



Richmond Ski Club

The Pacesetter

July 2017

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READ ALL ABOUT IT

Board Members: Did you know that the Richmond Ski Club monthly meetings will have a **new location for the 2017-2018 year?**

RSC Member: NO! I had no idea. Please tell me more about it.

News Directors: You can read this month's President's message to determine the location of our new meetings.

SAVE THE DATE

VP of Trips: Members, did you know that some of our **trips are already almost full?**

RSC Member: NO! I had no idea. How can I make sure that I know all of the trip opportunities for the 2017-2018 season?

VP of Trips: Mark your calendar for our **annual ski trip kickoff event on August 7th** at Independence Golf Course. There you can meet all of the trip leaders and sign up for the trip of your choice. Check out the trip calendar on page 5 to figure out what trips your interested in.



Richmond Ski Club, Inc.

P. O. Box 8912 · Richmond, VA 23225



Our Club is a nonprofit organization made up of a diverse group of families and individuals of all ages who share a love of snow sports. We have two simple goals: make **skiing** and **snowboarding** easier, more fun and more affordable; bring people together who enjoy these winter sports.

Regular Membership Meetings are held October through March (the April meeting is a designated social meeting,) on the first Wednesday of the month at the Clarion Hotel, 3207 North Blvd, Richmond, VA 23230. Doors open at 7 pm.

The Pacesetter

Our monthly newsletter is your guide to great trips, fun and activities with people who share your love of snow sports and the outdoors.

Copy deadline is the 10th of the month.

Email news and items of interest to: News@RichmondSkiClub.org

ADVERTISING IN *The Pacesetter* PAYS! Especially when you target a select group of potential customers. With a distribution of almost 400 copies each month to active members, your message will be reaching the most comprehensive group of skiers and snowboarders in the Greater Richmond area!

The demographics of the reading audience are just what you want to reach—people with above average incomes, leading a healthy, active lifestyle.

Ad Rates:	Inside pages: 1/8 page	\$15	15% discount for advertising in multiple issues
	1/4 page	\$25	
	1/2 page	\$40	

Anyone can advertise Non-member ads must be club-related.

All advertisements are subject to approval by the Board.

Copy deadline is the 10th of the month.

Email ads to: Sales@RichmondSkiClub.org

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Board@RichmondSkiClub.org

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www.RichmondSkiClub.org

Our website offers all the information in our newsletter, plus:

- **RENEW** Memberships online
- Email links to all **Trip** and **Activity** leaders
- **Memories** of trips and activities, including articles with pictures
- **Newsletter** archive
- More to come

The Pacesetter is available online the last few days of



POLICIES

Adopted by the Board of Directors on 5/18/16

Discrimination Policy

Richmond Ski Club ("RSC") is a 501(c)(7) non-profit organization. It is the policy and commitment of RSC that it does not and shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion (creed), gender, gender expression, age, national origin (ancestry), disability, marital status, sexual orientation, or military status, or otherwise as may be prohibited by federal and state law. Richmond Ski Club is committed to providing an inclusive and welcoming environment for all members, guests, volunteers and vendors.

Harassment Policy

Harassment is generally defined as a course of conduct which annoys, threatens, intimidates, alarms, or puts a person in fear of their safety. Harassment is unwanted, unwelcomed and uninvited behavior that demeans, threatens or offends the victim and results in a hostile environment for the victim. Harassing behavior and communication may include, but are not limited to telephone calls, emails, and other forms of communication, epithets, derogatory comments or slurs, lewd propositions, assault, impeding or blocking movement, offensive touching or any physical interference with normal work or movement, and visual insults, such as derogatory posters or cartoons. Harassment or intimidation of a member, guest, volunteer or vendor of RSC is specifically prohibited and may be grounds for revocation of membership.

RSC President's Message July 2017

Summer is here and the RSC has lots going on. First and foremost, I am happy to make the announcement that a **new location** has been found for our monthly membership meetings which are held the first Wednesday of the month from October through March. We have made arrangements to have our meetings at **Jefferson Lakeside Country Club** (right next to Lewis Ginter Botanical Gardens) at 1700 Lakeside Avenue, Richmond VA.

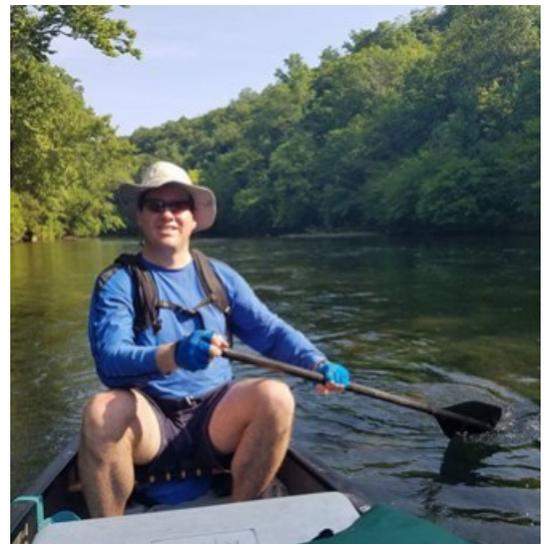
I am confident that our members will really enjoy the banquet space that Jefferson Lakeside has available. The facility has plenty of safe parking, a full cash bar, and plenty of room to congregate. One thing that members will need to expect is that the food offerings will be lighter than what we have been able to provide in the past, but I think that is a good tradeoff for a nice place. There are several restaurants nearby in Lakeside where dinner is available before the meeting like Hermitage Grill, Virginia BBQ, and Carytown Burgers.

One notable exception to the reduced food at our normal monthly meeting is the December meeting. I have promised you all that we will bring back the nice catered heavy hors d'oeuvres for the December Holiday meeting and I am happy to announce that we have passed a budget to allow this to happen. More details will be announced as we get closer.

We have a really full summer of activities and socials planned with tubing, bike rides, hikes, etc so make sure to look at the activities calendar in the Pacesetter and on the website at www.richmondskiclub.org.

As you may have also seen, the trips calendar is now finalized and we have people signing up so don't wait if you see something that looks interesting to you. We will be doing a Trip Kickoff Social in August again that is open to members and non-members so please invite your friends! Again, if you sign up for a trip please get Trip Insurance.

Have a safe and fun summer!
Mike Larson, President



2018 Trip Calendar

Dates	Leader	Co-Leader	Location
Jan 20 - Jan 27	Marshall Walsh (804) 301-3520 Mashall.Walsh@verizon.net	Brenda Bird (804) 437-3609 Brenann0812@gmail.com	Lake Tahoe, CA
Jan 27 - Feb 3	Mike Larson (804) 839-1361 mikelarson1@gmail.com	Marcus Hanlon (804) 754-6688 marcushanlon@yahoo.com	Powder Mt, UT & Snowbasin, UT
Feb. 2 - Feb. 10	Steve Switzer (804) 387-7484 sgswitzer02@msn.com	Charlie Wintzer (804) 543-2882 cdwinz@verizon.net	Whistler/Blackcomb, BC BRSC Western Carnival Noble McClellan Host
Feb. 10 - Feb 17	Karen Cameron (804) 932-5055 karenleecameron@gmail.com	Donna Henshaw (804) 731-2233 Dhenshaw9@yahoo.com	Snowmass/Aspen, CO
Feb. 24 - Mar. 3	Karen Noakes (804) 337-5934 KarenNoakes2@verizon.net	Anne Clendenin (804) 276-8872 aclend917@comcast.net	Steamboat, CO TRIP FULL ACCEPTING WAITING LIST
Mar. 3 - Mar. 10	Bruce Gibson (804) 763-1137 snowwizard1231@verizon.net	Valerie Chafee (804) 241-3966 Valeriec456@gmail.com	Keystone, CO
Mar. 4 - Mar. 9	TBD	TBD	Stowe Vermont BRSC Winterfest

Weekend Trips

Dates	Leader	Co-Leader/ Assistant Leader	Location
Feb. 2 - Feb. 5 Super Bowl Trip	Lorie Von Moll (804) 840-0663 lavonmoll@gmail.com	Nancy Tickle (804) 314-9204 ticklenp@gmail.com Lynn McGuffin (804) 543-9159 LynnZuna.McGuffin@Pfizer.com	Snowshoe, WV
Feb. 22 - Feb. 26	Robyn Larson (804) 337-7277 robyn.larson@gmail.com	Judy Marston (804) 332-3107 twoat1000@gmail.com	Canaan Valley, WV
TBD	Ken Oriole (804) 796-5480 korieole1@yahoo.com		Ballhooter Snowshoe, WV

RSC Trip Kickoff Social

Come on out and sign up for your 2017/18 Richmond Ski Club Trip(s)
On Monday, August 7, 2017, 6:30pm to 9pm at



Independence Golf Club, 600 Founders Bridge Boulevard, Midlothian, VA 23113



Bring your checkbook and get your trip applications in before they are sold out!
Then hang out in the Ballroom, Tavern 19
Or enjoy the patio overlooking the golf course!

Limited Beverage & Food Service available in Ballroom - \$4 Domestics, \$5 Imports, \$5 Wines, \$7 Cocktails
Full Bar & Food Service in Tavern 19



For more information contact: Karen Noakes, VP of Trips (337-5934 or karennoakes2@verizon.net)
Remember, your RSC Membership must be current for the 2017/18 year
In order to officially reserve your trip space!!!

Directions From:

Midlothian Area – Head towards Powhatan on Robious Road after the James River High School stoplight turn left onto Winterfield Road at the next stoplight, 1st right onto Founders Bridge Blvd., entrance ½ mile on right.

West End Area – Take Rt. 288 towards Midlothian take the Huguenot Trail Exit turn left onto Huguenot Trail/Robious Rd, then turn right at the 2nd stoplight onto Winterfield Road and your 1st right onto Founders Bridge Blvd., the entrance is ½ mile on right.

East End Area – I-64W toward Richmond, take I-195S towards Chesterfield through toll, stay right on Powwhite Parkway, take Midlothian Turnpike Exit west toward Midlothian and a right on Robious Road, after the James River High School light turn left onto Winterfield Road at the next stoplight, 1st right onto Founders Bridge Blvd., entrance ½ mile on right.

Tubing Fun on the Shenandoah River July 22

With Optional Camping (Friday 21st and Saturday 22nd)

Shenandoah River Outfitters has set us up for another great trip floating down the beautiful Shenandoah River. Including optional camping on Friday and Saturday nights. Tubing time is at 9:45am on Saturday morning.

Weekend Itinerary (Camping Optional)

- Friday Night - Bring your own dinner to the campsite. S'mores and stories by the campfire. (Leaders will provide grill and cooking utensils)
- Saturday Morning - Bring your own food for a light breakfast. Be ready to set float by 9:45am. (Leaders will provide grill and cooking utensils)
Non-campers arrive at 9:45am.
- All Day Saturday - Floating down the river. (Pack your lunch)
At 5:00 - Steak Dinner for those who choose to attend
- Saturday Night - All are welcome to come and relax by the campfire.
- Sunday Morning - Bring your own food for breakfast, pack up, and depart for home.

For this activity participants will be required to sign a RSC Waiver as well as the Shenandoah River

Cost Varies Depending On Options Elected Below:

- Tubing only \$22.00
- Tubing and All You Can Eat Steak Dinner \$46.00
- Full Package (2 nights camping, tubing, and all you can eat steak dinner) \$62.00
- Add a tube for your cooler to any rate above for \$6.00 (will hold 1 large or 2 small coolers)

*We have a total of 30 tubes reserved. **Once those are paid for, the trip is full and there will be no additional tubers added.** Go to the site address below and pay to reserve your spot today! If you have any questions contact a social leader.*

<http://shenandoahriveroutfitters.com/Guest/quickjoin.aspx>

Enter the trip ID and Group name below, choose your options, pay with your credit or debit card and you are all set! Sorry, no cash or checks accepted.

Trip ID: 33168

Group Name: RSC Tubing 2017



Don't miss out on all of the fun! Camp sites are near the shared restrooms and shower facilities. Saturday morning we will meet at 9:45am to board the bus and head off to the drop site. We will stop along the river's edge to eat our lunches (remember to pack your lunch). For those electing to stay for dinner, we will all meet up at the campsite and head on to enjoy delicious steak, baked potatoes, salad, veggies, tea, and dessert.

DEADLINE TO PAY IS JULY 12th (NO EXCEPTIONS)

For more information or questions contact:

Andrea Shimko 804-382-8225 andrea.shimko@live.longwood.edu
Karen Noakes 804-337-5934 KarenNoakes2@verizon.net



Join RSC and 2000 other riders for a unique and fun event on a closed, vehicle free course. There are 5 waves of riders so you can ride at your own pace. Residents along the way and riders in the tacky lights & costume contests make this a festive event. After the ride, celebrate with pizza, ice cream, live music, and beer. Meetup with RSC before the ride or at the Post-ride party.

Date: Saturday, August 26th

Cost: Starts at \$30 adults/\$10 youth **SIGN UP EARLY AS PRICING GOES UP CLOSER TO EVENT**
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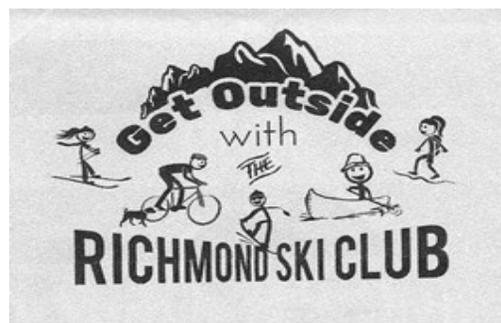
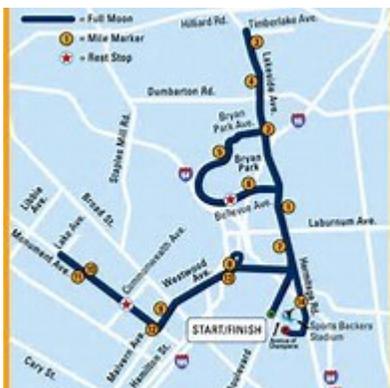
- Blinking safety light for the back of your bike.
- Cool Participant T-shirt (in your size)
- Pizza & Ice Cream at end of ride, plus complimentary soft drink or beer (bring your ID!)
- Post-Ride Party with live music
- Goodie Bag with coupons
- Your support of Sportsbackers outdoor programs



Location: Sports Backers Stadium (next to The Diamond)

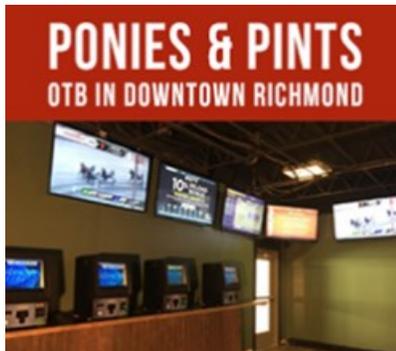
ONLINE REGISTRATION, EVENT INFO, AND FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:
www.Sportsbackers.org/events/moonlight-ride/

Contact Sonny Clarke 350-1566 SClarke@aol.com with questions, or to meet up before the ride.



**Friends of the
Richmond Mounted Squad
Charity Night
Wednesday, August 30, 2017
4-8 pm**

**Ponies & Pints, 110 N. 18th St.
(Shockoe Bottom)
Richmond, VA 23223**



**Everyone receives a
Complimentary \$2
wagering voucher
And it's HALF-PRICE
Burger Night!**



Meet the Officers and Horses of the Richmond Police Mounted Unit

Enjoy the Music of Dave McKenney

\$1.00 from every Beer sold during event benefits the Friends of the



Richmond Mounted Squad's "Raise the Barn"

Campaign for new facilities for the Richmond Police Mounted Unit and ongoing projects




RSC Wintergreen Condo Crawl

August 5, 2017

On Saturday, join us for a brewery/cidery/winery tour before hanging out at the pool at Wintergreen.



Grab your swimsuit and sunscreen to beat the Richmond heat and join us in the cool mountain breezes at Wintergreen for another of RSC's world famous condo crawls!!!

SPACE IS LIMITED!! DON'T DELAY!!

Cost Per Person: \$45 (does not include lodging BUT ask us about the best options)

For more information call or e-mail us:

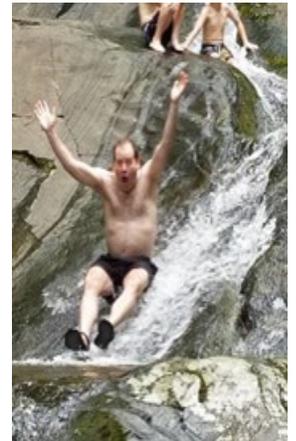
Joyce Parkey at 804-304-3479 or

jocasta68@gmail.com

Robyn Larson at 804-337-7277 or

robyn.larson@gmail.com

Hike Paul's Creek Trail on Sunday and slide down the waterfall!



To reserve your space, please send your completed form and a \$45 check made out to RSC-Condo Crawl, to:

Robyn Larson
 2289 Wheatlands Dr.
 Manakin Sabot, VA 23103

Print Name of Participant: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

If on behalf of a minor, indicate here: guardian of _____; age: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ EC Phone: _____

Liability Disclaimer: In consideration of the benefits of membership in RSC or guest benefits of attending an RSC Social Event, I do hereby absolve, release and waive any and all liability claims or demands against RSC, its Board and Officers, and each and every member thereof, which may arise out of, or be related to any injury, damage or pecuniary loss to me or any member of my family by reason of such club membership and participation in club sponsored activities.

For planning purposes, please advise of any dietary needs or concerns: _____

EACH BIKE RIDE - First Landing State Park to VA Beach Boardwalk

2500 Shore Drive, Virginia Beach, VA 23451

(a k a, "Tour de Beach") Members/guests welcome!

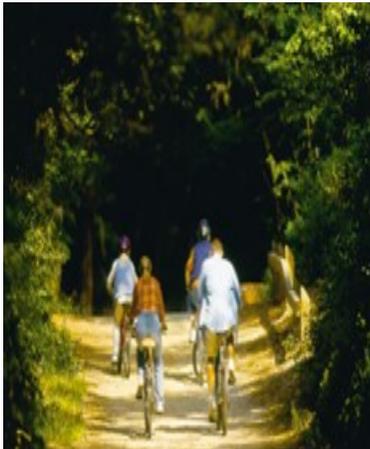
Saturday, September 9 meeting at 10:30 AM

Bring a bike, helmet, sunscreen, water, parking \$, lunch \$ and FRIENDS!

This is a one-day activity - lodging and other arrangements ON YOUR OWN.

Getting to First Landing:

Take I-64 to Virginia Beach. From I-64, take Northampton Blvd.-U.S. 13 North (Exit 282). Go through eight lights, turn right at the Shore Drive/U.S. 60 exit (last exit before the Chesapeake Bay Bridge Tunnel). Take a right on Shore Drive and go four and a half miles to the park entrance. Drive time from Richmond, approximately 2 hours.



Meet at First Landing: Turn into the parking on the south side of Shore Drive into the campground when you get to the park. Look for the RSC group sign in that parking area. This is NOT the ocean side of the park.

What to Expect:

Meet us at 10:30 AM for a leisurely and moderately challenging ride through a wooded and scenic area of the park and beach. Our ride is approximately 10 miles to the oceanfront (boardwalk area) where you may enjoy lunch with the group or on your own. Then sun or shop at the ocean front and then join the group to ride back, in the mid-afternoon, or ride back to the park on your own at any time.

Weather Warning:

We will ride through the woods to the Oceanfront if the weather and trails permit. In the event of soggy weather, we may travel by Shore Drive and in the event of RAIN, the ride will be CANCELLED!

Please let us know if you are coming via phone or email:

Judy Marston - twoat1000@gmail.com - 804-332-3107 and we will be expecting you.

CAPITAL TRAIL BIKE RIDE - JAMESTOWN/WILLIAMSBURG
(Members/Guests welcome!)

Saturday, October 21 - meeting at 10:30 AM

Chickahominy Campground on the Capital Trail at 1350 John Tyler Hwy- 23185

Bring a bike, helmet, sunscreen, water, \$\$ for lunch and FRIENDS!

This is a one-day activity - lodging and transportation **ON YOUR OWN**

Getting to Chickahominy Campground:

Take Main Street from downtown Richmond East past Rockett's Landing and past the entrance to the Capital Trail. Continue on Route 5 east for approximately 45 miles. Chickahominy Campground is on the left after the bridge that crosses the Chickahominy River (J. S. Dresser Bridge).

Meet at Chickahominy Campground:



Turn into the Campground Parking lot near the pool. Look for the RSC sign in the parking lot area by 10:30 AM

What to Expect:

Meet us at 10:30 AM for a leisurely and moderately challenging group ride on one of the nicest sections of the Capital Trail. The trail is mainly flat. We will ride approximately 8.5 miles east to Jamestown where you can stop and spend the afternoon, catch a ride on the free historical Scotland Ferry or continue on with the group that rides on to the Williamsburg Winery (about 5 more miles east). The group will ride back to the campground at around 3 pm.

Weather Warning:

In the event of RAIN, this ride will be CANCELLED!

Please let me know if you are coming via phone or email by 8 AM on October 21:
Judy Marston - twoat1000@gmail.com - 804-332-3107 and we will be expecting you.



RSC's 9th Annual Super Bowl in Snowshoe

At the Silver Creek Lodge

RSC's LII Super Bowl in Snowshoe

Join Coaches Lorie Von Moll & Nancy Tickle along w/Assistant Coach Lynn McGuffin for

RSC's most popular weekend trip - Fills up FAST, so RESERVE NOW!

- 🏈 Friday-Welcome Reception 🏈 Saturday-1st Tracks Skiing 🏈
- 🏈 Hot Tub Meet-up & Saturday Night Dinner Party 🏈
- 🏈 Sunday-Game Day with Grub & Libations 🏈

Price is based on 2 participants per (pp) bedroom

\$440 pp - 4 in 2 Bedroom Condo

5 in 2 Bedroom Condo - \$410 pp/2per bedroom and \$330 person on sofa bed

(Note: All condo mates must agree on having someone on sofa bed)

Don't need a lift ticket- Deduct \$158 – Single Supplement Add \$224

**Pricing Includes: 3 Nights Lodging at Silver Creek, 3 Day Promo Lift Tickets,
Fri. & Sat. Evenings, Sun. Game Day & Lots of Great Fun!**

(Food & beverages are included for all 3 nights – leftovers available for lunch)

**Silver Creek is ski-in/ski-out and SC Slopes are less crowded than the Snowshoe
during busy weekends & SC offers more bedding for Single Trip Participants**

Free shuttle to Snowshoe starting at 7:30am for First Tracks Runs every 15 minutes 1am

Two restaurants are located within Silver Creek; Misty's Sports Bar and The Bear's Den (cafeteria style). Misty's offers eight big screen TVs with football, basketball, hockey, NASCAR, baseball, boxing and more as well as your favorite beverages and food. A to go eatery, the Pig and Cow is located in Silver Creek's parking lot. The High Country Clothing Co. is adjacent to Misty's and Ski/Snowboard Rental is on the premises. After long day of skiing, check out Silver Creek's Indoor/outdoor heated pool and sauna, which are located for on the ground floor of Silver Creek Lodge (towels provided – bring room key – open 11am to 10pm).

Space filled on a “first come, first served” basis

Ask for Pricing for Families w/kids or other options.

For More Info contact: Nancy Tickle – ticklenpt@gmail.com – 804-314-9204

Lorie Von Moll – lavonmoll@gmail.com – 804-840-0663 or

Lynn McGuffin - LynnZuna.McGuffin@Pfizer.com – 804-543-9159

Mail Trip Application and \$75 Deposit to Reserve your Space – Must be 2017/18 RSC Member

Make Check out to RSC-Super Bowl 2018



Canaan Valley Resort

Davis, West Virginia: 230 miles from Richmond

Thursday Feb 22 to Sunday Feb 25, 2018

\$455 Per Person, Double Occupancy



Price includes all the following:

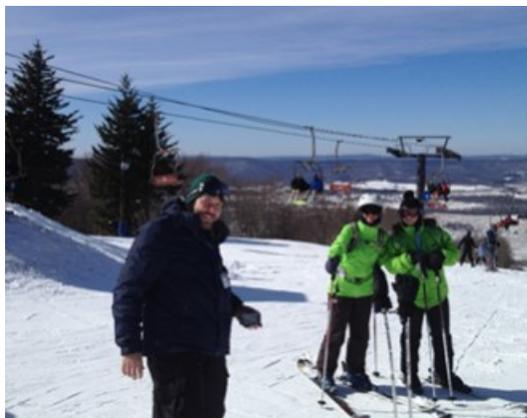
- (3) smoke-free nights lodging at the Canaan Lodge with indoor heated pool and sauna
- Resort shuttle from Lodge to Mountain (Canaan only)
- (2) day lift ticket at Canaan Valley Resort
- (1) day lift ticket at Timberline Resort
- (3) Breakfasts at the Canaan Lodge
- Bonfire outside Canaan Lodge
- (1) Group Dinner Saturday Night
- Welcome and Apres Ski Socials
- All taxes and tips

*** Self- service for travel to and from the resort ***

Optional Pricing:

- Single: \$ 656 pp
- Triple: \$ 385 pp
- Quad: \$ 351 pp
- Non-skier: Deduct \$110
- Extra night (no lift): \$81 includes breakfast (double occupancy)

Call or e-mail Robyn with pricing inquiries.



Area Amenities:

- Two Great Resorts- Canaan Valley & Timberline Resort
- Optional NASTAR Races through RSC Ski Racing Program
- Salamander, the longest beginner ski trail in the South at 2 miles
- Three new glade trails added at Canaan in 2015/2016
- Increased snowmaking capacity!!!
- Mountain stats - combined total of 1,850 vertical feet and 191 skiable acres
- Tubing Parks
- Ice Skating including skates
- Blackwater Falls State Park 15 miles from Lodge
- White Grass Nordic Ski and Snowshoe area within 5 miles of Lodge



RESERVE YOUR SPACE on this great weekend trip - send your Trip Application and a \$100 deposit (checks payable to RSC-Canaan) to Robyn Larson, 2289 Wheatlands Dr, Manakin Sabot, VA 23103.

Must be a Richmond Ski Club Member to participate on trip.

Payment Schedule:

Deposit: \$100; November 1: \$100; December 1: \$100; January 1: Balance.

For more information contact:

Robyn Larson at 804-337-7277 or Judy Marston at 804-332-3107
E-mail us at robyn.larson@gmail.com or twoat1000@gmail.com



THE BEST OF LAKE TAHOE!

Combined 63 lifts, 283 runs, 10,270 Acres!!

Jan. 20-27, 2018



PACKAGE PRICE:
\$1,795 PP

**Reserve your spot today by
Contacting Trip Leaders:**

Marshall Walsh: marshall.walsh@verizon.net
Brenda Bird: brenann0812@gmail.com

Send \$250 Deposit to Brenda Bird

11207 Lady Slipper Lane
Richmond, VA 23236

\$250 due ea. Month Jun-Oct. Balance Due Nov 27th

(804) 437-3609 ~ Brenda

- ◆ 7 Nights in South Lake Tahoe Resort Hotel (formerly Embassy Suites) All rooms are Queen/Queen Suites. Closest Hotel to Lifts!
- ◆ Air from RIC to Sacramento with RT Transfers
- ◆ Hot Daily Breakfast included!
- ◆ Ski Heavenly, Northstar & Kirkwood
- ◆ 5 Days Skiing with 6th day optional
- ◆ Discounted Happy Hour daily
- ◆ Pre Trip Party, Welcome Party, Dinner & Apres' & MORE*!
- ◆ Optional 3 night add on for San Francisco starting on the 27th (details to follow)



HEAVENLY



NORTHSTAR



KIRKWOOD



POWDER MOUNTAIN & SNOWBASIN— JAN 27—FEB 3, 2018
UTAH POWDER WITHOUT THE CROWDS!
\$1650pp, double occupancy
Trip Leaders—Mike Larson and Marcus Hanlon



Powder Mt, the definition of gnarly! Over 8400 acres with a max of 1500 skiers per day!



Luxurious Snowbasin, home of the 2002 Olympic downhill races

Powder Mountain is truly an unknown gem! With the recent expansion, it has 8,464 acres of skiable terrain suitable for all levels of skiers and boarders. They cap tickets sales at 1500 so you are guaranteed to have no lift lines and you can find fresh powder for days after a snowstorm. The mountain has a unique set up with various places where one can take a single run on a snow cat to drop you off in nearly untouched snow, all while being in bounds. Advanced skiers can also experience Powder Country, where you ski down to a bus stop that will drive you back up! Don't worry, there are plenty of groomed trails also.

Snowbasin is a different type of mountain with ultra luxurious lodges, high speed gondolas, and extensive grooming. You can ski on the same run as Olympic Downhillers.

We will be staying in Ogden UT, about 20 miles from each resort. We will have a PRIVATE bus to take us to and from the mountain, but if you also have the option to take the town bus for a small fee. The Marriot Courtyard is THE most convenient hotel to the Historic District with many restaurants ranging from budget to high end. Within walking distance is the Salmon Center with indoor rock climbing, indoor skydive, bowling, and a movie theater so there is lots to do on the off day.

Please note the airplane may have limited baggage space so we will try to make arrangements to have some bags sent out the day before.

Contact Mike Larson at mikelarson1@gmail.com, 804-839-1361 or Marcus Hanlon marcushanlon@yahoo.com 804-754-6688 for more information

Pricing:

- \$1650 pp double occupancy hotel
- \$534 Single Supplement
- Additional Single snowcat rides available for \$20 each
- Deduct \$348 for no air
- Senior skier age 64-75 deduct \$34, age 75+ deduct \$159
- Deduct \$293 for non-skier
- You Must be a Richmond Ski Club or BRSC club member

Included:

- * Round trip flight RIC to Salt Lake
- * Bus from airport and private bus to/from each ski resort
- * 3 days lift tickets Powder Mt
- * 2 days lift tickets Snowbasin
- * 7 nights lodging Marriot Courtyard with breakfast included
- * One single snowcat ticket for Powder Mt
- * Group Dinner
- * Pizza Party
- * Group lunch at Powder Mt

Send check for deposit \$250pp to RSC-Ogden at : Marcus Hanlon, 3210 W. Leigh St, #120, Richmond VA 23230
 Credit cards accepted for an additional fee of 3.75%

Payment Schedule: \$250 Deposit, \$500 by Sep 10, \$500 by Oct 10, Balance Due by Nov 15!

Join Richmond Ski Club at the 2018 BRSC Winter Carnival

Noble McClellan, BRSC Winter Carnival Coordinator

Steve Switzer & Charlie Wintzer, Trip Leaders

Whistler/Blackcomb, BC & Vancouver night

Fri. 2/2/18 - Sat. 2/10/18 (8 nights)

\$1980 Full Package (with senior discount \$1944)



Delta Whistler Village Suites offer 2 bedrooms/2 bath with fully equipped kitchens, in-suite washer and dryer, fireplace and most include a balcony. Enjoy the great amenities including an outdoor pool, 2 outdoor hot tubs, 1 indoor hot tub, fitness room, and sauna. Enjoy fine dining on-site at either Brickworks Public House or Hy's Steakhouse. [Trip includes 1 night at The Listel Hotel in Vancouver near bay!](#)

TRIP INCLUSIONS:

- 8 nights lodging, roundtrip air, ground transportation, 5 day lift tickets (minus \$36 for seniors)
- Pre-trip party to meet other trip participants
- BRSC Welcome party on Sunday 2/3 evening after Super Bowl game is completed
- Apres Ski event with drinks & appetizers & live music on Tuesday 2/6
- BRSC Nastar Club Races (Day TBD)
- BRSC Farewell group dinner Thursday 2/8
- Friday night (2/9/18) stay in Vancouver with group dinner cruise on Vancouver Bay

TRIP DEDUCTIONS & ADD ON: (Trip cancellation insurance suggested)

- **No air -\$479; No lift ticket -\$362; 6th day lift ticket +\$54; Single supplement + \$796**

Whistler Canada is the largest ski resort in North America and the biggest ski area in the world outside of Europe. Whistler Blackcomb ski resort consists of the interconnected Whistler Mountain and Blackcomb Mountain, and it has an incredible 8,171 acres of terrain, average snowfall 461 inches, over 200 marked trails, and plenty of off-site opportunities. The skiing and snowboarding terrain varies incredibly from gentle slopes and wide groomed cruisers to tree skiing, steep alpine bowls, couloirs and terrain parks. Whistler Resort is suitable for all types of skiers and snowboarders, from first-timers to extreme riders who want to ride hair-raising steeps. Other Whistler winter non-skiing activities include snowmobiling, zip-lining, dog sledding, fondue dinners, tubing, ice-skating, and experiencing the famous Whistler shopping opportunities.

For more information Contact: Steve Switzer- 804-387-7484-sgswitzer02@msn.com

Charlie Wintzer- 804-543-2882-cdwinz@verizon.net

To reserve space send trip app and \$250 deposit to: Steve Switzer 8304 Gwinnett Rd Henrico, VA 23229

Payment Schedule: \$250/June 1; \$250/July 1; \$250/Aug.1; \$250/Sept. 1; \$250/Oct.1; \$250/Nov.1

Final Balance Dec.1 (no refunds after 12/20/17 unless replacement found)

Make checks out to: RSC-Whistler BRSC

[A currently valid US Passport is required!](#)

Aspen Snowmass, Colorado

A RSC favorite with four ski resorts & something for everyone!



Aspen Snowmass combines the "Power of Four" ski resorts. Each resort, Aspen Mountain, Aspen Highlands, Buttermilk and Snowmass, provides a unique experience. In addition, downtown Aspen provides those who want more than just great skiing with an endless amount of shops, art galleries, dining options, and cultural and historic attractions. You can easily get between resorts via complimentary skiers shuttle, which runs regularly.

We will be staying at Top of the Village, the ultimate in ski-in ski-out lodging (2 & 3 bedroom condos available), surrounded on three sides by mountains and forests. Each unit has a fully equipped kitchen, fireplace, washer-dryer, gas grill, and private balcony or patio. Top of the Village also has an



outdoor heated pool, two outdoor hot tubs, fitness room and sauna.

Join Karen Cameron & Donna Henshaw for a great time including:

- Pre-trip party with delicious food & drinks
- Round trip airfare from Richmond to Aspen Airport (own air – subtract \$600)
- Round trip transfers from airport to Snowmass
- 7 nights lodging at Top of the Village Condos – true ski-in ski-out (single–add \$810)
- Five days of interchangeable lift tickets (non-skiers deduct \$260; seniors deduct \$63)
- Group welcome reception
- Pizza party and a happy hour with heavy hor d'oeuvres

Cost for this fantastic vacation - \$2,085 (only \$2,022 for those 65 & older)

For Information Contact:

Karen Cameron at 804-514-8692; karenleecameron@gmail.com

Donna Henshaw at 804-731-2233; dhenshaw9@yahoo.com

To reserve your spot, send *completed trip application and \$250 deposit chec (RSC-Snowmass)* to: Donna Henshaw, 783 Birdsong Rd, Petersburg, VA 23805

Payment Schedule: Aug 1st, Sep1st, Oct 1st, Nov1st – \$400 due each month; Balance Due Dec1st

Note: Your membership must be current in order to sign up for the trip.

TRIP FULL: ACCEPTING WAITING LIST

SAVE THE DATE

It's Never too Early to Think Snow!
Steamboat, CO

Home of the legendary Champagne Powder – Average Annual Snowfall 338 inches

Join Karen Noakes & Anne Clendenin
February 24 to March 3, 2018 – Max \$1875

Snow Flower Condos at the Steamboat Gondola – Hayden Flights
Cost inclusive of air/ground/lodging/lift tickets, Social and Group Dinner



Add \$50 for 6th day – Deduct \$50 for 4 day LT - Non-Skiers Deduct \$350
 No Air Deduct \$595

In the early 1950's a local rancher, Joe McElroy was out skiing one sunny day on the terrain that would eventually become the Steamboat ski area. He turned to his friends and said the stuff tickled his nose like champagne; thus the phrase Champagne Powder® was coined well before the ski area opened. No other ski resort has its snow trademarked and you won't find Champagne Powder® anywhere else but STEAMBOAT!

Children 6 to 12 Ski FREE, literally even rentals (one child free with each paying parent or grandparent)

Elevations:

Downtown Steamboat	6,695 feet	2,040 meters
Ski Area Base.....	6,900 feet	2,103 meters
Christie Peak Summit.....	8,015 feet	2,444 meters
Thunderhead/Mid-Mountain	9,080 feet	2,768 meters
Summit/Mt. Werner	10,568 feet	3,221 meters
Vertical Drop	3,668 feet	1,118 meters

Terrain: 2,965 acres/1,200 hectares (55.1 miles) - Trail System: 165 trails, including gladed tree areas –
 Tree Terrain: 1,790 acres /724 hectares or 61%
 Trail Classification: 14% Easier - 42% More Difficult - 44% Most Difficult

**RESERVE YOUR SPOT TODAY BY SENDING IN TRIP APP AND \$250 DEPOSIT FOR RSC-
 Steamboat TO:**

Karen Noakes, 12709 Clearwater Drive, Midlothian, VA 23114

THE KEY TO GREAT SKIING!

March 3 - 10, 2018

Price \$1,780 pp/double occupancy (senior skiers deduct \$40)

Bruce and Valerie are hard at work, putting together another awesome Western adventure with old and new friends! Next stop *Keystone, Colorado!* Keystone offers the largest amount of terrain in Summit County. Keystone Resort is home to more than 3,000 acres of skiable terrain spread across three peaks - Dercum Mountain, North Peak, and The Outback, with a front-to-back progression and layout. From gentle groomers and rolling cruisers to steep bumps, gladed terrain, powder-filled bowls and the award-winning A51 Terrain Park, all ability levels will feel at home at Keystone. Lifts are open from 8:30 am to 8:00 pm (selected locations have night skiing). Pack your ice skates or rent some at Lakeside

Our adventure includes:

- Roundtrip non-stop air from Richmond to Denver with RT ground transportation to Keystone
- 7 Nights lodging in **Luxury 2 BR/2 BA** condos at Lakeside Village
- **5 of 6 day** lift tickets (interchangeable with Arapahoe Basin and up to 2 days at Breckenridge - free transportation on Summit County Stage)
- Pre-trip get acquainted party
- Welcome Wine and Cheese
- Our traditional pizza party
- Fabulous Trip Banquet

Send your \$250.00 deposit and trip application to:

RSC Keystone
c/o Valerie Chafee
5504 Old Richmond Avenue
Richmond, VA 23226



Bruce: snowwizard1231@verizon.net

804-921-1751

Valerie: valeriec456@gmail.com



Payment Schedule

Deposit	\$250.00
August 1	\$300.00
September 1	\$300.00
October 1	\$300.00
November 1	\$300.00

The Richmond Ski Club loses a dear friend to many RSC skiers!

It is with regret and great sadness that we announce the passing of **Judy Miller**, a longtime ski tour operator, on June 17th after fighting a courageous battle with cancer. Judy started her own international travel business, Group Trips Unlimited Inc., in the 1980's and quickly established a niche in group ski trip planning. During the time period before widespread use of internet, Judy provided an exceptional, personalized service and was especially an expert in Western and European travel.



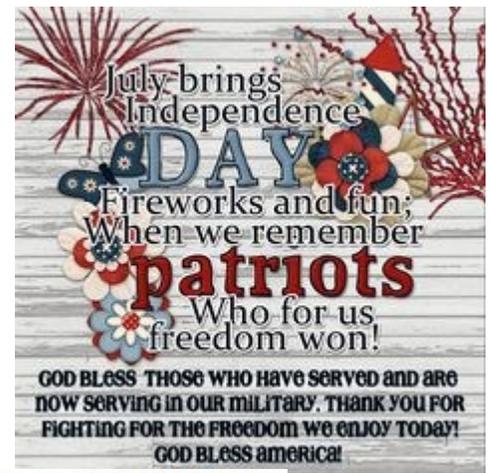
She gained regional popularity through her coordination of hundreds of trips, both skiing and non-skiing, for the 17 plus ski clubs in the Blue Ridge Ski Council.

Judy Miller provided leadership and support to our RSC organization and helped develop many of our former trip leaders. Her blunt mannerism sometimes took people by surprise but she was loved by many of us for her ability to get answers to our many questions. Judy personally supported the Richmond Ski Club for over thirty five years through her annual purchases of advertising ads in both the Pacesetter and RSC Membership Directory and generous donations of door prices for our monthly meetings.

The RSC Board of Directors, our Trip Leaders (both former and current), as well as many individual Richmond Ski Club members, extend our sympathy to her friends and family. Condolences may be sent to Judy's son, Jesse Clark, at 10319 Bells Mill Terrace, Potomac, MD 20854. Contributions in Judy Miller's memory may be made to The American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 22478, Oklahoma City, OK 73123 (call 800-227-2345)



RSC Thanks Our Military Members, Families, & Veterans



Wintergreen Adaptive Sports

Please consider supporting this key fundraising effort. The Donovan campaign will run through the beginning of November. While we appreciate contributions at any time of year, remember that for every \$2 dollars you donate during this campaign, our friends at the Donovan Foundation will contribute an additional dollar.

To contribute, you may mail a check to:

Wintergreen Adaptive Sports
P.O. Box 4334
Charlottesville, VA 22905

Or, you may donate online with a credit card, or arrange for an appreciated stock donation, at:



RSC Communications

www.RichmondSkiClub.org provides the most up to date Information about RSC activities. Log on to view photos, read the Pacesetter and find out where and when upcoming social are taking place. You **must sign up on the website in order to receive e-blasts and reminders about Club activities**. If you have any questions or are not receiving e-blasts and reminders, please contact our webmaster, Ed Quigley at webmaster@richmondskiclub.org.

If you know of a member who does not have internet access, please email Andrea Shimko or Stacy Sprowl at news@RichmondSkiClub.org, and she will arrange to have a hard copy mailed.

JOIN/RENEW ONLINE AT WWW.RICHMONDSKI CLUB.ORG

You can join online and mail in a check!

Revised 04-19-17



Membership Application

Please Mail and Make Checks Payable to:

RSC Membership 8304 Gwinnett Road Henrico, VA 23229 Phone: (804) 387-7484

Membership Term 5/1/17 - 4/30/18

[] New Application [] Renewal

Name: _____ Birth date: ____/____/____ Male Female
First Last

Address: _____
Number Street City State Zip

Phone #: () _____ Phone #: () _____
Home 2nd Phone # Work Cell

E-Mail: _____
E-mail address will be used for sending our monthly newsletter, The Pacesetter, and notifying members of upcoming events.

Occupation (or Employer): _____
For listing in our annual Membership Directory.....

Snow Sports Interest: [] Skier [] Snowboarder [] Non-Skier [] Downhill [] Cross Country [] Racing

Other Interests: [] Golf [] Tennis [] Hiking [] Biking [] Camping [] Scuba Diving [] Other _____

Type of Membership Desired: Junior (Age 18-25): [] \$25 Individual (40+): [] \$40
Young Adult Individual (Age 26-39): [] \$30 Family (40+): [] \$60
Young Adult Family (Age 26-39): [] \$50

Complete this section for Family Membership (Must have same residence, can include dependent children 25 and under):

Name (2): _____ Birth date: _____ Relationship to Applicant _____
(Second Adult Family Member) (i.e. spouse/sibling/roommate/other)

Email address: _____

Child: _____ Birth date: _____ Child: _____ Birth Date: _____

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(Continue on next page if necessary)

New Members: How did you hear of us? _____

I'm interested in volunteering for RSC Committees: Activities/Social Fundraising Marketing Membership Special Events

(Optional) Order club name tag (s): \$6 per tag - Name if different from above _____
(Pick up at monthly meeting)

(Optional) Newsletter by mail: \$25 newsletter by mail per membership year (Emailed at No Charge)

Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____ (Include cost of membership & Optional Items)

In consideration of the benefits of membership in RSC, I do hereby absolve, release and waive any and all liability claims or demands against RSC, its Board and Officers, and each and every member thereof, which may arise out of, or be related to any injury, damage or pecuniary loss to me or any member of my family by reason of such club membership and participation in club sponsored activities. Any disputes arising from this contract will be settled under the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia. Disputes will be adjudicated using the courts of the City of Richmond, Virginia. Payments, Contributions or gifts to The Richmond Ski Club are not deductible as charitable contributions for Federal income tax purposes.

I/We have read and agree to abide by the By-Laws and policies of the Richmond Ski Club.

Signature (1): _____ Date: _____

Directory Info: RSC publishes a Membership Directory each year (distributed to members and directory advertisers only). Please check if you DO NOT want your information published in this directory: [] Do Not List My Information



Richmond Ski Club Trip Application

Liability Disclaimer: In consideration of the benefits of membership in RSC, I do hereby absolve, release and waive any and all liability claims or demands against RSC, its Board and Officers, and each and every member thereof, which may arise out of, or be related to any injury, damage or pecuniary loss to me or any member of my family by reason of such club membership and participation in club-sponsored activities.

Membership Qualification: Per Article III of the By-Laws of Richmond Ski Club, Inc., all trip participants must be a member in good standing of the RSC in order to participate on an RSC trip. I/We understand that if my/our RSC membership is/are not current and paid in full at the time the Trip Application is submitted, that said Trip Application and Deposit will be held until membership verification is confirmed by the Membership Director and that my/our space on trip is not guaranteed until confirmed.

Cancellation Policy: The fees listed below will be charged for all cancellations except when the date or destination changed after a member signed up for the trip, when the price exceeds the estimated published price range in effect at the date of sign-up by 5% or more, if membership is revoked for just cause (Article III Section 6 of By-Laws), or by permission of the VP of Trips in the event of a cancellation out of the control of the individual for injury, death or serious illness in the family, or job related. Refunds (less administrative fees) will be made only if a replacement person is found. A cancellation can only be replaced if an activity is full, and cancellées will be replaced in order of their cancellation. If no replacement is found, any unrecoverable expenses paid by RSC will be deducted from the refund.

Disputes: Any disputes arising from this contract will be settled under the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia. Disputes will be adjudicated using the courts of the City of Richmond, Virginia

Charitable Disclaimer: Payments, Contributions or gifts to The Richmond Ski Club are not deductible as charitable contributions for Federal income tax purposes.

Cancellation Fees: Weekend Trip-\$25 Week Trip-\$50 The Purchase of Trip Insurance is highly recommended for weeklong trips.

Trip Destination: _____ Trip Date: _____

Important Note: Print Names as they appear on your Driver's License, Passport or other form of acceptable ID when flying.

Participant's Name(s): _____ Date of Birth: _____
(Include Nickname in _____ Date of Birth: _____
Parentheses) _____ Date of Birth: _____
_____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State, Zip _____

Phone Numbers: (1st Participant) Home _____ Cell _____
(2nd Participant) Home _____ Cell _____
(3rd Participant) Home _____ Cell _____
(4th Participant) Home _____ Cell _____

Primary Email Contact: _____@_____ Prefer to be contacted by: Email__HomePh__Cell__

Emergency Contact: _____ EC Contact Phone #: _____

I/we would like to room with: _____ (Non-smoking/Smoking) _____

Enclosed is my check/cash in the amount of \$_____ as trip deposit for _____ spaces.

The cost of this trip is \$_____ per person; Non-skier/other adjustments are \$_____

Week Deposit =\$250; weekend=\$75; per participant. Make check payable to RSC-name of the trip. Mail to respective Trip Leader.

I/we have read the liability disclaimer, cancellation policy, RSC By-Laws and policies and agree to be bound by them.

Participant's Signature (s): _____