



**Torrey Pines
Ski Club**

YEAR ROUND SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB

DECEMBER 2013

**51st ANNIVERSARY
1962-2013**

President's Corner



HELLO EVERYONE,

Now is a good time to take stock of ourselves and our lives. We all have a pretty good life here and should be thankful for our friends and family-all of those whose presence makes our life worth living. This friendship helps to ease the setbacks and minor crises we often experience. I'm thankful for all of

you who are my friends.

Now is the time we must firm up our reservations for accommodations on our ski trips. We need all of your deposits by the end of the month. If you wish to go on the joint trip to Winter Park,

you must have your deposit and first payment (total of \$600) in by November 14 or we can't guarantee the listed price.

This looks like a good ski year. Lots of snow has already fallen. Several areas are already open and by the time your get this newsletter Mammoth will be open and perhaps an area or two at Lake Tahoe.

I hope to see you all at the Gala and the other great events that we have. Don't forget Toys for Tots at our December general meeting.

Best Wishes for a happy and healthy holiday season, Joe

Ski Plans For 2014

- **January 5-10, 2014** – Mammoth – we have reserved the four bedroom three bath unit at the 1849 Condos.
- **January 25-February 1, 2014** – Far West Ski Week at Beaver Creek, Colorado.
- **March 5-12, 2014** – Winter Park, Colorado.
- **March 23-28, 2014** is our second trip to Mammoth.

See details inside the newsletter.



Thank you

Thank you to those that gave monetary donations and also those bringing food and baby items to the November meeting. SDMOM serves the junior enlisted military family (mostly ranks E-5 and below), typically headed by a 19-23 year old, with young children, away from home, and trying to survive in our expensive economy. We appreciate their service.

Barbara



Let's celebrate the spirit of Christmas by putting smiles on the faces of children.

BRING A NEW

UNWRAPPED GIFT TO THE DECEMBER 3 GENERAL MEETING (VALUE AT LEAST \$10.00)...CASH OR CHECK made payable to Toys for Tots is greatly appreciated. They use the cash or checks to purchase gifts in the age group that is needed. The Toys for Tots event is sponsored by the United States Marine Corps. Thanks



ATTENTION MEMBERS - If you have any suggestions or contacts for speakers or presentations at our General Meetings please contact any board member.

Crazy Bridge - Thank you Diane and Clint



Cabrillo Festival





JUST FOR FUN

San Diego Sun Harbor Chorus presents North Pole Express

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2013 AT 2:00 PM

CASA DEL PRADO THEATER-BALBOA PARK

\$20.00 GENERAL ADMISSION - \$15.00 - SENIORS

FOR INFORMATION OR QUESTIONS CALL: MARIE ESTOCIN 858-412-5464 (CELL 858-755-2992) MESTOCIN@GMAIL.COM

Warren Miller Ski Movie

Carlsbad Village Theatre

2822 STATE STREET, CARLSBAD

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2013

5:00 PM FOR HAPPY HOUR

7:00 PM MOVIE • \$20.00

Meet at the Coyote Bar and Grill at 5:00 PM for Happy Hour Fun. (Coyote Bar – 300 Carlsbad Village Drive). We will walk across the street to the village Theatre for the 7:00 PM showing of "Ticket to Ride". Tickets can be purchased at the door, also REI in Encinitas or San Diego.

Shannon Miller 760-722-2734



Bocce Ball is on Break for the Holidays...will be back in January!

Senior Monday

Reuben H. Fleet

Science Center

1875 EL PRADO (BALBOA PARK)

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2013

NEW TIME - 10:30 AM IN THE

HEIKOFF DOME THEATER

\$8.00 ENTRANCE FEE

(FOR SENIORS ABOVE 65)

THE LECTURES BEGIN AT 10:30 AM and will occur in the Heikoff Dome Theater. Lecture admission is \$8.00. Tickets are required to attend the lecture and can be requested at the Ticket Counter. Visitors are encouraged to stay to enjoy the galleries and special senior discounts in Galileo's Café and the North Star Science Store. Lecture and Film titles will be on line one week before the first Monday date or call Museum at 619-238-1233. **LECTURE-10:30 AM - IMAX FILM 12:00 PM.**

***Programs are subject to change. (rhfleet.org)**

Barbara Shramek 619-286-1250



1940 Swing Dance

CABRILLO NATIONAL MONUMENT

MUSIC BY HIGH SOCIETY JAZZ BAND

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2013

6:00 – 10:00 PM

\$20.00 PRESALE

\$30.00 AT THE DOOR

TICKETS PURCHASED ON LINE AT

1940swingdance.eventbrite.com



Cabrillo Monument was 100 years old October 14. There will be a two day celebration on December 7 and 8 during the day. (Lighthouse Tower open, antique car show-pre-1915 vehicles from the Horseless Carriage Club of America, Air raid drill, Bayside Trail walk and tour of the searchlight bunker and generator room, etc.) "Fort Rosecrans Goes to War" events are both days from 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM.

The annual 1940'S SWING DANCE EVENT IS ON DECEMBER 7 (PEARL HARBOR DAY) beginning at 6:00 PM. Music by High Society Jazz Band. There will be a catering truck with delicious food for sale at reasonable prices to provide you with enough energy to keep you dancing.

DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY TO ENJOY THE SPECTACULAR VIEWS FROM THE CABRILLO MONUMENT AT NIGHT.

Barbara Shramek 619-286-1250

***Don't forget to bring a small flashlight when visiting the monument at night.**

SD Council Holiday

Happy Hour

Hotel Del Coronado

BABOCK & STORY BAR

DOWNSTAIRS

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2013

5:00 - 7:00 PM



It is a tradition to join the San Diego Ski Clubs for this Annual Holiday Happy Hour at the beautiful Hotel Del Coronado. This is a great way to mingle with other clubs and enjoy the beautiful decorations and tree at the hotel. Happy hour prices are in effect, holiday attire is encouraged (wear Santa hats). This event is always a big success - don't miss it.

Barbara Blasé 858-270-0915 or Rusty Etzel 619-656-8197

Ballroom with a Twist

Winter Pops

SATURDAY, JANUARY 18, 2014

8:00 PM

MEMBERS \$27.00

NON-MEMBERS \$29.00

CUTOFF DATE IS

DECEMBER 16, 2014

Tango, Cha-Cha, Samba, Rumba, Waltz, Foxtrot, Quickstep, Jive, and then some. Ballroom with a Twist is back by popular demand. We will be going to Symphony Hall. Don't miss this incredible evening of grace, athleticism and passion designed by *Dancing with the Stars* choreographer Louis van Amstel and with music from talented *American Idol* singers. You will be swept away by the sights and sounds of this stunning production. This event will sell out quickly. We have a limited number of seats. As always, we will meet upstairs for drinks and dinner before the show. This will sell out quick so send your check ASAP made out to TPSC with a SASE to:



Debbie Schroeder 2331 Darlington Row La Jolla, CA 92037

858-551-9651

December Bike Rides

LEVEL A – MOSTLY FLAT SATURDAY – 10:00 AM IN CASE OF RAIN, CALL LEADER FOR RIDE

December 7, Bay to Broadway, Bali Hai parking lot, N. Shelter Island (TG 1268 C3) **Mary Coates, 858-453-5376**

December 14, no ride scheduled

December 21, Bay Loop, Parking lot north of Visitor Center, Mission Bay (TG 1248 D7) **Eileen Frame, 858-569-096**

December 28, Around Miramar Lake, Meet in parking lot near restrooms (TG 1209 G3) **Kathy Hagenbach, 858-485-5506**

Rides depart 15 minutes after meet time

Bike Coordinator: Kathy Hagenbach 858-485-5506 khagen@att.net



2014 Ski Season

January 5-10, 2014-

Mammoth, we have reserved the four bedroom three bath unit at the 1849 Condos. The cost is approximately \$350 (\$500 if we rent a bus). Price includes room and happy

hours. Send a \$200 deposit, check made payable to TPSC and send to Steward Smith 8080 Wing Span Drive, San Diego, CA 92119 (619-303-4050)

January 25-February 1, 2014 - Far West Ski Week at Beaver Creek, Colorado. Excellent units have been reserved for us. For information call Susan Shaffer 12384 Sardina Circle San Diego, CA 92130 (858-481-5043) susansnowdrifter@yahoo.com.

March 5-12, 2014, (mid-week) Winter Park Colorado, Our joint trip with the North Island Snowdrifters includes Hotel or condo accommodations. The trip price for the Vintage Hotel is \$999 and the Zephyr Condo (ski in-out) is \$1,160. The two units are next door to each other. Price includes airfare from and to San Diego and all ground transportation, welcoming party and 4-day lift ticket. Additional lift tickets may be ordered. There may be a side trip to Loveland Basin. Send a deposit check of \$100 made payable to North Island Snowdrifters and mail to Jean McCassey 10645 Esmeraldas Dr. San Diego CA 92124. A second deposit of \$500 is due by November 14, 2013 - the remainder is due by January 4, 2014. After November 14, we cannot guarantee prices so please register by then.

March 23-28, 2014 is our second trip to Mammoth at 1849 Condos. The trip is similar to the January trip.



San Diego Council Of Ski Clubs

Be sure to pick up the new 2013-2014 Skiers Guide. Sarah Hendrickson on the cover jumping in the 2013 World Championships – Val di Fiemme, Italy in February where she won the competition.

The San Diego Ski Council's annual Holiday Happy Hour is at the Hotel Del Coronado on Thursday, December 19 from 5-7 PM.

There are four double rooms (8 openings) left on the trip of a lifetime, the African Safari Serengeti Council trip (8/18/14 - 9/1/14). This trip is being booked through Overseas Adventure Travel 1-800-955-1925. The reservation code G4-24570 is reserved for this San Diego Council adventure. The cost is \$5,685 including international airfare from San Diego with stops in Arusha, Tarangire, Oldupai Gorge, Serengeti National Park and Ngorongoro Highlands and Crater. Trip leader and contact person is Eileen Sanford esanford1@san.rr.com or 858-695-1442 for further information. Let her know if you're interested in the pre and post trip options.

The annual Council Aspen, CO ski trip, December 11-17, 2013 for 5 days of wonderful skiing is full. Call Mike Sanford (858-695-1442) with questions and to get on the wait list. Aspen is boasting 51 inches of snow as of right now.

San Diego has filled 44 spots on the FWSA Beaver Creek, CO, January 25 – February 1, 2014. There is one spot on the wait list. Call Susan Shaffer at 858-481-5043 for the registration and trip fliers with all the information.

Pacific Rim Alliance is running a Big White, Canada ski trip April 5-12, 2014 for \$699. Please contact Gene Fulkerson www.PacificRimAlliance.org for their flier with all the details. FWSA has announced their 2014 international ski trip to Zermatt, Switzerland with a post-trip to Spain. Always see fwsa.org for more details.

The 82nd FWSA Convention, Volcanic Paradise, will be held at Bend, Oregon June 12-15, 2012. I'll have more exciting details next month.

Rusty Etzel, Council Rep 619-656-8197



Torrey Pines Ski Club

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Sign this application.

Make check payable to: Torrey Pines Ski Club.

Mail you check and application to:

Barbara Shramek, 7940 Forrestal Road, San Diego, CA 92120-1712

Membership Application

Membership begins upon receipt of dues and approval of application and ends July 31st. **Full year dues are \$35. New members joining after April 1st pay \$15 for April-July 31st membership.**

New Membership ☐

Renewal ☐

PRINT FIRST NAME

MIDDLE INITIAL

LAST NAME

AREA CODE

TELEPHONE: HOME

NUMBER

STREET

UNIT NUMBER

CITY

STATE

ZIP

E-MAIL

CELL PHONE

CHECK INTERESTS:

() BIKING () BOCCIE BALL () CROSS COUNTRY () GOLF () HIKE/WALKS () SKIING

() SPECIAL EVENTS () THEATRE () VOLUNTEER

() OTHER _____

SIGNATURE

DATE

I hereby apply for membership in the TORREY PINES SKI CLUB. GENERAL RELEASE AND WAIVER - I release TPSC, its directors, officers, members and representatives from any and all claims or liability that may arise from participation in any of its activities and indemnify and hold them harmless from any claim by, or liability to, any guest of mine at club activities. I further waive my rights under California Civil Code Section 1542 which reads, "A general release does not extend to claims which the creditor does not know or suspect to exist in his favor at the time of executing the release, which if known by him must have materially affected his settlement with the debtor."



TPSC General Meeting

December 3, 2013

Handlery Hotel and Resort in Mission Valley

950 Hotel Circle North – 619-398-8348

6:00 PM Social 6:45 PM Announcements 7:00 PM Program



BRING A NEW UNWRAPPED GIFT (at least a \$10.00 VALUE)
FOR THE TOYS FOR TOTS DRIVE SPONSORED BY THE USMC
Checks (made payable to Toys for Tots) and cash are greatly appreciated.

Rex Garniewicz from the Museum of Man will be speaking
on the Ancient History of Making Beer.

Come dressed in your most festive Holiday Duds.

Parking is validated.



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7940 Forrestal Road
San Diego, CA 92120

Upcoming Events

November 30	Sun Harbor Concert
December 1	Warren Miller Movie
December 2	Senior Monday
December 3	Toys for Tots
December 7	1940 Swing Dance
December 19	Council Happy Hour
January 5-10	Ski Mammoth
January 18	Winter Pops
January 25-February 1	Ski Beaver Creek