

The
SitzMarke March, 1983



Space City Ski Club 1982-1983 Season



Member of

TEXAS SKI COUNCIL CALENDAR

GENERAL MEETING - Stouffer's - 7:30 P.M.

**March 14 - Vote on Proposed By-Laws Revisions
and 1983-1984 Officer Nominees**

Video Tapes of Keystone and Texas Ski Week Trips

Happy Hour - Celebration - March 24 (page 15)

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APRIL

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Vice President-Trips: Eric Holm - 591-SNOW (H)
Vice President-Membership: Ron Smith - 679-3238 (H) 679-3238 (O)
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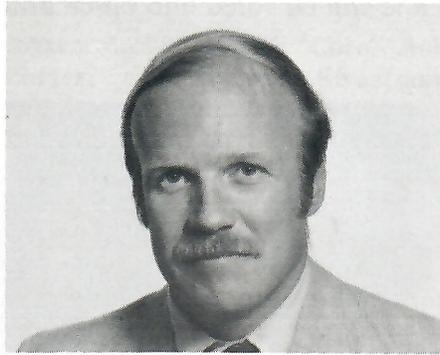
**Next Executive
Officers Committee
Meeting
MARCH 30**

SitzMarke Deadlines

- March 14
- April 18
- May 9

The March meeting is officially designated as the "annual" meeting. The By-Laws require that an election of officers be held at this meeting. Election shall be by written ballot unless there is only one nominee for each office. Since there is only one nominee for each office, the election shall be by voice vote. Again, many thanks and congratulations to the nominating committee. They selected such qualified people that their recommendations were not challenged. This has not always been the case. As recently as last year the judgement of the nominating committee was severely questioned and sometimes I wonder if not rightly so.

Just because we will not have ballots for election of officers does not mean you will be deprived of exercising your franchise. There was a motion made at the February meeting to amend the By-Laws. Copies of the proposed By-Laws as amended were distributed at the February meeting. Copies of these will also be available at



the March meeting, if you want to examine them before you vote. If you have any questions you would like to discuss, call Sy Liebergot. Sy, as one of the chief authors of the proposed changes, has agreed to ruminate on any subject contained therein. Anne Benefield discusses the evolution of these proposed By-Law amendments below. The By-Laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of approval if at least one hundred members and two officers are present.

You still have a chance to do some spring skiing. When you receive the SitzMarke there will still be three ski

trips, Purgatory, Reno/Mammoth and Sun Valley. These trips all had some openings as of the February meeting. Both the Reno/Mammoth and the Sun Valley trip have been significantly reduced in price, as indicated by ads elsewhere in the SitzMarke.

Finally, one other matter has come to mind, the picture used for the Head of the Liftline column. I believe it should be known that the Vice President of Publications chooses the picture with no veto power given to the President. An attorney was consulted and he indicated that the First Amendment free speech safeguards apply to pictures as well as words unless they are obscene (some of these pictures are bordering on obscene). Therefore, I have no control over what pictures will be used; however, in a twist of fate, this year's Vice President of Publications will be next year's President. A cache of lascivious pictures has been uncovered and will be gladly furnished to next year's Vice President of Publications.

REPORT FROM THE BOARD

Anne Benefield

BY-LAWS UPDATE PROPOSED

Last May, a committee was appointed by the Board of Directors to update the Club's By-Laws and Standing Rules both in structure and in content. Generally, the By-Laws and Standing Rules were reorganized into a more logical order and updated to reflect present and recommended operating procedures, especially in the area of the Executive Committee. Highlights of the proposed changes are listed below.

The proposed By-Laws and Standing Rules were presented to the Board of Directors for their review at their quarterly meeting on February 7. The amended Standing Rules were adopted by the Board dependent upon the adoption of the proposed By-Laws by the general membership.

At the subsequent February General Meeting, a motion to adopt these proposed By-Laws as recommended by the Board of Directors was

made and seconded. These changes shall be discussed and voted on at the March Annual Meeting. Copies of the proposed By-Laws were available at the February Meeting and will be available at the March Annual Meeting.

Committee members were Chairman Sy Liebergot, Gene Turboff, Ray Hodge and Keith Eastin. Our thanks to you for your many hours of hard work.

Highlights of By-Law Changes:

- 2.6 (B) Allows membership limitation to increase beyond 1400 for new spouses in addition to those wishing to go on ski trips.
- 2.7 Defines "member in good standing" to include one ski trip every 3 years.
- 3.2 Adds the Directors of Trips to the Executive Committee. This is de facto and will encourage participation by the Directors of Trips.
- 3.2 (C.2) Adds the Activity Coordinator (Non ski activities) to Executive Committee appointments.

- Changed "Chairperson" or "Chairman" to "Coordinator", such as "Trip Coordinator".
- 4.3 Requires candidates for president to be a past or present Executive Committee officer.
- 4.5 Changes "at least one nominee" to "one nominee".
Covers case of loss of all nominees for an office after the February regular meeting.
- 8.0 Formalizes and details method of amendment of By-Laws.
- 9.0 Provides for the appointment of Texas Ski Council Delegate.

Sy Liebergot, Chairman of the By-Laws Committee, has offered to answer questions concerning the proposed changes. You may contact him at (H) 776-9754.

The Board of Directors encourages each SCSC member to attend the March meeting and vote on the proposed By-Laws.

(For Standing Rules change highlights, see page 18.)

OFFICER NOMINEES FOR 1983-1984

Nominees are uncontested and will be voted into office at the March General Meeting.



Tania Andrasko

TANIA ANDRASKO Nominee for President

Tania Andrasko has been an SCSC member since the '73-'74 season, was A.T.C. for the 1980 Texas Ski Week at Winter Park, and T.C. for the Aspen Traditional Trip in '82. As V.P. of Publications this season, she has become well acquainted with the general operations of SCSC by approaching the *SitzMarke* as the main communications link between the elected officers of the club and the club's members.

Tania is impressed with the 1983-1984 slate of officers, looks forward to a year of progress for the club, and pledges to continue the efficient operation of one of the best-run volunteer organizations of its size in the country. She would like to see the race committee, which was sanctioned by the Executive Committee this year, become a fully formed and workable function of our organization, to promote better skiing skills among our members and add variety and enjoyment to our ski trips. She would also like to see SCSC members become involved as a group in an outside charitable activity (hopefully sports related) to further broaden the range of interests in the club. Suggestions on these and many other ideas are needed and she welcomes input from throughout the membership.

A strong advocate of Space City's involvement with Texas Ski Council, Tania has attended Council meetings throughout the state for the past two years, and plans to continue to participate in Space City's support of the organization in order to obtain the best monetary advantages in the ski industry for Space City's members.

Despite the foreign-sounding name, Tania is a native Texan. She is a graduate of Texas Tech University, a former art teacher, and is currently employed by Finger Furniture Co. in the public relations related areas of consumer programs and special events.



John Cook

JOHN E. COOK Nominee for VP-Trips

John was raised in the mountains of Colorado and attended school there. Even though he didn't ski at that time, he developed a strong love for the mountains and feels the urge to return to them as much as possible. Skiing has given him that opportunity and he has skied extensively throughout the states and Canada.

John has been active in the club leadership first as ATC and then TC of the Jackson Hole Trip in 1981, in 1982 as TC of the Sun Valley Trip, and in 1983 as Director of Trips. This knowledge of skiing, the different ski areas, and running ski trips gives him and the club a good start on next year's ski trip schedule.



GLENN BISHOP Nominee for Vice President - Membership

Glenn has been a member of Space City for six years. He was ATC for the Breckenridge trip in 1981 and ran the Lake Tahoe I Trip in 1982. During the past year, he has held the position of Director of Trips, working with all of the officers and becoming familiar with the operations of the club.

Glenn has been a resident of Houston for twelve years, graduating from the University of Houston and has been employed with Fluor Engineering for six years. His main interests are softball, bowling and membership on the Buffalo Snort Cooking Team.

Since Space City is a volunteer club, Glenn feels that it is important to get many new members and first time volunteers interested in the club's operations, so it can draw from their talents. He is looking forward to working with the new officers this year to make the 1983-84 ski season a success.



Kay Broad

KAY BROAD Nominee for Vice President - Programs

Kay joined SCSC in 1980 and has been active in the club on a number of trips and activities over the years.

Most recently she was Trip Coordinator for Texas Ski Week I to Snowmass and was Activity Coordinator for the Summer Bash this past year. She was a participant on the Lake Tahoe I trip in 1981 after having her trip in '80 cancelled due to lack of snow! Kay has been in numerous routines for the Follies every year since joining the club...making her major debut in the "strip" routine last spring. She has helped with the Casino Parties in previous years and has volunteered her help in many areas...is always ready to step in and help wherever needed.

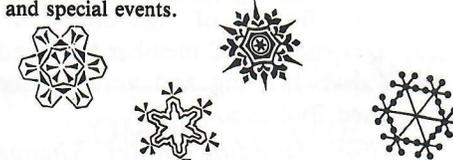
Kay is a part-time marketing rep for a bank, but her first love is the travel industry, where she has previously worked as an agent. She still promotes the travel industry and hopes to get totally back into that field in the future.

When not occupied with her outside interests...she stays busy with her "Limey" husband, Mike Broad, and their two sons (Dustin-12 and Brandon-7). They enjoy outdoor activities...camping, swimming, beach trips, traveling, and love to entertain a lot in their home. Kay originates from West Texas but has traveled and lived in many areas of the states and overseas..."knows people everywhere," says hubby.

Kay will do her best to plan lots of fun activities and programs. She is looking forward to the upcoming year and hopes to plan some new activities and programs that will "spice" up and promote SCSC in a positive way. Her ability to organize and coordinate along with her enthusiasm are assets needed to provide an exciting year ahead for SCSC.



Glenn Bishop



OFFICER NOMINEES



Jean Walke



Art Camero



Karen Friedsam

JEAN WALKE Vice President - Publications

An avid but careful skier for the past five years, Jean's first trip with SCSC was to Vail three years ago as a member of the Clear Lake Area Ski Club. Last year she officially joined Space City and went on the Aspen Traditional Trip. This year, Jean was the trip chairman for the Club's Christmas trip to Steamboat which was nearly snowed out of Colorado. She also went on the Banff trip which she considers one of the most impressive resorts she has ever visited.

In addition to the Space City trips, she usually takes a group of students skiing at least once a year from Houston Community College where she has been the director of one of its evening campuses for the past five years.

Jean has had an extensive background in publications. Both her undergraduate and graduate degrees are in journalism and she worked professionally in writing and designing publications for seven years before she moved into college administration.

She finds that communication is the most important ingredient in a successful operation of any organization and hopes to be able to expedite the communication system within SCSC as its Vice President of Publications.



KAREN FRIEDSAM Nominee for Secretary

Karen is a native Texan and has lived in Houston for fifteen years. She has been a member of Space City Ski Club since 1979. In addition to volunteering to assist with a variety SCSC activities, Karen was ATC on last year's Vail II trip and is this season's Trip Chairman on the Sun Valley trip.

Karen is currently employed at the Visiting Nurse Association of Houston. She has a background which includes nursing, teaching, management and marketing. In coordinating several SCSC committees as secretary, Karen believes she will have the opportunity to involve many first-time volunteers in club activities. She would like to take this opportunity to tell the current members that it's not too early to volunteer, now!



ARTHUR A. CAMERO Nominee for Treasurer

Art Camero joined Space City Ski Club in 1975 and has participated in numerous ski trips and non-ski activities since that time. He was Trip Chairman for the 1981 Purgatory trip and Assistant Trip Chairman for the 1980 Park City Spring Fling trip. He has served the club as Audit Committee member for 3 years, Lift Liner, Membership Table worker, and Musical Director for the 1981 Follies. This year, Art is Chairman of the Audit Committee as well as Chairman of Drink Ticket Sales for the monthly meetings.

A native of Tampa, Florida, Art obtained a B.S. degree from the University of Florida and a Ph.D. degree from Princeton University, both in chemical engineering. He is currently employed by Fluor Engineers, Inc., where he is involved in the development and design of petrochemical and sythetic fuels processes. He also serves on the Board of Directors of the University of Florida Alumni Association of Greater Houston.

Art looks forward to working with the other officers next year and continuing his service to Space City Ski Club.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

MEMBERSHIP SURVEY

The SCSC Board of Directors has approved the use of a survey questionnaire to develop demographic information on our Club membership, i.e. information that will allow a statistical study of the Club population with regard to vital statistics and interests distribution to permit answers to the following characteristic questions:

- Who are we?
- What do we like to do?
- What do we want to do in the future?

Accordingly, a limited survey questionnaire has been developed and is imprinted on the reverse side of the membership application form. The survey information is intended only for internal Club use and your individual answers to the questionnaire will be held in strictest confidence by the SCSC officers.

You are encouraged to fill out the entire questionnaire since the information will eliminate some of the guesswork involved in providing ski trips and activities for the membership.

**Complete the
SCSC
QUESTIONNAIRE
and
RENEW YOUR
MEMBERSHIP
NOW!**

**Let's Get
Volleyball
Started!**

Anyone interested call
Pam Pyle. (H) 721-7035

**TEXAS SKI CUP RACE
FUN IN THE SUN**

Enjoying the sunshine and the Coors.

V.P. Texas Ski Week
Bruce Terrell, Mike and Kay Broad, Gene Davis, Glenn Bishop.



Leslie Taylor and Janet Legler relieved to finish the race.



Not ready for prime time skiers: Connie Hinshaw, Carol Sprague, Marlene Colunga, Mike Dziuba (fastest SCSC male) Pam Holder, Tom Mercer, John Terzakis.



The Do-Da's: Paul Kraft, Ron Flowers, Tim Coen.

**TEXAS
SKI WEEK
at
SNOWMASS
1983**



**SCSC FUN
ON THE
SLOPES**



At high Alpine: Gail Bernstein, Bob Porter, Marcia Renaldi, Connie Hinshaw, Mark Sadler, Mary Quinn.



Leslie Taylor, Roz Exley, Bob McMonigle (in from California), Janet Legler, and Bill "The Hat" Landfield.



Who, or what, was that? Would you believe?... Bev Fecel?

Fun Race .. more Coors and fun! Above, Paul Unruh, Didi Marsh, Ron Koval. Right, Penny Chancey, Laura Gangluff, Melissa Barnam, Joyce Sullivan, Nekita Capps, Tommy Thompson.





Hats off to the "A" Team ... only four seconds behind U.T.'s kids. Jim Raffel, Mike Clements, Kay Broad, Karen Cade, Glenn Bishop.

TEXAS OLYMPIC'S AND HOT TUB PARTIES!!



The "NO NAME CLUB" brought a case of champagne.



Roman orgies couldn't hold a candle to SCSC's!

Just before the final entries in a record-breaking "Stuff the Tub" contest.



Sleigh ride dinner: Mike and Peggy Flash, Paula and Don Moye.



At Little Nell's ... the Winterskol parade continued. Carol Dutton led the cheers ... and Keith Eastin had a surprise for all the women. (E.T. phone home?)



GOING AND COMING ...
Everyone was a winner! Geroge Sanford and Jim Plummer carried on a tradition, and Layna Adams fell into a pile of money!!!



Read on for all the tales (tall?) and stories (short?) of 1983's record-setting Texas Ski Week ... TSW I (p.8), Aspen Traditional (p.14), TSW II (p.16), TSW III (p.17), Race Results (p.15), and the Independents (p.18).

TEXAS SKI WEEK I at SNOWMASS

by Kay Broad

It all began Sunday, January 9th bright and early ... TSW I skiers in the first of two departing groups arrived at Intercontinental Airport a little sleepy but ready to "conquer" Snowmass and bring back the Texas Ski Cup for the club. Our second group got to sleep-in a little bit and departed mid-morning. By early evening our trip would be all settled in at the Enclave Condominiums for a week of fun, races, good food, friendship and lots of skiing! We had participants arriving to join our trip from all locations ... **LaVonne Lee** from Florida, **Marvin Sondock** from the Valley, and **John Bass** met us in the Denver airport having flown in from California. A few of the "die-hards" had gone up a week ahead of the group to get in a few extra "race tips" before the "masses" arrived ... **George Hirasaki**, **Rhonda Ross**, **Bob Fried**, **Bob Copple** and **Jack Ballard**. **Sy Liebergot**, **Tania Andrasko**, **Craig Meyer** and **Anne Benefield** went up the Friday before to make sure all "in charge" were in control and ready for us!

The "early bunch" didn't really wake up and get into the swing of things until we loaded the bus in Denver ... **Jim McIntyre** "broke" the seals on the coolers and the party began.

After check-in at Snowmass, it was learned that **J. R. Schmieder** and **Rob Clements** ended up on their bunks in their condo .. that must have been a sight to watch **Rob (alias "Bush", brother of "Tree" Mike Clements)** roll up in a bunk! By the time the second bunch arrived, some of the first bunch had made it to the "hot tub"...was it **Ron Rambin's** head I saw thru all the steam?

We all managed to gather in one condo (*cozy but friendly, I might add*) for what was to be the "kick-off" and "welcome" party for our group and TSW III. There was one "minor" problem when the liquor that was to be delivered did not arrive until all but a few had given up and gone to find their own!!!

Early Monday morn ... **Tim Mitchell** was up helping **Mike** and **Kay**

Broad hand out the TSW packets. By 8:00 a.m. everyone had a "goodie" bag that included their badge, Texas Ski Week magazine (*except Jan Livingston, Chris Ginn, Ron Smith, and Sandy Palmer...their magazines got left out...my apologies, not intentional*) and other mementoes. By this time the news started spreading that the Texas Ski Cup had been stolen the previous evening and an all-out search was begun.

Monday, all were slipping into the swing of things...taking the day with caution. Not wanting to awake to sore muscles on Tuesday...some came in off the slopes and slipped into the hot tub early...seen through the fog were **Wes** and **Betty Coody**, **Craig Meyer**, **Edith Lewis (arriving in her "string bikini")**, **Rudy Naquin** and **Arlene Veach**.

Tuesday, the Texan Olympics were hosted by Coors. The "fear-some" five that made up our team were...**Glenn Bishop**, **Karen Cade**, **Kay Broad**, **Jim Raffle** and **Mike Clements**. **Glenn** and **Karen's (Karen in snowshoes)** run up the mountain was no easy "feat"! However, our team managed to "show our stuff" and were beaten by a **NARROW** margin of four seconds by the UT team. That's not bad for us "old" folks racing the "kids!"

A large group including **Gayle**

Speck, **Tom** and **Betty Werlin**, **Nancy** and **Spooky Halfen**, and **Cheryl Schollops**, joined up at Casa Che' to discuss the Olympics results, have one of the nice large, gooey hamburgers and "bask" in the sunshine.

That evening a number of us took a bitterly cold ride on horse drawn sleigh up the mountain to a log cabin for dinner and live entertainment. The first bunch on the lead sleigh had to walk the last little bit as their sleigh broke down...no one wanted to admit being on that sleigh when it was time to depart! **Gloria Abel**, **Layna Adams**, **Peggy Bailey**, **Donna Berglund**, **Karen Cade**, **Art Camero**, **Jim Davis**, **Mitzi Grove**, **Bill Young**, **LaVonne Lee (who admitted she almost fell off the first sleigh)**, **Lynn Hammond**, **Peggy Jones**, **Donna Kidwell**, **Gerry Montgomery**, **Jan** and **Bob Petner**, **D. D. Symmonds**, et al had a cozy evening together with lots of delicious food, "foot" stompin' and hand clapping music, and comradery with the Aspen T. bunch.

By mid-week there were many activities such as Broomball and the Pool Splash competition for spectators to watch (*we had no volunteers for entries*) By noon it was time to "feed the birds" and a number of the bunch met at Elk Camp Restaurant to do just that...**Janet Pickell**, **Jim McIntyre**, **Lotty** and **Carl Gautschi**, **Roger**

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Gathering at Elk Camp to "feed the birds."

OFFICE USE ONLY

MEMBERSHIP FORM

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO

SPACE CITY SKI CLUB

P. O. BOX 22567

HOUSTON, TEXAS 77227

Card No.

Card No.



MEMBERSHIP GUIDELINES

Membership Renewals MUST BE RECEIVED by May 31, 1983. As with all years, the membership period will expire on May 1 of the next year. Members who do not renew by the deadline date will be dropped from the membership roster and vacancies will be Billed from the waiting list.

PLEASE PRINT

APPLICATION MUST BE COMPLETE TO BE VALID — PLEASE COMPLETE OUR MEMBER SURVEY ON THE REVERSE SIDE.

NAME LAST FIRST MIDDLE INITIAL OVER 21 YEARS YES NO

SPOUSE'S NAME LAST FIRST MIDDLE INITIAL SPOUSE OVER 21 YEARS YES NO

ADDRESS (Street) APT. NO.

CITY STATE ZIP

TELEPHONE NO. (Home) (Office) SPOUSE (OFFICE)

CHECK (✓) THE COMMITTEE(S) THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO WORK ON. (Male - Left / Female - Right)

Space City Ski Club is a non-profit organization run by volunteers.

- Committee selection options: M F SKI TRIPS (A-C), NON-SKI TRIPS (D-E), M F MONTHLY MEETINGS (F-J), M F PUBLIC RELATIONS (K-P).

OFFICE USE ONLY

YEAR LAST CLUB SKI TRIP TAKEN: SPOUSE:

MEMBERSHIP DUES FOR 1983-1984

RENEWAL PERIOD MAY 1 — 31, 1983

SPONSORS — TWO REQUIRED If new or after MAY 31st

NEW APPLICANT OR Dues Received After MAY 31st \$25.00 SINGLE \$35.00 COUPLE

RENEWAL DUES on or BEFORE MAY 31, 1983 \$20.00 SINGLE \$30.00 COUPLE

SCSC MEMBER SURVEY

The information contained in this questionnaire is intended only for internal Club use and will be held in strictest confidence.

M: Male
F: Female
Couple: Check both

A. ACTIVITY INFORMATION

- Joined SCSC for:
 - Social..... M F
 - Skiing..... M F
 - Business Contacts..... M F
- Percent of your social life that involves SCSC people and/or activities M ____% F ____%
- Annual days (incl. wkds. & Hols.) available for:
 - All vacations..... M ____days F ____days
 - Skiing..... M ____days F ____days
- Number of ski trips / year:
 - With SCSC..... M ____ F ____
 - Total Not SCSC..... M ____ F ____

(number trips with children..... ____)
- Should SCSC offer a ski trip to include dependent minors? Yes: M F No: M F
- Do you prefer:
 - 7-day ski trip..... M F
 - 4-day ski trip..... M F
 - Both..... M F
- Travel Period Preference:
 - Non-Holiday..... M F
 - Thanksgiving..... M F
 - Christmas..... M F
 - Washington's Birthday..... M F
 - Easter..... M F
- Skiing Ability:
 - Number years skied: ____years
 - Advanced/expert..... M F
 - Advanced intermediate..... M F
 - Intermediate..... M F
 - Beginner..... M F
 - Never skied..... M F
- Raced NASTAR?
 - Yes: M F No: M F
- SCSC ski racing team desired?
 - Yes: M F No: M F
- Favorite interests: (list top 3 favorites)
 - A. Other sports participation than skiing:
 - M _____
 - F _____
 - B. Non-sport interests:
 - M _____
 - F _____
 - C. Recommendation for new activities/trips:
 - M _____
 - F _____

B. VITAL STATISTICS

- Couple Single M F
- Zip Code _____
- Number Dependent Minors _____
- Number years SCSC member.. M ____ F ____
- Age:21-29 M F 40-49 M F
- 30-39 M F 50+ M F
- Total annual income (Trip affordability factor):
 - \$00-10k M F \$30-50K M F
 - \$10-20k M F \$50k+ M F
- \$20-30k M F

C. CLUB OPERATION

- Are you interested in how the Club operates?
 - Yes: M F No: M F
- Ever volunteer for SCSC work?
 - Yes: M F No: M F
- Ever contacted?
 - Yes: M F No: M F
- Do you know who to contact to volunteer?
 - Yes: M F No: M F
- Are you satisfied with the volunteer program?
 - Yes: M F No: M F

Why? _____
- Past participation as:
 - M F None
 - M F Ski trip coordinator..... year _____
 - M F Ass't trip coordinator... year _____
 - M F Non-ski trip coordinator. year _____
 - M F Activity coordinator..... year _____
 - M F Director of trips..... year _____
 - M F Officer..... year _____
 - M Committees _____
 - F Committees _____

MONTHLY MEMBER MEETINGS

- Attendance: M ____ F ____ out of 9 meetings
- Stouffer location:
 - Good..... M F
 - Fair..... M F
 - Poor..... M F
- Meeting recommendations: _____

SITZMARKE NEWSLETTER

- Percentage of each issue read:
 - M ____% F ____%
- After reading, do you:
 - Keep: Discard:
- Present quality annually costs \$17/subscription. Quality should be:
 - The same..... M F
 - Increased..... M F
 - Decreased..... M F
- Present number of pages:
 - Keep..... M F
 - Increase..... M F
 - Decrease..... M F
- ADS: Do you easily distinguish ads from SCSC activity notices?
 - Yes: M F No: M F
- SitzMarke recommendations: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

- Should SCSC support following:

	Yes	No
Texas Ski Council....	M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>
US Ski Association...	M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>
US Olympic Ski Team.	M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>
Local Charity Groups.	M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>
Nat'l Charity Groups..	M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>

1982 - 1983 SCSC TRIP SCHEDULE

TRIP	DATES Depart Hou. Depart Area	Ski Days	☆☆ Price	Final Pmt. Date	No. Skiers	Lodging Name ✓ Bedrm/Bath	Lift Ticket Prices	★★ Extras Included in Price ... Comments ... Special Activities	Trip Chair. Assist. T.C.	Home Phone	Office Phone
*PURGATORY	Mar. 15, PM thru Mar. 20, PM (Tues.-Sun.)	4	\$399	Jan. 17	42	Tamarron Resort (Deluxe lodge rooms w/ kitchenette) 1/1	\$13/day	TSC Races & Parties	Sadie Madole Harold Eaton	946-1700 995-4710	----- 877-6447
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TEXAS SKI WEEK I, (continued)

Wintle, Gary Quinn, Roy Cavness and Mike Gay were among the group. The Petner's got the best "shot" at bird feeding!

Wednesday afternoon George Hirasaki won a gold medal in the Nastar races. Sy L. won a silver along with Sherry Lewis. Glenn Bishop got his second Bronze medal before turning 30! Diane Yarberry also brought back a bronze.

Several of our group went to the Krabloonik Dog Sled Restaurant for dinner that evening and Sandy Palmer and Jan Livingston signed up to go on the Dog Sled Ride...what an adventure!

Thursday was the big day for our club to compete in the individual races...all but three on our trip participated and I thank you for all taking part. A special thanks goes to George Hirasaki and Gene Davis for a job well done in organizing and preparing us for the races. Our group was complimented on being the most organized team and "having it all together."

Friday, part of the group geared down and enjoyed some leisure skiing while Saturday saw members at the individual races and Fun Race. The hot tub parties grew in numbers...Beverly Fecel and Bill Krell kept hollering for more wine to be served or tossed down to them so they didn't have to get out! Billy Carter never got out...everytime I saw him, he was in the tub!

Friday night a group went into Aspen to view the hilarious comedy, song and dance routines at the "Grand Finale" Dinner Theatre. It was also Aspen Night and the "Torchlight Descent" was impressive with the fireworks display.

Saturday morn...Wes Coody and Mike Broad were up bright and early to capture the Hot Air Balloon Race on film. That night was the Awards Banquet and the food and music were enjoyed by all...Clyde and Kathy Riley, Manuel Valle, Rick Tynes, George Zupp, Don McCutchen, Gary Kivell, Joe Jackson, Bob Cruse, Ron and Roberta Rambin were all seen to be enjoying themselves. The Texas Ski Cup reappeared, but went to U.T. instead of us. SCSC won second...it was hard to beat the youngsters!

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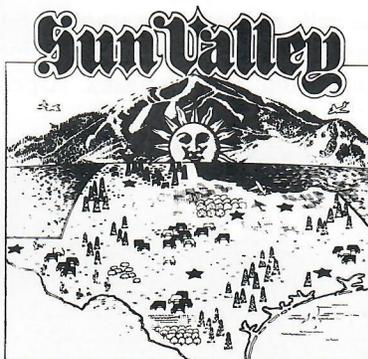
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An easy departure time on Sunday morn found Lois Danielson busy helping the Broad's make sandwiches and snack trays for the long bus ride.

There were a few participants that maintained a low profile the entire week...Norm Taylor, Bob Basch, Daisy Mitchell and Rosalee Holt made themselves "scarce."

We had one mishap on the trip... Marvin Sondock injured his leg...shouldn't have been chasing those girls, Marvin.

Ike Hoffman, Gene Davis and

Earl Holcombe got the "sweetheart" award for the week...Ike made sure that Kay was comfortable and cozy for a little rest on the return trip and he, Earl and Gene played "host" for a while.

I want to thank all of my trip participants for all your help, great spirits, and general support that was given during this history making week. Everyone combined made it a truly memorable week and a successful trip.

Looking forward to next year!

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ASPEN TRADITIONAL

by Gary Elston, Cindy Garrett & John Galloway

Is it truly a "Mission Impossible" to take 126 SCSC'ers skiing? Smooth all the way? UNTRADITIONAL was more like it!

Aspen Traditional boarded on time, and we immediately lost **Jim Dickson** who was later found in first class ordering screwdrivers and bloody Mary's for the group. (*Who did you know, Jim?*) Somewhere over Amarillo the captain announced that there was no more vodka left on the plane (*a first for the airlines*). This was all thanks to a concerted effort by **Shirley Andries, Keith Eastin, Bruce Maughs, Jim Plummer** and **George Sanford**. Then the crowd got restless and several inebriated participants decided to munch on an ATC's ear and neck et al.

Airport transfers went smoothly and after a quick stop at **Applejacks** (*for ice only?*) we were on our way. (*Was that Applejacks?*) With one mellow bus, one stormy bus and one engrossed in the Wild West Show, we quickly made our way to ASPEN!

At our welcoming party the hotel forgot to bring the food and wine. - **Diane Bernier, George Williamson,** and **Marty Matras**, among others, were asking "what the 'blank' are we here for?" Finally, **Gary Elston** and the race chairman, **Ray Naudain**, returned from Snowmass with lift tickets and Texas Ski Week Badges. At that point they were mobbed by **Tom Francis, Mike Moldofski, Bruce Maughs** and **Ron Hornyfingers** (*sic*). *The party was on the way! Although most decent skiers survive the parties so they can injure themselves while challenging the mountain, Barry Kumins* proved he is more capable than most, *i.e.* a broken ankle via the party. (*So Sorry.*)

Monday morning **Judy Schrader, Margie Cook** and **Betty Viguet** began their skiing careers with GLM lessons at Aspen Highlands. For the rest, we experienced no lift lines and beautiful weather. It seemed as if the mountains were reserved for the 1,800+ participants of Texas Ski Week. On Monday nite, **Jo Hill, Elaine Murray, Didi "hot tub referee" Marsh, Phil Unruh, Spencer King,** and **Jackie Symonds** enjoyed the Woodbridge Welcoming

Party. Where did you leave your badge **Elaine?**

On the sleigh ride **John Galloway, Karin Perkins, Judy Schrader,** and **Terry Hanks** saw their life pass before them as their rapidly moving sleigh threw a runner and teetered precariously on a canyon's edge. Only the good food and a stirring rendition of the "Flop Eared Mule" calmed them down.

Early Wednesday risers and/or Tuesday evening returners from Snowmass appreciated several hot air balloons rising above Snowmass Village. Evening wise, Chateaux Aspen's **Karin Perkins, Terry Hanks, Didi Marsh,** and **Cindy Garrett** had a traditional "chili night" for fellow skiers **Margie Cook, Tom Wright, Scott Cameron, George Sanborn,** and **John Cook**. While Terry was making phone calls reminding everyone about the racing, he was interrupted by loud screams from the Chateaux Aspen's

jacuzzi. Bathing suits were sighted on a nearby tree so high no one could get them down. **Jana** and **Steve Peters** and **Mike** and **Brenda Boland**, the "late night" hot tubbers were not denying anything, and the crowd that gathered watched on! Meanwhile at Chateaux Dumont a new record-setting performance was being established as 24 SCSC'ers (*and 3 empty Schnapps bottles*) were in the jacuzzi at one time. World record participants included **Stan Ferguson, Margaret McDonald, Kathryn Bellis, Merlyn Harger,** and **Michelle Lamb**. (*Was there a full moon that night?*)

Thursday brought on the racing! Our illustrious TC made our racing even though he was green (*such stamina!*). Noteworthy accomplishments were plentiful at the races. **Harry "Best Dressed" Brand** d.q.ed immediately before making the first gate. Way to go Harry! Our newest

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ASPEN TRADITIONAL *(continued)*

member, **Doug Van Dorsten**, singled the course with our fastest time! **Gene Turboff** finished this year! Our top woman's seed, **Shirley Andries**, busted the third gate. **Linda Kuper** conquered the course for the first time! To increase the challenge, **Cindy Garrett** attempted the course backwards (*with no luck*). **Steve Van Pelt** conserved his energy at the races so he could apply his techniques (*massaging*) at the Chateaux Dumont jacuzzi that night. Thank you "Magic Fingers" Van Pelt! Later that night **John Macdonald** and **Geoffrey Darby** demonstrated heretofore hidden culinary talents when the two banqueted **Charles Caplan**, **Karin Friedsam**, and **Keith Eastin** to a gourmet dinner!

Since **John Luckenbach** missed the timing gate at the club races, he decided to try racing that was better suited to his style, i.e. the FUN Races on Saturday. Although he thought he picked an opponent he could beat in **Rick McFarland**, **Rick**, using somewhat devious means, won the race. **John**, you took too long at the kissing booth!!! By Saturday many of our weary skiers were ready to enjoy Aspen shopping and the Winterskol parade, to name a few: **Ron** and **Halene Crossman**, **John** and **Mary Jane Stumph**, **Don** and **Paula Moyer**, and **Vicki** and **Hank Faulkner**. Other observations of the week included **John** and **William Hopson**, **Ken** and **Diane Cary**, **Mike Moldofski**, **Tom Francis**, **Ira Sanborn**, **Charles Cheatam**, **Richard Fussell**, and **Ron Schmidt** helping to subsidize the Paragon and Tippler's for the week! (*Thanks gang, Aspen needed the business!*)

With the mountains to ourselves, great weather, Winterskol and the comradery of Texas Ski Week, we once again enjoyed our visit to ASPEN!

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TEXAS SKI WEEK RACES

by George Hirasaki

Space City Ski Club stormed the Texas Ski Week with 323 regular forces and enlistees for its largest muster ever. The week began with **Bob Beattie** of NASTAR deciding that Coors (TSW sponsor) could not appear on the bibs of a NASTAR race. Consequently, the medal winners will receive a TEXSTAR medal as soon as they are minted. To add to our problems, someone stole the Texas Ski Cup. It reappeared before the trophy presentation but it was badly damaged.

On Thursday SCSC ran a record 232 racers through the gates for the Texas Ski Cup Race. Our club scored a total of 3306 points including 7 silver and 16 bronze medals. Our fastest man and woman were **Mike Dziuba** (19.76 sec.) and **Pat Tyler** (23.96 sec.). Other medal winners were **Sy Liebergot**, **Harry Gaston**, **John Cook**, **John Macdonald**, **Fred Kahrs**, **John Terzakis** and **George Hirasaki** with silver medals and **Donna Berglund**, **Bob Copple**, **Bob Fried**, **Karl Gautschi**, **Steve Gucker**, **Bob Marwin**, **Stan Ferguson**, **Gary Elston**, **Marty Matras**, **Rick McFarland**, **Ira Sanborn**, **Doug Van Dorsten**, **Tom Wright**, **Tom Mercer** and **Leona Schroeder** with bronze medals.

The spirit of the SCSC racers was exemplified by **Bette Werlin**. She took on every challenge that the race course had to offer for 183 seconds to bring home one point for the Club.

Our heroic efforts were not sufficient to regain the Texas Ski Cup from the University of Texas. They ran 292 racers through the gates (*to our 252*) to gain a total of 3971 points (*to our 3306*). A one second difference in par time set by the pacesetter may have helped them also. Their numbers in the top points (*compared to ours*) are as follows: silver - 5 (SCSC - 7); bronze -22 (SCSC - 16), and 25 points-55 (SCSC - 38). *Whippersnappers!*

The race for the top three men and women at Texas Ski Week was held on Saturday. The SCSC racers were **Sherry Lewis** (42.84), **Leslie Terzakis** (43.64), **Shirley Andries** (44.44), **Leona Schroeder** (47.30), **Katie Terzakis** (48.29), **Doug Van Dorsten** (36.64), **George Hirasaki** (37.14), **John Terzakis** (37.96), **Sy Liebergot** (39.77), and **Gary Elston** (DQ). The winning times were 37.43 for the women and 31.48 for the men. **Sherry Lewis** was 7th fastest female. **Doug Van Dorsten** was 12th fastest male.



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TEXAS SKI WEEK II

by Bill Kirk

The five o'clock traffic hour was the first encounter for the 42 hearty skiers determined to join the activities of Texas Ski Week. Last to arrive at 6:10 P.M. were Margie Lord and Roz Exley. Tommy Thompson finally passed thru the security gate on his third try after removing his belt buckle, keys, etc. As the Continental plane lifted into the air, you could almost hear Peggy Widaman's sigh of relief that everybody made it on time. There was some moaning in the ranks as we made the long walk from Concourse C to A in Denver, but soon forgotten after we boarded the Aspen Airway's plane, had a few drinks and arrived in Aspen an hour and a half later. The ski packets were handed out, everyone gathered up their luggage and "Mellow Yellow" Cabs delivered us to Silver-tree/El Dorado Inn at approximately 11:10 p.m. A few die-hards: Jim McLaughlin, Lynda Henry, Mike Cronan, Marilyn Stinson, Steve Kroger, Anne Daly, Bill Kirk, Tommy Thompson (and Peggy Widaman who showed up after thirty minutes of try-

ing to find us at "Harry's Confectionaire," which is twenty-five feet from the front door of the Silvertree) opted for a night cap.

Thursday morning was a busy one for everybody. Pam Holder and Tom Mercer were at the free Continental breakfast before anyone else. Dick Howard was headed for High Alpine and others were headed up the lifts to get a few runs in before the big race at 2:00 p.m. Approximately 27 Texas Ski Week II participants ran the race.

After a hard day of skiing everybody was ready for the "Get Acquainted Party" Thursday night at the "Rathskellar Lounge." The bartender, Bill Kirk, kept the drinks flowing. Bill Landfield was drinking straight Bloody Mary mix and checking out the single women. Robert Scott, where did you leave your hat? Later that evening, Joyce Sullivan, Nekita Capps, Dick Howard, Tommy Thompson and Barbara Maternek enjoyed dinner at the Tower Restaurant.

Another group found the "Stew Pot" for a good bowl of steaming hot

stew, where Leona Schroeder almost lost her officer's badge (in the stew?).

Friday, a NASTAR race was on the schedule at Buttermilk. Congratulations first time medal winners: Peggy Chancey (GOLD and Bronze), and Bill Kirk (Bronze). Bob and Faye Mays were giving their best at Snowmass along with Kathy Mitchell; watch out NASTAR, they'll be ready next year. Janet Legler, use your edges on the Edge next time?

That night Melissa Barham and Laura Gangluff stopped by the Woodbridge for the Rums of Puerto Rico party and came out wearing orange Snowmass hats. Before partying too much, Steve Kroger and Anne Daly joined the crowd in Aspen for drinks or dinner at the Copper Kettle. At the Continental Hotel, a great "Blue Grass" band, "Hot Rise," was playing. Bill Kirk showed everyone a new dance called "Shucking the Corn." Roger Holzman and Barry Schector were out of luck on the bus back to Snowmass that night, Nekita Capps

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TEXAS SKI WEEK III TRIP

by Pete Meaden

Texas Ski Week III was off to a great start Saturday afternoon, Jan. 8, with all skiers checked in 30 minutes early. **Pete Meaden** was amazed, considering many of these same skiers didn't arrive at the September meeting early enough to join any of the other TSW trips. The most memorable part of the bus ride Saturday night was the singing of "Camptown Races" by the Do-Das, which included **Paul Kraft, Ron Flowers, Bob Henderson** and others in the back of the bus.

Our arrival in Snowmass Village brought the first group of SCSC skiers and the only new snow all week. Early Sunday we were out on the slopes for a full day of skiing. Many skiers, including first-time skier **Andy Sugalski**, enrolled in ski school for some coaching on the slopes. Monday night's TSW Welcome Party at the Woodbridge was overrun by the college crowd, which provided a foreshadowing of future events.

The wine and cheese party by the pool Tuesday found **Brenda & Bill Peavy, Kathy Triplett, Chuck Guffy, Mary Quinn, Marcia Renaldi, Marlene Colunga** (Where was Fred??), **Connie Hinshaw, Pete Meaden, and Ron Flowers** testing the heated pool and sauna while **Mark Sadler** and others served refreshments.

On Wednesday a group of hot-

doggers including **Tim Coen, Bob Porter, and Russell Streetman** "challenged" Ruthie's Run at Aspen Mountain. Thursday, **Lois McCarnes** and **Pauline Crowder** graced us with their presence at Snowmass for the TSW races. We all want to know why they skied at Aspen Highlands every other day??? **John Terzakis** did a fine job of "warming up" the NOT READY FOR PRIME TIME SKIERS before the race. **Fred Kahrs, Mike Dziuba, and John** won silver medals for SCSC. **Dave Donahue, Katie Terzakis, Cindy Finch, Tim Coen, and Leslie Terzakis** each contributed 25 points to the club total. Other members earning points included **Bob Finch, Sam McClellan, Billie Nowak, Carol & Doug Sprague, Mel Tawney, and Dick Tomasulo**. Among those discussing the races at the Timbermill Bar and collect-

ing TSW shot glasses were **Mike Doyle** and **Harvey Malyn**.

Friday night, "Aspen Night," found **Lois Carey** and **Pat Snell** with most of the 1800+ Texans in the restaurants and night spots of Aspen. This was our last night on the town and by all accounts it was a good one.

Saturday we bid farewell to Snowmass and settled down to a long but scenic trip back to Denver. New members, **Carl & Lynda Tolbert**, flew back from Aspen missing the bus ride and gourmet meal by "Deputy" **Gail Bernstein**. Every few miles **Tom Fore** asked about turning the radio to the football game, could his interest have been more than casual??? Everyone and their luggage arrived safely back in Houston on Saturday night. We all took home memories of a fun filled Texas Ski Week.



Texas Ski Week III class picture. Next reunion 1984.

TEXAS SKI WEEK II, (continued)

would not "mother anyone" on the way back. **Leslie Taylor**, what did you find in your hamburger at Andres??

C. J. Fairchild and **Melodye** spent Saturday over at Highlands. **Debra Norvick**, after disappearing for a day with friends, showed up well and sunburned from skiing.

The hamburger cook-out and Fun Races were fun to watch on Saturday. Among the crowd watching the activities were **Diane Schneider** and **Janis Munn**. Would you believe, "Legs Widaman", attempting a three-foot Limbo-pole and **Bill Kirk** kissing the girl with the paper bag on her head?

The Hot Tub party that evening was catered by the "No-Name Skiers,"

Bill Brooks and **Clayton Snear**, who donated a case of champagne. Joining in the partying eleven were **Grace Burnett, Dominic Garafolo** and **Barbara Roberts**. **Laura Gangluff** gave lessons to **Bill Kirk** on how to roll in the snow and then jump in the hot tub. Everybody enjoyed **Melissa Barham's** joke, "hit the nickel, hit the dime, hit the quarter" and all the action she put into it, especially watching from the back.

Checking in with **Doris Hemsworth** and **Pat Baldwin**, we found they were die-hard skiers, not missing one single day. Following the Awards party, the "Blueberry Club" was literally taken over by Space City. A one man band kept everyone danc-

ing. Free Peppermint Schnapps, compliments of **Kathy Mitchell's** husband **Tim**, were drunk by everyone. Somehow, the table made it through without breaking, but it's a wonder.

Our accident report was, thank goodness, sparse. **C. J. Fairchild**, while skiing the "Big Burn," ran into a tree and dislocated his shoulder. **Norman Rund**, while returning his skis in the mall, slipped and fell. No damage done except for his pride. Thanks, **Robert Scott**, and the others for helping carry the luggage from "Mellow Yellow" Cabs at Aspen Airport on our return. Let's go back next year, to wherever Texas Ski Week will be held, and try again for the Cup.

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