

# Sitzmarke

march 1975



# space city ski club

## 1974-1975

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## SKI MEETING

MARCH 10, 1975

Monday - 7:30 P.M.

Sonny Look's SirLoin  
 Restaurant

South Loop West & So. Main

## programs

By Wayne Ahrens

GUESS WHAT! Another great film presentation. This one features RMD. Gar Bering will be on hand to answer any questions concerning RMD after the film.

As you will notice, there is an application on the back cover for the Bicycle Expedition being planned for March 22nd. Send it in right away.

Also, don't forget the Locked-In sale on Saturday, March 8th. Let's all support our Sitzmarke advertisers, especially when they are SCSC members.

## swap shop

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Gene Holland  
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Please contact Pat Vigeon  
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### COVER PHOTOGRAPH:

Sy Liebergot

## calendar of events

March 10	Regular Meeting
March 14-22	Purgatory-Telluride Trip
March 21	Wine Tasting
March 22	Bicycle Trip
March 26-30	Vail-Easter Trip

## nominating committee

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### APPLICATIONS

End of Month - January '75

Singles . . . . . 826

Married . . . . . 426

TOTAL . . . 1,252



# by-laws amendment

A proposal has been made to have member clubs allow participation in their ski trips by members of other Texas Ski Council Clubs, but under certain restrictions. The suggested procedure would be to open trips to outside clubs 60 days prior to a trip departure. Members of the other clubs could reserve a trip space upon payment of a \$100 deposit, with full payment due at the designated date. The advantages of this would be to help insure that all trips depart with full participation, to allow for greater communication between members of the various clubs, and to prompt members to sign up for their own club trips sooner. In the case of Space City Ski Club, we would probably want to de-

lay opening of our trips to other Ski Council Clubs until the time full payment for a trip is due. This is generally 30 to 45 days prior to a trip departure.

The above suggestion requires a change in the by-laws of the Space City Ski Club in order that it may be implemented. It has been decided to present the necessary change in the by-laws to the membership for vote at the March meeting. The proposed change is as follows:

## "ARTICLE III

### Section 8. Ski Trip Eligibility.

- A. A person must be a member in good standing of Space City Ski Club in order to participate in any Club sponsored ski trip.
- B. A person who is a member in good standing of a member ski club of the Texas Ski Council may participate in Club sponsored ski trips, but only under the restric-

tions imposed on such participation as outlined in the standing rules."

Please give the proposed by-law change your consideration and be ready to vote at the March 10 meeting. Any questions or comments should be directed to Jim McIntyre, home 686-7809, office 227-4371, ext. 408; Harry Gaston, home 468-7414, office 228-8711; or Bob Olsen, home 524-2730, office 627-7440.



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# Eatzmarke

by Bob Olsen

At last, Bob Petner, we are going to report on those little known establishments that serve the most refreshing salads, sandwiches and beverages anywhere. These places are unique because you can eat your fill of a good nourishing meal for under two dollars and because they serve no meat.

The SUNSHINE HOUSE at 2111 Norfolk is located off Shepherd just north of the SW Freeway. My first experience there was a super spaghetti dinner prepared by guest chef Jackie McCauley of K101 Radio. She used soy protein instead of meat and I couldn't tell the difference! Hot meals are served only on Wednesday night . . . home cookin' night.

Terry's regular menu has fruit and garden salads, sandwiches

such as the *Agreement* (a fresh combination of avocado mix, cucumber and onion slices all covered with melted cheese, smoke-flavored protein bits and mushrooms) nestled comfortably in a 9 x 6 inch plate, and "Liquados" which combine milk, honey, ice, spices and fresh fruit. Beer, wine and entertainment (guitar ballads for tips) provide the balance. Monday through Saturday for lunch and dinner.

Not too far away, is the granddad of vegetarian restaurants in Houston. It has been there a few years and is called the HOBBIT HOLE. You can find it at 1715 Shepherd, north of West Gray.

J. B. and Hobie carry on the J. R. R. Tolkien tradition. Home made breads, raw mushrooms and avocados are used in making sandwiches which bear the names of Bilbo Baggins, Gandalf and other heroes from the *Lord of the Rings*. Homemade organic bread is used for the sandwiches and can be purchased upstairs. Beer, wine and smoothies provide liquid pleasure.

## VAIL

Easter skiers at Vail will find no shortage of eating places to drop their loot.

Vail USSA Trip Chairman Joe Murphy recommends THE LEFT BANK. THE NEW GNU may not have reopened since our red hot skiers visited in January . . . burned out, we hear. Try the quiche lorraine at ALAIN's down by the river, but beware the soups as they are clear, not thick hearty soups for skiers.

A letter to the editor notes that the China Palace at Westheimer and Sage, recently mentioned in this column, has suffered the wrath of Channel 13's Marvin Zindler and the City Health Inspector. It seems that both gentlemen's cleanliness standards were violated.

A review of the 75 restaurants covered to date in this column

shows that I did visit the kitchens in 10 of them. A lack of cleanliness at several restaurants was noted. Unfortunately, I missed the particular kitchen in question. Please accept my apology for what is not my first omission and assuredly not my last.

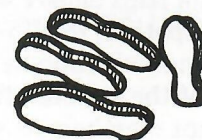
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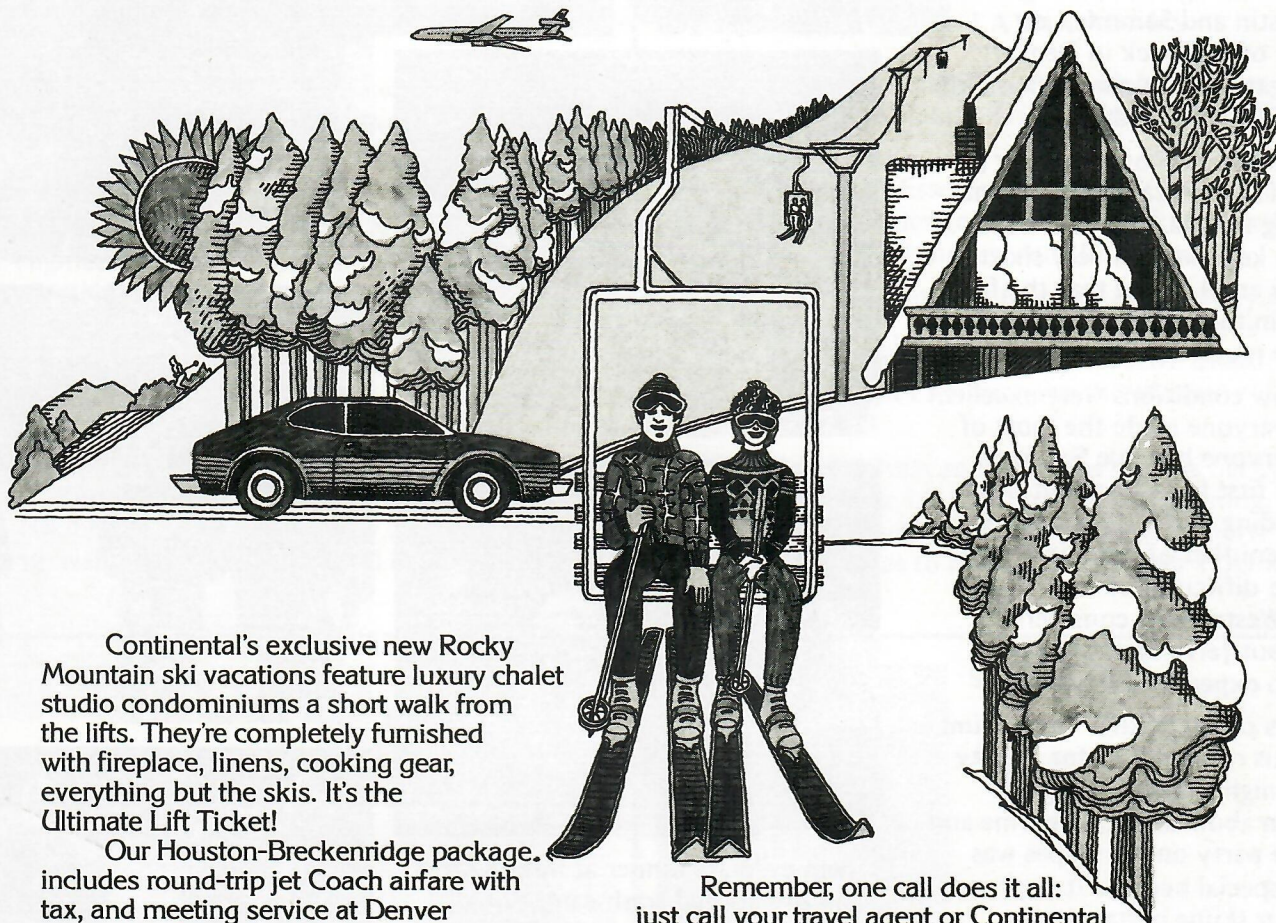


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# breckenridge

by Donna Hahus

Valentine's Day and George Washington's Birthday were well spent and long remembered occasions for 46 SCSC members. After meeting Nancy Pfluger of Austin and Sammie Lou Movar of Lubbock in Denver, we organized our own Texas Ski week in Breckenridge.

Tannenbaum by the River provided luxurious and convenient lodging for the next four days. Room keys were in very short supply and I doubt that the fire hoses in the hallways have ever had so much use.

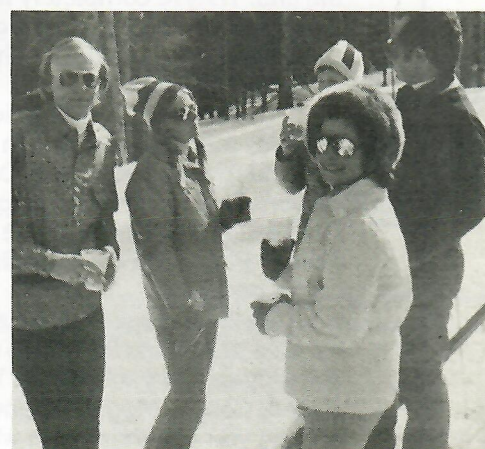
Snow conditions were excellent and everyone made the most of it. Everyone but Sue Sapaugh, whose first lesson was cut short by landing in the stream. There was a conflict of opinion regarding the difficulty of Tiger Run. Mike Westmacott considered it good but Jerry Maley did not care to experience it again.

Hats off to Dutiful Duff Trimble (and his roommates) for a party every night. Volatile liquids were in abundance. The wine and cheese party on the slopes was extra special because it improved your skiing better than a dozen lessons.

Night life proved adequate for those who had enough energy to walk into town. We depended on Winton Adams to case the joints during the day and then direct us at night. I wonder what happened to that dollar bill he had folded up to tuck in the Belly Dancer's "belt" at Andrea's.

On Sunday, several members of the group traveled to the other mountains. Copper Mountain is NOT named for the color of its snow. We're all sorry that Carl Pickett's skis were exchanged in Vail.

All areas were crowded over the holiday weekend. Tom Bald-



win even ate dinner at Mike's on an overturned trash can. But all too soon it was time to head home. We desperately needed song sheets in order to keep up with Nancy Barlow's repertoire on the bus. Jim Knox's yodeling was enjoyable, but he'd best continue practicing until he and Monique arrive in Switzerland. Stapleton airport lounge will never be the same without Pat McLaughlin's under-the-table bar. So glad we didn't land in jail!

Special thanks to Greg Danneels. It sure is handy having the Continental rep on your trip. Thanks also to a congenial and co-operative group of people who helped so much in making this a smooth and enjoyable trip for all!



THREE MOUNTAINS





# 1974-5 Trip Schedule



M A R  2 6  -  M A R  3 0	<p style="text-align: center;">\$240</p> <p style="text-align: center;">SKI 7 DAYS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">TWO NEW AREAS</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Purgatory - Telluride</b></p> <p>Chairman: BOB PETNER      926-4703 Assistant: ANN CORNISH      661-4593</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">\$197</p> <p style="text-align: center;">SKI 5 DAYS</p> <div data-bbox="933 577 1128 703" data-label="Image"></div> <p style="text-align: center;">AT EASTER</p> <p>Chairman: LAURA CALLIHAN      495-2207 Assistant: JIM BENEFIELD      626-0150</p>	M A R  1 4  -  M A R  2 2
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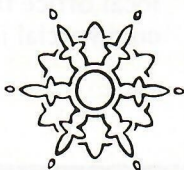
## Back To Wine

by Gene Holland

The spate of holiday parties has finally slowed and spring is coming at last to South Texas. Now's the time to brush up on your wine knowledge to help prepare you for all of the upcoming SCSC canoe trips, bicycle rides, spring picnics and other outdoor activities. We'll hold our first 1975 Ski Club Wine Tasting at the Cellar-master, 3207 Fondren, at 7:45 p.m. on Friday, March 21st. The package includes six kinds of Beaujolais, cheese and bread, and a short, pithy discussion by Cellarmaster personnel, for only \$3.25 per person. We can accommodate between 30 and

35 ski club members and friends, but reservations are a must. Please call the Cellar-master directly at 784-5280 and make your reservations. We hope to increase the number of tastings to two per month in April, but meanwhile this will be the only Club sponsored tasting to be held in March. I hope many of you are now "ready to roll" again, but, of course, I also hope you haven't slowed your consumption of the "noble grape" during the past few months!

As you learn more about the pleasures and subtleties of wine, you will begin to realize why this "food" is so good for you and why you like it so much. Just think of all the other things you enjoy that probably aren't nearly as good for you . . .



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## PRESIDENT



**ROBERT OLSEN**

## TREASURER

**JIM PLUMMER**

Robert Olsen, nominee for President, believes we must be doing something right . . . we have more members, more and better skiers and higher attendance at General Meetings. He believes the past and continued success of our Club is based on the spirit of cooperation and willingness to work shown by so many old and new members.

Bob applied his management consulting background to Club affairs this year as Treasurer. His accomplishments include: (1) implementing the automated accounting system established by his predecessor, (2) doubling Club interest income by speeding cash flow and (3) collecting all those old accounts receivable.

You can be sure to find Bob on the Thanksgiving and Aspen trips. He hasn't missed the former in four years. He has met his goal of 20 days of skiing two seasons in a row, and picked up a couple of NASTAR medals on the way. His ideas for the future include:

- \* surveys to find out what members really want from their Club leadership,
- \* quality ski trips and activities at the lowest possible cost,
- \* continued tight management control of Club affairs,
- \* and, the impossible dream . . . better bus service at the ski areas and on-time departures from the airport!

Jim Plummer graduated from college with a Bachelors in Mechanical Engineering and a Masters in Industrial Management. He has been employed by Texaco for ten years. He has lived in Houston seven years, and has been a member of the ski club four years. Jim participated in ten club ski trips. In 1974, he was assistant for the Spring Follies.



## VICE PRESIDENT PUBLICATIONS

**JANIS HUGHEN**

Janis Hughen, a native Houstonian, has been a member of the ski club three years. She has made five trips with the club, and participated in many programs and off-season activities.

Janis' interest in publications began in Austin while at the University of Texas, where she was editor-in-chief of the Cactus Yearbook. She was named an outstanding student at Texas and graduated with a B.S. degree in Interior Design.

Janis now works as an Interior Designer with a local office furniture firm, specializing in planning commercial interiors.



# NOMINEES

## VICE PRESIDENT TRIPS



**BOB ALLGEIER**

Bob Allgeier, Air Force brat, grew up all over the U. S., Hawaii, and North Africa. Bob received a B.S. in Las Cruces, New Mexico and an M.S. degree from the University of Houston.

He has worked eleven years for NASA as a cryogenic engineer and co-authored a book. Bob recently married Kathy Hoffmaster.

Bob has been an SCSC member for three years and was Assistant Trip Chairman for the 1970 Breckenridge and Trip Chairman for this year's Salt Lake City trip. He has been on at least two trips each year, and has participated in many non-ski SCSC activities. Bob has contributed several articles and covers this year. Hobbies, in addition to snow skiing, are oil painting, water skiing, camping and bass fishing.

## VICE PRESIDENT PROGRAMS



**LAYNA ADAMS**

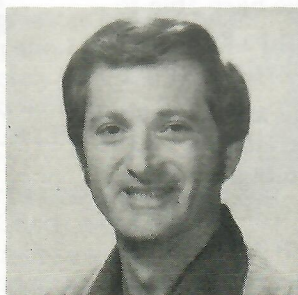
Layna has participated in many club activities as well as being an Assistant Trip Chairman and a Trip Director this year.

Layna works at Esso Eastern in the Graphics Department. She designed the Texas Ski Council logo which is found throughout the Sitzmarke.

Outside SCSC, Layna is involved in company employee club work . . . Vice President of Women's Activities and a member of the Executive Board and Entertainment Chairman for the company singles club.

Her other interests and activities include her two children, daughter 13, son 11, cooking, bowling, tennis, water skiing, dancing, traveling and horticulture. She hopes to hear what interests YOU in club programs.

## VICE PRESIDENT MEMBERSHIP



**SY LIEBERGOT**

Sy Liebergot, nominee for Vice President of Membership, has become an enthusiastic skier since his first trip with SCSC three seasons ago. Since then, he has become increasingly active in the club: he was Assistant Trip Chairman on last year's Aspen 'B' trip, presently serves as a Trip Director and was a last-minute substitute Assistant Trip Chairman on this year's Aspen trip. He has also contributed articles and photos to the Sitzmarke.

Other facets of Sy's life include playing classical guitar, ice skating, camping, tennis, bicycling, cooking (Italian and barbecue are his specialties), wine and people.

Sy works for NASA. He will be working as a Spacecraft Systems Flight Controller during the Russian-American space mission this summer.

## SECRETARY



**JANET PICKELL**

Janet Pickell, nominee for Secretary, although originally from Louisiana, has lived in Houston most of her life. She attended the University of Texas and received a B.A. in English. Presently she is a legal secretary with the Dow Chemical Company and prior to this, she taught English and Journalism in a Houston high school. She still enjoys dabbling in journalism and has written articles for her company's publication, the "Dow Houstonian", and the Sitzmarke.

A club member for four years, Janet has made nine ski trips, was assistant Trip Chairman for the Sun Valley trip in 1974, and this year is Trip Chairman for the Lake Tahoe trip.



# apres ski

By Peggy Adams



This may have been the writer's last ski season. It seems that either Continental Airlines or the bus company that was used for the Aspen Trip lost all of my ski clothes that it had taken years to accumulate. It appears that an Interstate Commerce violation happened when somebody pilfered my clothes. Because they were stolen in one state and transported to another, the airlines have the FBI involved. It's turning out to be rather exciting, but I sure wish I had my ski clothes back. I'm keeping my fingers crossed!

Gene Holland took a beautiful girl skiing to Red River. He has his daughter, Hilary, visiting him from Salvador, Brazil. They went on a 10-day ski trip and he says that it costs just as much to take your ten-year old daughter skiing as it does a date.

Our congratulations to Chairman Mike Gay and the members of the Nominating Committee who selected the slate of officers for next year. It's not easy being a member of that committee and we want you all to know your efforts are appreciated. It appears we will have some fine leadership again.

On the most recent trip to Steamboat Springs Ruth Roy's daughter Cricket got peritonitis and spent the entire trip in the hospital at Steamboat plus four more days in a Houston hospital. Dr. Mike Kelley, SCSC member, who has been most helpful on our ski trips, took care of Cricket. Thanks, Mike. It's nice to know you are near and willing to help. Ruth reports that Cricket has recovered completely by now.

Don't forget to go by Ruth Roy's ski sale on March 8.

Winton Adams is spending time in the San Francisco/Los Angeles area these days. He's sales manager for Tideland Signal Corporation for their Texas and California areas. I asked him if he had a traveling secretary and he said that he's still looking. He does his interviewing on planes going back and forth. That's going a little too far, Winton!

We are happy to report, for those who might be interested, that Ken Cary got a negative back on his recent mono report.

Dr. Jim Keatts, an eye surgeon and SCSC member, could not get on the waiting list for the Aspen trip so he organized his own group of 15 who stayed at Snowmass at the same time the Club's trip was there. Unfortunately, we didn't know Jim and his group were there until we arrived back in Houston. Jim was 47th at the time he tried the Aspen waiting list and was told it was hopeless to expect to go with the Club. As it turned out, 80 people cancelled and Jim would have been able to make it. We're glad to know that we have a potential trip chairman.

Kam Kirkconnell and a friend are teaching "Hang Gliding" (free flight). Sounds interesting! Give Kam a call and he will fill you in on the details. Kam also won the downhill races this year in Aspen after skiing only a very short time. Guess who was the slowest? . . . Yours truly.

The evening of last month's SCSC meeting Jim Knox and Monique Guentensperger were married. I'm told that Jim lost 15 pounds before the wedding. The newlyweds have moved into a new townhouse. Best wishes to two very nice people.

The Steamboat Springs trip must have been great. I'm still hearing rumors about it. Seems that Trip Chairman Ed Chambliss had the buses stop at the "Largest Liquor Store in the World" in Denver. Can you imagine three busloads of SCSC members converging on that place? Miles Anderson got lost after he came down the second aisle.

Rachel Pabst was teased a lot during the trip for the garbage between her knees! You'll just have to ask her about that one. I wouldn't touch it with a ten foot pole.



## It's here!

# SKI SALE

## March 13, 14, & 15

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# Texas Ski Council



by Jerry Kearby

Nineteen Texas Ski Clubs will meet in Austin April 29 with various ski areas. They are meeting to discuss package discounts on lift tickets, lessons, condominiums, etc. The decision as to where the Texas Ski Week Races will be held next year will be selected from these presentations.

As you may know, Space City lost the Texas Ski Cup to Dallas at Steamboat Springs in January. There were 142 actual racers, approximately 20 of these had been skiing only two days and all twenty crossed the finish line.

We hope to encourage more of our people to enter the races. We want to reclaim the cup next year.

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

With reference to Bob Olsen's *Eatzmarke* article in the January *SITZMARKE*, may I suggest that if Bob is going to recommend restaurants such as *The China Palace*, he should take a look a behind the scenes.

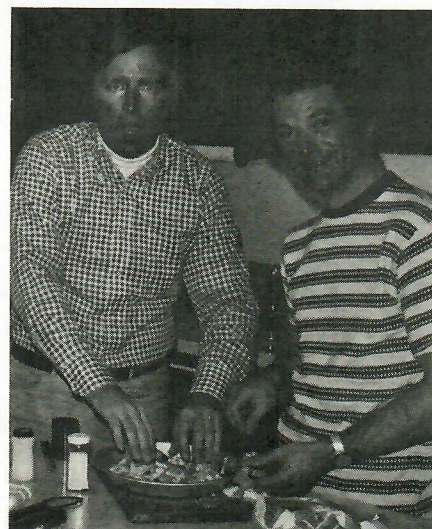
In the middle of January on Channel 13, Marvin Zindler visited the *China Palace* at Sage and Westheimer with the City of Houston Health Inspector. At that time foods were seized because of contamination, garbage cans filled with filth were within two inches of a cutting board on which chicken and beef were cut, and the Health Inspector closed that kitchen until it could be cleaned up to standards set by the City of

Houston. All of this was televised and was very unappetizing.

Bob, may I suggest that you check out those restaurants that you recommend a little more closely.

Very truly yours,  
Peggy Adams

P.S. I'll bet you didn't think any one read your column, did you?



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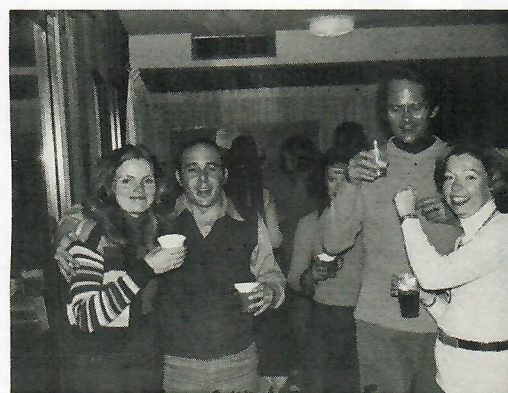
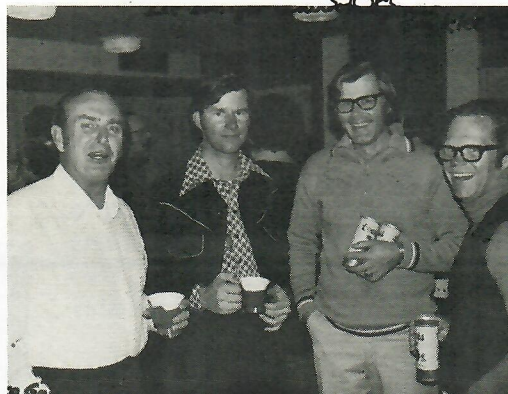
*(Special mention to Jim Newlin, the original Assistant Trip Chairman who was unable to go at the last minute.)*

Something new on the Aspen trip this year: an endurance test, a basic nine-hour bus ride from Colorado Springs, was endured by 89 hardy souls (a few refused the test and got off in Denver). The bus ride was highlighted by: great resignation, driving snow, a one-hour stop to install chains, and many attempts to sleep. **John Potter** and one bus driver were **Mary Nicholson's** avid listeners for almost nine hours. **Jerry Maley** kept his bus cheered up with pronouncements such as "We probably won't get there til noon," and "I'll be surprised if the driver keeps the bus on the road." Jerry was appointed Vice President in charge of Gloom and Despair. Anyway, we arrived in Aspen at 5:30 a.m. and a few hardy skiers did manage to ski most of that day. The snow conditions were mostly hard pack but that was remedied with a foot of fresh powder four days later.

*A good time was had by all:* The rounds began with a complimentary wine party hosted by our condominium's **Ann Bickley** with movies shown by Aspen Highlands' **Judy Coyle**.

Monday found many of us on top of Aspen Highlands' Cloud 9 with complimentary wine and sandwiches, watching the Ski Patrol risk their bods in aerial acrobatics. None of our group appeared willing to follow in their ski tracks.

The next evening found us chest-to-chest in **Donna Davis'** condo for our first cocktail party. The only complaints were from those chest-to-chest with their own sex. Everyone really got it



## TRADITIONAL

together. This was repeated Friday by popular demand.

Aspen Ski Corporation conducted our fun races and also hosted a wine and sandwich party for us on Tiehack. **Kam Kirkconnell**, who first donned skis with us at Aspen last year, was the super skier with the fastest time; **Peggy Adams** was the Turtle and (here he is, folks) **Jack Rich** was judged The Most Graceful for his performance, wiping out at the finish line - not once, not twice, but three times. **Chuck Thompson** thinks Jack is clumsy.

*Oh, No! I didn't!*

(a) **Sprain My Ankle** -- Yes, you did, **Martha Heubel**; as a matter of fact, you tore your achilles tendon. **Dr. Mike Kelley** treated Martha for a possible break on the return plane trip and managed to get him and her moved to first class, with a first-class medical performance: "It takes a worried doctor." **Dvosha Gay** sprained both ankles, but preferred to do each on a separate day! Practice makes perfect. **John Gay** managed to stay healthy this trip.

(b) **Break My Leg/Ankle/Wrist/Chest** -- **Mary Riley** broke her ankle on the second day but stayed the rest of the trip and made it to all the parties. Good sport award to Mary! **Lloyd Johnson** managed a hairline fracture of a small shin bone which sent him home early. **Chris Oertli** tried to break his chest by falling face down on his camera. Rumor has it he failed; turns out it's tougher to break oak than crystal; late word has it that our leader, **Donna Davis**, suffered a cracked rib.

*Superskiers!*

Turns out we had some FAST skiers on this trip and many raced NASTAR at both Aspen Highlands





and Buttermilk. Here are the medal results:

Warren Michaels	- 1 Silver
Darwin Miller	- 2 Bronze
Bob Olsen	- 2 Bronze
Lee Bollinger	- 1 Bronze
Mike Gay	- 1 Bronze
George Kleeman	- 1 Bronze
Jack Rich	- 1 Bronze

How's that, Sports Fans?

*Odds and Ends:*

\* I managed to resurrect the ancient art of spoon hanging (from the nose) on this trip. A few other people were sporting enough to try it, including Peter Brown of the Al Aban Restaurant.

\* Rumor has it there's no such thing as a popcorn omelet.

\* When it was discovered that Bob Olsen had air bladder boots (complete with pump and pressure gauge), they were promptly renamed "Hoverboots".

\* Darwin Miller's hat went nowhere without him.

\* Judy Allen and Donna Davis love cross-country skiing; looks like a lot of work to me.

\* The condominium of Bill Brooks, Jim Plummer (Yosemite Sam), Bob Olsen and yours truly, known as Gourmets Unruly, managed to eat our own cooking - Stroganoff Olsen and Chicken Texas. Also, a spaghetti dinner highlighted our first annual celebration of the spaghetti harvest in Switzerland (Spaghetifest).

\* Matt and Judy Roesler met on last year's Aspen 'B' trip and returned married this year.

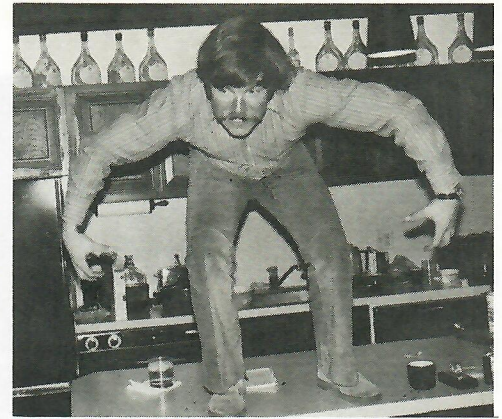
\* Bumped into SCSC members Dick Streeter, Jay Atchley, and Miles Anderson on the trip.

*High Praise!*

... to Donna Davis, our trip chairperson, for running the trip and responding to most everyone's special needs.

... to our bus driver who managed to keep complete control of the bus when the left-front tire blew out on the free-way back to Denver.

... to all the trip participants.



"No one ever said it was easy to have fun." Thanks for making it so easy for Donna and me!







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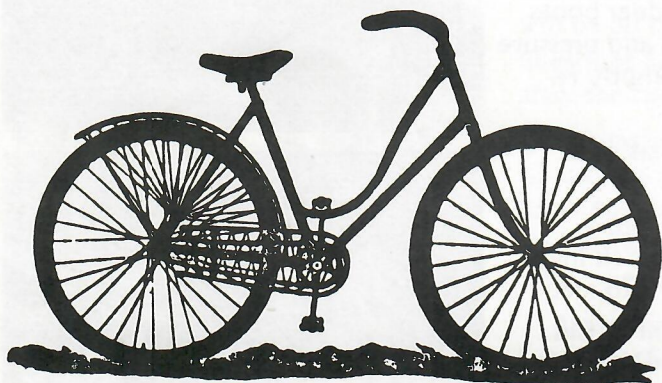


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