



**Torrey Pines
Ski Club**

YEAR ROUND SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB

MARCH 2013

**51st ANNIVERSARY
1962-2013**

President's Corner



HELLO EVERYONE,

We are approaching the midpoint of what is promising to be a record ski season...a trip to Montana and our last Mammoth trip on March 17-22. Please sign up for this trip immediately if you have not already done so. We need to finalize the roster by February 28 in order to do two things: determine the final cost and guarantee the lodging we will need. Mammoth is outstanding this year so don't miss this opportunity.

Now is the time to start thinking about where you would like to ski in 2014. Besides our two trips to Mammoth we need a third somewhere. One suggestion has been Big White Canada. Let us know your preference. Please tell Fred Blecksmith or me where you would like to ski- Vail, Aspen, Snowbird, Breckenridge, or wherever.

Don't forget to attend Crazy Bridge and the Winter Pops concert.
Keep Smiling, Joe



2013 Ski Season For Tpssc

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Please check page 3 for details on our 2013 Ski Season.

Bus Trip to Reagan Library in Simi Valley

THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 2013

MEMBERS \$55.00 NON-MEMBERS \$60.00

NOW OPEN TO OTHER SKI CLUBS - SIGN UP NOW



The bus is rolling again and this time we are travelling to The Ronald Reagan Presidential Library and Museum to experience the new 26,400 sq. ft. exhibition hall which opened in 2011 and includes some never seen before Reagan mementos to celebrate the 100th Birthday of President Reagan.

This trip is going to include FOUR exhibits to tour: 1) the **Main Library and Museum**; 2) the temporary **Disney Exhibit**; 3) the **George Washington Exhibit**; and 4) the **Air Force One** Plane to tour and have your picture taken. The Disney exhibit is going to end in early April and is called Disney **"Treasures from the Disney Archives"** which is the largest temporary exhibit ever on display with more than 500 artifacts from nine decades of Disney history. Only for the month of March is the display of George Washington's original annotated copy of Acts of Congress with handwritten notes from President Washington from 1789. This is an amazing collection and it all ends soon so we will be lucky to see so much on this trip. The trip includes the bus trip, admission, snacks on board and lot of fun, as always. Lunch is on your own at the Museum. There will be a North County pick up. This Is A Real Bargain. **Send your check made out to TPSC with a SASE (self-addressed stamped envelope)**

Debbie Schroeder, 2331 Darlington Row, La Jolla, CA 92037 - 858-551-9651 debbieschr@aol.com

It Is Time To Think About The 2013-2014 TPSC Officer Positions

Working as a volunteer for the club is fun and rewarding. It gives one an opportunity to meet so many new friends.

- Would you like to be a part of the Torrey Pines Board?
- What position are you interested in holding for the 2013-2014 year?
- Please submit your name, address, phone/email to anyone on the Board - mail to: Torrey Pines Ski Club 7940 Forrestal Road San Diego, CA 92120 or **President Joe Goldhammer 5016 College Gardens Court, San Diego, CA 92115 jcgoldhammer@gmail.com 619-286-0624**



Walk with Janet



JUST FOR FUN

March Bike Rides

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

March 2, **Bay Loop**, Parking lot north of Visitor Center, Mission Bay (TG 1248 D7) **Eileen Frame, 858-569-0962**

March 9, **Bay to Beach**, Quivira Road Mission Bay in front of seafood restaurant (TG 1268 A3) **Group Leader**

March 16, **No ride scheduled**

March 23, **Bay to Broadway**, Bali Hai parking lot, N. Shelter Island (TG 1268 C3) **Mary Coates, 858-453-5376**

March 30, **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



Come For The Art And Stay For The Wine

FIRST FRIDAY RECEPTION – MARCH 1, 2013 FROM 5:00 – 6:00 PM

CALIFORNIA GOLD – ROBERT LANDRY CASH AWARD SHOW

SDWS GALLERY LOCATED AT NTC PROMENADE – 2825 DEWEY ROAD # 105

FOR INFORMATION CALL CHARLOTTE ZINN 858-455-1411

Bocce Ball
LIBERTY STATION
GRASSY AREA AT FARRAGUT
ROAD AND CUSHING ROAD
SUNDAY, MARCH 3, 2013
1:00 PM



Join us at 1:00 PM Sunday for an informal afternoon of Bocce Ball at the location in Liberty Station. We will be in the grassy area (TG 1288 D1). Farragut Road is off Rosecrans Street in Point Loma. Novice players are welcome. Bring a chair, drinks and snacks (if you like) and bocce balls if you have a set. Spectators are welcome and afterwards we will see if anyone would like to go to Happy Hour or a Group Dinner. **RAIN (OR NO ONE SHOWING BY 1:15 PM) CANCELS.**

John Bauer 619-297-0937 (cell 619-213-3403)

Senior Monday at the Reuben
H. Fleet Science Center
1875 EL PRADO (BALBOA PARK)
MONDAY, MARCH 4, 2013
\$7.00 ENTRANCE FEE
(FOR SENIORS ABOVE 65)

Visit this wonderful museum on the quietest day of the month and receive a fabulous discount. Join scientists from around the country to learn about a variety of topics as they share the latest information. **Some lectures sell out quickly so arrive early and purchase your ticket...then visit the museum or the Park and come back for the lecture.** The lecture takes place in the William and Grayson-Boehm Community Forum at **12:30 PM.... Climate Change and Disease. The 2:00 PM Imax movie...Everest**



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

Barbara Shramek 619-286-1250

Happy Hour
Las Olas Mexican
Restaurant
3924 W. POINT LOMA BLVD.
(FORMERLY THE EMBERS)
FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 2013
3:00 TO 6:00 PM



A new place for our group. This is a great new Mexican Restaurant on the corner of Pt. Loma Blvd. and Midway. Jo and I tried it out and we really enjoyed the food, the waiters, waitresses and bartenders. Nice people and the food was very good. Happy hour prices on appetizers and drinks. There is plenty of free parking. Please join us and bring along a new friend.

Janet Hanson (cell 858-336-8396)

Tour of Swift Boat
Naval Amphibious
Base in Coronado
WE MUST MEET TO
CAR POOL TO BASE
MEET AT CITY HALL
1825 STRAND WAY
SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 2013
MEET BY 10:15 AM
TOUR LEAVES AT 10:30 AM

THE MARCH 16 EVENT IS FULL. We have a second tour reservation list beginning for a later date and there are three spaces left on that. The date is To Be Determined later. Those on the list will be notified.

Join us on a tour of the Vietnam Memorial Monument in Coronado. Bob Bolger, a "skipper" of one of the Swift Boats will guide us. We will meet at the **City Hall in the Glorietta Bay area - 1825 Strand Way** and car pool to the base. (Traveling south on the Silver Strand -turn left on Strand Way and park at the flag poles in front of the **NEW City Hall – TG 1308 J3).**

Patrol Craft Fast (PCF), also known as **Swift Boats**, were all-aluminum, 50-foot (15 m) long, shallow-draft vessels operated by the U.S. Navy, initially to patrol the coastal areas and later for work in the interior waterways as part of the "Brown Water Navy" to interdict Vietcong movement of arms and munitions, swept mines, transport Vietnamese forces and insert SEAL teams (then called UDT) for counterinsurgency (COIN) operations during the Vietnam War. **There are three boats on display** at the memorial: PCF 104, CCB 18, PBR.



Call for reservation: Barbara Shramek 619-286-1250 bjsramek@aol.com

JUST FOR FUN

Walk with Janet Mission Bay & Ocean Walk

THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 2013
9:30 AM



Join Janet for a casual walk along the beautiful ocean and the bay. There is plenty of parking. We will meet at the Belmont Park ticket booth, walk down to the jetty and then around to the bay. This will be a good month for a walk before the summer crowd. Breakfast/lunch will follow. We hope you will join us and bring along a friend. The exercise will do us good.

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Winter Pops Concert - Symphony Hall "The Five Browns" SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 2013 MEMBERS \$25.00 NON-MEMBERS \$28.00

We will be going to Symphony Hall for this special event. The acclaimed, multi-talented Brown siblings perform their musical magic. With five grand pianos on stage, they will dazzle and amaze with a performance of arrangements from Hollywood's biggest hits. This is a unique performance and you will not want to miss it. They will be joined by a surprise conductor and the San Diego Symphony will not perform at this show. As always, we will gather upstairs prior to the show for a drink and/or appetizer. There will be music in the lobby prior to the show. Send your check early because these shows are very popular and we have a limited number of seats. **Make out your check to TPSC with a SASE (self-addressed stamped envelope) to:**



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debbieschr@aol.com or 858-551-9651

San Diego Council of Ski Clubs



The FWSA 81st Annual Convention this year will be in Reno, Nevada - June 6-9. The theme is Mountain Magic Madness and the Grand Sierra Resort and Casino will be the host hotel. Special convention hotel room rates start at \$79.00 and up. Be sure to mention FWSA to get the group rate by calling

800-648-5080. This is a chance to interact with members of ski clubs from 13 states. **Diane Raines** will be representing the San Diego Council for Woman of the Year so let's show support and sign up to join the fun in Reno. Optional activities include Pub Crawl, Golf, White Water Rafting, Hiking, Day Spa and Beach Party activities. For more information go to fwsa.org.

France Bike and Hotel Tour - September 16-24, 2013. There are many inclusions (meals, tour guides, bus, accommodations, etc.). We now have a wait list. The tour price per person, double occupancy including bike: \$1,400.00 - no air. **Cruising Burgundy and Provence to the Cote d'Azur** - September 23-October 5, 2013 with stops in Paris, Beaune, Lyon, Tournon, Viviers, Avignon, Arles and Nice. Trip leader and contact person for both trips is Eileen Sanford esanford1@san.rr.com or 858-695-1442.

Bend, OR. dates are March 25-30, 2013. See fwsa.org for more details. **FWSA's ski trip to Innsbruck, Austria, March 2-10, 2013** is only \$965 per person double occupancy (w/o air). Then extend your trip for five days to Garmisch and three days to Munich from March 10-17, 2013 for only \$1,770 per person double occupancy (w/o air), for all trips.

FWSA has announced their 2014 ski trips to Zermatt, Switzerland with a post-trip to Spain and its 2014 Ski week to Beaver Creek, CO. In September 2014 FWSA will host a trip to Africa. See fwsa.org for more details.

Rusty Etzel, Council Rep 619-656-8179
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February General Meeting



Annual Bowling Tournament



John hands over the trophy to Steward



2012 Christmas Party – Thanks to Vonnie and Roy for this Wonderful Holiday Event





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Ski Committee: Joe Goldhammer, Fred Blecksmith

GENERAL INFORMATION

Organization: Torrey Pines Ski Club is a non-profit California Corporation.
Membership: Annual dues of \$35 are payable in full with the application for membership. Applications are available at any time at the General Meetings of the Club. Any donations made to Torrey Pines Ski Club for raffle tickets or other fund-raising events are not tax deductible.

TRIP RULES

- 1. RESERVATIONS.** A check for the full amount required, received by the trip captain, is a request for a reservation. The trip captain will make the initial count five days after the flyer postmark. Directors of the board and Officers will be given priority if they inform the trip captain before the initial count. If there are more checks than seats available, checks will be drawn at random until the trip is filled. The trip captain will strive to reach a 50-50 male-to-female ratio. Couples should send their checks in together and they will be drawn as a pair. All participants must sign a release before departure.
- 2. CANCELLATIONS & REFUNDS.** In the event of your cancellation, a refund will be made only if the seat vacancy is filled or if monies are recovered by the club. There also will be a non-refundable cancellation fee for all cancellations whether or not your spot is filled as follows: \$10 for trips up to \$100; \$20 for trips \$100 - \$300; \$30 for trips above \$300. **There will be an additional \$20 charge for any returned checks.** All departure times, locations, lodging, and other travel arrangements are subject to change without notice.
- 3. WAITING LIST.** On ski trips, those on the waiting list due to the lottery will be accorded priority seating on the trip announced in the following flyer if they inform the trip captain before reservations are confirmed, i.e., the fifth day after the mailing of that flyer.
- 4. CHECKS.** Checks will be destroyed from those not going on that trip due to being on the waiting list.
- 5. CONFIRMATIONS.** You **MUST** call and confirm your status with the trip captain **UNLESS** a SASE (self-addressed stamped envelope) is requested in the trip write up. You **MUST** include your work and home telephone numbers with your check.
- 6. GUESTS.** Guests who are sponsored by a member are allowed on trips. TPSC members have 5 days priority after the newsletter announcement to sign up for a trip. After 5 days, members may sign up one guest by including an additional amount on their check as follows (unless otherwise noted): for trips under \$50, there will be either member priority or a guest fee; \$10 for trips costing \$50-\$100; \$35 (cost of membership dues) for trips costing over \$100. Guests, like members of TPSC, must be at least 21 years of age and agree to the club "General Release and Waiver."
- 7. EVENT GUESTS:** Members and guests not on the event/trip and who join a happy hour and/or dinner will be charged \$8.00 per person per occurrence for the happy hour; \$20.00 per person per occurrence for the dinner or combo happy hour/dinner.

SASE = (Self Addressed Stamped Envelope)

The board has adopted a trip policy wherein an increase of up to 10% can be added and will not constitute grounds for cancellation without penalty. This is due to fluctuating airline costs. **TRIP INSURANCE IS NOT REQUIRED, IT IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED**

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TO A FRIEND!



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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 () BOCCCE BALL () CROSS COUNTRY () GOLF () HIKE/WALKS () SKIING

() SPECIAL EVENTS () THEATRE () VOLUNTEER

() OTHER _____

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."

SIGNATURE

DATE

TPSC General Meeting



ZUMBA®
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Tuesday, March 5, 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 Program

Let's celebrate St. Patrick's Day. Wear green and bring your Irish smile.
A complimentary sample of green beer will be available for a limited time.
Program will be Kavita Sheth speaking on Zumba.

Parking is validated.



Torrey Pines Ski Club
8080 Wing Span Drive
San Diego, CA
92119

Upcoming Events

March 1	Art Show
March 2-9	Ski Montana
March 3	Bocce Ball
March 4	Senior Monday
March 9	Crazy Bridge
March 10	Spring Forward
March 15	Happy Hour
March 16	Swift Boat Tour- Amphibious Base
March 17-22	Ski Mammoth
March 21	Reagan Library Tour
March 28	Walk with Janet
April 20	Winter Pops Concert

