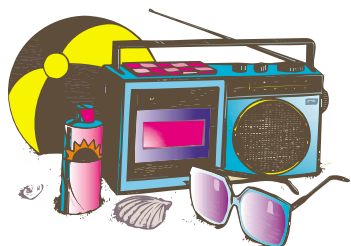




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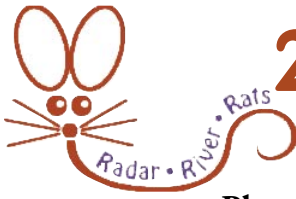
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2005 HEASB Water Ski Club Membership Application

Please, ONE application form per membership type (Individual or Family)

Name(s): _____ Home Ph: () _____
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Birthday (Mo/Day): _____ Fax: () _____
Home Address: _____ Emergency: () _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Contact: _____

**** Note — Email will be the tool used for most of our communication with members. Please print clearly.**

Raytheon Payroll Number: _____ LOC: _____ Bldg: _____ M/S: _____

The membership year is from April 1 through March 31.

Please check (ONE only) the type of membership that applies to you:

_____ \$40.00 **Single Membership**

_____ *Deduct \$10 from your Single Membership if you supply a valid email address for electronic newsletters*

_____ \$80.00 **Family Membership** (two or more skiers at same address and includes skiing kids under 18)

_____ *Deduct \$20 from your Family Membership if you supply a valid email address for electronic newsletters*

**There is no membership fee for a non-skiing child under the age of 12.
However, ALL skiers must be members, regardless of age.**

**Submit application with your check payable to HEASB WATER SKI CLUB by mail to:
Cathy Combs, P.O. Box 3080, El Segundo, CA 90245**

This form must be sent to Cathy. DO NOT send this application with your trip reservation or both will be returned, which will affect your trip reservation.

We are always looking for volunteers. I may be interested in helping run the club: Yes _____ No _____

I would like to volunteer / suggest / comment: _____

WAIVER: I hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators waive and release any and all rights and claims I may have against HEASB Water Ski Club, Radar River Rats, Raytheon Employee Association (EA) or its representatives, agents, or board members of any and all injuries. The Raytheon Employee Association (EA) is a non-profit organization that has no association with Hughes Aircraft Company, Raytheon Systems Co., or Boeing.

Signature _____ Date _____

Signature _____ Date _____

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SOUNDING

BORED

by Catherine Ohl

Water Skiing—

It's hard to believe that the water ski season is almost here. The process of getting this newsletter out has been delayed by your board trying to figure out what to do about the rising cost of gas and the prediction that gas may reach \$5 a gallon in Los Angeles. Who knows how high the price will go in Needles.

We've done a detailed analysis of our costs from the previous two years and have decided the following.

- Skier fee will be \$100 based on a gas cost of \$3.50 a gallon [or about \$4 in Needles]. If the price of gas exceeds this threshold, we may have to access a gas surcharge. To put this into perspective, the increase will be in the neighborhood of \$8 per increase of a dollar a gallon.
- Non-skier fee will be \$49 based on food cost increases.
- The child fee of \$18 will be unchanged. We love your kids and welcome their energy and their free spirits.
- Individual membership will increase by \$10 to \$40 because of increased administrative costs. A family membership will also increase by \$10 to \$80. As always, there will be a \$10 discount on individual membership and \$20 on a family membership if you elect to receive your newsletter via email.

With all the snow we've had this winter, it should be a great summer for water skiing & wake boarding. ■

Catherine

Boat Driver

UPDATE

by Gene Fulkerson

Welcome to Summer—

Hope you have all had an excellent winter snow skiing or boarding. I managed to use most of my vacation days on the slopes of California, Colorado, Canada and Italy. I hope to squeeze in a few more days on the snow by finishing up the season in Chile this summer.

Meanwhile, I am excited to start water skiing again as our boat drivers ready their boats for another fantastic summer at the river. It should be a good season in light of all the snow that has fallen this winter.

I would like to welcome back our very excellent boat drivers— **Catherine Ohl, Paul Jackson, Mark Mathis,** and **Craig Henderson.** It appears we may be adding another boat driver to the queue. It seems that **Peter Catalano** has finally bought a boat. Rumor is that it is a 1994 open bow Sport Nautique.

I am hard at working embellishing the river menus and adding some new twists. Come out to the river for a taste. Looking forward to skiing with you all again in 2005.

Convention—

Just a reminder that the Far West Convention is next month, June 9-12, 2005 at the Westin in Long Beach. There's lots of fun things to do. Some of it is even free. You won't want Friday's Silent Auction. See pages 4 & 12-14 for more information. If you are interested in attending the convention as a delegate for the Rats, please contact me. ■

Gene

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

April

Jim Hess 4/4
Camille Altell 4/22

May

Jayne Glodowski 5/13
Jim Jeffery 5/16
Jerome (Jay) Stabler 5/23

Danielle Hess 5/27
John Erickson 5/30

June

Craig Henderson 6/13
Paul Jackson 6/15
Michael Webb 6/27



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Convention Events
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If you can't attend the convention for the whole weekend as a voting or non-voting delegate, make plans to attend the FREE events—

- **Happy Hour**, Friday, June 10, 2005, 5-7 PM
- **Silent Auction & History Exhibit** [See pg 12]
Friday, June 10, 2005, 7-11 PM
- **History Reunion, Reception & Exhibit**
Saturday, June 11, 2005, 2-5 PM

and/or extend your “Sharing of Ski History” by joining us for Lunch and/or Dinner on Saturday—

- **Lunch** [King Salmon entrée for \$30]
- **Dinner/Dance** [mild Thai Chicken Breast with Garlic Shrimp for \$65]

and/or join the fun optional events — [See pg 13]

- **Pub Crawl** on Pine Ave in Long Beach.
Thursday, June 9, 2005, 5 PM [\$35]
- **Golf** at Long Beach's Rec Park with other clubs, celebrities and guests.
Friday, June 10, 2005, 6 AM [\$85]
- **Aquarium of the Pacific** entrance, guided tour, lunch and transportation.
Friday, June 10, 2005, 9:45 AM [\$40]
- **Queen Mary** entrance, tours, movie, lunch, shopping, and transportation.
Friday, June 10, 2005, 9:30 AM [\$45]
- **Kayaking**, lunch and transportation.
Friday, June 10, 2005, 9:15 AM [\$30] ■

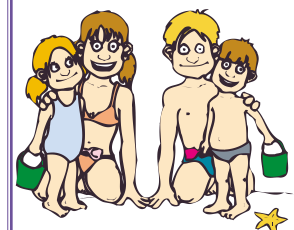
Playing it Water Safe

As we step into summer it's a good thing to review some basics of water safety. We need to be aware of our environment, conditions and weather before entering the water. And remember there are different safety rules for beaches, rivers, lakes, and public or private swimming pools.

Beach Safety Tips—

- Always swim at a beach patrolled by lifeguards.
- Swim between the flags that mark the safest areas to swim.
- Always swim under supervision or with a friend.
- Read and obey all safety signs.
- Always go surfing with someone else.

- Don't surf where others are swimming.
- Check if it's okay to swim before you enter the water.
- If you are unsure of conditions, ask a lifeguard.
- Never dive into unknown water.
- Check the water depth.
- Check for submerged objects.
- If you get caught in a rip at a patrolled beach, do not panic. Float with the rip and raise one arm for assistance.
- Don't swim under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- Use at least a SPF15 sunscreen, wear a long-sleeve shirt and a broad brimmed hat. ■



PLAY IT COOL
Water Safety Tips

Mammoth

How runs got their Names

Ever wonder how a ski run gets its name. Some names are obvious. **Cornice Bowl** is at the top of the mountain where a ledge of snow naturally forms. **Hemlock Ridge** is covered in Mountain Hemlock trees. **Broadway** is the main run to the Main Lodge. Under **Dry Creek** there's a stream that dries up in the summer. **Climax** is named after a type of avalanche involving multiple layers of snow.

Other runs have more personal namesakes and were named after people who are a part of Mammoth Mountain's legacy.

Dave's Run, a black diamond off the top, to skier's right of the Gondola, was named for Mammoth icon and owner Dave McCoy.

Blue Ox, one of the earliest named runs, took its name from a 1950s L.A. Times article that described McCoy as a Paul Bunyan type of character whose sidekick was a blue ox.

Philippe's is an off-the-top double-black diamond to skier's left of Paranoid Flats. Philippe Mollard was crazy enough to guinea pig this rocky chute.

Scotty's, a steep run accessible by Chairs 23 or 14, is named as a memorial for Clifford Scott, who died in a 60s avalanche on the run. He was a friend of McCoy's, and a stone monument with crossed skis landmarks the top of Scotty's.

Rogers' Ridge is named after ski patroller and U.S. Forester, Ron Rogers, who broke his back in a fall off the ridge one early morning in 1973 when performing avalanche control.

Thunder Bound Express chairlift was named for the former head of the snowcat crew Roger Sorensen, whose loud snoring habits were noted after he snoozed one stormy night in the cafeteria.

Jill's Run, located to skier's right of Forest Trail and Thunder Bound Express, is named for Jill Kinmont Boothe, a paralyzed Mammoth racer whose inspiring story became a movie, *"The Other Side of the Mountain."*

Terry's Run is a race-course run below Chair




23, beneath St. Anton. It's namesake is Terry Smith, a Mammoth ski instructor who died in a bulldozer accident at Chair 3 in 1975.

Agee's Run, an advanced race-course run, is named for Dennis Agee, a retired executive who raced at Mammoth as a boy, started the Race Department, coached the U.S. Ski Team and returned to oversee the Race Department. ■

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Spring Skiing and Sunscreen—

Thank the sun gods, spring is here. We can finally strip off those parkas and scarves that we've been skiing in all winter. Just keep in mind what a mixed blessing the sun can be at this time of year.

Even though accumulating a tan may seem like a seasonal rite, replacing the winter pale may be causing irreversible harm. There are two major reasons to protect yourself against the sun: premature aging and skin cancer. Brown spots and wrinkling are some of not-so-hot results of sun exposure.

Sun damage is avoidable. Big-brimmed hats, long-sleeve shirts and plenty of high-powered sunscreen all combine to increase your UV barrier. Fill a shot glass with sunscreen. That's the approximate amount worth of sunscreen needed to cover the body. When you're in the high country, you should re-apply throughout the day and use a sun screen with a higher SPF.

Kate Kisling of Ski Press presents this sampling of sunscreens.

Estée Lauder—

Skin cancer aside, the whole premature aging and wrinkles bit isn't that appetizing either. So if the possibility of endangering your health isn't enough to get you to lather up, let the narcissism roar with the new Sun Performance SunCare Collection Estée Lauder. "Exclusive technology" minimizes the appearance of dark spots - one of the first signs of premature aging - and helps keep your tan looking even. **www.esteelauder.com**



AloeUp—

Greaseless and waterproof are essential when shopping for the perfect sunscreen, but as a true sportsman, a fragrance free, hypoallergenic product sounds pretty good, too. The Pro Sport SPF 30 gives you all that protection plus a patented dry lotion formula that's 35% Aloe Vera gel. Soothing! **www.aloeup.com**



KiNeSYS—

If you could eliminate one annoying feature in applying sunscreen, what would it be? How about having to use your hands? Kinesys sunscreens are applied using a firm mist spray that, unlike similar products, doesn't have alcohol in it. That means you get an even application beautiful. Kiss oily hands goodbye. And hey, 250 dermatologists recommend it. **www.kinesys.com**



Rocky Mountain Sunscreen—

Like fast results? Not to crush your valiant past attempts at using sunscreen, but without leaving 15-30 minutes for the lotion to settle in, you might be more unprotected than you hoped. That is, unless your sunscreen uses Titanium Dioxide SPF 50 by Rocky Mountain Sunscreen. We're talking instantaneous protection. This product physically reflects UV radiation before it hits your skin. **www.rmsunscreens.com**

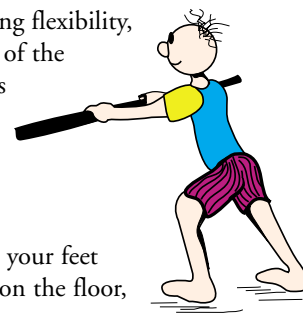


Stretching—

Stretching is essential for maintaining flexibility, which can otherwise be lost as part of the normal ageing process or as muscles develop.

One of my favorite stretches is this one that flexes the calves.

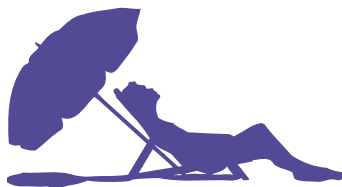
Lean against a wall and push. Keep your feet pointing forwards, with your heels on the floor, and back leg straight.



Beach Sunning—

Don't forget to put sunscreen on the

- tops of your ears
- part in your hair
- tops of your feet.



Man Overboard—

If you fall overboard, or are swept out to sea, or are caught in a river current, stay calm. You can stay afloat for a long time, even if you are exhausted. Some things to remember:

- Use any available buoyant object to assist flotation.
- Remain as still as possible to conserve energy and reduce heat loss.
- If you must swim, use slow relaxed strokes.
- Breathe in a regular and controlled manner.
- To attract attention, float on your back and raise one arm. Waving both arms makes it very difficult to keep your head above water. ■

Detecting 2-Way Mirrors

I thought it was quite interesting! And I know in about 30 seconds you're going to do what I did and find the nearest mirror. Do you ever wonder if there is a way to determine if that mirror in the restroom or dressing room is 2-way or not?

Place the tip of your fingernail against the reflective surface and if there is a **gap** between your fingernail and the image of the nail, then it is a **genuine** mirror.

However, if your fingernail **directly touches** the image of your nail, then **beware, it's a 2-way mirror!** ■

KID'S KORNER

4 kids & grandkids

Summer Kid Activities—

Kids don't be bored this summer — there are lots of things to do, both online and offline.

Let Kids' Turn Central show you how to keep busy! There will be new activities added all summer long to give you some good ideas on how to keep busy. Pick one today and have fun!

- * Grow a Garden
- * A Day at the Races
- * A Walk in the Past
- * Walk by the Falls
- * Read a Book
- * Go to a Rodeo
- * Knot Tying
- * Go Fishing
- * Fly a Kite
- * Go Camping
- * Go on a Picnic
- * Blow Bubbles
- * Tye Dye
- * Make a Paper Airplane
- * Go on a Thrill Ride
- * Do a Zoo
- * Build a Sand castle
- * Color Summer
- * Learn to Play Guitar

For more check out
www.kidsturncentral.com.

Healthy Kid Snacks—

Eat more fruits and vegetables. Mom says it. Uncle Sam, too. Yet people still do not get enough — and the government just doubled the recommended amount.

Sunkist's Fun Fruits—

Sunkist's Fun Fruits are sliced oranges, apples, pineapples, or red grapes with no stems, available in half-cup serving packages that have pictures of kids on them. The products will be in supermarkets this year. Sunkist is also working on a version for grown-ups.

The kids love them. They open them up just like they would a package of potato chips, but there's no fat in them, and it's all healthy. This is like the super-snack food.



Grab-and-Go Veggies—

New 8-ounce grab-and-go cups of water-packed carrots and celery made by Irwindale, California-based Ready Pac® will appear in grocery stores this summer.



Fresh Cut Fruit—

No washing, peeling or chopping needed with Ready Pac® fresh-cut fruit. Now you can enjoy sweet, ripe melons, citrus and other delicious fruit anytime.

Del Monte makes grab-and-go cups of fresh-cut fruit that are sold in convenience stores.

Bistro To To Salads—

Ready Pac® is also selling ready-to-go "bistro" salad bowls —



Cobb salad, chicken caesar, blue cheese. They keep meat and other protein separate from greens, come with a fork and dressing and are ready to tuck into a lunch sack. The company is testing the salad in Papa John's pizza restaurants.

Safe Summer—

Every year around this time, summer safety stories appear on TV and in newspapers. Parents are reminded to stock up on sunscreen and to check that their children's bike helmets fit properly.

The beginning of summer is a good time to talk with your kids about some of the challenges they may face during the summer, like alcohol, drugs, sex, and violence. These are risks that kids encounter more frequently when they have free and unsupervised time. So as you make sure that your children are ready for the pool and the park, take the opportunity to talk with them about other risks too. ■



Miller Wins 2005 World Cup Title—

Bode Miller clinched the overall World Cup title March 12, 2005 with a second-place finish in GS. Miller is the first American to win a World Cup overall title in alpine since **Phil Mahre** and **Tamara McKinney** in 1983.

With one race left, Miller was 204 points ahead of Austrian **Benni Raich**, who finished third and clinched the 2005 giant slalom title.

This race follows the historic tie between Miller and teammate **Daron Rahlves** in super G. Bode also won the World Cup title in the super G. Daron finished 5th in the World Cup overall title. It was a great year for the US Ski Team.



Scrabble Anyone?

This has got to be one of the most clever e-mails I've received in a while. Someone out there either has too much spare time or is a whiz at Scrabble. When you rearrange the letters of the first word you get the second.

Dormitory	Dirty Room
Presbyterian	Best In Prayer
Desperation	A Rope Ends It
George Bush	He Bugs Gore
The Morse Code	Here Come Dots
Slot Machines	Cash Lost In Me
Animosity	Is No Amity
Mother-In-Law	Woman Hitler
Snooze Alarms	Alas No More Zs
A Decimal Point	Im A Dot In Place
The Earthquakes	That Queer Shake
Eleven Plus Two	Twelve Plus One

MVP Club Pass Sells Out —

As expected Mammoth Mountain Ski Area shattered season pass sales by completely selling out of the popular MVP Club passes in just 15 days. With new membership opportunities in the MVP Club closing after 2005, demand for the passes was even higher than anticipated.

Mammoth offered a pre-sale period for returning pass holders, allowing loyal guests to be assured that they would be able to purchase a pass. At the end of the 11-day sales window, over 80% of the available passes were sold. On Friday, April 1, 2005, passes were available to new members.

By directing sales through the web site, Mammoth was able to process a tremendous volume of passes in a very short time without a significant impact to the resort. On-line sales accounted for 87% of MVP Club pass sales.

As a bonus, MVP Club members with a 2005/06 pass can start using their passes to ski or ride beginning May 1, 2005 to take advantage of Mammoth's fabulous spring skiing. Over 540 inches of snow have fallen on Mammoth this year and the mountain currently has a massive 15-17 foot base, which is expected to last well into July.

Skier Survey—

When asked what skiers and boarders will do to keep in shape in the off season, this is what they had to say.

Play Golf or Tennis	17.3%
Hike or Camp	14.5%
Mtn. Bike or Cycle	18.5%
Sail, Boat, Water Ski	15.6%
Skateboard or Skate	12.7%
Head South to Ski	5.2%
Other	16.2%

What will you be doing this summer to keep in shape?

Quiksilver To Buy Rossignol—

Quiksilver is buying a majority stake in Rossignol from the controlling Boix-Vives family for 241 million euros (\$318 million), paying with cash and shares. The acquisition will create one of the world's biggest suppliers of outdoor clothing and equipment, to be called Quiksilver Rossignol. The two firms had been in talks for a year.

Rossignol forecasts a heavy loss for the financial year to March 31 and is in the midst of restructuring to cope with decreased winter sales, overcapacity and a weak dollar. The restructuring will include 134 job cuts, mostly through attrition. They would have had to do the restructuring anyway, but with financial means that were not the same. ■

Santa Fe To Build New Lift—

Buoyed by a good snow season, The **Santa Fe Ski Company** plans to install a new ski lift to Deception Peak this summer, nearly ten years after approval was granted by the US Forest Service. The Millennium Lift will open access to the north eastern boundaries of the ski area — allowing for more backcountry skiing.

There have been years of objections however prior to final approval by all required bodies with protesters saying environmental ecosystems and Native American sacred sites are threatened by the new lift.

Furniture Race—

Big Mountain Resort took couch surfing to new levels with the 36th annual Furniture Race on March 27, 2005. In this offbeat, end-of-season event, participants compete for a variety of prizes by attaching skis to couches and other assorted “furniture.” After being towed via snowcat to the top of a beginner ski trail, participants glide down the hill one at a time to the cheers of a huge crowd.



Courtesy Big Mountain, UT

Northwest Areas Reopen—

In a fitting end to a winter of wacky weather, several areas in the Pacific Northwest reopened in April— some after being closed for more than a month.

In Washington, **Stevens Pass**, **Crystal Mountain**, and **White Pass** joined **Mt. Baker** among the open areas. **Alpentail** (Thursday-Sunday) and the **Summit at Snoqualmie** (Saturday-Sunday) also opened.

Most areas reported in the neighborhood of 70-inch bases at their summits.

Colorado Visits Flat In January and February—

Colorado resorts reported little change in skier visits in January and February compared to the previous year, according to Colorado Ski Country USA. However, early-season gains place year-to-date visits at 7.9 million, 2.3 percent ahead of 2004. Destination and international visitors have helped support overall visit levels.

Mammoth For Sale—

After 68 years, Dave McCoy is ready to part with the mountain. Dave, the legendary outdoorsman who founded the Mammoth Mountain Ski Area, is putting up for sale his controlling interest in the Eastern Sierra winter resort. “As healthy and engaged as Dave is, the fact is he is 89 years old and won’t live forever,” the company said in a statement. *LA Times, February 24, 2005.*

Copper Boarding Champs—

The USASA National Snowboarding Championship were April 3-9, 2005 at **Copper Mountain**, Colorado. Billed as the largest snowboard competition in the world with 1,544 entries, the economic impact to Copper Mountain was huge.

Spring Skiing Sweet Spots—

For those of you who just haven’t gotten enough of this season’s snow, spring skiing presents shorter lift lines, sunnier skies and fewer clothes. Here’s a short list of some of the best mountains to hit up this spring.

A-Basin is a spring skiing classic

that boasts a summit over 13,000 feet. Lifts generally close sometime in June, but can extend later depending on the weather.

Due to recent snow storms in the Tahoe area **Heavenly** will be open through May 1, 2005.



Courtesy Snowbird, UT

Though the region gets warm, **Snowbird’s** north-facing slopes can see over five feet of fresh snow in April. Conditions permitting, the resort opens up on weekends through Memorial Day.

With a base depth of 15-17’, **Mammoth** offers unlimited skiing and riding from May 1, 2005 through the end of the season. This year the season is expected to end in July.

Record Year for Jackson—

Jackson Hole ended the season with another strong week rounding out their most successful season to date. With a less than average snowpack, Jackson is crediting staff and valley business partners for the stellar results. Lift ticket figures reflect aggressive packaging by valley hotels and improved air service. Jackson had a 50% increase in free kid passes. ■

2005 HEASB Water Ski Club Reservation Application

(Please, **ONE** reservation form and **ONE** check for **EACH** person **EACH** trip)

Circle Trip Date: 6/3-5 6/24-26 7/15-17 7/29-31 8/12-14 8/26-28 9/9-11 9/23-25 10/7-9 10/21-23

Name: _____ E-mail: _____

Home Addr: _____ Work Phone: () _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ Home Phone: () _____

In case of emergency, notify: _____ Phone: () _____

My reservation is for the following: _____ Water skier \$100* _____ Non-skier child (5-11) \$18
_____ Non-skier \$49 _____ Child (4 and under) \$0

Make check payable and send with this form to: HEASB WATER SKI CLUB, P.O. Box 3080, El Segundo, CA 90245.

Reservations must be received two weeks before the trip. Cancellation must be received IN WRITING AT LEAST TWO WEEKS before trip date. No substitutions without the Trip Coordinator's permission. The HEASB Water Ski Club reserves the right to reject a reservation. For further information, call Craig before 9 pm at 562-627-3812. *May be subject to fuel surcharge.

REQUIRED CARPOOL INFORMATION (your form may be returned if not complete)

The Trip Coordinator will arrange carpools for those wishing to travel with the club. First priority is given to vehicles pulling boats or hauling supplies. Volunteer drivers are needed to provide the remaining transportation, taking AT LEAST two passengers and/or food/drinks. Each passenger will pay the carpool driver for transportation expenses, an amount determined by the driver (typically \$20-40). Most carpools leave the LA area on Friday after work and arrive at Park Moabi around midnight. Drivers of arranged/ approved carpools will be reimbursed for campground fees AFTER the trailer's packed on Sunday, about 2 pm. Your request for a specific carpool is not guaranteed. Carpools will be non-smoking.

_____ I agree to carpool as arranged/approved by the Club.

NOTE: **If you choose not to carpool**, you will be required to pay campground fees (\$18 per night or \$6 per day use).

_____ I am available to drive my vehicle to the river.

- Other passengers: _____ Year, make, model of vehicle: _____
- Air conditioned? _____ Total # of people you can take including driver: _____
- In addition, I have room for: #cases drinks: _____ #coolers: _____ #bags food: _____ #skis: _____

_____ I prefer a ride to the River. Carpool Driver Preference: _____

- How much gear will you bring? Ski: _____ Chair (type): _____ Tent: _____
- Other bulky items? _____

_____ I would like a hookup on the point. (A **limited** number of hook-ups are available. *Priority will be given to boat drivers, board members and then on a first come, first serve basis.*)

- Hook-ups will be assigned on a first signed-up basis. Hook-ups are \$35 a night. We reimburse up to \$18 a night.

_____ I am willing to be a trip leader (reimbursement will be based on people count up to \$100 per trip leader).

MEMBERSHIP

You must be a member of the HEASB Water Ski Club. The membership fee and application **MUST** be sent to **Cathy Combs** at the location listed on the membership form. **(DO NOT INCLUDE MEMBERSHIP WITH THIS FORM.)**

I have paid my membership fee: _____ (Initial) (Non-skiers aged 0-11, membership not required)

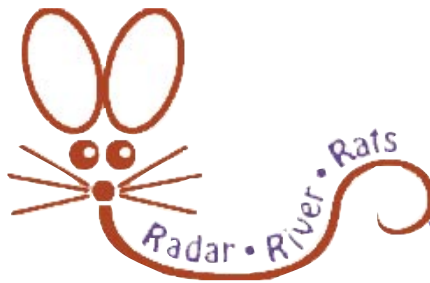
WAIVER MUST BE SIGNED AND ACCOMPANY PAYMENT

I am aware that participation in the RADAR RIVER RATS' events, has, in addition to the usual risks, dangers and hazards associated with travel, water skiing, air chairing, skurfing and boating, including, but not limited to: boarding, riding and disembarking boats; changing weather conditions, exposed rock, earth, trees or other natural objects; the condition of the water, skis and boats; impact or collision with other skiers, boaters, jet skiers; the failure to ski safely or within one's own ability or within designated areas; negligence of other skiers, boaters and jet skiers and negligence on the part of the organizations or their staff. I am also aware that the risks, dangers and hazards referred to above exist throughout the area and that many are unmarked. I **FREELY ACCEPT AND FULLY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, DANGERS AND HAZARDS AND THE POSSIBILITY OF PERSONAL INJURY, DEATH, PROPERTY DAMAGE OR LOSS, RESULTING THEREFROM.**

PARTICIPANT (Please print clearly)

SIGNATURE (Parent if under age)

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2005 WATER SKI PROGRAM

COLORADO RIVER TRIPS



- 2 Days Water Skiing/Boarding •
- Equipment • Instruction •
- Sandy Beaches • Camping •
- Meals • Beer • Wine • Soda •

\$100 skiers*

\$49 non-skiers

\$18 children (5-11)

* May be subject to a fuel surcharge if gas goes above \$3.50 a gallon.

For Information:

River Skiers:

Patricia
323-651-0686 (before 9 PM)
patricia@radarriverrats.com

Boat Drivers:

Gene
858-467-9469
gene@radarriverrats.com

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June 3-5	June 24-26
July 15-17	July 29-31
August 12-14	August 26-28
September 9-11	September 23-25
October 7-9	October 21-23

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You are invited to the **Far West**



Silent Auction

Friday, June 10, 2005, 7-11 PM

Westin Long Beach, Centennial Ballroom

333 East Ocean Beach Blvd., Long Beach, CA,



Early Bird Happy Hour 5-7 PM

Stop by the Westin Lobby Bar for
Drink and Appetizer **SPECIALS!**

Bid on Great Vacation Deals

More than \$100,000 of great vacation deals—

Deeply discounted trips for you to bid on at the
Annual Far West Silent Auction and Dance.

Ski, Snowboard & Summer trips offered by *Aspen, Intrawest, Banff, Sunshine, Lake Louise, Vail Resorts, Big White, Silver Star, Snowbasin,* and
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Dancing & Hosted Drink—

Drink hosted by *Big Mountain Resort & Grouse Mountain Lodge, Montana*



Billy, Dave, Roma



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Open to the Public! Invite your friends!

A percentage of the proceeds will benefit The Heuga Center for MS

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FWSA Convention *Optional* Activities

Thursday, June 9, 2005

- *Mardi Gras Pub Crawl Experience the Excitement of Pine Ave, 5 PM*
 - **Britt Johnson** at 310-379-8972 or fax 310-379-5964

Friday, June 10, 2005

- *Golf with Ski Industry Reps & Celebrities, 7 AM*
 - **Ed Knott** at whyknott@earthlink.net or 310-313-1902
- *Kayak through Beautiful Alamitos Bay, 9:30 AM*
 - **Barb Kedwards** at fun2golf@charter.net or 562-433-4019
- *Travel Back in Time Aboard the Luxurious Queen Mary, 9:45 AM*
 - **Mary Albritton** at dragonladyracer@aol.com or 562-856-0922
- *Unlock the Mysteries of the Ocean at Aquarium of the Pacific, 10 AM*
 - **Donna Estrin** at nutonegirl@aol.com or 562-865-1343

Signing Up —

- **Open to all FWSA club members** with priority to delegates, industry, guests
- Deadline to sign up is **May 15, 2005**. No Refund.
- Send this Form with check payable to FWSA to
FWSA Registrar c/o Karen James, 1812 Vickers Dr., Glendale, CA 91208

Optional Activities Sign-Up for June 9 & 10, 2005

Name(s) _____


Ski Club/Company _____ Council _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Fax _____

Email _____

- ☐ **Pub Crawl** [speciality drinks, New Orleans style dinner, dancing] \$35 x _____ = _____
☐ Need Assistance Walking
- ☐ **Golf**  **Handicap (or avg. score)** \$85 x _____ = _____
☐ Need Golf Club Rental ☐ Left Handed ☐ Right Handed \$20 x _____ = _____
- ☐ **Queen Mary** [admission, guided tour, lunch at Promenade] \$45 x _____ = _____
 Specify Entree: ☐ Caesar Salad w/ Chicken Breast ☐ Tortellini
- ☐ **Aquarium** [admission, guided tour, lunch at Bubba Gump] \$40 x _____ = _____
- ☐ **Kayak** [2 hours kayaking, lunch] \$30 x _____ = _____



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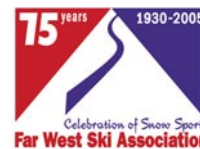
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— FWSA Convention Individual Pre-Registration Form —

(This form must be completed for **EACH** attendee)

Forms due to FWSA before May 15, 2005



VERY IMPORTANT *Registration Type* —

- ☐ Voting Delegate (Record Name on Credentials Form) ☐ Non-Voting Delegate / Guest / Other
☐ Alternate Delegate ☐ FWSA Direct Member

Please Print Clearly—

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Ski Club Name		Council:
Member Name	First _____ Last _____	Phone: () _____
Member Address	Street _____ Apt # _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____	
Email Address		
Option to Exclude	The information submitted above will be provided to industry sponsors and donors to the Silent Auction. You may exclude your information from this list by initialing here _____.	

FWSA Convention Pre-Registration Package Selection

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Select	Description	Price	Amount
Fri/Sat/Sun June 10-12	Full Package — Silent Auction, all FWSA business meetings & election, history reception & presentations, convention pin & books/CD, and all other hosted parties & activities	\$135 before 5/15/05	
	Friday — Silent Auction & Dance, Beverage	\$160 after 5/15/05	\$ _____
	Saturday — Continental Breakfast, Awards Luncheon, Awards Banquet & Dance	\$190 after 6/4/05	\$ _____
	Sunday — Eye Opener & Buffet Brunch		
	Delegate Book — The delegate book will be included on a CD. Check here if you prefer to purchase a paper copy.	\$10	\$ _____
OR			
Sat/Sun June 11-12	Meetings Only — Attendance at Silent Auction, FWSA business meetings & election, history reception & presentations, and convention books/CD – NO MEALS.	\$50	\$ _____
Sat. June 11	Lunch — Saturday lunch and history reception & presentations. Lunch must be purchased in advance. Priority will be given to invited guests & guests of Full Package delegates.	\$30	\$ _____
Sat. June 11 7 PM	Awards Dinner & Dance — Saturday Night “ <i>Diamond Memories</i> ” Dinner Dance and the preceding History Reception & presentations. Dinner must be purchased in advance. Priority will be given to invited guests & guests of Full Package delegates. [Black Tie Optional]	\$65	\$ _____
AND			
Thurs. June 9 4:45 PM	Experience the Excitement of a Mardi Gras Pub Crawl — Meet in the lobby of the Westin Hotel at 4:45 PM to begin your stroll up [and down] Pine Avenue. Package includes speciality drinks, dinner, and dancing. <input type="checkbox"/> Need assistance walking.	\$35	\$ _____
Fri. June 10 6 AM	Golf Tournament — Meet in the lobby of the Westin at 6 AM for transfer to Recreation Park for an 7 AM shotgun start. Registration includes green fee, golf cart, range balls, lunch, and awards. golf club rental available for \$20. Registration after May 15, 2005 will be \$105 per person. Handicap [or avg] _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Need golf club rental <input type="checkbox"/> Left Hand <input type="checkbox"/> Right Hand	\$85 \$20 [golf club rental]	\$ _____ \$ _____
Fri. June 10 9:15 AM	Kayak through Beautiful Alamitos Bay & Naples Canals — Meet in the lobby of the Westin at 9:15AM for a 9:30 AM departure. Package includes 2 hours of kayaking, lunch, and transportation.	\$30	\$ _____
Fri. June 10 9:30 AM	Travel Back in Time Aboard the Luxurious Queen Mary — Meet in the lobby of the Westin at 9:30 AM for a 9:45 departure. Package includes admission, “Behind-the-Scenes” guided tour, lunch, and transportation. Specify entree choice: <input type="checkbox"/> Caesar Salad with Grilled Chicken Breast <input type="checkbox"/> Tortellini with Ricotta Cheese	\$45	\$ _____
Fri. June 10 9:45 AM	Unlock the Mysteries of the Ocean at the Aquarium of the Pacific — Meet in the lobby at 9:45 AM for a 10 AM departure. Package includes admission, guided tour in groups of ten, lunch at Bubba Gump, and transportation.	\$40	\$ _____
Total Amount Enclosed [no refund]			\$ _____

All forms and payments are sent to FWSA Convention Registrar, 10818 Viacha Dr., San Diego, CA 92124.

For more information, contact **Catherine Ohl** at 858-467-9469 or e-mail ohl@acatmeowz.com.