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General Meeting

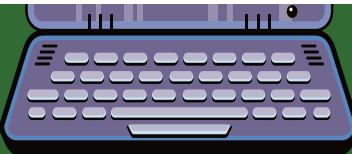
River City Brewery
(upstairs)

150 N Mosley

Tuesday, August 17th

Social Hour 6:30p.m.
Meeting 7:30p.m.

If you would like to submit an article for the newsletter, please email George Stahl at grstahl1955@yahoo.com



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Tuesday, September 7th

Logan's Steakhouse
West
2424 N Maize Rd
5:30p.m.

Membership Report

The Wichita Ski Club currently has sixty-six paid members. If you have not paid your dues for 2010-2011, please consider doing so in the very near future. An organization is only as strong as its membership. Renew now to continue your association with a fantastic group of individuals.

Whether it is a run down a beautiful ski slope on a crisp, winter day; a long tow behind a speeding boat on one of our area lakes; a slow, lazy float down the muddy rivers of one of our neighboring states; a group hike on a cool, autumn day through the scenic rocks and trees of our state parks; or just an evening sitting around a blazing camp fire with fellow ski club members, one is sure to walk away with long-lasting memories and long-lasting friendships.

And, a fantastic welcome to our newest ski club members:

Jessica Bever, Wichita
Sara Campbell, Wichita
Rochelle (Chelle) Gaede, Newton
Richard Nichel, Hillsboro
Melissa and Ben Crabtree, El Dorado



Please keep in mind that due to our non-profit status, your membership dues must be current to go on any ski trips. Membership is only \$30 for singles and \$50 for families. This makes the fun affordable to all.

Jane Moriarty
Membership Chair



\$75 Discount for Ski Trips

We are going to continue the \$75 discount for on time ski trip payments this year, but there are some changes. The trip discount policies for Crested Butte and Steamboat are different and we are not offering a trip discount for Park City.

For **Crested Butte** in order to take advantage of the \$75 discount:

- 1) \$50 deposit must be made by Friday, Sept 24th
- 2) 2nd payment must be made by Friday, October 1st
- 3) 3rd payment must be made by Tuesday, November 2nd

In order to take advantage of the \$75 discount for **Steamboat**:

- 1) \$50 deposit must be made by Tuesday, October 5th
- 2) 2nd payment must be made by Tuesday, November 16th
- 3) 3rd payment must be made by Tuesday, December 21st

Payments can be made to the trip captain, a board member, or post marked by due date to Wichita Ski Club, PO Box 2451, Wichita, KS 67201.

If you are unable to meet these requirements, you will need to pay the regular price for the trip. Think of this as a coupon for \$1.00 off brownies at the supermarket. If you take the coupon in to Walmart or Dillons after the expiration date, you pay full price for those delicious brownies and they are well worth it.

It's time to think about your winter vacations!

Ski trip sign up is on September 21 at River

City Brewery. Hope to see you there!



Lisa Warren,

Trip Coordinator

Crested Butte

Crested Butte and The Wichita Ski Club seem to have a love affair. Each time we have gone to CB it has snowed...and snowed....and snowed! And once again this year the lift tickets are inclusive!!!! It is a beautiful resort with a quaint little town a free short shuttle ride away. We will be staying at the same place as the last three visits to CB, The Lodge at Mountaineer Square . It is gorgeous and most importantly on the courtyard at the base of the mountain. The Avalanche is a fabulous restaurant/bar also at the base that is a great place to eat good food for any meal of the day.

If we arrive earlier than check in time to The Lodge, we will stop at McDonald's and have breakfast. If we arrive near check in time we will go straight to The Lodge and check in. Again The Avalanche is a wonderful place for breakfast.

On the trip home we will have pizza on the bus for dinner. This allows us to ski longer on the day of departure.

Total REGULAR Price: \$495

Total DISCOUNT Price: \$420

Deposit: \$50 due 9/24

2nd Payment: \$185 due 10/1

3rd Payment for REGULAR Price: \$260 due 11/2

3rd Payment for DISCOUNT Price: \$185 due 11/2

Lift Tickets are included!

3 Ski Days

Trip Captain: Paul Warren

Dates: Thursday 12/9/10 – Monday 12/13/10

Load Bus: 12/9/10 5:30 PM

Departure: 12/9/10 6:30 PM

Arrive: 12/10/10 early AM

Wine and Cheese Social: 12/10/10 Trip Captains Suite

Load Bus: 12/12/10 4:00 PM

Departure: 12/12/10 5:00 PM

Arrive: 12/13/10 early AM



Steamboat



The FSA races are at Steamboat this year. We were there 3 years ago for the races as well and had a fantastic time. It is truly a beautiful place! If you have never attended a FSA event, it is a lot of fun. There are eight other Flatland Ski Clubs that all converge along with WSC to ski fast, play hard, and meet new friends.....and some to drink a lot of free beer courtesy of Boulevard Brewery at FSA events. We have priced the FSA activity pass separately for those who would just like to go skiing and not race or attend the Welcome Banquet or Awards Banquet, but remember....the activity pass includes lots of free beer at these FSA events.

We will be staying at The West 250 yards from the Steamboat Gondola. It has an outdoor heated pool and 2 indoor hot tubs, complimentary ski storage, and a private guest shuttle to skiing, shopping, dining, and entertainment. They also offer complimentary morning coffee and donuts in the clubhouse.

Activity Passes and Lift Tickets will need to be purchased separately.

Total REGULAR Price: \$610

Total DISCOUNT Price: \$535

Deposit: \$50 due 10/5

2nd Payment: \$242.50 due 11/16

3rd Payment for REGULAR Price: \$317.50 due 12/21

3rd Payment for DISCOUNT Price: \$242.50 due 12/21

Activity Pass: \$75

Lift Tickets:

- one day - \$50

- two days - \$100

- 3 of 4 days - \$117

- 4 of 5 days - \$152

- 5 of 7 days - \$185

5 Ski Days

Trip Captain: John Clark

Dates: Tuesday 1/25/10 – Monday 1/31/11

Load Bus: 1/25/10 5:30 PM

Departure: 1/25/10 6:00 PM

Arrive: 1/26/10 early AM

Wine and Cheese Social: TBA Trip Captains Suite

Load Bus: 1/30/10 2:00 PM

Departure: 1/30/10 3:00 PM

Arrive: 1/31/10 early AM





Park City, Utah

Let's go West and ski several different ski resorts a short distance from a duplex in Park City Mountain Resort! We will be within 15 minutes to 1 hour of Deer Valley, The Canyons, Brighton, Solitude, Snowbird, and Alta. The cost of the trip includes a non-smoking duplex within walking distance of Park City Ski resort. The duplex has a hot tub that is shared with the adjoining duplex. This is a fly out trip and flight arrangements are to be made on an Individual basis.

The shuttle from Salt Lake City to our duplex will be about \$75. If all who plan on going on this exciting excursion fly out together, we can split the cost of the shuttle. This trip is subject to cancellation if we do not have 7 members committed to going by January 1, 2011.

5 Ski Days

Trip Captain: Lisa Warren

Dates: Saturday 2/26/11 – Friday 3/4/11

Trip Cost: \$650

Deposit: \$50 due 10/5/10

2nd Payment: \$300 due 12/7/10

3rd Payment: \$300 due 1/18/11



WSC Bowling Outing

Join the WSC on Friday, August 27th for a night of
bowling & go-carts

Where: The Alley

11413 E 13th St N

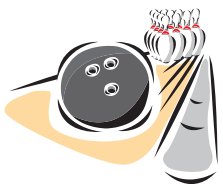
Please RSVP to Misty at 316-655-0239 or at mistwoodward@yahoo.com by
Mon, August 23rd.

Cost: \$9.99 + tax per person for 3 games of bowling & shoe rental to be paid
by each person that night.

You can also add 2 go-cart rides for \$4.99.

We will meet for dinner at 6:00 p.m. at Back Alley & bowling at 7:30 p.m.

Hope to see you there!





WSC Golf Outing at Pine Bay

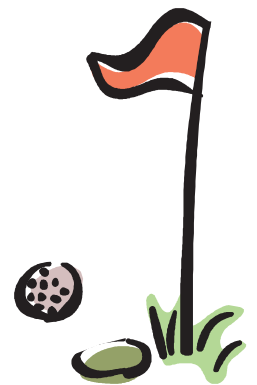
Date: September 18, 2010

Where: Pine Bay Golf Course, 6615 S Grove, Wichita 524-7300

Tee Time: 8:30 AM: 9 holes will be played.

Shotgun Start: Maximum of 20 golfers, 5 foursomes.

Cost: Around \$25 per person for green fees & cart cost, to be paid by each person at the golf course day of outing



\$10.00 deposit must be paid by Saturday, Sept 11th. The deposit will be credited toward your fees at the course.

Cancellations allowed until September 11th. There will be no refund of the \$10 deposit.

Each foursome must have at least one active member.

Contact George Stahl for additional information at 989-450-8399



Lunch following @ the Garage, 579 W. Douglas.

Ski Club members not golfing are welcome to join us for lunch at noon.



Tulsa Oktoberfest 2010!

When: Saturday, October 23, 2010

We will leave Saturday morning. We can check-in by 3:00pm.
Check out is at Noon on Sunday.

Where: We have a block of rooms at Best Western Trade Winds Central Inn. No need to make your own reservations!

Cost: \$80 per room (may have up to 4 in a room) plus an additional \$5 for WSC members and \$10 for non-members

Deadline to sign up: SNO at **Granite City East** on October 5, 2010.
NO EXCEPTIONS! We must cancel any remaining rooms by Oct. 9 and fax room assignments to hotel per contract.

Plans: There will be a pre-party in Michelle's Suite around 3:00pm. Beer and finger foods available. Then off to Oktoberfest on the hotel provided shuttle (approximately around 5.) Shuttle runs back and forth throughout evening.

To sign up or for any questions, please contact Michelle Grillot at 316-304-4127 or at mgrillot@cox.net.



Hotel Info: <http://book.bestwestern.com/bestwestern/productInfo.do?propertyCode=37040>

Oktoberfest Info: www.tulsaoktoberfest.org

2010 BratFest at Cheney Lake



When: September 25, 2010

Where: Pirate's Cove next to the Yacht Club at Cheney Lake

Cost: Participants are required to bring a package of Bratwurst and a side dish for evening meal on Sat.

Time: 11am - ? Dinner will be served at 6:30pm

There will be some sailboats and powerboats available during the day Sat. If you take a ride please donate money to the boat owners to help them pay for gas.

If you plan on camping, you are responsible for getting your own site and the camping fees.

Please sign up ahead of time to allow the WSC to have enough food by contacting Steve Ashmore at 316-208-6347 or at stephen.a.ashmore@gmail.com

WSC Summer Trip Pictures

Kaw Lake



Tahlequah Float Trip



Wichita Ski Club Membership Application

Document Date 8/10/2009 7:11 AM

Instructions:

Print this form, fill it out and bring it with you to our next **SNO** or general meeting or mail along with check or money order to: Wichita Ski Club, P. O. Box 2451, Wichita, KS 67201.

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____ M F

Spouse (If Family membership) First Name: _____ M F

Address: _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone: Home (____) _____ Work (____) _____

Cell (____) _____

E-Mail _____

Please list children / grandchildren to be included under this membership

Names: First _____ Last _____ Date of Birth: Month/Day/Year

Have you or your spouse ever been a member of the Wichita Ski Club? Yes No

Signature _____ Date _____

Single or Family Membership
Amount Paid : \$ _____

Excerpts from the **WSC** bylaws that apply to membership:

ARTICLE II: MEMBERSHIP

- A. CLASSIFICATION OF MEMBERSHIP
 - 1. A **fully qualified member** shall be a member 18 years or older who fulfills all requirements of Qualifications for Membership as elsewhere provided in these Bylaws. He/she shall be entitled to all privileges of membership, including the right to vote as a part of the membership where provided, to serve in an official capacity for the Club when so designated.
 - a) A family membership includes husband, wife, and all children and grandchildren age 20 and under. Persons included in family membership that are under the age of 18 do not have voting privileges.
 - b) A single membership includes a single person or parent and all children and grandchildren age 20 and under. Persons included in single membership that are under the age of 18 do not have voting privileges.

- B. MEMBERSHIP YEAR
The membership year shall be from the first day of May through the 30th day of April of the following year. (See Article III: Dues and Assessments)

ARTICLE III: DUES AND ASSESSMENTS

- A. MEMBERSHIP DUES
 - 1. Membership dues will be determined by the Board of Directors at the March Board of Directors meeting and subject to the two-thirds approval by the voting members of that Board.
 - 2. Dues paid on the first day of February and thereafter, shall apply on the remainder of the current membership year and the following membership year.
 - 3. Dues for First time ever members will be prorated (single / family member-ship divided by 12). An example: May payment (30/50). November payment (15/25), single / family dues respectively.
- B. RENEWALS
Each member shall be notified by mail or email of his/her status of membership and the appropriate payment of annual renewal dues at the last known mailing address.
 - 1. The annual renewal dues shall be payable on the first day of May of each year and become delinquent on the last day of June of the same year, at which time if dues are not paid, the members shall lose privileges of a fully qualified member and be dropped from the mailing list.
- C. ASSESSMENTS
The Board may from time to time levy assessments on the members of the Club when in their judgment it is required by the financial condition of the Club.
- D. READMISSION TO MEMBERSHIP
A former fully qualified member whose membership lapses may be reinstated as a fully qualified member upon the payment of the required initial dues to the membership committee.

Excerpts from Bylaws approved 2009

Membership Price List Renewal

| | |
|--------|--------|
| Single | Family |
| \$30 | \$50 |

New Member Prorated Membership Fee

Only New Members are eligible.
You must never have been a member before.

| | Single | Family |
|-----|----------|----------|
| May | \$ 30.00 | \$ 50.00 |
| Jun | \$ 30.00 | \$ 50.00 |
| Jul | \$ 27.50 | \$ 45.83 |
| Aug | \$ 25.00 | \$ 41.67 |
| Sep | \$ 22.50 | \$ 37.50 |
| Oct | \$ 20.00 | \$ 33.33 |
| Nov | \$ 17.50 | \$ 29.17 |
| Dec | \$ 15.00 | \$ 25.00 |
| Jan | \$ 12.50 | \$ 20.83 |
| Feb | \$ 30.00 | \$ 50.00 |
| Mar | \$ 30.00 | \$ 50.00 |
| Apr | \$ 30.00 | \$ 50.00 |