

The Ski Boonie

Columbia Ski Club Newsletter

November 2019

Next SKIER'S NIGHT OUT November 4th

No more patio meetings! Next time is indoors on November 4th on the first Monday of the month. Cheerleaders in Columbia is the place picked at last meeting, along the east side of US Hwy 63 in the Holiday Inn. Gathering time is 6pm for social, snacks, drinks and/or supper.

See the website of <http://columbiajeffcityskiandboardclub.org> for the membership form. And either Kenton or I will have some available on Monday.

ATTENTION: Payments are due for the two club trips in Dec & Jan, so please bring your next ski trip payment along to the Nov 4th meeting @ Cheerleader's.

ASPEN / SNOWMASS Dec 8 – 13, 2019

There's now 17 signed on for this 15th annual Aspen/Snowmass trip and awaiting directions from one more semi-regular. It's annually during the 2nd week of December and this trip includes 5 nights at Aspen Square Condominium Hotel, and at very convenient location near the Aspen mountain gondola. The 3-day lift ticket is included at the cost of \$720. I believe we'll have 15 of us for spending Saturday night Dec 7th in Glenwood Springs at the Starlight Lodge with some very reasonable 2 bedroom room rates. It's located on the north side of I-70 and in downtown Glenwood Springs. You will be ready for the 3 block walk over the pedestrian bridge over I-70 to either the Canyon Brew Pub or Juicy Lucy's Steakhouse, both across from the AmTrak Station, and on 7th Street.

Plan to be at The Little Nell and just across from our condos @ 5pm on Sunday, Dec 8th, for the annual Aspen Christmas party. To view these Aspen Square Condos, go to www.aspensquarehotel.com and preview rooms, pool & courtyard amenities. As usual with this trip, a 4th day lift ticket can be purchased for an additional \$68 cost this year, payable before Thanksgiving. A 5-day ticket is also available. The trip usually includes a welcome party on one of the first two nights, at 4pm and hosted by the hotel. The Thursday evening dinner arrangements are to be discussed at this Monday's mtg. (checks are to be made payable to Columbia Ski Club). Cash works too.

Captain Ron, trip captain once again. [573-881-8861](tel:573-881-8861)

STEAMBOAT SPRINGS January 22 – 26, 2020 in conjunction w/Topeka Ski Club

There's 11 on board for this year's Flatland Ski Association trip to Steamboat. We'll be staying at the Snow Flower condos in 4 bedroom units. One of these 4 bedroom condos has now been released, so we have only 6 or so spots available. With 24 already committed from Topeka in theirs, our available space is likely going to be filled up for this Columbia - Jeff City group, by the other club. Cost is \$750 for the 4 night stay & bus trip or \$500 if you're driving out or flying. A welcome party, Saturday banquet, pub crawl specials for Friday, and race competition cost is all included in the cost for this one. Also, a wine & cheese party is to be planned for Wednesday after the first day of skiing or boarding. Likely pizza too.

As always.....trip fliers are posted at: <http://columbiajeffcityskiandboard.org/>. Contact trip captain Karen Philp, 537-239-6330 kphilp@socket.net (checks are to be made payable to Columbia Ski Club).

ANNUAL "BETWEEN THE TRIPS HOLIDAY DINNER"

Instead of a post-holiday dinner, this year the plan has been made and seconded for a group dinner on the weekend *before* Christmas. The site has been picked to be in Hartsburg this time around at the relatively new 35th on Main. At the Monday meeting we'll pick it to be either a Friday (20th) or Saturday (21st) of December. More details to be presented at this Monday's meeting, but this has been a dinner furnished by the club these past few years. All you have to do is re-up your membership of \$10 per person, or \$15 for a family rate. What a bargain, huh!

See ya at Cheerleader's in Columbia. Pick out some spots for future meetings in 2020; at various times we've used Broadway Brewery, Room 38, Houlihan's and Bek's in Fulton.

And as always, if you are on a club trip and taking pictures, please share 'em to the website of <http://columbiajeffcityskiandboard.org/> thru webmaster Bill Harris at comoskiclub@gmail.com or even bharris140@aol.com and he'll get 'em posted. Plenty on there from the past 15 years of shared pics!

Captain Ron

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