

# The Ski Boonie

Columbia Ski Club Newsletter

December 2018

Next SKIER'S NIGHT OUT is December 3<sup>rd</sup>

Got a forward looking plan for roving meeting sites for the Columbia/Jeff City Ski and SnowBoard Club for a few months. This time around, the monthly meeting is set for next Monday night Dec 3 , and 6pm is the time to be there. Room 38 is the place, located at the southeast corner of 8th & Walnut on the historic Avenue of the Columns (just across the street from those 4 courthouse columns). We'll be gathering at a very large table in back of the restaurant. Address in downtown Columbia is at 38 N. 8th.

- We had a great turn out of 21 folks for the Sunday group dining at Claysville Store on Nov.18, and a lot of us followed up with attending the final home game for Mizzou's Volleyball team (a freebie admission), albeit a loss to U. of Kentucky later that afternoon.
- ASPEN / SNOWMASS Dec 9 – 14, 2018 is set to go with 17 folks. The snow is so plentiful this season (compared w/not much last Dec), that Aspen Mtn. Snowmass & The Highlands have opened days ahead of their planned dates. For a long range outlook at the weather, storms are lining up to bring in more snow yet, with our drive-out day of Dec 8 to be a sunny/clear day. Payments are in, lodging & lift tickets are paid up, with lift tickets to be in hand by Monday's meeting date. Now if only I can remember to bring them to Aspen Condominium Hotel..... We've got five nights at Aspen Square Condominium Hotel in downtown Aspen, and including your 3-day lift ticket. Monday evening would be a good time to make any final arrangements on getting there, but to date, there's only 3 or 4 vehicles driving out, while others are flying into Aspen airport. At least eight of us are to be meeting up on Saturday night Dec 8th in Glenwood Springs at the Starlight Lodge on the north side of I-70. Rooming for a dozen has been reserved and on Monday, I'll be in need of a head count on just who else is in for the motel meeting/sleep over. Trip Capitan is Ron Lueck @ [573-881-8861](tel:573-881-8861) or [rlueck@socket.net](mailto:rlueck@socket.net) for additional info on activities.
- STEAMBOAT SPRINGS January 23 – 27, 2019 is once more, in conjunction with the Topeka Ski Club and the Flatland Ski Association's 7 other clubs, for up to a 5-day ski session at the best resort in northern Colorado. This one's a full trip at 24, and we've had to acquire an additional 2 bedroom condo. You can e-mail any questions, etc. to [QuinnJa@missouri.edu](mailto:QuinnJa@missouri.edu) . Lodging is arranged for the 24 in three

- 4 bedroom condo units, plus that 2br unit. Cost is the \$700, or the drive-out-yourself option cost is \$450. Lift tickets are \$70 per day and will need to be paid in December. Bring monies to the Monday meeting, if you can. Trip fliers for both of these two ski trips are posted at: <http://columbiajeffcityskiandboard.org/>
- WINTER PARK in March is looking like the 4th week of March is coming together for an AmTrak train trip to historic Winter Park – this will be a topic for Monday’s Dec 3rd meeting. Currently, I’ve heard from enuf to assemble a group of around 6 (a basic number so far), and am working on lift tics in conjunction with another group going at that same time. AmTrak tickets are a bargain for Seniors & children, if we get confirmation and log in with a few months advanced notice. Hotel options would be either Vintage or Winter Park Mountain Lodge, just tow of the hotels near the mountain (on the easy bus route). Beaver Village is yet another.
  - Thanks to all those sending in their membership dues of \$10 single or the \$15 family. You’ll have to fill out the form to be current, and send to Columbia Ski Club, PO Box 7705, Columbia, MO 65205-7705. It certainly helps out for club stability. See the website of <http://columbiajeffcityskiandboardclub.org> for the form, or some will be around at Room 38 on Monday.
  - Spain & Portugal trip in 2019 w/ Topeka Ski Club. Yep, we’re invited to go overseas too. Two weeks in Sept w/ some 17 meals furnished. Below is the link to the electronic flyer for this trip. This is information on a trip sponsored by the Topeka Ski Club and they would like to invite everyone to sign up for the trip. Interested individuals should contact me directly so that I can get the transportation information for each one. Jan Stegelman [785-640-1829](tel:785-640-1829) If you furnish an e-mail to her (for those that are interested), she will contact you directly with additional information. [gateway.gocollette.com/link/891596](http://gateway.gocollette.com/link/891596)
  - Start thinking on paddle boarding in Columbia, MO, at Bethel Park’s lake. Summer classes for beginners are offered on certain Saturdays during the seasonable months. Boards furnished at the lake. More on this on Monday.
  - Jan 7th meeting being planned at Cheerleaders in Columbia, along the east side of Hwy 63 (sorry - no more Monday Night FB).
  - Feb 4th meeting tentatively at Houlihan’s in Columbia, just off Hwy 63 and north of E. Broadway.

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