

SLO SKIERS, INC.
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MEETINGS
2nd Wednesday
of the month

at the
Margie's Diner
1575 Calle Joaquin
San Luis Obispo

BOARD: 5:30pm
SOCIAL: 6:00pm
MEETING: 7:00pm

JOIN US

Annual Dues: \$40
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WINE
DOWN

at
John & Kathy
Welbourn's
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Mark Your
Calendars!!



END OF
YEAR BBQ
MAY 7th

Details on



Official Newsletter of *The SLO Skiers Club, Inc.*
A Ski, Sport and Social Club

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APRIL 2016

President's Message

As I write my final message as president of the SLO Skiers (the finest ski club in the entire USA), it is such a sweet sorrow. I am looking forward to stepping down as your president, I am looking forward to a new leadership style in our new president, Barbara Collins, and I am looking forward to my new position as Communications Director. I propose a toast to the best group of cats I have ever tried to herd!



President Fran Long

What a fantastic month March has been! A lot of planning, organizing, and hauling went into making the Park City Disney Ski Week another over-the-top SLO Skiers trip. Many thanks to **Lauren Nagle** and her crew for all that hard work. I won't even try to name the 'crew' for fear of missing someone. You know who you are; you are the ones that kept the financials; helped set up for the many parties; cleaned up afterwards; judged the drinks, appetizers, and coloring contests; hauled the party goods and numerous cases of wine and beer, etc. Two special thank you's are warranted, however. Special thanks to **Sharon Page** for organizing a week's worth of non-ski activities; and special thanks to Towne Point Condo 204...**Linda and Lloyd Kinney, Kenny Waage, Michael Krebsbach, Lauren Nagle, Bruce Henshaw, and yours truly...**for cleaning beforehand, setting up for the parties, and cleaning up afterwards, throughout the week. We lived the party condo 24/7, had a great time, and survived it all!

Thank you, **Pete Sarafian**, for organizing the March hike. Once again, we appreciate your diligence in keeping the hiking program going. Sorry so many of us missed it, but, we were skiing.

Our end of the year party is just a little over a month away. Thank you, **Allan and Lori Margulieux** for graciously offering to host the party for us this year. The date is Saturday, May 7th from 2:00-7:00 PM. We will have some fun game competitions with semi-valuable prizes, happy hour, dinner, and a few awards, in addition to just plain enjoying our friendships in a beautiful setting. Information will be on Meetup and sent to you via Snowmail as soon as all the details are in place. Please mark your calendar and plan to help SLO Skiers celebrate another fantastic year.

Thank you to all of our new and continuing board members for offering to be on the board for the 2016-2017 ski club year. Our club is only as good as the members who volunteer to keep it going, and you are definitely doing your part.

Congratulations to our February/March SLO Skier of the Month, **Lauren Nagle**. I'm sure you all agree, it could be no other way! Thank you, Lauren, for your hundreds of hours of dedication to the SLO Skiers; doing your part to make our ski trips and our club the best.

See you at the next meeting at Margie's on the second Wednesday, April 13. Social hour begins at 6:00 PM, with the meeting following at 7:00 PM.

March Mosey Really Rosey

Two skiers went on a hike,
Encountering many a bike.
But Jeanne came too late,
To make it more great,
And hiked alone, that was her fate.

The hills were alive with spring flowers,
The trees gave shade and formed nice bowers.
The poppies were gold,
A sight to behold,
As we walked above power towers.

Caption for photo: A nice person took a picture of Frances Wheeler and Pete Sarafian in a field of California Poppies.



WINE DOWN



Saturday, April 16th

It's time to celebrate a great ski season and the beginning of spring and summer fun.
Come to this month's SLO Skiers Wine Down being
hosted by John and Kathy Welbourn.

For anyone interested there will be a horseshoe or cornhole "tournament"...or both! Also, if anyone has another set of horseshoes and/or cornhole we have the space to set up several games at once!

3:00pm - Horseshoe/Cornhole Tournament

5:30pm - Wine Down

885 Patty Kay Court, Nipomo

Please bring a delicious appetizer to share and your favorite. Beverage.

Questions? Call Kathy or John at 805.929.1737.

SLO Skiers
MONTHLY RECONCILIATION OF ACCOUNT
March 2016

MAIN CHECKING ACCOUNT RECONCILIATION				
Date	Description	Expense	Income	Balance
3/1/16	Beginning Balance			\$ 45,483.63
3/30/16	Transfer of Funds for Park City	\$ 1,650.00		\$ 43,833.63
3/31/16	Membership		\$ 20.00	\$ 43,853.63
TRUST CHECKING ACCOUNT RECONCILIATION				
Date	Description	Expense	Income	Balance
3/1/16	Beginning Balance			\$ 54,245.98
3/2/16	Lakeside Inn & Casino Tahoe-Refund		\$ 299.74	\$ 54,545.72
3/7/16	Sports America Tours-Park City Final Pmt	\$ 39,102.94		\$ 15,442.78
3/9/16	Park City		\$ 1,850.00	\$ 17,292.78
3/14/16	Park City Paint Mixer	\$ 35.00		\$ 17,257.78
3/14/16	Park City Snowshoe Tour	\$ 95.00		\$ 17,162.78
3/14/16	Park City Food Tour	\$ 585.00		\$ 16,577.78
3/20/16	Park City Hospitality	\$ 151.30		\$ 16,426.48
3/21/16	Park City Additional Bus Gratuity	\$ 25.00		\$ 16,401.48
3/21/16	Park City Food Tour Refund	\$ 45.00		\$ 16,356.48
3/21/16	Lakeside Inn-Tahoe Dinner Coupons	\$ 792.17		\$ 15,564.31
3/22/16	Park City Snowmobile Tour Transportation	\$ 29.30		\$ 15,535.01
3/23/16	Park City Snowmobile Tour	\$ 3,334.21		\$ 12,200.80
3/23/16	Park City Food Tour	\$ 631.50		\$ 11,569.30
3/23/16	Park City Cross Country Refunds	\$ 204.00		\$ 11,365.30
3/24/16	Park City Food Tour	\$ 151.62		\$ 11,213.68
3/24/16	Park City Paint Mixer	\$ 432.71		\$ 10,780.97
3/25/16	Park City Food Tour Refund	\$ 45.00		\$ 10,735.97
3/25/16	Park City Overpayments	\$ 450.00		\$ 10,285.97
3/30/16	Park City Contest Prizes	\$ 305.00		\$ 9,980.97
3/30/16	Transfer from Main Acct for Park City		\$ 1,650.00	\$ 11,630.97
3/30/16	Molly Blooms Park City	\$ 1,345.89		\$ 10,285.08
3/30/16	Park City Non-Ski Activities Refund	\$ 135.00		\$ 10,150.08
3/31/16	Park City		\$ 5,484.00	\$ 15,634.08
3/31/16	Void chcek #1116-Molly Blooms		\$ 894.04	\$ 16,528.12
MAIN SAVINGS ACCOUNT RECONCILIATION				
Description		Expense	Income	Balance
3/1/16	Beginning Balance			\$ 1,001.39
3/31/16	Interest		\$ 0.03	\$ 1,001.42
TRUST SAVINGS ACCOUNT RECONCILIATION				
Date	Description	Expense	Income	Balance
3/1/16	Beginning Balance			\$ 1,001.39
3/31/16	Interest		\$ 0.03	\$ 1,001.42
TOTAL OF CLUB ACCOUNTS:				\$ 62,384.59

PARK CITY FUN, FUN, FUN and more FUN!

Except for a few minor mishaps, cuts, dislocation, concussion, everyone had a fabulous time. Great skiing, good times, good friends!







SLO Skiers Ski Week CHAMPIONS

SLO SKIERS PARK CITY RACE RESULTS

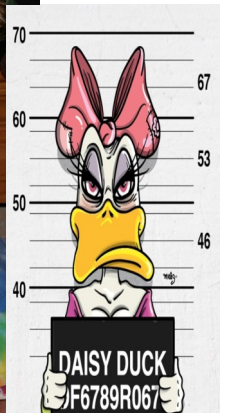
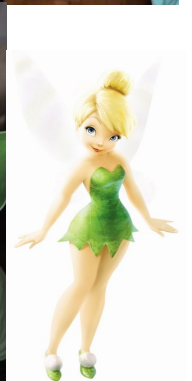
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F	KING	JANELLE	26.71	29.85 3DF	GOLD	8
F	JACOBSEN	HELEN	27.44	32.3 1RF	PLAT	10
F	COLLINS	BARBARA	28.7	28.91 2RF	GOLD	8
F	KINNEY	LINDA	28.81	28.95 3RF	GOLD	8
F	HOLLEY	CAROLAYNE	29.62	31.22 1GBF	GOLD	8
F	TARBELL-MESSER	LINDA	30.48	32.32 2GBF	SILVER	6
F	MARGULIEUX	LORI	31.78	3GBF	SILVER	6
F/S	EDWALL	KARA	29.85	30.49 1SB	SILVER	6
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M	WEBB	CHARLES	23.47	23.96 1DF	PLAT	10
M	WAAGE	KENNETH	23.69	25.78 2DF	PLAT	10
M	KING	MIKE	23.82	26.59 3DF	PLAT	10
M	KREBSBACH	MICHAEL	24.33	26.19	PLAT	10
M	KINNEY	LLOYD	24.93	25.62	SILVER	6
M	SMITH	NORM	25.09	27.42 1RF	SIVLER	6
M	LONG	JOHN	25.15	25.51 2RF	PLAT	10
M	HENSHAW	BRUCE	25.22	26.2 3RF	GOLD	8
M	CAZIER	BOB	25.27	29.11	SILVER	6
M	COLLINS	PAUL	25.72	28.53	GOLD	8
M	CAPOBIANCO	CHARLIE	26.17	26.75 1GBF	GOLD	8
M	MARGULIEUX	ALLAN	27.75	2GBF	BRONZE	4
M	JACOBSEN	PETER	30.4	34.28 3GBF	BRONZE	4
M	ROMERO	RICH	31.73		BRONZE	4
M	PELTZMAN	ED	31.89	33.73	SILVER	6
M/S	FISHER	BILL	28.57	28.78	SILVER	6
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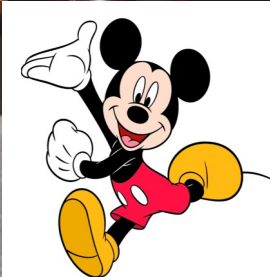
DF = Damn Fast, RF = Real Fast, GBF = Gonna Be Fast





















Park City Casualties!



L-R: Mike Long—dislocated shoulder (at least it happened on the last day!),
 Daryl Voss—a shattered shower door = 12 stitches!,
 Steve Ladwig—dislocated middle finger,
 Hal Rosewall—collision with snowboarder (it wasn't Hal's fault!,
 "Speedy Spuds" Romero—concussion on the slalom course (he was trying to beat his first run).
 All made it home, a little bruised but safe and sound.

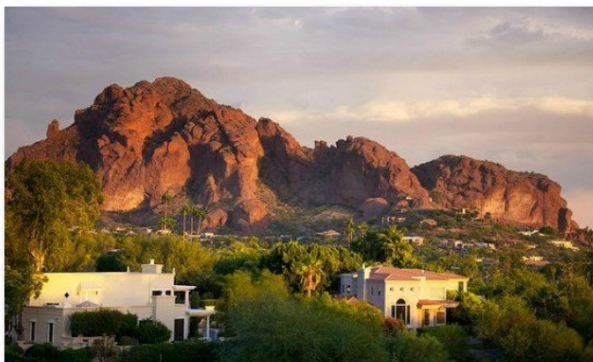


Far West Ski Association Convention

Far West Ski Association Annual Convention THREE Months And

Counting: HEY, EVERYONE! Arizona Ski Council has been working these past few months to plan some very fun events to keep us all busy at the Far West Ski Association's 84th Annual Convention,

June 9-12, 2016, in Scottsdale , Arizona , at the beautiful *DoubleTree Resort by Hilton Paradise Valley-Scottsdale* . Rooms are still available, so make that call or go on-line to get your reservation made **NOW!** Just call **1-800-498-7396**, reference our group name - **Far West Ski Association**, and you're in. You can also book on-line at the FWSA room reservation site <http://bit.ly/FWSA-2016-Lodging>. The Group Code is **FWS**. Room rates are just \$99 per night. Visit www.fwsa.org and select Conventions. Your friends from Arizona Ski Council have planned lots of fun activities for us, including a Segway Tour of Old Town Scottsdale and a Journey to the



West, on Thursday, before we all head out for the annual Pub Crawl, which will be held in Scottsdale's Entertainment District. Friday brings the 10th Annual Michael German Memorial Golf Tournament, a Spa Day, a Musical Experience of the World, followed by a wet and wild Pool Party prior to the Silent Auction. Come early, and stay late to take in all that's available in this beautiful city.

Far West Fiji Dive Trip 2016

Get ready for the trip of your life! Far West is going to **Fiji** September 24 - October 1, 2016. We will be at the amazing Beqa Lagoon Resort, and/or October 1 - October 8 at a second resort (yet to be secured). Register for either week of stay or for both weeks! The land & dive package for Beqa Lagoon Resort is \$1916 (dbl occ), and

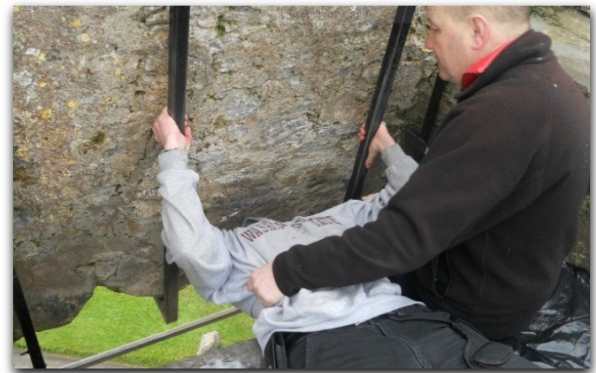


roundtrip air from Los Angeles into Nadi , Fiji is \$1,578 per person. Cyclone Winston resulted in insignificant damage to Beqa Lagoon, with only minor landscape damage, which has already been cleaned up and they are operating at 100% capacity again. For other information, contact Randy Lew, your Dive Trip Leader at: fwsa13randy@telis.org.

Far West Adventure Trip 2016

The 2016 Far West Adventure Trip will be to **England and Ireland September 12-22, 2016**, with an extended bike tour in *Ireland* from September 22-26. If you haven't put this on your calendar yet, now is the time to do that. Your trip leaders, Debbie and George Stewart have a phenomenal trip planned for you. The trip includes nightly accommodations and most meals.

Tour London , see the Roman Spas, ferry to Rosslare , Ireland from the Welsh town of Fishguard . Visit the Waterford Crystal Factory. Climb Blarney Castle to kiss the Blarney Stone. See the Ring of Kerry, the Guinness Storehouse and try a pint. Tour Dublin and much, more. For further information, contact Debbie at: FWSaintltrlv@prodigy.net. You can view a short video by clicking on: <https://www.dropbox.com/l/s/udeOiKPIUpM5Ng2K5DiyIt>



Passing of the Gazette baton!

So here we are, about to embark on many adventures with a new SLO Skiers Board including a new editor for the Gazette. "Thank You" to everyone who helped me pull together 12 issues of the Gazette. It was challenging and fun coming up with new ideas on what to report to our members. Please welcome our new Editor Kara Edwall as she takes the helm. She'll be as creative as they come and we should all look forward to her amazing graphic talent and ideas for a new look...or not. I told her it doesn't have to be the same format and she's more than welcome to give it a complete makeover. Whatever it is....it'll be great! Congrats Kara on your new appointment to the SLO Skiers Board.



Board of Directors & Officers 2016-2017

Your Board is here for you. If you have any questions, suggestions on activities, want to be more involved, contact any of the following Directors or Officer. Remember, the SLO Skiers & Social Club is YOU!



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