The Pacesetter

Richmond Ski Club

June 2016

Founded 1954

Richmond Ski Club – April 23, 2016
4th Annual Membership Appreciation Picnic

A beautiful day at a great venue!
176 Members & Guests Attended
25 Volunteers to keep it running!

A big thank you goes out to all our members who keep RSC thriving!

Karen Noakes, 2015/16 Meetings Director, extends a special thanks to Paul Klingensmith for securing this lovely venue, Bill Ramsey for providing such great music & the 25 volunteers who came out to help pick-up supplies/ food, set-up/take down, decorate, park cars, register, serve, judge deserts, Jim Willis for golf across river fund raiser and Brenda Bird our Picture Taker!

Scenes from the Day!

Turn to page 6 for more great memories!

Richmond Ski Club, Inc.

P. O. Box 1048 · Richmond, VA 23218-1048

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.

*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 each month.

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Facebook, Meetup, & www.RichmondSkiClub.org

Was your directory listing incorrect last year? Have you moved or changed your phone number?

Please send all directory updates to Andrea Shimko by *July 4th*

news@richmondskiclub.org

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NEW 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.

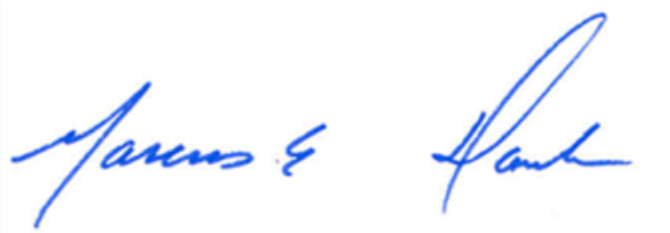
RSC President's Message June 2016

Hello RSC'er,

I hope everyone who attended the Membership Appreciation Picnic in April enjoyed themselves. I'd like to thank Paul Klingensmith who donated his yearly use of American Legion Post 354 for the RSC Picnic, the American Legion Post #354, the volunteers who set-up, served, and cleaned after the event, Jim Willis for hosting his golf ball fund raiser, and Bill Ramsey for DJ.'ing. And a special thanks to Karen Noakes whose efforts made the event a resounding success.

Volunteering. Richmond Ski Club would not be able to support its membership without the wonderful people who volunteer their time. All the trips, activities, fund raising, meetings, and socials are run by volunteers. I thank them for all the work, you should too. If you'd like to become involved with Richmond Ski Club; participate at an activity, enjoy the meetings, bring your friends, or take a trip. Whether you want to participate or volunteer with us there are numerous opportunities available. We're planning many activities this summer; Grace Potter concert, Polo at the King Family Vineyard, Tubing in Scottsville, hiking, and bike rides. Join us for a happy hour social at Latitude Seafood Company in June. Watch the Pacesetter, Meetup, Facebook, and the Website for more information.

Unsure where to start, ask one of the volunteer board members, or an event organizer. We'll appreciate your added service to the RSC Community. So, Join us, Participate, Volunteer. Most of all have a great time with Richmond Ski Club.



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, Bruce Agriesti, at webmaster@richmondskiclub.org.

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

Social/Activities Calendar

Date & Time	Activity	Location	Contact	Price & Information
June 9 TBD	Grace Potter Concert	Maymont Park		Mark your calendars now!
June 12 1:00pm	Polo	King Family Vineyard 6550 Roseland Farm Crozet, VA 22932 434-823-7800	Joyce Parkey jocasta68@gmail.com Sandy Vermillera sandyzv@verizon.net	Click Here for Flyer
June 26 4-8pm	Happy Hour Latitude Seafood Company	15532 Westchester Commons Way Midlothian, Virginia 23113 807-379-8100	Cynthia Stebbins littlear1@yahoo.com	Weather permitting, we will be located on the outdoor patio. Great happy hour specials all afternoon!
July 7 *Optional camping Fri and/or Sat	Tubing on the James	James River Reeling & Rafting 265 Ferry Street Scottsville, VA 24590 434-286-4FUN	Andrea Shimko news@ richmondskiclub.org Karen Noakes karennoakes2@ verizon.net	Click Here for Flyer

Click here for our 2016-2017 tentative trip calendar!

June Birthdays

1	Christian	Lloyd	9	Brent	Hancock
1	Gordon	Franke	9	Carl	Stanley
1	Howard	Wiles	10	Carol	Thomas
1	Jennifer	Campfield	10	Thomas	Yeaman
2	Clifford	Gordon	11	Brenda	Palmer
2	Debbie	Foard	11	Deborah	Wood
2	Hayden	Stephens	11	Deborah	Stewart
5	Ben	Purcell	11	Linda	Budi
5	Richard	O'Hare	12	Mary	Massie
6	Edward	Quigley	13	Beth	Musick
6	Terry	Marsh	14	George	Hastings
8	Jennifer	Winchel	14	Harold	Landis
8	Kevin	Barry	14	Janis	Hannuksela

Welcome New Members!

Kevin Banning
Billy Fields

15	Steven	Switzer	22	Donald	Duvall
16	Elizabeth	Steele	22	Stephen	Lord
16	Heidi	Chadwick	23	Nina	Szemis
16	Teresa	Fisher	24	George	Clendenin
18	Jane	Kelley	25	Jade	Freda
18	Mary	Dillon	26	Karen	Balducci
18	Sonny	Clarke	27	Manda	Sexton
19	Barbara	Souders	27	Terri	Vetter
19	Jenny	Gills	28	Alan	Beard
19	Robin	Wintzer	28	Ann	Lankey
20	Bryce	Agriesti	28	Arthur	Walker
20	James	Lord	28	David	La Joie
20	Jennifer	Franklin	28	Don	Phelps
21	Colin	Freda	28	Donald	Phelps
21	Debra	Thacker	28	John	Bass
21	John	Freda	29	Judith	Marston
22	A.J.	Shriar			

Tentative Trip Schedule

Dates	Leader	Co-Leader	Location
Jan 22-Jan 29	Sonny Clarke	Marshall Walsh	Whistler, British Columbia
Jan 28-Feb 4	Liz Nelson	Deanne Apostolides	Vail, Colorado
Feb 4-11	Jim Cochrane	Brenda Bird	BRSC Breckenridge, Colorado
Feb 11-18	Steve Switzer	Noble McClellan	Snowmass, Colorado
Feb 18-25			OPEN: President's Week
Feb 25—Mar 4	Karen Noakes	Anne Clendenin	Whitefish, Montana
Mar 4-11	Bruce Gibson	Valerie Chafee	Jackson Hole, Wyoming
Mar 11-18	Donna Henshaw	Mike Larson	Location Pending
Mar 18—25	Karen Cameron	Marty Casey	Big Sky, Montana
Late April	Paul Fournia	Jim Willis	TBD*

All trips and trip information are tentative and subject to change

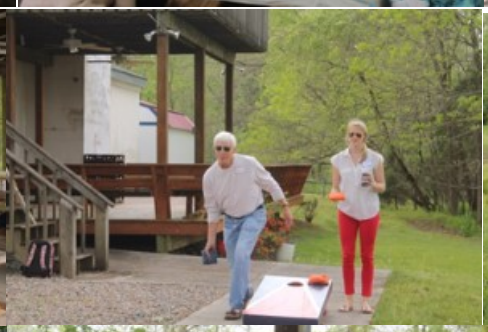
Membership Renewal Reminders for 2016-2017

- The membership year ended on 4/30/2016. If mailing your renewal, please use the NEW application form in this issue of the Pacesetter.
- Membership prices are the same as last year.
- Dependent children 25 and under, who reside at the same address, may be included on family memberships. Children older than 25 are **required** to have their own membership.
- Significant others may also be included on family memberships provided they reside at the same address.
- Don't forget you may also renew on the RSC website!

Questions may be directed to Ed Quigley, Membership director.
membership@richmondskiclub.org

FUN IN THE SUN

Member Apprecation in Action



MEXICO

26 RSC members enjoyed 8 fantastic days of sunny weather with soothing cool Ocean breezes at Playa Del Carmen Mexico Apr 24 – May 2, 2016, in RIU's Rivera Resort (5 star, all-inclusive). Optional tours included a bus trip to Mexican Ruins, swimming with dolphins and snorkel dives viewing colorful fish in 40' clear water…..plus --shopping. All trip members enjoyed a sunset catamaran cruise with snacks and beverages on a calm ocean bay inside a protective Caribbean reef. Active daily beach and pool organized fun events included: pool volleyball, horseshoes, water balloon toss, salsa dance classes, exercise classes, bar bingo, hobbie-cat sailing plus ocean kayak paddling and a fully equipped gym. Evening theater entertainment shows included audience participation and dancing under clear skies (with no mosquitos or bugs – thanks to a mystery Mexican fog spray)

Bottom Line: Thanks to Jim & Paul's fastidious trip planning, 8 full days of great sun, surf and entertainment timed to escape Richmond's 11 consecutive rainy days …!

TUBING ON THE JAMES with Optional Camping

Saturday, July 9, 2015 @ 9:45AM
Camping Available Friday, Saturday or both!
Optional camping fee includes tent site, evening cook-out and breakfast!

265 Ferry St
Scottsville, VA 24590
(434) 286-4386
http://www.reelingandrafting.com/directions.htm

Meet Andrea Shimko and Karen Noakes at James River Reeling & Rafting in Scottsville
For a Fun Day tubing down the James River with optional camping!
"A group lunch meet-up area will be designated prior to tube launch!"
After tubing (if not camping) join us at our campsite for an optional Cook-out or a Cool Refreshing Beverage (BYOB)

Tubing Only $24, Friday Camping $12, Saturday Camping/Meals $20, *Saturday Cookout $5*, Cooler Tube $8
*Tubers who want to stay for Saturday Cookout and then return home – children under 12 $3 for cookout.
Circle your options and insert grand total here_____
Cut and paste Link below to Print Waiver and Include signed copy in with Trip Payment
Everyone 18 and older will need an individual liability form; children under 18 sign w/parents on the same form
http://www.reelingandrafting.com/waiver.pdf

Make check payable to RSC and mail to:
Andrea Shimko, 6326 Queens Lace Road, Mechanicsville, VA 23111

Cut-off Date for Sign-ups is June 30th – Reservations are strictly required!

Bring water and/or your favorite beverages, sunscreen, lunch, sunglasses, cooler (no Styrofoam), dry clothes, water shoes (flip flops not recommended for tubing) and camping gear if camping!
Life Jackets are available on request and hot showers are available.

For more information email Andrea at news@richmondskiclub.org or Karen at karennoakes2@verizon.net

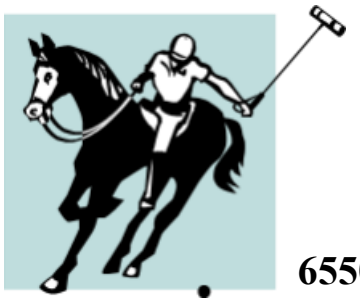
We'll keep you updated on river conditions as the trip could be cancelled in the event of rain or if James River Reeling & Rafting deems the James River is unsafe for tubing on our scheduled day.

Print Name of Participant: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____
Print Name of Participant: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____
Print Name of Participant: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____
Print Name of Participant: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____
Parents are required to sign for children under 18.
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.

POLO MATCH AT KING FAMILY VINEYARDS

Sunday, June 12th @ 1:00 p.m.



6550 Roseland Farm Crozet, VA 22932 434-823-7800

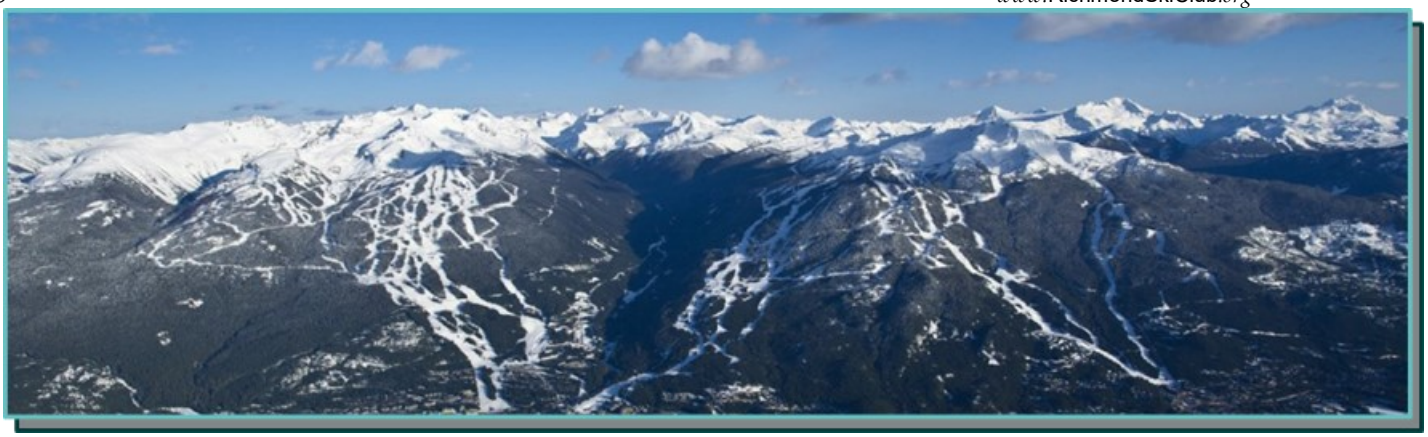
Join us for a day of wine, food and friends as we watch a polo match at King Family Vineyards. We will be meeting at the King Family Vineyards in the area around the field to watch an exciting polo match between local polo players.

Bring chairs, blankets, and shade. King Family Vineyards will be selling wine, bottled water and Roseland Polo Hats from golf carts circling the field during the match. All major credit cards are accepted.

Bring some snacks or pack a picnic lunch. Assorted chocolates, cheeses, spreads and French bread are sold in the Tasting room. NO ALCOHOL other than King Family wine is permitted on the premises.

Please RSVP with your contact info if you plan on attending so that we know to look for you there. Also, please let me know if you are interested in sharing a ride and I will send out a list of those interested so that rides can be arranged.

Contact Sandy Vermillera @ sandyzv@verizon.net , cell 804-304-1689
Or Joyce Parkey @jocasta68@gmail.com, cell 804-304-3479.
Please note: **The polo matches may have to be cancelled on the day of the match due to weather conditions**. Please call King Family Vineyards before you go and/or look for an email from me for cancellation info.



Whistler/Blackcomb & Vancouver, BC !

$1,399 pp dbl occup.

January 22-29, 2017 (Sun/Sun)

5 Nights ~ Whistler/Blackcomb

"No. 1 resort in North America"

Ski & miss the crowds!

4 of 5 Day Lift Ticket; 5th Day add $65

Fri / Sat ~ Downtown Vancouver

Explore Restaurant Weekend!

Includes Air, Transfers, pre & on trip parties & More !

(ask Marshall: Senior Discount & W/O Air)

Trip Leaders:
Sonny Clarke & Marshall Walsh
marshall.walsh@verizon.net
sclarke@aol.com
(804) 301-3520

Reserve your spot today!

Send Deposits to :

Sonny Clarke,

111 Stratford Dr.,

Colonial Heights, VA 23834

Deposit Schedule:

July 1, $300

Aug1, $250

Sept 1, $250

Oct 1, $250

Nov 1, Balance

January 28 – February 4, 2017
$2090

Setting the standard for American skiing, Vail is one of the largest ski resorts in North America. Vail boasts three distinct areas of the mountain, each with their own features, including **four terrain parks**, **seven legendary back bowls** and 5,200 acres of developed ski and snowboard terrain. At **seven miles wide**, finding fresh tracks is easy.

The Front Side: Vail's front side alone boasts more than 127 individuals trails with everything from smooth, gentle beginner slopes to corduroy cruisers to moguls, glades and terrain parks.

The Back Bowls: Seven natural bowls stretching over six miles wide. Vail's legendary back bowls span 3,000 acres and offer an unparalleled powder paradise with spectacular views and runs that last forever!

Blue Sky Basin: 645 acres of natural, gladed terrain nestled more than 2 miles into the wilderness. A true adventure experience for intermediate and advanced skiers. Three high-speed lifts service the type of terrain typically reserved for those who choose to hike or helicopter in.

Trip Includes:
Pre-trip Party
Round-trip air and ground transportation
Seven (7) nights lodging in Lionshead Village at Vail Spa
5-day interchangeable lift ticket that my also be used at Beaver Creek, Keystone, Brecken-ridge, and Arapahoe Basin
Parties…and Much More…

Our 7-night stay will be in 2b/2b or 3b/3b condos at Vail Spa. These spacious, tastefully furnished units are conveniently located in the heart of Lionshead Village within walking distance to Eagle Bahn Gondola and Born Free Express, or a quick shuttle ride to the lifts at Vail Village or Golden Peak. Amenities include daily maid service, fully equipped kitchen, VCR, washer/dryer, humidifier, complimentary wireless Internet, ski storage, exclusive Vail Spa Guest Grocery Market Shuttle, indoor/outdoor heated pools, Jacuzzis, sauna & steam room and fitness center.

RESERVE YOUR SPACE on this premiere trip by sending your Trip Application and a $250 deposit check payable to RSC-Vail to Deanne Apostolides, 1836 Fairwind Circle, Richmond, VA 23238.

For more information contact Liz Nelson at 804-353-4815, enelson7@comcast.net or Deanne Apostolides at 804-741-9334, apostolides1836@comcast.net. You may also view the Vail website at www.vail.com

BRECKENRIDGE, CO

Join Jimmy and Brenda for the Blue Ridge Ski Council's Western Winter Carnival in Breck!

FEBURARY 4TH – 11TH 2017

"Pricing to follow"

"Perfect Mountain, Perfect Town"

With 4 huge peaks spanning 2358 acres, the highest lift in North America, 5 terrain parks, 2 half-pipes, 8 bowls, a world renown Ski & Ride school, and an authentic "hip" mountain town, Breckenridge has something for all abilities and interests. Every beginner and intermediate trail is groomed nightly so you can enjoy endless turns throughout your day. Or, ride North America's highest chairlift, the Imperial Express, up to the high alpine bowls for unforgettable views and steeps. If you haven't been to Breckenridge lately, then you are in for a wonderful experience, as Breck's five I interconnected peaks offer amazing variety for every skill level. Moreover, as the largest historic district in Colorado, Breckenridge is home to over 30 bars, pubs and restaurants. Browse Breckenridge bars and night clubs to experience the ultimate après-ski scene

LODGING: Beaver Run Resort, which is the ultimate resort in Breckenridge. Condos are Ski-in Ski-out and next to the Beaver Run Super Chair and Quicksilver 6.

The complex is four blocks from Main Street and the Town Trolley, and free hotel shuttle to town and back.

Trip Includes:

- Round-trip air, RVA to Denver.
- 7 nights at Beaver Run
- Lift Tickets, good at Breckenridge, Keystone, Arapaho Basin, and 2-days at Vail/Beavercreek

Vail Resorts offers an "Epic Pass" (lift ticket) good for all of the Vail Resorts owned properties...if you are going to ski other VR ski areas, check out the savings: See Epic Pass by Vail Resorts

- Welcome Reception – Super Bowl Party
- Midweek Race – Apres Ski Reception
- Vail Ski Day – Free bus to Vail
- Farewell Dinner/Dance
- Ground transportation to/from airport and accommodations.
- MORE FUN EVENTS to FOLLOW…..
- Our very own Marshall Walsh as our BRSC Trip Coordinator!

RESERVE YOUR SPACE TODAY!

Send deposit of $250 per person, check payable to RSC-Breckenridge along with trip application to: Brenda Bird, 11207 Lady Slipper Lane, Richmond VA 23236

For more information please contact:

Jimmy Cochrane at (804) 356-8868 or Brenda Bird (804) 437-3609, or email either of us at jimmyc825@aol.com or brenann0812@gmail.com.

Or for more details visit the BRSC wedsite: http://skicouncil.com/Western-Carnival_Breckenridge-2017.pdf

Richmond Ski Club, Inc. presents:

Snowmass, Colorado Feb.11-18, 2017

$1,830 (full package) $1745 (seniors-65 and older)

Top of the Village Condos –on the slopes at Snowmass

We are returning to Top of the Village: The ultimate in luxurious ski-in/ski-out condominium lodging. Each condo has a balcony, fireplace, fully equipped kitchen, and both washer/dryer. All buildings are elevator-served. There is a year 'round outdoor heated pool, 2 hot tubs, a fitness room and large sauna. Complimentary shuttle service operates throughout Snowmass Village. **Flying into Aspen airport!**

There are four different mountains you can ski in the Aspen area; take advantage of a free mountain orientation tour. Snow mobile rides and cross country skiing is available. Additional l après skiing opportunities could include horse drawn carriage and sleigh rides, ice skating, or a trip to the hot springs in Glenwood. The Snowmass area offers late nightspots with live music and many fine restaurants such as Artisan and the Sage restaurant and bar.

Trip Includes: *(you must be a current RSC or Blue Ridge Ski Council member)*

- Pre-trip party to meet other trip participants and enjoy tasty treats & refreshments
- 7 nights lodging in either 2 bedroom/2 bath or 3 bedroom/3 bath condos
- Welcome wine & cheese party with additional appetizers (meat, vegetable, & fruit trays)
- Group pizza & beverage night at Top of the Village party room
- Outstanding group dinner at a great Snowmass Restaurant
- 5 out of 7 DAY lift tickets: good for Snowmass, Aspen, Buttermilk, & Aspen Highlands

(No lift tickets: deduct $340) (No air- deduct $630) Single Supplement (add $660)

Please make your deposit check of $250 payable to RSC Snowmass 2017 &
Mail to: Steve Switzer 8304 Gwinnett Road Richmond, VA 23229

Payment Schedule:

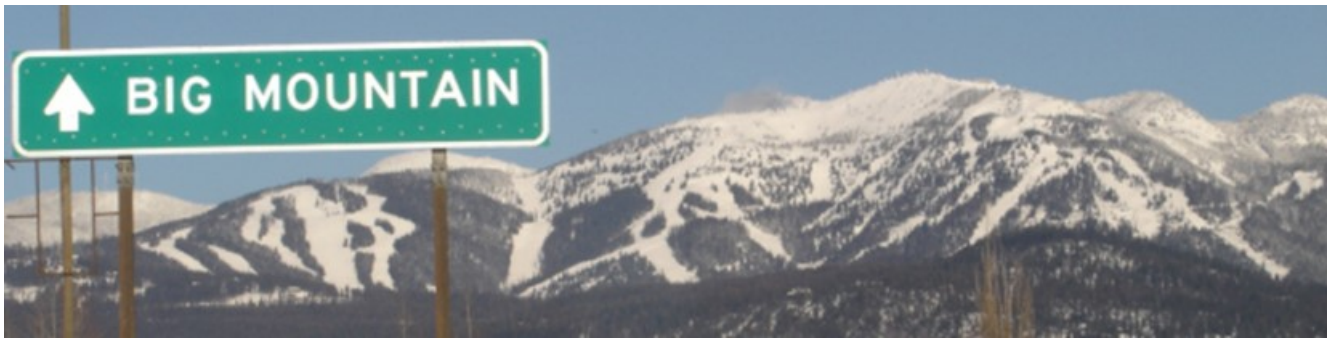
$300/July; $300/Aug.; $300/Sept.; $300/Oct.; $300/Nov.; Dec.1st Balance due

Contact: Steve Switzer: 804-762- 9292 sgswitzer02@msn.com
Noble McClellan: 804-360-2610 noblemcclellan@yahoo.com

It's Never too Early to Think Snow!

So Reserve Your Spot for Whitefish, MT

Formerly Known As



Join Karen Noakes & Anne Clendenin

February 25 – March 4, 2017 – Estimate $1,655 (may go down!)

(PP Double Occupancy)
Seniors 65 – 69 – Deduct $40, Over 70 – Ski Free – Deduct $200, Non-Skiers – Deduct $200

Morning Eagle Lodge - Ski-in/Ski-out Condos
The newest, slope side, luxury condominium property; provides pure Montana pampering in the center of the Whitefish Mountain Resort Village.
FREE Shuttle Service to the town of Whitefish

5 of 6 DAY LIFT TICKETS, ROUNDTRIP AIR & GROUND TRANSPORTATION (Only 25 minute Bus Ride)

WELCOME RECEPTION, GROUP SOCIALS/DINNER & MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW

Optional Activities:
Ski Fernie, BC Day Trip (passport needed), Backcountry Cat Skiing, Glacier National Park Snowshoe Tours, Dog Sledding, Sleigh Rides, Cross Country Skiing & Moonlight Dine & Ski

This is a BIG deal at a BIG place!
If affordability & minimal crowds are on your list, then Whitefish is a no-brainer!
The Resort offers spectacular views of Glacier National Park and Flathead National Forest.

11 lifts, 2 T-bars and 1 magic carpet offer access to 105 named trails and vast bowl and tree skiing. There are 5 terrains parks and a Skier/Boarder Cross course to entertain the freestylers in any group. Whitefish Mountain accommodates riders and skiers of all levels & abilities!

Whitefish Mountain Resort statistics:
*** 300 inches of annual snowfall**
*** 3000 acres open – 2352 vertical feet**
*** Top Elevation 6817 feet, base 4464 feet**
*** 6.0% expert, 43.0% advanced, 38.0% intermediate, 13.0% beginner**

The city of Whitefish just may be the most unique travel destination in the United States. Located at the foot of Whitefish Mountain (formerly known as Big Mountain) it is truly a skier's Shangri-La. Shuttle services run hourly. This makes it possible to catch a shuttle into town to eat breakfast at a local café, and get back up for full day of skiing, then shuttle back down the mountain to enjoy a cold microbrew back in town that same evening. The hometown atmosphere is contagious and soon you will be smiling and greeting everyone you meet on the streets

RESERVE YOUR SPOT TODAY BY SENDING IN TRIP APP AND $250 DEPOSIT FOR RSC-Whitefish
To: Karen Noakes, 12709 Clearwater Drive, Midlothian, VA 23114

For More Info Contact: Karennoakes2@verizon.net or 337-5934 – Aclend917@comcast.net or 276-8872

Jackson Hole, WY

March 4-11, 2017

PRICE TBD

Valerie and Bruce are working hard to offer you the finest skiing in the Old West! Come join us for a great skiing adventure, luxurious accommodations and a great group of old and new friends.

We will be staying in town at the Parkway Inn (double occupancy hotel rooms), just a short bus ride to the mountain. Our accommodations include daily breakfast and vouchers for the town shuttle to and from the mountain, with town shuttles running all day and evening. The Town of Jackson is a charming Western town with plenty of restaurants, watering holes, art galleries and shopping for your off-mountain experience. See the antler arches that grace the town square, head to the Wort Hotel's Silver Dollar Bar or the famous Million Dollar Cowboy Bar for music and dancing, or try one of the restaurants that led *Wine Enthusiast* to name Jackson as one of America's 5 New Foodie Cities in 2014.

Jackson Hole just celebrated 50 years of skiing excellence. With that milestone come many improvements! Jackson Hole has always been known for challenge, but it is also ranked highly by SKI Magazine for excellent terrain variety. Everyone is familiar with one of the best known slopes in the world – Corbet's Couloir, but that's only one run of over 135 satisfying slopes! There are many rolling groomers and long blue runs. Jackson Hole has given the highest priority to improving the intermediate skiing experience by opening new "blue" terrain in the Casper area with new high speed quads, a new Gondola (2016) specific to the area and increasing the size of their grooming fleet and snowmaking capacity. The base altitude is only 6,300', below average altitude sickness elevation

OUR ADVENTURE includes:

- Pre-trip party to reacquaint old ski buddies and meet new ones
- Flying into Jackson Hole airport, just a short ride to town
- 5 of 6 day lift tickets with extra day TBD
- Breakfast included daily
- Deluxe baggage handling in and out of condos
- Welcome Wine & Cheese reception
- World Class cross-country skiing available
- On trip Pizza Party and Happy Hours
- The always memorable "Fabulous Trip Banquet"
- Experienced and proven trip leaders

We may have limited participant spots and we are filling fast with repeat offenders . Don't delay and miss another great adventure with Valerie and Bruce.

Reserve your space now! Send your $ 250.00 deposit (payable to RSC Jackson Hole) and trip application to:
Valerie Chafee, 5504 Old Richmond Avenue, Richmond, VA 23226.

Questions? Bruce Gibson 804-920-1751 snowwizard1231@verizon.net
Valerie Chafee 804-241-3966 valerie.m.chafee@dom.com; valeriec456@gmail.com

Payment schedule: $250 deposit; $300 July 1; $300 Aug. 1; $300 Sept. 1; $300 Oct. 1; $300 Nov. 1; balance Dec. 1

Ski Trip-Spectacular!!!!

Dates: March 11-18 (or thereabouts)

Location: -Somewhere Awesome! (still working on the details)

Your Hosts: Donna Henshaw and Mike Larson

Email: mikelarson1@gmail.com
Dhenshaw9@yahoo.com

Big Sky, Montana

Join Karen and Marty March 28-25 2016!

Price TBD

The **tentative** plans are to stay at the gorgeous Big Horn Condominiums with ski-in and ski-out access.

We are planning to include the following on our trip:

- 7 night condo stay
- Up to 5 days of skiing
- Kickoff party
- Parties during the trip

To get on the list to be contacted with a firm price contact:

Karen at (804) 514-8692 karenleecameron@gmail.com
Marty at (804) 402-6995 martha.casey@bankatunion.com

Wanted....Your Photos.

The Pacesetter wants your photos of activities, trips, and socials to keep our members up to date with all the happenings in the club. Please email to News@RichmondSkiClub.org along with the location and person(s) in the photos.

You never know when they will appear in your Pacesetter.

2016 Summer Activities

Details coming soon...

If you have ideas for activities or you have activities you want to coordinate for RSC, contact Joyce Parkey at Activities@richmondskiclub.org.
We welcome ALL fun activities and ideas!

JOIN/RENEW ONLINE AT WWW.RICHMONDSKICLUB.ORG

You can join online and mail in a check!

Revised 05-18-16

[PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY!!!!]

Membership Application

Please Mail and Make Checks Payable to:

Membership Term
5/1/16 – 4/30/17

RSC Membership
5521 Cottage Street
Henrico, VA 23228
Phone: (804) 307-1878
membership@RichmondSkiClub.org

❑ ***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:_____

Child: _____ Birth date: _____ Child: _____ Birth date: _____
(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:** _____

Signature (2): _____ **Date:** _____
Application invalid unless signed

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 cancellees will be replaced in order of their cancellation. If no replacement is found, any uncoverable 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

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:

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

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):

Date: _____ _____ (1st Participant)

Date: _____ _____ (2nd Participant) Minor (Y/N)

Date: _____ _____ (3rd Participant) Minor (Y/N)

Date: _____ _____ (4th Participant) Minor (Y/N)

Parent/Guardian must sign for any minor children Rev. 05-26-16