs to the TSC. The By-laws and standing rules committee should have some proposed changes at the December delegates meeting. The Bid Meeting committee has set the bid meeting for April 16-18 of 1993 at the Holiday Inn Riverwalk. The race committee introduced proposed changes to the TSC race rules. There was much discussion and in the end the delegates voted to accept the new Race Rules. The TSC Trip leaders will each be given a manual pertaining to the ski council trips. This should be helpful to the trip leaders for meeting deadlines and for general information on the TSC trips.

### TSC VP Reports:

Keystone:	17 Clubs - 525 participants
Steamboat:	16 Clubs - 850 participants
Innsbruck:	11 Clubs - 306 participants
Sugarloaf:	9 Clubs - 264 participants
Park City:	13 Clubs - 441 participants

Keep a look out for the articles from the TSC's VP of each trip discussing the activities and specials that each TSC trip has to offer this year.

The next Texas Ski Council delegates meeting will be held in Houston on December 12. If you are interested in attending, please contact me at 271/4912.

**SEE PAGE 9 FOR INFO ON HOW TO TURN IN YOUR RECIPE FOR THE TSC COOKBOOK!!!**

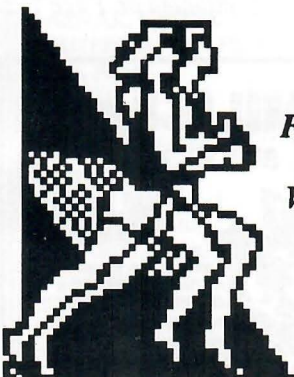
## COMMUNITY SERVICE BULLETIN BOARD RACE FOR THE CURE

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# BEAT-THE-HEAT BOWLING

by JIM EDWARDS

It was the best of times; it was the worst of times....depending upon who you talk to and how the pins fell (or didn't fall). Thirty nine intrepid SCSC bowlers and two enthusiastic spectators gathered at the Willow Bowl center on August 15, seeking solace from the summer sun. Actually, everyone had a great time, although a few of us did grouse about our less than stellar performances. Maintaining an old bowling tradition, we blamed these on faulty equipment and bad lane conditions and felt much better.



Our 40th bowler, **LORNA JONES**, didn't make it because of a serious dispute over right of way on Hwy 249, just a mile from the activity. She's OK, but her car needed some reconstructive surgery.

During the activity, tickets were drawn and a pitcher of beer promised to persons able to throw a strike when their number was called. **KAREN BULLER** won the first pitcher, which was appreciated by team members **ELIZABETH STEINMAN**, **JOHN WEBER** and **BARBARA WEBER** (team cheerleader). **MIKE GERSTENBERGER** bagged one for himself, **KIM BURNAMAN**, **SUE BURNAMAN** and **BARBARA HUEY**. Not to be outdone, **DON WIEDEMAN** blew away ten pins to win brew for his

team of **ELAINE OLESEN**, **SUE EDWARDS** and **JIM EDWARDS**. **RICH PHILLIPS** didn't strike but, pleading for thirsty teammates **JOHN VOSSLER**, **BONNIE MIMS** and **CONNIE COOK**, asked if his spare shot qualified for a half pitcher. Answer: Not!!

Spectator **SUSAN STEVENSON** watched while husband, **BOB STEVENSON** was given assigned seating by those bowling with him, including teammates **GERRY SIMPSON**, **TY SMITH** and **ROBERT DAMUTH**. It seems that every time Bob sat at the scoring console, someone threw a gutterball. He was politely asked to park it elsewhere.



**DEBBIE BERGERON** surprised teammates **TED BERGERON**, **FLOYD HANKS** and **GINGER HOWARD-HANKS** by letting her ball go on the back-swing, towards the team. Only Debbie's pride was hurt, but everyone cleared the area the next time she got up to bowl.

Also, according to Ted Bergeron, **JEFF SARFF** can now finally say he has beaten Ted at something. Ball's in your court, Jeff. What say you?

Top honors for the day were awarded to the team "Penguin Lust",



consisting of **GARY BUTLER**, **FRED ARBUCKLE**, **ROBERT CLEMENTS** and **LINDA GUICE**. Each received a trophy with the inscription "We Whupped 'em Good". The "Skins" (**JEFF & NANCY SARFF**, **TOM & LONI EVERINGHAM**) took second place, but seemed happier that they had vanquished their family and friends rivals, the "Yo's" (**DAVE & DEBBIE TREVINO** and **ERIK & DEBBIE SILVA**).

Fred Arbuckle and Nancy Sarff walked away with the "I Oughta Be a Professional" awards for highest 3-game series scores. "Anybody Can Get Lucky Once" awards for high game went to **MERREL SMITH** and **VICKY MCLAUGHLIN/Debbie Bergeron** (tie). Merrel overcame the one ball—one pin syndrome and threw five strikes in a row for this honor. For lowest series score, "I Came—I Saw—I Surrendered" awards went to Ty Smith and Connie Cook. The "Caca Pasa" awards for low game score went to Mike Gerstenberger and Elaine Olesen. A special award, "Membership in the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Bowling Pins", was given to Sue Edwards for the most gutterballs.

After the award ceremony, 28

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## Beat-the-Heat Bowling ....Con't

bowlers chowed down at the local Luther's Barbeque, seated at a single long table. Discussions must have turned political. There was a recreation of the Persian Gulf War, with Fred Arbuckle defending a territory with "Spud" missiles (yes, real potatoes) while surrounding allied forces fired back paper napkin Patriot missiles, some armed with BBQ beans. Fortunately, there were no casualties.



Following dinner, a few die-hards accepted Merrel & SHARON SMITH's invitation to their home for libations, conversation and a lively game of charades. Highlights included Jeff Sarff's rendition of "Coming Home" and Tom McLaughlin's 90 second attempt at "Deliverance". Truly unbelievable.

It was a great day for BEATING -THE-HEAT!!! Special thanks go to Sharon Smith for hard work assisting me, to Merrel Smith for photos, and to Nancy Sarff and Sue Edwards for tireless recruiting efforts!



**Bud**  
CHALLENGE

# Guadalupe River Expedition

OCTOBER 9 - 11, 1992

Cost: \$125.00

If you would like to go on this activity contact SUE SALVAGE at 690-5551 (h) for more information. Maybe someone has had to cancel and you can still get on!!!

The water is up -- October is a GREAT time to camp out!!!

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



ADULTS ONLY

## NOTICE TO PEOPLE INTERESTED IN THE SUGARLOAF TRIP--

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## NOTICE TO BRONZE MEDAL WINNERS ON HEAVENLY TRIP:

The Bronze Medals had to be shipped from the Orient and should be arriving at Heavenly in late September. Hopefully we will get them soon!!

## NASTAR RACING--THE BUD CHALLENGE SERIES

ASPEN, Colorado--A Texas ski club has earned top honors among more than 400 ski clubs competing in the 1991-92 Bud Club Series. With nine Bud Challenge races completed last season, SPACE CITY SKI CLUB placed 6th in the Most Club Races category of the annual competition.

"Ski clubs represent a very large portion of the skiing population", says NASTAR Commissioner Bob Beattie. "There are more than 1,500 clubs nationwide and some 200,000 members! They are very competitive and very loyal to the NASTAR racing program". Beattie adds that the series was designed to offer an inter-club competition where groups don't necessarily have to race the same day or even on the same mountain.

Ski clubs compete in three different categories: Most club races, Best team handicap, and Best medal point average. The Bud Club Series offers two size divisions; those with more than 1,000 members and those with fewer than 1,000.

Provided by the Bud Challenge.



# DICKENS ON THE STRAND

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*(If signing up by mail, please include your name, address and phone numbers and the name of anyone for whom you are paying.)*

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**HOT  
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**EDITOR'S NOTE:** I'm still looking for someone to coordinate "Hot Gnus" -- anyone interested please give me a call at 437-5467.

It seems we have a terrific romantic in our group--MIKE DAWSON flew G. A. ADDICKS to PARIS and at the very top of the EFFIEL TOWER proposed to her. With G.A.'s busy work and school schedule it will be next spring before they tie the knot!! I wonder what Mike is planning for a Honeymoon!! Congratulations you two!

Also Mike Carr and Barbara Hall are looking toward the holy state of matrimony. Theirs is a quick, exciting romance--again their plans are to wed in the Spring!!

I'm not hearing much Hot Gnus out there--sure would like to be kept informed of the interesting and exciting things that are happening to SCSC members--share your Good News by contacting me with Hot Gnus items!!!

**WATCH FOR IN THE SPRING AND SUMMER:**

**Muder Mystery Dinner**

**Big Bend Rafting**

**Kauai Backpack Trip**

# 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-- see her at the October meeting or 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!!!**

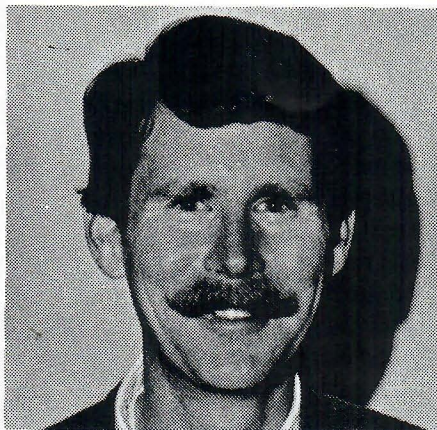
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## OFFICERS SERIES...

**TREASURER** by Ray Naudain, Treasurer '90-'92



Whether you call it "the bean counter, the "x-checker" or the "keeper of the purse strings", the Treasurer -- like the Maytag repairman -- it's a lonely job!! The Treasurer is responsible for collecting the funds for activities, ski trips and membership dues. At the same time, the Treasurer prepares

checks for any expense of the Club. During the course of a year 500 to 600 checks are written with deposits and expenditures exceeding one half million dollars! After every meeting where monies are collected, a bank deposit must be prepared and transmittals entered into the computer.

Monthly, the Treasurer prepares reports for the Executive Committee meeting and quarterly for the Board of Directors meetings. Also, trip financial reports are prepared for the Trip Directors.

At the end of the year a financial report is prepared for the Executive Committee, Board of Directors and for publication in the *Sitzmarke*. A tax return is then prepared and filed by September 15th. That completes the Treasurer's fiscal responsibilities!!

The Treasurer has contact with all areas of the Club's operations and many members. At the Happy Hours, monthly meetings and Club functions, the Treasurer is the most popular person as TCs, ATCs and Activity Coordinators clamor to get a check for their "special cause". If, however, he/she forgets the checkbook--well, it's not a pretty sight!! (Creative editing and re-write was done on this article by Bird Isle Basin Productions!!!)

**THINK ABOUT IT! VOLUNTEER!**

### TSC RECIPE BOOK

As mentioned in Kim Page's report the TSC is collecting recipes for a Texas Ski Council Cookbook. Please send any recipe to

Texas Ski Council - Recipe Book

Sharon Miller  
San Antonio Ski Club  
P.O. Box 780546  
San Antonio, TX 78278-0546  
512/493-1020

*Be sure and state that you are a member of SCSC when sending your recipe!!!*

## OFFICERS SERIES.. by Beverly Merritt, VP OF PUBLICATIONS

*The Sitzmarke!!!*

That is what Space City Ski Club members hold synonymous with the office of V.P. Publications. This small monthly publication is Space City's means of communication between Officers, Board of Directors and the club members. The *Sitzmarke* is also the club's



means of communicating with other ski clubs, ski resorts, and other ski related businesses across the United States., and International areas as well. It is very important that *The Sitzmarke* be informative, accurate, punctual, and aesthetically pleasing.

The editor of *The Sitzmarke* must solicit and sell advertising, gather articles, pictures, club ads, and a sundry of other information - all before the deadline set to have everything organized to go into the next issue. Hopefully there will be at least one week to type and load all the information into the computer. Then layout all 20+/- pages, proofread, and make corrections, and deliver to the printer, so the *Sitz* can be printed and mailed to the membership in a timely manner. Help is always appreciated during this process. If you are looking to get involved in SCSC and have an interest in this position - please call Peggy Donley. By the time you get this issue, Peggy is already hard at work on next month's publication.

The way *The Sitzmarke* is put together changed a great deal the year I was VP of Publications. In the past, once you had the articles and information for the next issue, everything was taken to the printer to be type set. Then a few days later you picked up everything, proof read it all and then literally cut and pasted everything to blank pages and took it back to the printer to be printed and mailed.

During the 1991-92 membership year the Board of Directors approved the purchase of a computer and software that allows the VP of Publications to do all the typesetting and layout on the computer. It allows more control and flexibility of your creative efforts.

The office of VP of Publications takes a great deal of organization, time, patience and some (but not alot) of computer experience is helpful. It is a very gratifying office to hold. *The Sitzmarke* is a tangible result of your efforts and creative talent. Through *The Sitzmarke* not only do we have an effective way to communicate between the club officers, board and members, but we also get the name of our club out to other ski clubs, resorts and other ski related businesses.

If you are looking for a place in the Space City Ski Club to offer your talents and abilities, which also offers you an opportunity to express yourself--the VP of Publications is the job for you!!!!

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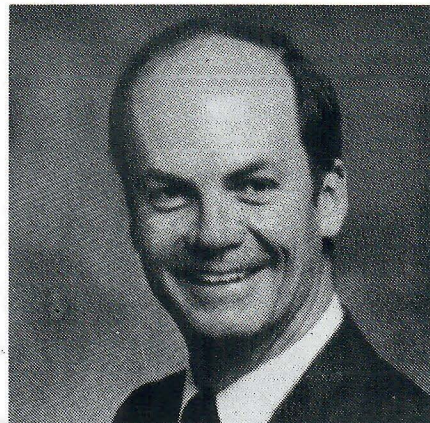
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## OFFICERS SERIES...

### VP OF MEMBERSHIP

by Ed Cain, VP Membership '91-'92

*Editor's Note: This is the last in a series of articles on SCSC's offices. The Nominating Committee for next year's officers has been appointed -- think about what office you would be willing to volunteer to take on. It can be a lot of Fun!!*



The VP of membership is a fun and rewarding office. You are often the first point of contact for enthusiastic potential members, who have heard good things about SCSC but don't know anyone. After being contacted, each potential member is sent an application and an invitation to upcoming functions, meetings, and especially happy hours to meet many of the members. I always suggested they ask for me so I could meet them face to face and introduce them to other members.

The membership office has many responsibilities, none of which are overwhelming if they are kept up regularly. Other than responding to potential member's letters and phone calls (get a good phone answering machine) you are responsible for promoting SCSC at the local sporting good stores with applications and copies of **The Sitzmarke**.

The VP Membership is also the keeper of the SCSC Computer data base, which is in DBase IV and contains all the information members include on their membership applications. It is not mandatory, but it is a great asset to be computer literate. A person with computer skills can learn DBase quickly, but if you do not have computer knowledge you must have lot of time to devote to the computer.

VP of membership is responsible for printing **The Sitzmarke** mailing labels every month, printing the membership cards, and setting up and running a program to print the information for the SCSC Directory, although the office of Secretary sells the ads and publishes it. Last year I added a sort by birthdays. You can look in the back of the Directory and find who shares your birthday and whose birthday is today.

The data base can be sorted to tell an activity coordinator which members are interested in an activity and to tell an officer which members have volunteered to help in a particular area. Members who have volunteered during the year as reported by the other officers must be entered in the data base so invitations can be sent for the volunteer party.

Last year 13% of the members from the year before moved sometime during the year. If notified, VP Membership is responsible for changing the address in the computer.

The most common complaint is "I didn't get my Sitz". This can be frustrating when a correct label has been printed and the post office has gobbled it up and charged the club postage anyway. However, often the member has moved and left no change of address. Since the Sitz is sent bulk mail to save hundreds of dollars on postage it is not forwarded to the new address.

Other than attending Ex com and Board meetings and keeping the other officers informed of the status of the membership, the other major activity is organizing and preparing for member sign in and new member sign up at the monthly meetings. Contacting the volunteers for member sign in was done by **SARA GREEN** this past year. Thank you, Sara! For each meeting three lists are printed with the member's name in alphabetical order to check for membership before a person is admitted into the meeting. The attendance is kept for future facility reservations. One list with each member's number is given to the VP Trips to verify membership when a person is accepted on a trip.

A person considering running for VP membership needs to like to deal with people because not only are you often the first contact with a new member you are often contacted to provide direction when they don't understand the club organization or procedures.

Dealing with so many happy and enthusiastic people is extremely rewarding. I **LOVED IT!!!!**

**THINK ABOUT IT! VOLUNTEER!**



# MOONLIGHT BIKE RIDE & PRE-RIDE PARTY

**October 10, 1992 11:00pm Until "However long it takes AM"!!!**

**\$5.75 plus event registration fee** (fee was not available at press time)

A Pre-ride Party (with snacks and non-alcoholic drinks) will be held at 37 Bayou Point starting at 11:00pm. The ride starts in downtown Houston at 2:00am!! Prizes will be awarded



For information contact KAY CAIN at 781-2246 or see Kay at the October meeting or mail check to her payable to SCSC at 37 Bayou Point, Houston, Texas 77063.

**GREAT AND CRAZY FUN!!!** (Please include your name, address, phone numbers and the name of anyone for whom you are paying.)

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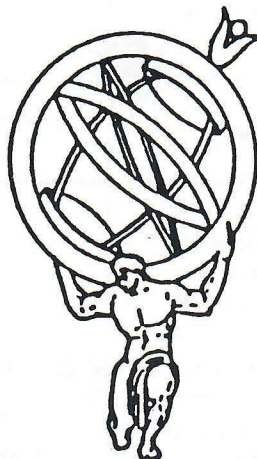
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JOAN DIAL  
TOM FITZPATRICK  
SARA GREEN  
LEE JONES  
BRUCE KILGORE  
BARBARA MATERANEK  
MEL TAWNEY  
JUDY VAUGHN**

*The above individuals assisted Tom Hogle, VP Programs at the August Happy Hour. Join them in contacting one of the officers to Volunteer!!*



*The following people went above and beyond in assisting Debbie Bergeron, VP Trips, at the August Training Meeting:*

**CAROL HEWGLEY  
MERREL SMITH  
MARTI TOOMER  
TED BERGERON  
SUZANNE BAKER**

*Next time you see one of the above individuals please let them know you appreciate their willingness to Volunteer!!*



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**PLEASE BRING "TOYS FOR TOTS" and FOOD  
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*For more information contact JERI HARTMAN at 666-8575(h), 961-1077(o) or JIM FELKER at 526-2298(h), 224-1759 (o) or stop by their table at the October or November General Meetings. You can also mail your payment to Jeri at 6504 Newcastle, Bellaire, Texas 77401.*

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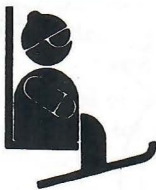
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## HEARD AT...

*Editor's note: The following are some comments on a couple of SCSC's activities that will not have articles.*

**VP Programs** would like to give his thanks to **CISSY DUTCHER** for coordinating the evening at Miller Theater--the weather was not in our favor, but the few members that came out for the evening enjoyed it--Thanks Cissy!

The Wild West evening was a biiiigggg success with over a hundred people in attendance!! However, Dell Davidson (the official photographer for this event) ended up "exposing" the film and no photos are available. If anyone of you that attended took pictures, the editor would like to have some of them for the *Sitz*!!!



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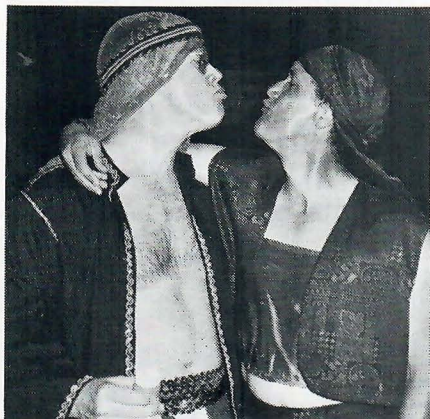
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# TED'S VOLUNTEER PROFILES

BY: TED BERGERON



Left --- Right  
Jeff Sarff Ron Rabin  
Obviously "Gooooood Friends"

NAME: JEFF "BOB" SARFF  
BIRTHPLACE: CHICAGO, ILL.  
AGE: YOUNGER THAN BUDDY SOLAND  
OCCUPATION: I WORK TO SKI  
MARITAL STATUS: SO FAR, SO GOOD  
JOINED SCSC: 1989  
SKIING LEVEL: LICKETY SPLIT BLUE  
PREVIOUS SKI TRIPS WITH SCSC:  
KEYSTONE, HEAVENLY (TWICE),  
SNOWMASS (MY FAVORITE),  
BANFF, WINTER PARK  
FAVORITE SKI RESORT: I ALREADY  
TOLD YOU (SEE ABOVE)  
HOBBIES: SKIING, SCUBA DIVING,  
SNOW TUBING, DANCING  
HAVE YOU EVER WON A NASTAR MEDAL:  
I'M INSULTED YOU ASKED!  
VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE IN SCSC:  
AC '91 TSC TRIATHLON  
RACE DIRECTOR '92 WINTER  
PARK & HEAVENLY VALLEY  
TC '93 PARK CITY

NAME: RON RAMBIN  
BIRTHPLACE: SHREVEPORT, LA.  
AGE: 51  
OCCUPATION: SELF-EMPLOYED  
MOTOR HOME BROKER  
MARITAL STATUS: MARRIED AND  
UNAVAILABLE  
JOINED SCSC: 1967  
SKIING LEVEL: ADVANCED  
FAVORITE SKI RESORT: STEAMBOAT AND  
VAIL  
PREVIOUS SKI TRIPS WITH SCSC:  
JUST ABOUT ALL OF THEM  
HOBBIES: TENNIS  
HAVE YOU EVER WON A NASTAR MEDAL:  
YES, BRONZE AND SILVER  
VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE IN SCSC:  
TC '69 LAKE TAHOE  
VICE PRESIDENT-TRIPS '70  
CLUB AUDITOR '89  
NOMINATING COMMITTEE  
(TWICE) RECENTLY IN '91  
HOSTED FIVE VOLUNTEER  
APPRECIATION PARTIES WITH MY  
WIFE, ROBERTA



NAME: SUSAN ANSLINGER  
BIRTHPLACE: CORPUS CHRISTI, TX.  
AGE: 35  
OCCUPATION: SALES REPRESENTATIVE  
MARITAL STATUS: SINGLE  
JOINED SCSC: 1989  
SKIING LEVEL: INTERMEDIATE  
PREVIOUS SKI TRIPS WITH SCSC:  
JACKSON HOLE  
HEAVENLY VALLEY  
HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT SCSC:  
MY BROTHER BELONGS TO A SKI  
CLUB IN CORPUS  
WHY DID YOU JOIN SCSC: TO MEET  
SOME FUN PEOPLE & SKI  
HOBBIES: AEROBICS & JOGGING  
HAVE YOUR EVER WON A NASTAR MEDAL:  
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VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE IN SCSC:  
AC '91 VOLLEYBALL  
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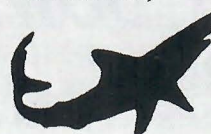
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## SKIING THE BIG BUMPS!!!!

They're intimidating, usually steep and they bounce all the change out of your pockets. They're mogul runs, and in Skiing Magazine's December issue, professional mogul skiers were asked for some tips on making it down in one piece. Here's a summary of what they said:

**Reach into the holes** – good bumpers don't bang the bumps but, instead, reach into the troughs with their ski tips and absorb the bump before it jolts them. When reaching into the trough, your legs should be fully extended, and you should be almost completely compacted as you crest the bump, creating a pumping motion with your knees.

**Keep your feet together** – Why? Simply because there just isn't enough room in the bumps to turn. With your feet together there's less chance you'll hook a tip or catch an edge because both feet will be on the same part of the bump.

**Grab the bars** – Your hands should always be in front of you. Pros who have come up through certain training programs tend to ski with both hands straight out in front of them like they were grabbing handlebars -- and they don't move them. Pole plants should be quick flicks which keep you from getting dragged backwards.

**Commit to the fall line** – You've probably tempted to skid through your turns, deviating from a fairly straight line (the fall line) down the run. You'll need to make this commitment in order to help develop your "mind set" reducing the fear factor and building your confidence. Start on an easier bump run and try to make several turns in a row down the fall line, coming to a controlled stop. Gradually increase your number of turns, then possibly check out a slightly harder slope.

*Reprinted from the Los Amigos Newsletter "Tracks"*

## HALLOWEEN PARTY

OCTOBER 31, 1992

8:00PM – 1:00AM

\$13.00

(Final Payment Due Date: 10/12/92)

Autumn Chase Townhouses, 2379 Briarwest Blvd.

Price includes a Fajita Buffet and games(!?!). There will also be costume contests for the Scariest, Funniest, Most Outlandish and Best all Round!

For more information contact Vickie Hughes at 855-4169 or Don Crabtree at 589-7661. You can also sign up at the at the October meeting. (Final payment deadline)

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## Sunday -- NOVEMBER 8, HORSE RACES-- VINTON DELTA DOWNS

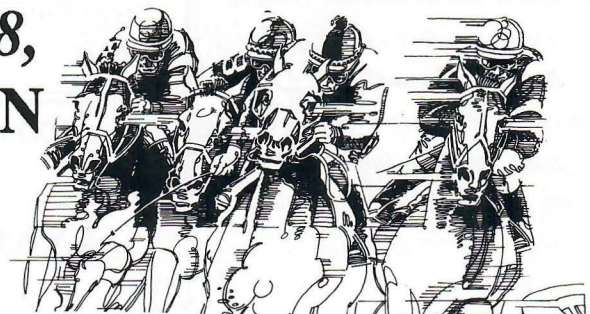
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For more information Contact CRAIG CAMPBELL at 453-5798 (h). Look for his table at the October meeting or mail a check payable to SCSC to him at P. O. Box 96743, Houston, Texas 77213.

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## SPACE CITY WELCOMES THE FOLLOWING NEW MEMBERS:

*Editor's Note: These are names of individuals who were not members in the '91-'92 year. Some have been members of SCSC in the past and we welcome them back!. Others are first time members and we are pleased they want to be a part of our group. Be sure and look for them at the meetings and say HELLO!!*

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ADAMS, HELEN S.	HAMMOUDEH, BASSAM A.	ORSACK, CHRISTOPHER J.
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ALBRIGHT, LINDA M.	HEFLEY, JOHN L.	PENNEBAKER, SUSAN
ALFORD, CLAUDINE	HEIM, LAWRENCE MICHAEL	PENNEBAKER, WARD
ARKET, JIM	HICKS, GRETA P.	PERILLO, ELLEN M.
ARKET, RITA	HOLLINGSWORTH, DOUG	PHILLIPS, RICHARD E.
BABB, CAROLYN F.	HOUSTON, LAURIE	PUIG, CARLOS J.
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BERGER, KAREN C.	KAUFMANN, JOYCE D.	ROAN, KAREN C.
BLANSITT, DEBRA L.	KEISER, JOHN LOUIS	ROBERTS, CHARLIE A.
BLANSITT, H. DON	KERR, CHARLOTTE SUSAN	ROBERTS, GINGER A.
BORROUGHS, BEVERLY	KESSLAR, MARILYNN FAYE	ROBINSON, CHRISTY
BRANDOW, RONALD A.	KOEPKE, KEN	SALAZAR, JAIME V.
BRYAN, JOSEPH	KORAN, BILL C.	SALISBURY, CHERYL KAY
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the **October General**  
**Meeting.**

(If signing up by mail include your name,  
address, phone numbers and the name of  
anyone for whom you are paying.)

**ADULTS ONLY**



## VOLLEYBALL CHALLENGE!!!!

**Sunday -- October 4, 1992**

**2:00PM - 7:00PM**

(Payment Deadline: October 1st)

**BEAR CREEK PARK PAVILION #8**

**\$7.50 (Per Person)**

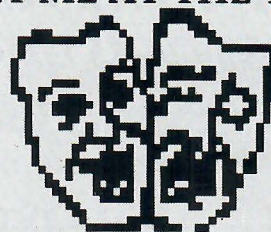
**Refreshments : Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Chips, Cookies, Soft Drinks, Iced Tea and Beer!!! Sign up now as space is limited!!!**

**For more information contact LINDA LICARIONE, 713/468-2816. Send payment made out to SCSC to her at 8814 Croes Drive, Houston, Texas 77055.**

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## MEET ME AT THE THEATRE!!!



**Enjoy the theatre??? SCSC's "Theatre Nites" is off and running! The next nite out will be coordinated by Sandy Martin and is scheduled for October 27, 1992 at the Alley Theater to see "DANTON'S DEATH"!! Look for the activity table at the October meeting. If you don't make the meeting give her a call at 774-5665**



## CHRISTMAS CAROLING

**at Texas Children's Hospital**

**December 12, 1992**

**\$12.50**

**Buffet -- 2:30-4:00pm  
Caroling -- 4:30pm 'til ?**

**Join us in making a hospitalized child's Holiday a little brighter while enjoying the true spirit of Christmas! Prior to Caroling we will be enjoying a buffet at the POST OAK GRILL.**

**For information contact TERRY IBARRA at 488-3209 or PAMELA BARNES at 676-3709 or send checks payable to SCSC to Pamela at 17631 Telegraph Creek Dr. Spring, Tx. 77379.**

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

**(Limited to 20 people)**

## MIXED DOUBLES TENNIS

**Saturday, October 17, 1992**

**(Note this date has changed from October 24th)**

**Tennis 1:00pm to 5:00pm**

**Dinner 5:00pm-6:00pm**

**Final Payment October 12th meeting.**

**\$22.00**

**(Includes tennis, dinner, drinks and awards)**

**\$12.00**

**(Drinks and Dinner only)**

## OLDE OAKES RACQUET CLUB

**FORMAT: Round Robin /Different Partner Each Round**

**Contact STUART TRAVER, 350-4839(h) or LEONA SCHROEDER, 468-4609(h). Stop by their table at the October Meeting or mail checks made out to SCSC to Leona at 12402 Rip Van Winkle, Houston, Texas 77024.**

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

**For those of you who have sent your money in please give Leona a call and tell her what your tennis ability is. If you send your money in please state what your tennis ability is.**

**ADULTS ONLY**



## Skier's Responsibility Code

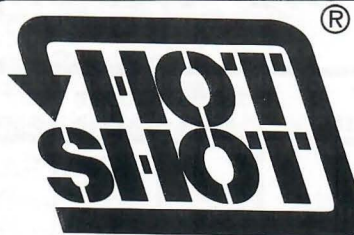


A skier entering a trail or slope from a side or intersecting trail shall first check for approaching downhill skiers.



When walking or climbing in a ski area, skis should be worn and the climber or walker shall kept to the side of the trail or slope.

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## **DATeline.....SUGARLOAF, MAINE by Jim Hewgly, TC, Sugarloaf**

After our September meeting and "sign up", I decided that because I lived in Maine for over seven years and skied in the East, I wanted to take this opportunity to tell you about the great experience of Eastern skiing and encourage you to come ski with us at SUGARLOAF, MAINE!!!

Maine is the Northeastern most state. It is bordered on the North by Canada, on the West and South by New Hampshire, and the East by the Atlantic Ocean. Maine does have mountains and Sugarloaf is the second highest. It does have snow! One of the favorite sayings is "enjoy the four seasons, June, July, August, and Winter".

Sugarloaf is not just a "warming hut with rope tows". It is the second highest rated ski resort in North America by Snow Country Magazine. Sugarloaf has hosted numerous World Cup Ski events. It is also the early Winter home of the U. S. Ski Team, due to its early and consistent snow conditions, plus its large mountain and facilities. Sugarloaf has a "vertical drop" of 2,837 feet, which will match about any ski resort anywhere for skiing. Vertical drop is the elevation distance in feet from the "base" or bottom of the lowest ski lift to the top of the uppermost ski lift where you get off. At Sugarloaf the base is 1,400 feet above sea level and the top 4,237 feet. Now this may not seem like a lot, but remember--most Western resorts only give you a vertical drop of 2,500 feet.

Sugarloaf has invested millions of dollars to bring you an exciting ski challenge in the East. They have "hi-tech" snow machines, which shovel up to 12 inches of top snow, "roto till" it up, fluff it up, and pass it out the rear as fresh powder. This they can do on all of their slopes. They have the ability to groom even the intermediate and advanced slopes by using what they call a "winch cat". Another plus feature that Eastern ski resorts enjoy is they don't need as much snow to operate since they do not have the big boulders and large tree stumps to cover. Most Western slopes need about 50 inches to open. Sugarloaf just needs 15 inches. No, you won't see Western Elk, but there is a good chance you will see "Moose". Sugarloaf also has as much mountain to ski as any one resort anywhere. Sugarloaf is a world class skiing destination.

The top notch ski resort to go to in the "EAST" is Sugarloaf!! Join your friends from Space City and the Texas Ski Council, and enjoy a truly exciting "Eastern" experience.



# Space City Ski Club

## 1992 - 1993 Trip Schedule

TRIP DATES	#NIGHTS/ SKI DAYS	TRIP DESTINATION	TRIP PRICE	FINAL PAYMENT	LODGING #BEDRM/BATH	SPECIAL ACTIVITIES	# PART	TC ATC	HOME PHONE
11/24 - 11/29/92	5/4	KEYSTONE Colorado TSC Fall Roundup	\$458	10/5/92	The Pines 2/2 Condos	TSC Activities & Races "The Outback" Old West Awards Party	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 & Races Cowboy Downhill Direct Flight	80	Nancy Sarff - TC Gary Butler - ATC Llona Doubet - ATC	461-9665 583-7515 647-9220
1/12 - 1/17/93	5/4	STEAMBOAT II Colorado TSC Traditional	\$551	11/1/92	The Lodge at Steamboat 3/3, 2/2 Condos	TSC Activities & Races Wild, Wild West Party Fly To Steamboat	40	"Pete" Thorpe Sharon Smith	448-9767 583-9627
1/17 - 1/23/93	6/6	JACKSON HOLE Wyoming	\$642	11/2/92	Wind River 4/4 Condos	10/40/50% Runs; 5 Parties Grand Targhee Option	40	Angie Westergren Cary Faden	847-1070 491-6182
1/23 - 1/30/93	7/6	VAIL Colorado	\$652	11/9/92	Simba Resort 2/2 Condos	32/36/32% Runs; Nightlife & Beaver Creek Option	40	JoAnn Lane Patti Richards	266-2621 789-9194
1/29 Late PM - 2/7/93	8/6	INNSBRUCK Austria TSC Expedition	\$1,247	11/9/92	Scandic Crown 4 Star Hotel & Amsterdam Overnight	Incl Brkfst/Dinner; Options to Venice, Salzburg, Castles Zurich, etc. & 21 Day Ext TSC "Go Texan" Party	44	Kayleen Kill	855-4132
1/30 - 2/6/93	7/6	ASPEN/SNOWMASS Colorado	\$723	11/16/92	Chateau DuMont 2/2 Condos	Ski 4 Areas, NASTAR Parties & Aspen Nightlife	40	Susan Anslinger Jim Edwards	688-3933 955-6675
2/6 - 2/13/93	7/6	BIG SKY Montana	\$662	11/23/92	Huntley Lodge Ski-In/Out Hotel	SCSC Winter Triathlon Yellowstone Snowmobiling	40	Cindy Overton Karen Putney	782-3530 495-4999
2/20 - 2/27/93	7/6	SUGARLOAF Maine TSC Winter Shootout	\$738	12/7/92	Sugar Tree Inn 2/2 Condos	NO ICE! 32/29/33% Runs TSC Reggae Beach Party Shopping in Freeport	24	Jim Hewgley	337-2991
2/27 - 3/6/93	7/6	SKI THE SUMMIT Keystone, Colorado	\$670	12/14/92	Snowdance 2/2 Condos	Ski 4 Resorts & "Outback" Parties / Walk to Lifts!	40	Debbie Mostert Elizabeth Steinmann	980-4596 723-0441
3/13 - 3/20/93	7/6	MT. BACHELOR Oregon	\$700	1/18/93	Sun River Resort 2/2, 3/3 Chalet w/loft	15/25/35/25% Runs Superb Spring Skiing Ski, Golf, Bike & Tennis!	40	Linda Derenbecker Laurie Rivet	772-6714 367-6013
3/27 - 4/3/93	7/6	PARK CITY Utah TSC Final Showdown	\$598	1/18/93	Shadow Ridge 2/3 Condos 100 Yds. to Lifts	17/49/34% Runs TSC & SCSC Parties Deer Valley, Snowbird, Alta	40	Jeff Sarff Lorna Jones	461-9665 575-9057

**PLEASE NOTE:**

1. Innsbruck, Austria trip requires a \$300 Deposit; \$100 Minimum Cancellation Fee; \$35 Transfer Fee
2. All other trips require a \$100 Deposit; \$30 Minimum Cancellation Fee; \$10 Transfer Fee
3. Cancellation or Transfers after Final Payment Date may result in Substantial Penalties
4. Cancellations & Transfers are subject to SCSC Standing Rules
5. Lift Tickets are not included in Trip Price
6. Any information shown on this sheet is subject to change
7. Additional Airport Fees of \$3 to \$6 per person are anticipated

**TRIP STATUS**

AVAILABLE ON 9/14/92:

Mt. Bachelor, Summit, Vail,  
Sugarloaf, Jackson, Keystone,  
Park City & Innsbruck

SHORT WAITLISTS:

Aspen, Big Sky, Steamboat II

LENGTHY LIST: Steamboat I

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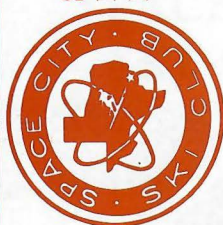
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**SCENES FROM THE JUNE HAPPY HOUR  
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50th Birthday, a group's trip to Mexico, & the Margarita  
Party!)**

*My thanks to Merrel Smith, Nancy Sarff and Tom Hogle for the  
pictures 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.*

