



Spotlight

The Conejo Ski & Sports Club Newsletter

FEBRUARY 2014

A Message From Your V.P. Membership

The Conejo Ski and Sports Club Continues to Attract Active Adults



Ski outings, weekend camping trips, hiking as well as themed parties (our Mardi Gras party is coming up), socializing and gathering to just have fun continues to attract new members to our club. Our diverse and active calendar of events in 2013 attracted nearly 80 new members to the CSSC during the year - - making it another successful and fun year. As we enter 2014 CSSC boasts an active membership of just over 400 like-minded active adults.

During 2013 one in five of our active membership roster was a new member. Generally new members come through the year, but two months dominated. May and September saw the most new members join our merry group.

While there is no data to support why those two months, my experience (16 years in the CSSC) suggests folks are looking for things to do heading into the summer. Starting with our summer kick-off picnic in May and Cinco de Mayo party followed by frequent hikes (short-long, easy-hard), theater and dinner-theater events, CSSC offers a lot to do for active non- skiers.

Of course later in the year thoughts turn to suiting up and heading down hill. So naturally September is a good time to start checking out our many upcoming ski trips to beautiful Mammoth Mt. and week-long exotic out-of-area ski trips. That is why I joined way back in 1998, to go on the week-long trip to Aspen (my personal favorite destination for skiing). It was a great trip with great people and lots of fun. I even saw John Denver for a split second just before he crashed into me. Just kidding. Never know who you'll run into in Aspen.

The largest share of our existing members and new members are from the heart of the Conejo Valley. Thousand Oaks, Newbury Park and Westlake Village are at the top of the list. However, collectively communities in the "Valley" are the second largest area from which CSSC attracts new members. We also get quite a few members from Simi Valley as well as from down-the-grade in Camarillo and nearby areas. We even have a few members far from the Conejo. We sometimes meet folks on the hill that see how much fun our CSSC group is having and want to join us. We don't see them at our twice-a-month club meetings, but we do meet them on the slope next year. Great fun.

The demographics of the CSSC are generally 50+ reflecting the increased freedoms in time, interest and participation afforded at this stage-of-life. The new member's class of 2013 very much reflects our overall membership profile. The split between ladies and guys among new members is nearly even with only slightly more ladies joining. However, the clear and unmistakable common bond among all members is being active and sharing in the fun of CSSC.

See you at the next CSSC meeting. *Thad Malesh*



Mammoth Skiers (see more pix on p. 5)

February at a Glance

- Feb. 1- Ski Whistler (8 nts)
- Feb. 5 - Club Meeting
- Feb. 12- Board Meeting
- Feb. 15- Mardi Gras
- Feb. 19- Club Meeting
- Feb. 20- Ski Mammoth (3 nts)
- Feb. 22- Santa Cruz Hike

Recurring Events (p.10)

- Monday Volleyball
- Wednesday Bridge (2nd-4th)
Volleyball (4th)
- Thursday Tennis & Potluck
- Saturday Tennis

BI-MONTHLY MEETINGS

**First and Third
Wednesdays
of the Month**

6:30 - 8:00 pm Social hr.

8:00 - 9:00 pm Meeting

PALM GARDEN HOTEL

495 N. Ventu Park Rd.

Newbury Park

SEE A COMPLETE LIST OF ACTIVITIES!

In the attachment with this newsletter and on our website.

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FEBRUARY MEMBERSHIPS DUE- FEBRUARY 1ST



Monireh	Aram
Judy	Barrat
Olga	Belyansky
Mike	Bronstein
Denise	Cleveland
John	DiFonzo
Marc	Forma
Ann	Gonzalez

A.	Klein
Dennis	Leon
Lynn	LePre
Al	Pinedo
Anke	Schimmang
Barbara	Waddle
Bill	Welty
Margaret	Zlotinicki



If you find your name on this list, your membership will expire this month! Contact VP Membership



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS



<u>Name</u>		<u>Day</u>
Luis	Hernandez	02
Michael	Worstell	02
Marilyn	Passanante	02
Carmen	Cheveres	03
John	Grue	03
Lou	Patalano	03
Rori	Campbell	04
Elyse	Stafford	04
Mark	Stevens	04
Joel	Popson	05
Bill	Kitchen	06
Petra M.	Dorris	06
Michael	Becker	07
Diana	Ortuno	09
Anke	Schimmang	10



<u>Name</u>		<u>Day</u>
Paul	Bishop	10
Nancy	Mauro	11
Lynn	LePre	14
Julie	Mohr	15
Ileana	Rizescu	15
Marie	Lafayette	20
Karen	Burnside	20
Martin "MB"	Kelly	22
Adrienne	Clark	24
Andie	Greene	24
Kathy	Glasmeier	24
Donald	Mace	26
Tracey	Ross	27
Nancy	Stevens	27

LAST MONTH'S NEW MEMBERS- JANUARY



Fay Azad Maryam Fathollahee Anna Holland Wajs
 Parvin Mohebban Joel Popson
 Paul Reina Becky Warren



• **New Guest Policy:** Guests and former members may attend events by paying a premium added onto the price that the members pay. This premium will be published on each flyer, and will be an additional \$5, \$10, \$15, or \$20, based on the price of activity.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: 2013-2014



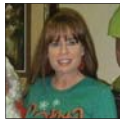
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Members are invited to attend Board meetings on the 2nd Wednesday of each month.



IT'S TENNIS TIME! COME JOIN US!

Intermediate and Advance Players

We generally have four courts available for Ski Club Members.



WINTER SCHEDULE

Every Saturday at 9:30 a.m. (lunch at noon). **Every Thursday** evening at 5:00 p.m. Potluck at 7:00 p.m. (starting March 21st) Plan to bring your favorite dish/or do a quick buy from your local store– something to share with the group. Schedule changes will be e-mailed by Jeanne. Please include yourself on her e-mail list: (see e-mail address below)

Where: Thousand Oaks Community Center at 2525 North Moorpark Road. **RAIN CANCELS**

For More Information, Contact: Jeanne Scott (805)428-3456 jazzitn1@yahoo.com

NEW!!

ACTIVITY PRICING POLICY FOR GUESTS & EX-MEMBERS

Everyone is welcome to attend our activities; members, guests and ex-members. Members pay only the activity price and non-members pay the activity price plus a non-member premium per the schedule below.

Non-member premiums do not apply to annual membership.

Activity Price	Non-Member Premium
\$1 to \$20	\$5
\$21 to \$40	\$10
\$41 to \$100	\$15
\$101 to \$400	\$20

FROM THE MEMBERS

SPRINGTIME FOR SKIERS IN JANUARY! by Carol Tubelis

45 trusting Conejo members boarded the bus in Newbury Park for Mammoth on Thursday, January 23rd, to go skiing when there had been very little snow in the mountains so far this year. Mark Glasmier promised it would be OK, and it was. The number of chairs operating was limited, but those runs that were open served us well, and we had great spring skiing. Mammoth Mountain has all the latest in snow making equipment to provide snow magic!



The ride on the big bus up and back passed quickly as we were treated to recent movie releases, like Gravity and Captain Phillips, and to vintage ski videos. Snacks and drinks were abundant, and warm personal pizza and yummy cookies on the return trip kept us content. The condos at Snow Flower were very comfortable this trip; no more than six assigned to each unit offering plenty of room to spread out. We were scheduled to go to Whiskey Creek for an early dinner on Friday, but surprise! ... this favorite establishment closed its doors on Thursday. Not to worry, quick change artist, Mark, got us into Gomez's Mexican Restaurant and Cantina for an excellent Happy Hour, and then home on the bus for a nice, soothing jazz. Saturday, after skiing and before dinner, there was a formidable volleyball game played out on the condo commons. That night's dinner was a catered affair and a 75th birthday celebration for one of our youngest members; champagne and yummy cake for everyone! Next day we skied until around 2 PM, and then home to Newbury Park before 9 PM Sunday night.

The first Mammoth trip of the year was great fun all around. You need to remember, Mammoth is not just for skiers. It's for hikers, bikers, shoppers, loungers and lovers. You should try it, you'd like it!

STAYIN' ALIVE by Julianne Seeley

In January the club arranged the first ever hands-only CPR training, conducted by American Medical Response of Ventura County. Over 50 club members attended this free training, and learned how to perform this form of CPR, to one day, potentially save a life.

When a person's heart stops, they are clinically dead. The first 3-4 minutes are the most important. After 4 minutes, without blood circulating to the brain, brain damage sets in. Nationally, approximately only 22% of those who suffer cardiac arrest survive. The number is so low due to the time it takes to get emergency personnel to the scene (approximately 6-7 minutes nationally). Hands-only or sidewalk CPR means no mouth-to-mouth breathing. Instead it involves steady chest compressions. By circulating blood to the brain and organs, this method can buy lifesaving minutes after a person's heart stops beating, until emergency personnel arrive. With the application of hands-only CPR prior to emergency personnel arriving, the survival rate goes up significantly.

The training was such a success that the club is looking to have sessions taught on an annual basis.

LAST MONTH'S ACTIVITIES



*Ventura Winter Walk
January 11th
Leader: Ann Wright*



*Skiing Mammoth
January 23-26
Leader: Mark Glasmeier*



Photos submitted by: Bev Hammond, Ann Wright, Ann Gonzales, & Richard Murray

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- Group dinner and social Saturday night
- Skiing with groups of friends

You don't ski? We'll guide you to-

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- cross-country skiing
- snowmobiling
- snowshoeing
- sightseeing and shopping

Dates

January 23-26

February 20-23

March 20-23

Cost per trip: ***\$299 (\$289 *early sign-up: 50 days prior*)

Cost includes: round-trip bus ride with refreshments and movies, condo; Saturday evening dinner; bus to and from the slopes.

- First come first served roommate/room.
- Children welcome if accompanied by a club member relative.

***Nonmembers add \$20. One trip only.

Contact Mammoth VP Mark Glasmeier (805) 376-3574
email: conejoskimammoth@gmail.com



February 1 - 8, 2014

2014 Whistler Ski Trip

\$1,500.00

The Whistler Package Includes:

- * Round-Trip Airfare from LAX to the Vancouver Airport on Alaska Airlines
- * Round-Trip Airport Transfer to the Whistler Resort on a Private Charter Bus
- * 7 nights lodging at the Aspens Condos on Blackcomb Mountain (Ski-in/Ski-Out)
- * 5 out of 6 Day Lift Ticket for skiing Whistler Mountain and Blackcomb Mountain
- * Welcome Reception Party “Meet and Greet” at the Aspens
- * An Après Ski Party and a Dinner, or two Après Ski Parties
- * One Fresh Tracks Voucher includes a Mountain Breakfast (Limited to the first 650 people/day - First Come First Serve)



Package Price, Registration Info, Trip Installment Plan, Cancellation Policy and Travel Insurance Info:

CST #2109794

* The 2014 Whistler Trip Package is \$1,500. There are a number of deductions and additions that lower and raise the package price of this ski trip. Seniors (65+) can deduct \$50 off of the package price, non-skiers and skiers that supply their own lift ticket can deduct \$300, (the \$300 Discount is not combinable with the \$50 Seniors Discount). You can also add \$60 to the Whistler Package if you want to pre-pay for a 6th day of skiing at Whistler/Blackcomb.

* There are only 86 spots available! The first 48 skiers who sign up will ride in a 56 passenger bus charter transfer! The Aspens Condos Lodging Price is based on Quad-Occupancy for their 2-bedroom condos, so Double-Occupancy is required in each room. Currently there is one, 1-bedroom condo available for a total of \$150.00 extra per person. There is a \$600 single supplement fee for skiers who stay in their own room. Singles are welcome and will be given help if needed to find a roommate. Fresh Tracks Vouchers can be used any day, but limited to the first 650 skiers.

* A Registration Form and Club Waiver along with a photo-copy of your passport are required at sign-up! The 2014 Whistler Ski Trip Installment Plan is as follows: A non-refundable \$300 deposit is due upon first sign-up that will be available on August 7, 2013; a non-refundable 2nd installment of \$400 is due by September 18, 2013; a non-refundable 3rd Installment of \$500 is due by November 1, 2013 and a non-refundable Final Payment of \$300 will be due by December 4, 2013. Checks should be made out to CSSC or Conejo Ski and Sports Club, and should be hand delivered to me at club meetings, or mailed to Ted Zalta at 5727 Canoga Avenue # 349, Woodland Hills, CA 91367.

* The 2014 Whistler Ski Trip Cancellation Policy is as follows: All Whistler Payments are non-refundable unless a replacement is made. The Conejo Ski Club highly recommends that you purchase Travel Insurance for this ski trip.





March 1 - 8, 2014

2014 Lake Tahoe Ski Trip

\$1,300.00

The Tahoe Package Includes:

- * Round-Trip Airfare from LAX to Reno on Southwest Airlines (no baggage fees)
- * Round-Trip Bus Charter Transfer from the Reno Airport to South Lake Tahoe
- * 7 nights lodging at the Lake Tahoe Resort Hotel (Formerly the Embassy Suites)
- * 5 out of 6 Day Lift Ticket for skiing Heavenly, Kirkwood and Northstar Mountain
- * Round-Trip Baggage Handling at Lake Tahoe Resort Hotel
- * Daily Resort Happy Hours with Two Hours of Free Drinks
- * A Round-Trip Shuttle Transfer to the Northstar Mountain
- * A Full Cook-to-Order Daily Breakfast Buffet at our Resort
- * A Farewell Dinner Party somewhere in South Lake Tahoe



Package Price, Registration Info, Trip Installment

Plan, Cancellation Policy and Travel Insurance Info: CST #2109794

* The 2014 Tahoe Ski Trip Package is \$1,300. There are a number of deductions and additions that lower and raise the price of this ski trip. Seniors (65+) can deduct \$50 off of the Tahoe Trip Price, non-skiers and skiers that supply their own lift pass can deduct \$320, (the \$320 Discount is not combinable with Seniors Discount). Air on Southwest is reserved for all; however those who want to drive, can, and will be allowed to deduct \$250 off their package price. You can also add \$50 to the Tahoe Package if you want to pre-pay for a 6th day of skiing at Heavenly, Kirkwood or Northstar Mountain. Round Trip Shuttle Transfers to Kirkwood Mountain are not included in the Tahoe Package.

* There are presently only 42 spots available! So, first come, first serve! Your Lake Tahoe Resort Hotel Lodging Price is based on Double-Occupancy, so two people are required for each room. There is a \$650 single supplement charge for participants who stay in their own room. Singles are welcome and will be given help if needed to find a roommate. Furthermore, anyone can deduct \$100 off the Tahoe Package if they book in a Triple Occupancy Room.

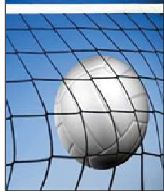
* A Registration Form and Club Waiver are required at sign-up! The Lake Tahoe Ski Trip Installment Plan is as follows: A \$200 non-refundable deposit is due upon first sign-up that will be offered on August 7, 2013; a non-refundable 2nd installment of \$300 is due by September 18, 2013; a non-refundable 3rd Installment of \$400 is due by November 1, 2013; a non-refundable Final Payment of \$400 is due by December 4, 2013. All Checks should be made out to CSSC or Conejo Ski and Sports Club, and hand delivered to me at club meetings or mailed to Ted Zalta at 5727 Canoga Avenue # 349, Woodland Hills, CA 91367.

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Recurring Events

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LEADER: MARK GLASMEIER (805) 376-3574

TENNIS

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4th Wednesday of every month (7-10 p.m)


Call David Smith for new location.

Contact: David Smith (805) 495-4504

FEBRUARY 2014

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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					Tennis 9:30 Whistler	Whistler
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Volleyball 6:30 Whistler	Whistler	Club Meeting Whistler	Tennis 5:00 Whistler	Whistler	Tennis 9:30 Whistler	
10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.
Volleyball 6:30 President's Day		Board Meeting Bridge	Tennis 5:00		Tennis 9:30 Mardi Gras	
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Volleyball 6:30		Volleyball 6:30 Bridge	Tennis 5:00			

MARCH 2014

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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Volleyball 6:30		Volleyball 6:30 Bridge	Tennis 5:00		Tennis 9:30 Scavenger Hunt	
31.						
Volleyball 6:30						

All CSSC events for adults over 21... unless specified "Family."

MARDI GRAS PARTY

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15TH (2014)

6:00 P.M. TO 11:00 P.M.

COSTUME CONTEST: King & Queen will be selected (not necessarily a couple).
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Tickets: \$29 (Members) \$39 (Non-Members)



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SANTA CRUZ ISLAND TRIP

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2014

9:00 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M.

(arrive at 8:15 a.m! Includes Whale Watching)



“Island Packers”,
Ventura Harbor,
1691 Spinnaker Drive,
Suite 105B, Ventura



Members: \$54.00

Non-Members: \$69.00

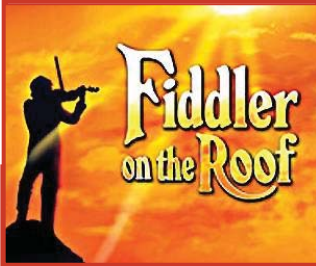
No refunds and no late registration. Cut off is February 14th



Bring: Binoculars, hat, hiking boots, sunscreen, jacket, sweater, swimsuit, towel, water, “motion sickness meds” (if needed), a pack lunch for the trip, and a “Happy Attitude!”

Bring money if you want to eat dinner at one of the harbor restaurants.

Contact person: Greg Lanigan at 805-302-6312



HIGH STREET ARTS CENTER



SUNDAY

MARCH 2ND

2014

The original Broadway production of the show, which opened in 1964, had the first musical theatre run in history to surpass 3,000 performances.

It was nominated for ten Tony Awards, winning nine, including Best Musical, score, book, direction and choreography.



**NO REFUNDS—
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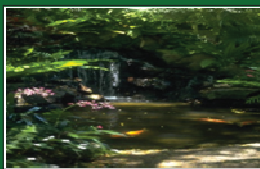
MEMBERS
\$15

GUESTS
\$20



- 1:45 p.m. Meet in front of theater (on time!) 45 E. High Street, Moorpark
- 2:00 p.m. Play begins (lobby opens at 1:00 p.m.)
(popcorn, candy, cookies, wine & beer can be purchased in lobby)
- 5:30 (approx) Dinner at "Topper's Pizza" in T.O. (Moorpark & Janns Rd.- bring \$\$ or credit card)

Organizer: Ann Gonzales: 805-822-9090



Solstice Canyon Hike



Saturday, March 22

Solstice Canyon is a place where you can experience nature. Native Chumash Settlers first used the canyon for food, water and shelter. Henry Keller built a stone house in 1903. The trail leads to the Roberts house, designed in 1952 by renowned African American architect Paul Williams, was destroyed by a fire. An arched stone courtyard garden terrace and exotic tropical plants still remain. Near the ruins, a waterfall, cascades 30 feet over sandstone rocks. The trail meanders through a lush canyon with a sweeping vista. The hike is 4 miles roundtrip with an elevation gain of 1,000 feet.

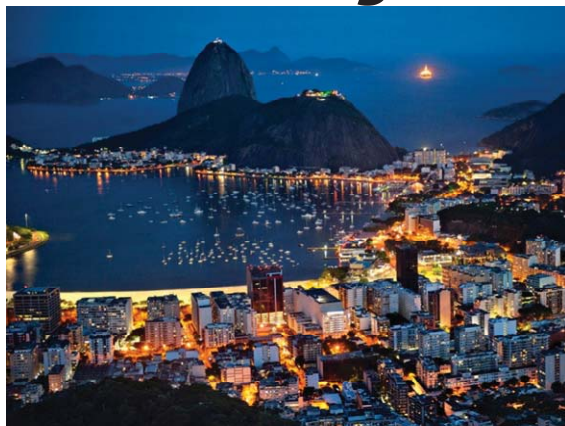
Meet promptly at 8:00 am at the Kanan Rd carpool lot. Bring hiking shoes, plenty of water, munchies, hat and sunscreen. Bring \$\$ for a fresh seafood lunch afterwards.

Directions: Ventura Freeway (101) to Kanan Rd exit.

Turn into the carpool lot across from Burger King.

Leader: Lou Patalano 818-292-4334

Brazil - Iguassu Falls - Argentina



Date: April 3 – April 13, 2014 - Seller of Travel No. 2031736-40

Price Package: \$2,679 (double occupancy); includes all international (LAX) & domestic air & fuel surcharge

Leader: Lou Patalano, Phone: 818-292-4334 or email Louis.Patalano@ngc.com

Price includes:

- ❖ **International round trip airfare - LAX to Rio de Janeiro, Buenos Aires to LAX;**
- ❖ **Domestic airfare: Rio de Janeiro to Iguassu Falls; Iguassu Falls to Buenos Aires**
- ❖ **Transfers between airport and hotels for all destinations;**
- ❖ **9 nights lodging accommodations: Rio de Janeiro - 4 nights; Iguassu Falls - 2 nights; Buenos Aires - 3 nights;**
- ❖ **Daily breakfasts each morning at all locations;**
- ❖ **Rio de Janeiro City Tour - including Sugarloaf and Corcovado Mountain;**
- ❖ **Special Group Welcome Dinner at a Brazilian steakhouse "Churrascaria" restaurant ("rodizio style ", where the expert waiters circle the restaurant with long skewers of perfectly grilled meats);**
- ❖ **Escorted tour of the Brazilian side of Iguassu Falls;**
- ❖ **Welcome Rafain Churrascaria Dinner and Show (traditional Brazilian food, music & dances of South American);**
- ❖ **Aventura Boat Ride up to the base of Iguassu Falls;**
- ❖ **Escorted tour of the Argentine side of Iguassu Falls;**
- ❖ **Lunch at La Selva restaurant inside the National Park;**
- ❖ **Buenos Aires City Tour;**
- ❖ **Spectacular Tango and Dinner Show;**
- ❖ **All Hotel and Domestic Air Taxes;**
- ❖ **All Airline Fuel Surcharges (\$330)**

Not Included: Airline International Air tax (approx. \$168) and Brazilian Visa (approx. \$160).

Note: Non-CSSC members will need to join the club during the 60-day initial sign-up period. After 60 days, if spaces are still available, to confirm a reservation an additional payment of \$40 to CSSC will be required.

RESERVATION AND CANCELLATION POLICY:

To confirm a reservation of \$200 deposit per person is required.

Second payment of \$300 is due December 15, 2013. Final payment is due February 1, 2014. Cancellations prior to December 15, 2013 will be charged \$100 cancellation charge. Cancellations between November 15, 2013 and January 30, 2014 will be charged \$300, cancellations between January 31, 2014 and February 23, 2014 will be charged \$500 and after February 23, 2014 will have no refund unless a replacement is found and then a \$150 charge for name change.

Trip cancellation insurance is recommended and can be purchased from New Horizon Tours.

Note: Prices are based on double occupancy, you are responsible to choose your own roommate, or a roommate will be selected from the group list, if one is available. Double occupancy is not guaranteed. The single supplement is \$829. You must be in good physical health to participate on this trip.



Conejo Ski & Sports Club

Presents

12th Anniversary

Camping at Cachuma Lake

(Located 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles north of Santa Barbara, off the 154 Highway)
in the Los Padres National Forest

May 29th thru June 1, 2014

(Arrive after 11:00 am on Thursday depart by Sunday 4 pm)

A Four Day Trip

No need to be a member

\$80 Member \$95 Non-Member

Late fee of \$5.00 if paid after May 21st, 2014

DEADLINE: CHECK MUST ARRIVE BY May 27th

NO REFUNDS

No Showing up without paying prior to trip, no exceptions.

Provided: Dinner; Thursday, Friday and Saturday - Breakfast; Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Lunch is on your own. Sunday lunch: left-over's, if available, Bring your own drinks

Music in the evenings and other activities: Bike rides, Hiking, Wine Tasting,
Horseshoes, Volleyball, Motorcycle ride,
Card games, Chumash Casino, Solvang

Bring an RV, Trailer, Tent or just sleep under the stars. We have 20 acres all to our own. Dogs are welcome, if they are well mannered and get along with other dogs.

For more info please call 805-526-5722 or cathykaufman@att.net

Sign-ups begin April 2nd. Mail check to: 6266 Jennifer Ct. Simi Valley, Ca. 93063

If you don't want to camp; Staying at nearby Hotel is allowed

No one day visits. Must pay at sign-up, no reservations.



IRELAND

Northern & Southern

August 16-27, 2014

LUXURY MOTORCOACH TOUR – AAA
Approved/Quality

12-Day luxury tour (highlights to follow)
with Professional Irish Travel Director Tour

*Pre-trip party
Dec. 7th at 5pm*



COST

- \$2,138.00:** Group rate plus air (per person/double occupancy)
(Single Supplement: \$635)
- \$1,913.00:** With early payoff by January 5, 2014 plus air* (double occupancy)
- \$200.00:** Non-refundable deposit at time of booking
- \$40.00:** Non-Member Supplement
- \$1,564.68:** Airfare including fuel surcharge & taxes (per person)

Final Payment due: May 28, 2014

Travel Protection Plan: \$129-\$249 (recommended)

Passports must be valid for at least one year of date of trip. (2 copies requested to trip leader)
AAA will provide free passport pictures for this trip, if renewal necessary.

**Cancellation fees: Cancellation outside of 45 days prior to departure will forfeit deposit. Additional penalties apply for cancellation inside 45 days prior to departure. Full details are available upon request. **Price includes base fee of \$1,039, fuel surcharge of \$428 and taxes of \$97.68 based on 10 passengers. Airfare is subject to availability, subject to change and is not guaranteed until ticketed. Fuel surcharge and taxes are subject to change at any time and are not guaranteed until ticketed. A minimum of 25 passengers are needed to operate this tour. Brendan Vacations CST# 2084503-20; AAA CST# 1016202-80*

Contact: Trip Leader: Denise Cleveland (805) 358-2976
(Kelly Greer—AAA Thousand Oaks 805-230-3216)

IRELAND ITINERARY

1 DEPART FROM THE USA

Board your overnight transatlantic flight.

2 ARRIVE IN DUBLIN, IRELAND

Welcome to Dublin, a small capital with a big personality. Visit St. Patrick's Cathedral, see Georgian Squares with doorways painted in hues of red, blue, black and even purple, and walk to Trinity College to see the 8th-century Book of Kells. Later, enjoy a Welcome Dinner with wine. **WD**

3 DUBLIN / WATERFORD / CORK

Visit the 6th-century monastic ruins at Glendalough, where you'll see the Round Tower and St. Kevin's Cross, an enormous cross carved from a single piece of granite. Appreciate more delicate works of art at the House of Waterford Crystal, a *Local Specialty* in Waterford. Then allow an *Expert Storyteller* to regale you with tales of rogues and rascals during a city stroll. Next, head to Cork. **BD**

4 CORK / BLARNEY / KILLARNEY

Stop at the Old Midleton Distillery, home to Jameson Irish whiskey, a *Local Specialty*. Enjoy a tour and tasting and then prepare to pucker up for your visit to Blarney Castle, with its magical stone. On to lively Killarney. **BD**

5 RING OF KERRY EXCURSION

Venture along the famed Ring of Kerry, one of the most scenic routes in all the world. **B**

6 KILLARNEY / CLIFFS OF MOHER / CONNEMARA

Stop at the quaint village of Adare to see the thatched-roof cottages, then to the Cliffs of Moher. Then celebrate Brendan's 45th Anniversary with a *Be My Guest* afternoon tea at Rathbaun Farm. Hear about the traditions of Irish farming from the farmer, Fintan, a *Local Expert*. Afterward, depart for your seaside hotel in Connemara. **PI D**

7 CONNEMARA FREE DAY

You're on the pig's back (meaning "you've got it made"), because it's a full day free. Perhaps take an optional excursion to Kylemore Abbey. **B**

8 CONNEMARA / LONDONDERRY

Visit Clonalis House, then stop by W.B. Yeats' grave in Drumcliff. Continue to the walled city of Londonderry to enjoy the evening at leisure. **B**

9 GIANT'S CAUSEWAY EXCURSION

Experience the Giant's Causeway, a coastal landscape created by thousands of interlocking basalt columns. Later, join a *Local Expert* for a walking tour of Londonderry's city walls. **BD**

10 LONDONDERRY / BELFAST

Travel to Belfast, where you'll take a living history tour of the Titanic Belfast Visitor Centre with a *Local Expert*. Then check in to your *Authentic Accommodation*, the Europa Hotel. **BD**

11 BELFAST / KNOWTH / DUBLIN

Visit Knowth, the Neolithic passage graves at the Brú na Bóinne complex. Then on to Dublin, where your evening is free. **B**

12 DEPART DUBLIN

You will be transferred to the airport (conditions apply), where your vacation ends. **B**

YOUR PERSONALLY SELECTED HOTELS

SF Superior First Class / F First Class

Dublin | Ballsbridge Hotel – executive room **F**

Cork | Rochestown Park **F**

Killarney | Killarney Plaza **SF**

Connemara | Connemara Coast Hotel **SF**

Londonderry | Ramada Da Vinci's **F**

Belfast | Europa **F**

Dublin | Ballsbridge Hotel – executive room **F**



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CONEJO SKI & SPORTS CLUB

MEMBERSHIP FORM

NEW MEMBER RENEWAL

Annual Membership \$40.00

(Add \$5.00 penalty if 30 days past renewal date)

TODAY'S DATE: _____ RENEWAL DATE: _____ AMOUNT RECEIVED: _____ CHECK #: _____

Mr/Ms LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

(Email address is the primary way we communicate with you. Please print clearly)

PRIMARY PHONE NUMBER: (_____) _____

I understand my phone number and email will be published on the Conejo Ski & Sport Club membership roster and will be available to members unless I check the box below.

Please keep my phone number and email private and not share it with the members.

OCCUPATION: _____

BIRTH DATE (Month / Day / Year [year-optional]): _____ Yes I am over 21 _____

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THE CLUB? (new members only) _____

IF FROM A MEMBER, GIVE NAME _____

APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS:

1. Fill out the membership application
2. Fill out a "Waiver and Release of Liability" form on the back of this form
3. Make checks payable to: **CONEJO SKI AND SPORTS CLUB**
4. Send your application, the "liability release", and check to:

CONEJO SKI AND SPORTS CLUB
Attn: VP Membership
P.O. Box 6276, Westlake Village, CA 91359

The **CONEJO SKI AND SPORTS CLUB** is a year-round sports/social club providing a variety of activities for its members. Most of these are, to a varying degree, hazardous. By making this application for membership, I voluntarily assume the risks involved; I agree not to hold the **CONEJO SKI AND SPORTS CLUB**, its Officers or Event Leaders liable for any accident or injury resulting from my participation in a club activity. After reading and understanding this Release of Liability, I hereby apply for membership in the **CONEJO SKI AND SPORTS CLUB**.

I certified that the above information is correct.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

CONEJO SKI & SPORTS CLUB

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

READ BEFORE SIGNING

I _____, the Undersigned, acknowledge,

appreciate, and agree that in consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the Conejo Ski & Sports Club programs, related events and activities agree:

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 Conejo Ski & Sports Club**, their officers, officials, agents, and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners and leasers of premises used to conduct the event ("**RELEASEES**"), **WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, LOSS OR DAMAGE TO PERSON OR PROPERTY, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE**, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Activity participant agrees that this release will apply to all known and unknown as well as unanticipated claims, injuries and damages resulting from club activities, as well as those now disclosed and all rights under section 1542 of the Civil Code of California and hereby are expressly waived. Section 1542 of the Civil Code of California reads as follows:

"A general release does not extend to claims which the (person signing the release)

does not know or suspect to exist in his (or her) favor, at the time of execution of the release, which if known by him (or her) must have materially affected his (or her) signing the release."

I have read and understand the above statements, and I am signing this document, granting this release and participating in this activity voluntarily. In addition, I have read, understand and agree to the Conduct Policy as stated on the back, and agree that, if I violate this conduct policy, I may be removed from this activity.

X _____ Birthday: _____ Date Signed: _____
(Participant's Signature)

_____ (Emergency Contact) _____ (Emergency Phone Number)

Conejo Ski & Sports Club

PO Box 6276

Westlake Village CA 91359



CONDUCT POLICY OF THE CONEJO SKI & SPORTS CLUB



Conejo Ski & Sports Club (CSSC) sponsors various activities for a varied population. The CSSC Conduct policy was developed to maximize the enjoyment for all participants and to provide guidelines for CSSC. This policy applies to all persons participating in a CSSC activity. All participants are requested to observe common courtesy and generally accepted standards of behavior. Activities include, but are not limited to CSSC sponsored trips, parties, sports and cultural activities. CSSC will not tolerate violation of any Federal, State or Local laws or ordinances. Illegal use of drugs, tobacco or alcohol will cause the participant to be removed from the activity. Additionally, CSSC will not reimburse the participant for any forfeited payments. CSSC may also choose, for the benefit of all participants, to prohibit smoking or alcohol at an event. Participants, who display obnoxious or offensive behavior in violation of this conduct policy, as determined by the CSSC activity representative, may be removed and/or isolated from the group. Participants shall adhere to the requirements of the CSSC activity packages (e.g., lift tickets) and not transfer, resell or barter all or portions of that package. Only CSSC or the issuing agency may compensate the participant for the unused portion or transfer. Failure to comply may result in exclusion from future CSSC sponsored activities. CSSC maintains a strict policy prohibiting harassment or discrimination of any type. Additionally, if behavior offensive to others (profanity, off-color humor) continues after the offending person is asked by a CSSC representative to refrain from its use, the offending participant may be subject to sanctions up to removal from the activity.