



April 2008
The Las Vegas Ski &
Sports Club Newsletter

The Inside Edge

TGIF

Friday, April 11th

El Patron
Mexican Restaurant

6 pm

2797 Maryland Pkwy
Maryland Pkwy & Karen
Phone: 791-6988

Friday, April 25th

The Sporting House

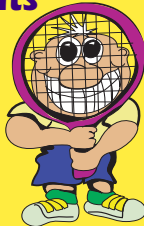
6 pm

721 Mall Ring Circle
Sunset & Stephanie in Galleria Mall
Phone: 862-4777

TENNIS Tuesday Nights

Bally's Hotel Courts
6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Round Robin
(intermediate
& advanced)



Contact Carol McDermott
for more information at 737-8618

Adopt-A-Highway

Saturday, April 19th.
Meet at McDonald's,
Rancho and Cheyenne
at 9:00am.

Please bring gloves
and wear study shoes.

For info call Kathy Bell 876-9638.

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

General Membership Meeting

The elections are over and the new board officers and committees will be in place when this general meeting takes place. So, come on out and meet the board members and let your board members know what direction you would like the club to take in the next year.

Although the next ski season seems like it is a long way off (this year isn't even over yet!!!), the distant trip committee will be meeting soon to decide what trips to offer next year and to pick trip leaders for those trips. If you have a favorite location to ski and want to be sure the club goes there next year, the best way to make that happen is to volunteer to lead a trip, or at the very least, send an e-mail to any board member to let them know what you would like.

This membership meeting will not have a set program other than introducing the board members and committee chairpersons. Of course, we will be looking for good ideas about what to do next year and looking for volunteers to work on the committees.

So, come on out, enjoy the company, and help us get started on the right track for the 2008-09 LVSSC Ski year!!!

Valerie Ward
Programs Chairperson

Meeting Place Info

Wed., April 16, 2008
5:30 social hour – 6:30 meeting
Stake-Out Bar and Grill
4800 S. Maryland Parkway
Phone: 798-8383

The intersection of Dorothy & Maryland Pkwy
1 block north of Tropicana on the east side
of the street, across from UNLV



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The new board information will be posted in the May Newsletter

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MOVING?

Send change of address cards to:
Las Vegas Ski and Sports Club Membership
P.O. Box 42894
Las Vegas, NV 89116
To phone in address changes contact
Patsy McKenna (MEMBERSHIP) 294-4385.

NEWSLETTER POLICIES

Acceptance and cost of advertising are subject to the approval of the Board of Directors, and checks for advertising should be made out to: "Las Vegas Ski and Sports Club".

Mail typewritten articles or news for the newsletter to:

LVSSC Newsletter:

Jim Boyd

LVSSC

PO Box 42894

Las Vegas, NV 89116

Or E-mail:

ejamesboyd@cox.net

NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING RATES

1/8 page ... \$15 month • 1/4 page ... \$30 month 1/2 page ... \$60 month
Set-up charge of \$10

Director's Column

Your New Board Of Directors

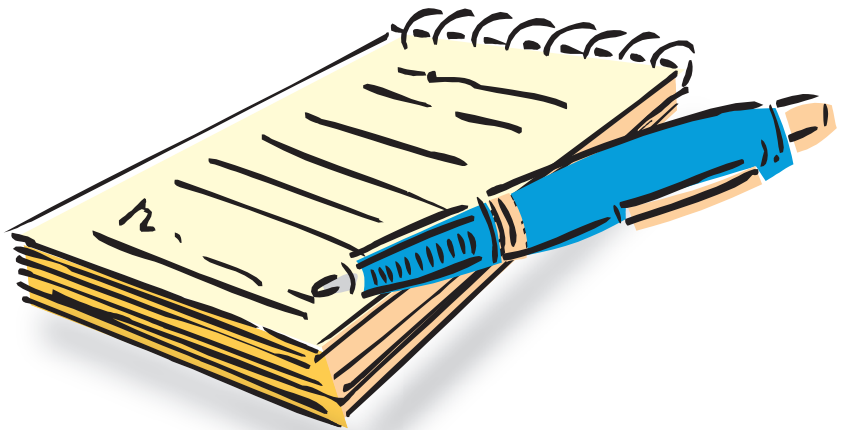
The ballots have been cast and counted. Your new board has been elected. I was disappointed to see such a low turn out, 23 interested souls, for an important meeting. Perhaps last years returning board, plus the new blood, were everyone's choice anyway so members didn't see the need to attend. Whatever the reason, we will move ahead with the challenges of a new year. I was sad to see so many of the outgoing board failed to show.

Here is the list of the 2007-2008 LVSSC Board of Directors. When the board meets on April 9th, we will vote to fill officer and committee chairperson positions.

**Rosette Mare
Patsy McKenna
Kaydee Puffer
Phyllis Silvaggio
Val Ward
Dottie White**

**Michael Barrett
Jim Boyd
John Mason
Mark McNeil
Michael O'Connor
Pete Peterson
Ron Williams**

Mark McNeil, Club President



CARIBBEAN CONNOISSEURS CRUISE

October 18-25, 2009

Aboard the Carnival "Victory"

(With other ski clubs)

A truly unique itinerary featuring 7 Southern Caribbean Ports of Call!!!

Sailing from Sam Juan, Puerto Rico to:

- St. Thomas • Dominica • Barbados
- St. Kitts • St. Lucia • Antigua

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Contact: Cyndy Bills 361-1769
cdbills2004@aol.com

827 Roaring Falls Ave.
Henderson, NV 89052

Inside Stateroom - \$300.00
Ocean View Stateroom - \$400.00
Balcony Stateroom - \$510.00
Port Fees are \$249.00 pp
(All rooms based on dbl. occ.)

Deposit:

\$25.00 to hold space
\$250.00 Due by April 15, 2009
Final Due July 1, 2009

Full refund on deposit to July 15, 2009
July 16 to Sept. 1, 2009 \$250.00 penalty
Sept. 2 to Oct. 5, 2009, No Refund

ABOUT THE SHIP: CARNIVAL VICTORY:

Carnival Cruise Lines has come along way from its floating fraternity party image of yesteryear to new found respect; especially for its enhanced cuisine under the direction of Michelin rated Chef George Blanc.

Carnival Victory was launched in 2000 and refurbished in 2005. She is perhaps Carnivals most elegantly understated ship. Featuring a distinctive aquatic theme highlighting oceans of the world. With two main dining rooms and six other dining options, four pools, twelve bars, lounges and public rooms; passengers are ensured to be entertained.

Victory is known for its diversity of atmospheres. Guest seeking quiet will find plenty of space to relax and those seeking revelry will find it as well.

Amenities include: 24 hour fitness center with sauna and steam room, fitness classes, running track, golf center, volleyball, cinema, library, card room, casino, dance club, waterslide, beauty salon and spa and yes, shuffle-board!

ABOUT THE PORTS OF CALL:

St. Thomas- One of the most beautiful harbors in the world and one of the most visited ports in the Caribbean. Something for everyone from watersports to fantastic shopping!

Dominica- Hands down the most unspoiled island in today's Caribbean. To experience Dominica is really to know the Earth as it was created!

Barbados- Retains a very British atmosphere, though hardly stuffy. The "Bajans" are warm friendly and hospitable people.

St. Lucia- Magnificent St. Lucia! With towering mountains and dense rain forests it is nicknamed "The Helen of the West Indies" because of its natural beauty.

Antigua- People say there are so many snow white sand beaches you could visit a different one each day of the year! Further inland you'll find a small tropical rain forest ideal for hiking.

St. Kitts- South of St. Marten off the beaten tourist track lays St. Kitts. It's almost ridiculously lush, dotted with picturesque rainforests and waterfalls.

San Juan- Few cities in the Caribbean are as steeped in Spanish history as San Juan. View 16th century buildings, museums and the cobble stone streets of Old San Juan.

Don't delay in sending deposits! Spaces have been selling fast with the various ski clubs. This soon will be a sell-out situation. Only \$25.00 p.p. will secure a spot. Checks made out to LVSSC can be mailed to:

Cyndy Bills
827 Roaring Falls Ave.
Henderson, NV 89052

Attention all Las Vegas Ski & Sports Club Hikers

Kraft Mountain Loop Trail - Calico Basin

Approx 3 miles - Mostly Moderate but rock scrambling may be difficult for some. Plan on at least 3-4 hours.

When: Saturday, April 19, 2008

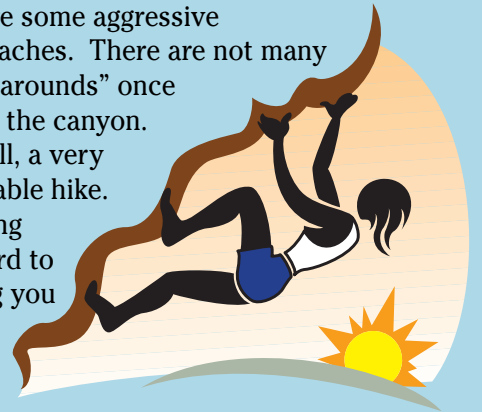
When/Where to Meet: 8:00 am at the Starbucks in Summerlin (Charleston and Town Center) We're starting a little earlier this time to beat the heat. We will be car pooling to the Red Springs Picnic Area in Calico Basin and then to the trail head.

What to Bring: Plenty of water, camera, hiking boots; comfortable hiking clothes for rock scrambling and brush encounters.

After the Hike: For those that want to, we will stop and have a mid-day snack and beverage at BJ's Brewery on Charleston.

Contact: Valerie Ward at 326-5167 or ward828@yahoo.com - or - Dianna Harris at 604-8824 or happypetcare@cox.net

Overview: Trying to find anything written about this trail was an adventure in itself. It's just one of the best kept secrets in Red Rock Canyon. This trail is used in large part by members of the rock climbing community as access to the many climbing opportunities throughout this canyon. One report has the elevation gain at about 800 feet. I'm not so sure it's that high. There are spectacular views (Turtlehead Peak) and vistas prior to entering into the canyon via a large wash. This is where you will encounter the large rock formations that require some aggressive approaches. There are not many "walk arounds" once inside the canyon. Overall, a very enjoyable hike. Looking forward to seeing you there!



The 2007-2008 season's most unique ski trip!

What destination will take you to the world's longest Gondola ride? It was the same trip to the NW that will let you walk the world's longest floating boardwalk? (over 3000'). The LVSSC adventure trip to Coeur d'Alene, ID had 18 skiers, one boarder plus Sally Seifert, who was our "spa" lover. We traveled to the NW's best kept secret, the Coeur d'Alene Resort in the panhandle of northern Idaho. This towering 5-star resort hotel is a pristine setting: perched on the edge of a lake with mountain and forests surrounding it; the hotel offered plush luxurious rooms, feather comfort beds and true 5-star resort service. And only a few blocks from downtown too.

Okay, okay, the trip did involve an early departure time from Las Vegas, but upon arrival at the Spokane airport, the smiles returned. We were greeted by Bob, the friendliest bus driver we have ever met, and he helped set the stage for the great friendly service everywhere we went. Bob stayed with us for all of the 5 fun filled days. We shared the bus with members of the Phoenix ski club and another club from LA. - Many new friendships may have been started in what I call a real mixed bag of personalities. For instance, should we ask Allen Freer who the lady with the blonde hair was ?

Opening night: Our hard working trip leader, Patsy started our trip activity fun with a wine & cheese party on Wednesday night. Many thanks to Max & Kaydee Puffer, Kathy Arrington and Patsy McKenna for walking to the store to get all the goodies and setting up the party. After the party, there was more entertainment. In fact, there was dancing every night at the Shore Lounge in the hotel and most of our lively group spent some time there having fun.

Thursday, our 1st day on the slopes: Thursday, opened with a bus trip up to the Schweitzer Mountain resort. This is a huge mountain with new high speed quads and even a 6 person lift. Ever see a chair lift placed in a Barn? That would be the Stella lift at the base of the Outback. And if the sheer fun of skiing these great runs was not enough, how about this; the mountain staff came out to the bus & thanked us for coming to Schweitzer.

- We enjoyed our group dinner on Thursday at Cricket's just 3 blocks from the hotel. And what say ye to that cool trick by Michael O? Kathy Arrington volunteered to learn how to turn a salt shaker into a Peach....hehe!

Second slope day: Silver Mountain: This was a short bus ride to Kellogg, ID and then we jumped on the world's longest gondola ride. The bus dropped us at the parking lot just a few blocks from the freeway and then we embarked on a 25 minute gondola ride up to the mountain ski area.

- New fresh Powder snow, 6-8 inches, really fluffy and great tree-lined runs. With small crowds, there was plenty of space to make your own tracks.

- The trip included a 3pm - 4pm wine and cheese party at the mountain for the whole group.

Our third mountain day: We were back to Schweitzer & we enjoyed 8 inches of new powder plus we got a bonus; the NW Regional Aerial championship; we watched skiers and boarders from all over the nation compete with aerial jumps & acrobatics. Seeing it in person is way better than seeing it on TV.

Slope notes: True or not? Did our boarder mistakenly use the women's restroom near the Stella Chair?

Saturday dinner notes: Most people scattered to the winds to try different venues and some were seen teaching the waitress at Cricket's a few wine cork and other tricks.

We want to thank Lueann for bringing that camera and for capturing those "Kodak" moments during the whole trip and thanks to Patsy for leading us on this great adventure. (To Mark McNeil, this note; thanks for helping set-up the trip, you really missed a good one.)

Did you know? Coeur d'Alene means "Heart of the Awl" - or possibly "sharp-hearted". This French trader name is based upon the shrewd trading practices of the Indians during the NW early days.

Did you know? Coeur d'Alene is 2,152 feet above sea level, the same as Las Vegas.

I believe that most felt the Coeur d'Alene trip experience created a reason to come back again some time. There was even some talk of a McCall, Idaho trip.....We have learned there is a lot more to skiing in Idaho than Sun Valley.

The Coeur d'Alene story teller, Dave Berry



San Diego Trip

Memorial Day Weekend - May 23-26, 2008

* This flyer is to gauge interest - pre-planning

Depart Vegas for San Diego Friday Morning in rental Vans
Check into Comfort Inn, Hotel Circle, San Diego Fri pm
Dinner at Seafood Restaurant on Harbor Island



Saturday at San Diego Zoo
Evening dining at another seafood restaurant
Or Rainwater's at Kettner

Sunday at Mission Beach and
Old Town San Diego
Evening dinner TBD



Monday at San Diego Sea World
Depart for Las Vegas mid afternoon

Trip price **\$450**

Trip includes transportation, gasoline, three nights lodging at Comfort Inn & Suites, Hotel Circle, San Diego, tickets to San Diego Zoo and Sea World. Breakfast is included in Hotel pricing. Room pricing basis double occupancy.

Need a reply to your interest in this trip prior to booking. Please contact Terry Ledbetter promptly and no later than April 17. Phone 702-280-0457 email n2powder@cox.net

ASPEN COLORADO 2008 TRIP

WHAT A TRIP! We had summer and winter both in the same week. We arrived on Saturday with record high temperatures in Aspen...it was 58 degrees. It was a beautiful sunny day with no winds so we all got settled in and relaxed in the sun on our balconies and patios.

We woke up Sunday morning to a white out snow storm and low temperatures of +5 degrees. Six or eight of the die hard skiers enjoyed the day skiing but most of us sat around the fire places enjoying the beauty of the snow, reading, listening to music and relaxing in the Jacuzzi.

Saturday night we enjoyed a fabulous Bar-B-Queue dinner at the famous Hickory House, all you can eat Ribs, Chicken, Pulled Pork and Beef...what a feast! We had enough food to last a couple more days since they allowed us to take home the left over's, Yum!

Monday morning we enjoyed a tour on the mountain, and the next three days the weather couldn't have been more beautiful...it was absolutely perfect. The most beautiful spring skiing you could ever ask for.

We skied Ajax, Snowmass, Aspen Highlands and Buttermilk what a great time and what a way to end the season.

Trip Talk....

Kathy Arrington, Trip Director

Our ski season has come to an end! We had some really great trips. All the trip leaders did a fabulous job. A special thanks to Barry Keeney, Patsy McKenna, John Mason, Jim Boyd, and Edith Lee for leading their first trips.

Plans are already underway for the upcoming season, so if you have any suggestions for the next season or would like to lead a trip, please let any of the Board members know. Your new Trip Director will be announced in the next newsletter.

There are two fun trips planned for May to kick off the non-ski trips. Pat Park and Gary Wattenbarger are leading a trip to Wine Country and Hearst Castle on May 15-19th. Terry Ledbetter has a new trip planned for the club to San Diego for Memorial Day Weekend, May 23 - 26th. This trip will include a visit to the San Diego Zoo, the beach, Old Town and Sea World. Please see the flyers for more details.

I hope everyone had a chance to go on at least one of the Club trips this year. Please check the newsletter for upcoming hikes and other events.



Pine Creek Hike

March Hike Report

*The March wind roars
Like a lion in the sky,
And makes us shiver
As he passes by.*

*When winds are soft,
And the days are warm and clear,
Just like a gentle lamb,
Then spring is here."*

- Author Unknown

And it roared! A day probably more suited for flying a kite than hiking. However, that did not deter or discourage the ten that made the decent into the canyon and onto Pine Creek. Our perseverance and, shall we say, "confidence" were well rewarded. Once we made our way down into the canyon, the wind mellowed and we enjoyed a leisurely stroll. We took a short side trip up the canyon to a small waterfall and pool and took a little break to enjoy the sights and sounds of the canyon. As the hike progressed, the winds had definitely shown their softer, gentler side. And just like that, it happened— Happy Spring everyone.

LAS VEGAS SKI & SPORTS CLUB

Special Events Calendar

DATE	EVENT	INFORMATION
April 9th Wednesday	BOD Meeting	6pm - John Mason's 683-8089
April 11th Friday	TGIF	6 p.m. El Patron Mexican - Phone 791-6988 2797 Maryland Parkway. Near Maryland Pkwy & Karen.
April 16th Wednesday	General Membership Meeting	Stake-Out Bar & Grill General Membership Meeting 6:30 pm, 4800 S. Maryland Prkwy. All members are encouraged to come. Munchies are provided free & the drinks are inexpensive.
April 19th Saturday	Adopt-a-Highway	Meet at McDonald's, Rancho and Cheyenne at 9am Contact Kathy Bell 876-9638
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April 25th Friday	TGIF	6 p.m. Sporting House - Phone: 862-4777 721 Mall Ring Circle Sunset & Stephanie in the Galleria Mall
May 9th Friday	TGIF	6 p.m. Cowboy's Road Runner - Phone 309-6015 5990 Centennial Pkwy I-95 & Centennial Center
May 17th Saturday	Hike	TBD - See info in NL. Contact: Valerie Ward at 326-5167 or ward828@yahoo.com or Dianna Harris at 604-8824 or happypetcare@cox.net
May 21th Wednesday	General Membership Meeting	Stake-Out Bar & Grill General Membership Meeting 6:30 pm, 4800 S. Maryland Prkwy. All members are encouraged to come. Munchies are provided free & the drinks are inexpensive.
May 23rd Friday	TGIF	6 p.m. Half Shell Seafood - Phone 632-2983 10430 S. Eastern Eastern & Horizion

HOT OFF THE PRESSES

The 2007-2008 LVSSC **MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY** is available. It contains the names, home and cell phone numbers of our 165 members, as well as some history of the club, a trip list, and other useful information. When you come to a TGIF, General Membership Meeting, or go on a ski trip, you can pick it up then. Other wise, contact Patsy.

LAS VEGAS SKI & SPORTS CLUB 2008 Distant Trip Schedule

For additional info, check the flyers posted on the Club's website.

DATE	DESTINATION	COSTS	CONTACTS
4/10/08 - 4/13/08 Thursday - Sunday	Mammoth <i>Bus, 3 nights, 2007-2008 Pass, group discount lift tickets, taxes, group dinner.</i>	TBD \$400 range	John Mason & Pat Park
5/15/08 - 5/19/08 Thursday-Monday	Hearst Castle/Paso Robles Wine Festival <i>4 nights, tickets to Hearst Castle & Paso Robles Wine Festival</i>	\$600+/-	Pat Park or Gary Wattenbarger
5/23/08 - 5/26/08 Friday - Monday	San Diego Trip <i>Memorial Weekend. See Flyer in Newsletter</i>	\$450	Terry Ledbetter no later than April 17th 280-0457 n2powder@cox.net

Hearst Castle & Paso Robles Wine Festival



May 15-19, 2008
\$600.00 per person + or -

Package Includes:

- ❖ Round Trip Bus Transportation
- ❖ 4 Nights at The Fog Catcher Inn Beach Front Hotel
- ❖ Tickets for Hearst Castle
- ❖ Tickets for Paso Rables Wine Festival
- ❖ Wine & Cheese Party (on the beach)
- ❖ Tours of several other Wineries (TBA)

Deposit Schedule:

January 18, 2008 – \$200.00
February 15, 2008 – \$200.00
March 15, 2008 – \$200.00

Cancellation:

Before April 15, 2008 - \$100.00
After April 15, 2008 No Refunds –
3% Credit Card Fee

Contact: Pat or Gary at 645-1184 (home)
Pat Park 324-9694 (cell)
Gary Wattenbarger 524-3013 (cell)

Thank
You!

A Big LVSSC Thank You to our January TGIF hosts, **Molly Malone's Irish Pub & Becker's Lakeside** for letting us use their fabulous facility and for treating us so well while we were there.

Welcome
New Members

A great big LVSSC WELCOME to the following as new members:

**Kim Borselli, Bob Swan,
Diane Worker, and Mark Worker**

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MAY						
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Las Vegas Ski & Sports Club MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

September 1, 2007 thru August 31, 2008

**RETURN SIGNED APPLICATION & LIABILITY RELEASE WITH REMITTANCE OF
\$45.00**

PAYABLE TO:

**LAS VEGAS SKI & SPORTS CLUB
P.O. BOX 42894, LAS VEGAS, NV 89116**

Year Round Activities: Local & Worldwide Ski & Snowboard Trips, Tennis, Golf, Hiking, River Trips, Tours, Camping, Socials, & More.



**LAS VEGAS SKI
and SPORTS CLUB**



**MEMBERSHIP
APPLICATION
and RELEASE OF LIABILITY**



Patsy McKenna, Membership Chairperson: 294-4385

Please print legibly:

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (Hm) _____ (Wk) _____ Where did you hear about the club? _____

Cell _____ E-Mail _____ Birthday _____ (month/day)

I am interested in these events or activities:

- | | | | | |
|---|---|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ski Trips | <input type="checkbox"/> Golf | <input type="checkbox"/> Camping | <input type="checkbox"/> Hiking | <input type="checkbox"/> Tennis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Festivals | <input type="checkbox"/> Christmas Party | <input type="checkbox"/> River Rafting | <input type="checkbox"/> Ocean Cruises | <input type="checkbox"/> Houseboat Trips |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hockey Games | <input type="checkbox"/> TGIF Socials | <input type="checkbox"/> Sight Seeing Trips | <input type="checkbox"/> Wine Tasting Trips | <input type="checkbox"/> Bike |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter Editing | <input type="checkbox"/> Helping with Trips | <input type="checkbox"/> Helping with Club Functions | | |

Check here if you DO NOT want your name and phone number(s) published in the LVSSC membership directory .

PHOTOGRAPHS OF MEMBERS: Photographs of members participating in club activities are routinely included in a newsletter which is distributed to the membership and other interested parties and is made available to the general public through the Club's internet website.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY: Please sign the reverse side of this form.

Signature (Required) _____

**Mail This Form To:
LAS VEGAS SKI AND SPORTS CLUB
P.O. Box 42894 ▪ Las Vegas, NV 89116**

Date _____

2007-2008 Annual Membership Dues:
\$45 Per Person Sept 1, 2007 - August 31, 2008 non-refundable

Must Be At Least 21 Years of Age To Join

Office Use Only

Amt. Rec'd. _____ Mail _____ Membership _____ Posted _____

PLEASE READ AND SIGN BOTH SIDES OF THIS FORM.

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY & ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT

READ BEFORE SIGNING

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the

Las Vegas Ski and Sports Club

programs, related events and activities, the undersigned, acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

1. The risk of injury from the many of the activities is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while particular skills, rules, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and,
2. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of the releasees or others and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
3. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation. If, however, I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
4. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS, **The Las Vegas Ski & Sports Club**, their officers, officials, agents, and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the event ("RELEASEES"), with respect to any and all injury, disability, death, or loss or damage to person or property, whether arising from the negligence of the releasees or otherwise, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

X _____
(Participant's Signature)

Age: _____

DATE SIGNED: _____

Michael Ehrenfeld Company – California License # 0537922

Signature is required on both sides of the Membership Application Form