



SPOTLIGHT

February 2018



Steve Soukup, Editor

Conejo Ski & Sports Club Newsletter

President's Message



We are on our way to Steamboat Springs in just a few days. There will be 72 members that will be in Steamboat for a week. This is a HUGE opportunity for the folks that are staying behind in Thousand Oaks. This Wednesday (1st Wednesday in February) is a \$500 drawing. You will never have a better chance of winning \$500 since 72 skiers will not be at the meeting. Don't miss out, you must be present to win.

We had a great trip to Mammoth in January. A little snow on Friday and then two beautiful blue sky days. It was in the 20s all weekend so the snow was perfect, I am crossing my fingers that Steamboat will be just a perfect. There is a waitlist for Mammoth in February and spots available in March. Call Gary to sign up at 818-497-4000.

Elections are coming up at the second meeting in April (see p.5). Dusty Antos has been appointed as election chairperson. She and the election committee will be working with members that are interested in running for board positions to helping them understand the qualifications and election process. All board positions are up for election every year. If a current board member has been in the position for 2 years, they can run for a 3rd term if no other members will accept the nomination for that office. Key dates are; March 7th committee reports board candidates to membership and accepts additional nominations from the floor, April 4th candidate speeches and April 18th board election. Running for a board position is a great way to get involved and make new friends in the ski club. If you have questions please contact Dusty at 805-300-9114.

Join 99 of your closest friends on a 3 day mini-cruise with a stop in Ensenada, Mexico - October 12 to 15, 2018. Friends, food, fun, spa, entertainment, gambling, and poolside shenanigans will be the focus of this Weekender with 3 full days on the Carnival Inspiration. We will be holding sign-ups at the 2nd meeting in February. Details are on the website. Contact Carolyn Phillips for more information at 805-796-7015.

Lou will be leading a Paradise Falls Hike Saturday, March 24 at 9am. Paradise Falls plunges into a large pool along the Arroyo Conejo in Thousand Oaks. Below the falls is a rock grotto that looks alien to the surrounding landscape. Step on stones along cattails below the pool, for your best view of the falls. The hike is ~3-4 miles round trip with a total elevation gain of ~800 feet. Details on website. Contact Lou for more information 818-292-4334

On Friday nights, we play Pickleball at the new Pickleball courts in Thousand Oaks. Ann Wright is the activity leader. She has loaner paddles so all you have to do is show up. Check with Ann for more details. 805-341-4652. Every Monday, we play Volleyball in the sand and under the lights at Dos Vientos Park. We start around 6:30 and play till around 8pm. This is fun volleyball and we will teach you what you need to know to play with us. No experience required. Contact Mark Glasmeier for more details 805-630-2209.

We would really like to use Facebook to expand our reach to members and your friends. This is a great way to expand our membership. We need you to LIKE our Facebook page and then SHARE it with your friends. Watch for my email updates on events just prior to the ski club meetings. They include a complete list of upcoming events. I look forward to seeing you at one of these amazing events.

Richard Murray, President



Upcoming Activities in February

Feb 03-10 STEAMBOAT, CO ski trip
Feb 22-25 MAMMOTH ski trip #2

Recurring Activities

Mondays Volleyball
Tuesdays Volleyball
(Only during Daylight Savings—
Get ready...resumes next month!)

Wednesdays Bridge (2nd & 4th)
Fridays Pickleball

If you are attending one of our CSSC events, please print and sign the waiver on page 4 and bring it to the event you are attending.

Club Meetings are held Bi-Monthly
1st & 3rd Wednesdays of the Month









6:30 - 8:00 pm Social time
8:00 - 9:00 pm Meeting

PALM GARDEN HOTEL
495 N. Ventu Park Rd.
Newbury Park

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www.conejoskiclub.org
Facebook: Conejo Ski & Sports Club
Email photos to:
photos@conejoskiclub.org
Or post to Facebook Page

February 2018



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Steamboat, CO Ski Trip						
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18	19 Volleyball Presidents' Day	20	21 CLUB MEETING  Oct. Cruise Sign-Ups	22 	23 Pickleball	24
25 Newsletter Deadline Mammoth	26 Volleyball	27	28 Board Mtg. 			
Mammoth Ski Trip						

March 2018



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Whitefish, MT						
11 Daylight Savings Time Begins	12 Volleyball	13 	14 Board Mtg. Bridge	15 	16 Pickleball	17 St. Patrick's Day
18 Mammoth	19 Volleyball	20 Volleyball	21 CLUB MEETING	22	23 Pickleball	24 Paradise Falls HIKE in T.O.
25 Newsletter Deadline	26 Volleyball	27 Volleyball	28  Bridge	29	30 Pickleball	31 
Passover begins						



February Birthdays

<u>Day</u>			<u>Day</u>			<u>Day</u>		
Luis	Hernandez	02	Michael	Becker	07	Andie	Greene	24
Uta	Buschor	02	Nancy	Mauro	11	Kathy	Glasmeier	24
Carmen	Cheveres	03	Ileana	Rizescu	15	Adrianne	Clark	24
Lou	Patalano	03	Fran	Marks	16	Jessica	Freeman	26
Rori	Campbell	04	William	Koh	18	Donna	Richmond	27
Bill	Kitchen	06	Clinton	Vance	24	Nancy	Stevens	27
			Vin	Fichter	24			



Not Available—See Below



Renewals Due in February/March

RENEW MEMBERSHIP

The recent flood damage in Montecito has impacted our Membership VP's availability to process renewals this month as her job with the City of Santa Barbara has required her to work virtually around the clock supporting their ongoing emergency clean-up efforts. Current renewal information for February/March (including processing new or renewing memberships) was not available by my deadline.

If you know your membership has expired or is due to expire, please assist us by sending in your renewals today or in person at a club meeting.

Thank You.

Steve Soukup, VP Newsletter

**It's that time of year, so don't let your membership lapse!
Mail your dues in by the 1st or contact the VP of Membership, Erin O'Connell**

CONEJO SKI AND SPORTS CLUB

WAIVER

SPORT PARTICIPANT RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS, EXPRESS ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

Please read and be certain you understand the implications of signing.

Express Assumption of Risk Associated with Sport, Venue Use and Related Activities. I, *(Your name)* _____

do hereby affirm and acknowledge that I have been fully informed of the inherent hazards and risks associated with

(Activity name) _____ activities, transportation of equipment related to the activities, and traveling to and from activity sites in which I am about to engage. Inherent hazards and risks include but are not limited to:

1. Risk of injury from the activity and equipment utilized is significant including the potential for broken bones, severe injuries to the head, neck, and back or other bodily injuries that my result in permanent disability and death.
2. Possible equipment failure and/or malfunction or misuse of my own or others' equipment.
3. I AGREE THAT I WILL WEAR APPROVED PROTECTIVE GEAR AS DECREED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE SPORT I AM PARTICIPATING IN. However, protective gear cannot guarantee the participant's safety. I further agree that no helmet can protect the wearer against all potential head injuries or prevent injury to the wearer's face, neck or spinal cord.
4. Variation and/or steepness of terrain, variation or changes in surfaces including but not limited to snow surfaces, ice, bare spots, rocks, stumps, debris, cliffs, trees, fences, posts, trees, light poles, signs, buildings, roads, walkways, ramps, rails, stairs, pyramids, manual pads, bowls, half-pipes, jumps, padded and nonpadded barriers, other persons, and other natural and man-made hazards.
5. My own negligence and/or the negligence of others, including but not limited to operator error and guide decision making including misjudging terrain, weather, riding surfaces or other obstacles.
6. Exposure to the elements and temperature extremes may result if frost nip, frost bite, heat exhaustion, heat stroke, sunburn, hypothermia and dehydration.
7. Dangers associated with exposure to natural elements include but are not limited to avalanche, rock fall, inclement weather, thunder and lightning, severe and or varied wind, temperature and other weather conditions.
8. Accidents or illness occurring in remote places where there are no available medical facilities.
9. Fatigue, exhaustion, chill, and/or dizziness, which may diminish my/our reaction time and increase the risk of accident.
10. Impact or collision with other athletes, spectators, facility employees, pedestrians, motor vehicles, and cyclists.

*I understand the description of these risks is not complete and unknown or unanticipated risks may result in injury, illness, or death.

Release of Liability, Waiver of Claims and Indemnity Agreement

In consideration for being permitted to participate in the above described activity(ies) and related activities, I hereby agree, acknowledge and appreciate that:

1. I HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER CAUSED BY NEGLIGENCE OR OTHERWISE, the following named persons or entities, herein referred to as releasees.

2. To release the releasees, their officers, directors, employees, representatives, agents, and volunteers from liability and responsibility whatsoever and for any claims or causes of action that I, my estate, heirs, survivors, executors, or assigns may have for personal injury, property damage, or wrongful death arising from the above activities whether caused by active or passive negligence of the releasees or otherwise. By executing this document, I agree to hold the releasees harmless and indemnify them in conjunction with any injury, disability, death, or loss or damage to person or property that may occur as a result of my engaging in the above activities.

3. By entering into this Agreement, I am not relying on any oral or written representation or statements made by the releasees, other than what is set forth in this Agreement.

4. This agreement shall apply to any and all injury, disability, death, or loss or damage to person or property occurring at any time after the execution of this agreement.

This release shall be binding to the fullest extent permitted by law. If any provision of this release is found to be unenforceable, the remaining terms shall be enforceable.

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

S/ _____

Signature of Adult Participant Name of Adult Participant (Please Print)

Date

FOR PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE: This is to certify that I, as Parent, Guardian, Temporary Guardian with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree not only to his/her release of all Releasees, but also to release and indemnify the Releasees from any and all liabilities incident to his/her involvement in these programs for myself, my heirs, assigns, and next of kin.

S/ _____

Signature of Parent or adult legal Guardian if Name of Parent or adult legal Guardian (Please Print)

Participant is a Minor, and by their signature, they on my behalf release all claims that both they and I have.

Name of Minor (Please Print)

Date



Elections for Board of Directors 2018-19

Nominating Committee At Work

At our January Board meeting, the Board appointed Dusty Antos to chair the Nominating Committee. The Nominating Committee is currently seeking qualified Board Officer candidates for the eleven elected Board positions (Past President not included) as well as candidates for CSSC Man and Woman of the Year. Board Officers serve for a term of one year (May 2018-April 2019). The other Nominating Committee members are: Teri Devine, Bill Gaffney, Roslyn Hart, Nemyra Hawkins, Christine Houghton, Sandy Palmer, & Margaret Zlotinicki.

Run for Office

The Club and the Board benefit greatly from the experience and participation of new members in planning and running all our activities. We encourage those with new ideas to run for office or offer to assist those Officers that share your area of interest. Contact Dusty Antos (805) 300-9114 or Dusty-flowoflife@msn.com to be considered today.



Election Night (Voting) will conclude at the April 18th regular club meeting.

ELECTION COMMITTEE DUE DATE CALENDAR

Board of Directors Election - April 18, 2018

Election Committee Chair – Dusty Antos – (805) 300-9114

Critical Dates to Membership

January 18, 2018

Election Committee Members and the Chairperson to be approved by the membership at this Club meeting. Any other of the membership at large who voice that they would like to join this committee will also be voted on tonight.

February 7, 2018

Any further persons of membership who have come forward to the on the Election Committee since the January 18th meeting, will be voted in tonight by the membership at our scheduled club meeting.

March 7, 2018

Announcement of Nominees will be given tonight, as well as Nominees from the floor. The Committee will also be soliciting candidate for Man and Woman of the Year.

Man and Woman of the Year nominations shall be a member (not currently serving on the Board) and has not won the Man or Woman of the year for the past five (5) years. They must meet these qualifications and must have contributed to the club during the past year and must be willing to have their name on the ballot. The nominator is to state to the members present at the meeting what and how the nominated member contributed to the club in the previous year. The candidate must accept the nomination and willing to have their name on the ballot. The members at the meeting will then accept the nomination by a voice vote.

April 4, 2018

Candidates will be allowed to give a speech **no longer than three minutes**.

April 8, 2018

7.2 of Bylaws – Date of Eligibility/Record for Voting. You must be a paid member which is ten (10) days before voting, so it would in the membership's best interest to renew at the April 4th meeting. You can always hand deliver your renewal to the VP Membership if you fail to get it in the mail on time.

April 18, 2018

Membership Absentee ballots will be picked up at the Westlake Post Office on a daily basis. The final pick up from the Post Office will be the day of our Elections, April 18th, before the meeting. If your ballot is not there, then it will not be counted. If you are unsure that it may be late, we would advise you to bring it to the meeting or have someone else do so.

For an absentee to be valid, the name of the member voting shall appear on the envelope in which the ballot is contained. Each absentee ballot must be checked off with the Membership list that is to be generated within the tenth (10th) day before the date of the annual election meeting.

Ballots will be available on-line and also at the club meetings.



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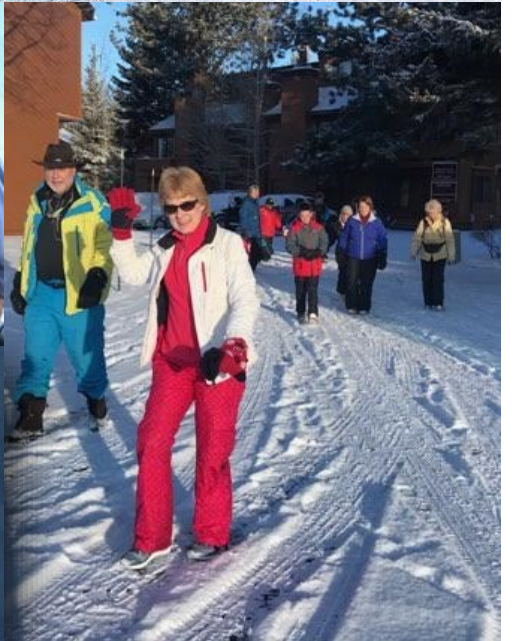


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Conejo Ski & Sports Club

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Mammoth



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2018

**LAST
CHANCE**

You won't want to miss-

- 3-day trips
- Friends, snacks, fun and movies on the bus
- Friday night happy hour with bus transportation
- Group dinner and social Saturday night
- Skiing with groups of friends

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

- a skiing/snowboarding lesson
- cross-country skiing
- snowmobiling
- snowshoeing
- sightseeing and shopping

Dates

January	18-21	SOLD OUT
February	22-25	SOLD OUT
March	15-18	LAST CHANCE

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.

The CSSC Seller of Travel Number: CST #2109794

Contact Mammoth VP
Gary Huettinger 818.497.4000
email: ghuettinger@yahoo.com



Mammoth 2018

Mammoth Reservation Form

Name: _____ male or female? (circle)

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ cell/home/business (circle)

Email: _____ roommate*: _____
*This field is optional

Emergency Contact

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Please indicate the trip(s) your are registering for:

Jan. 18-21 _____ Amount: _____ Check #: _____

Feb. 22-25 _____ Amount: _____ Check #: _____

Mar. 15-18 _____ Amount: _____ Check #: _____

Note any discounts here: _____

Cancellation Policy and Liability Waiver

Cancellation policy for Mammoth trips: a \$25 cancellation fee applies for any cancellation. Cancellations with less than 50 days notice will be assessed a 50% fee unless a replacement participant is provided by trip leader. No refund for cancellations less than 7 days unless a replacement participant is provided by trip leader.

I recognize the inherent dangers associated with the Conejo Ski & Sports Club trips/activities and agree to voluntarily accept all risks associated with Mammoth Ski Trips. I release Conejo Ski & Sports Club and its officers and all agents from any and all liabilities arising from accidents, injuries, and other incident which occurs during travel or participation in Mammoth ski trips. I agree to the Terms & Conditions of this trip/activity, including cancellation charges, as specified on this flyer, in the newsletter, or on the club website. I have read and understand the terms, conditions and cancellation policy for this trip/activity.

I have read and agree to all the terms under the Cancellation Policies and Liability Waiver.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Mammoth 2018



Paradise Falls Hike

Saturday, March 24 at 9am

Paradise Falls plunges into a large pool along the Arroyo Conejo in Thousand Oaks. Below the falls is a rock grotto that looks alien to the surrounding landscape. Step on stones along cattails below the pool, for your best view of the falls. The hike is ~ 3-4 miles roundtrip with an total elevation gain of ~1000 feet.

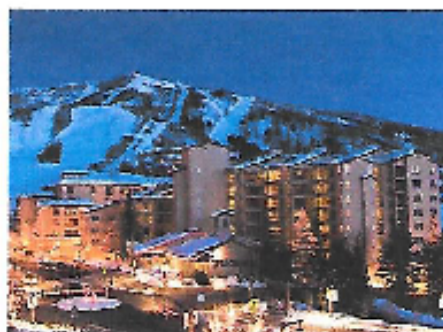
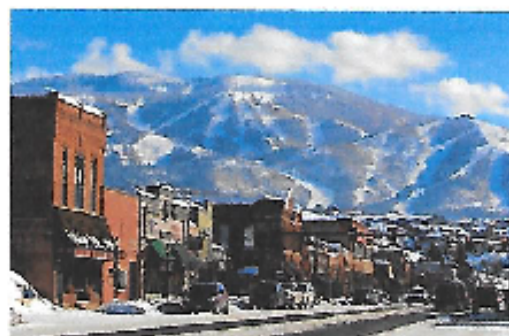
Meet promptly at 9am in the main dirt parking lot

Directions to the trailhead: Take the Ventura Fwy (101) to Thousand Oaks, exit at Lynn Road, head north for ~ 2.5 miles on Lynn Road, and turn left on Avenida de los Arboles. Drive ~1 mile on Avenida de los Arboles to the end of the street and loop around and park in the dirt parking lot. (If you need to park into the overflow parking area, walk back to main dirt parking lot)

Bring hiking shoes, plenty of water, munchies, hat, sunglasses and sunscreen

Leader: Lou Patalano 818-292-4334 (Rain Postpones the Hike)





Steamboat Springs Ski Trip

February 3 -10, 2018

\$1,550.00



The Steamboat Springs, Colorado Ski Trip Includes:

- ❖ Round-trip, non-stop air on Southwest Airlines from LAX to Denver
- ❖ 7-nights at the Torian Plum Plaza Condos, Steamboat's premier ski-in/ski-out lodging
 - Located slope side to the ski area, Christie Peak chairlift, and 100 yards from the gondola.
 - Amenities include hot tub, pool, sauna, sun deck, fitness center, on-site bar/pub, Concierge, private on call shuttle, and ski lockers.
- ❖ Round-trip bus charter transfers from the Denver Airport to lodging with a grocery/liquor stop
- ❖ A Welcome reception, Après ski party and Farewell Dinner
- ❖ A 5-day lift pass to Steamboat Mountain Resort (Includes five \$10 lunch vouchers) *

* You must purchase a 5 or 6-day lift ticket to receive the lunch vouchers. Vouchers are valid at the following Steamboat Ski Resort Corporation owned locations: Bear River Bar & Grill, Geano's Pizza, Gondola Joe's Café, Thunderhead Cafeteria, Rendezvous Cafeteria, and Four Points Cafeteria.

Registration, trip installment plan, and cancellation policy:

- Lodging at the Torian Plum is based on four people sharing a 2-bedroom, 2-bath condominium. Roommates are required. There will be an \$850 single supplement charge if you do NOT have a roommate.
- Sign-ups will take place at the September 6th CSSC meeting. A registration form, club waiver, and initial deposit are required at sign-up. The installment plan is as follows: A \$500 deposit is due upon sign-up. A second payment in the amount of \$500 is due by October 4, and final payment will be due by November 1, 2017. (Amount of final payment may vary depending on lift ticket options.)
- Checks should be made out to CSSC and delivered to Chuck Ames at Club Meetings, or mailed to: Chuck Ames, 223 Erbes Rd., apt 101, Thousand Oaks, CA 91362.
- All payments are non-refundable unless a replacement is found.
- The Conejo Ski and Sports Club highly recommends you purchase Travel Insurance for this trip.
- The CSSC Seller of Travel Number: CST #2109794



Whitefish, Montana
March 3 - 10, 2018 CSSC Ski Trip

\$1,375.00 (Trip Limited to 40)



Package Includes:

- * Round-Trip Airfare on Alaska Airlines from LAX to Kalispell, MT, via Seattle
- * King or 2-Queen Bedroom in the Lodge at Whitefish Lake, a 4-diamond-rated Hotel
- * Local Shuttle Transfer from Kalispell Airport to Lodge including Portage Fees
- * 5-Day Lift Pass (see information below for other options)
- * 4 Full Breakfasts in the Lakefront Boat Club Restaurant at the Lodge
- * Welcome Reception Saturday, Après Ski Party Tuesday, and a Farewell Dinner Friday Night

- * The flight to Kalispell can only carry 25 skis. First 25 sign-ups get this option. Others will either have to ship skis or wait for delivery of skis on next flight.
- * Roommates are required for the trip. Lodge prices are based on Double-Occupancy. If you do NOT have a roommate there will be a \$384 single supplement charge.
- * Lift Pass Information: Seniors 70 and over ski for FREE! Those folks and non-skiers subtract \$240 for a package cost of \$1135. Seniors 65-69 ski for \$210 or package of \$1,345. A 4-day pass or a 6-day will also be available.
- * A Registration Form, Club Waiver, and Check are required at sign-ups at **September 6th** CSSC Meeting!
- * The Installment Plan is as follows: \$500 deposit is due upon sign-up; 2nd installment of \$475 is due by October 4, and final payment based on individual lift ticket options will be due by November 1, 2017. Checks should be made out to CSSC and should be delivered to Louise Hartsock at Club Meetings, or mailed to her at:
 32100 Beachfront Lane, Westlake Village, CA 91361

ALL payments are non-refundable unless a replacement is found.

The Conejo Ski Club highly recommends that you purchase Travel Insurance for this trip. The CSSC Seller of Travel Number: CST #2109794.

CONEJO SKI & SPORTS CLUB

Weekender



Pismo Beach Getaway!

Friday to Sunday, April 6 – 8, 2018

Pismo Beach is a city on California's Central Coast that is known for its beautiful rugged coastline, incredible sand dunes, and scenic wineries. Don't miss this fun-packed weekend adventure!

This trip includes: Trolley ride to Avila Lighthouse and Tour; Avila Beach Farmers Market with music, food booths and shopping; scenic 5-hour Edna Valley wine tour with lunch (tastings are NOT included, \$10-\$15 per stop); Great American Melodrama; breakfasts; and late afternoon hotel reception with light appetizers both nights. 7-passenger Hummer Tour Sunday afternoon is an optional add-on.

\$309.00 per person, double occupancy (highly encouraged)
\$250.00 per person, triple occupancy (limited availability)
\$465.00 per person, single occupancy (very limited availability)

Hotel: Pismo Oxford Suites – Where ALL rooms are suites! That's sweet.



LIMITED TO 25 PARTICIPANTS!

(Sorry, no non-members on this one due to limited space.)

HOW TO SIGN UP:



Fill out the reservation and waiver form (one form for each person).

Bring these documents, along with a check payable to "CSSC" for the full cost of the trip, to the meeting on December 6, 2017. Plan to arrive by 6:30 p.m.

Sign ups will be done in the following manner: When you arrive, your name will be put into a hat. At 7:00 p.m., we will commence drawing names out of the hat. Sign-ups will then proceed in the order the names were drawn out of the hat. No need to be early!

If your name is drawn, you may sign up for one room only, but you may sign up for everyone who will be staying in your room. Payment must be made for all people in that room at sign-up.

If you cannot be at the December 6th meeting, you may have a friend sign you up.

Note: If you sign up for a room, you CANNOT be a proxy for anyone but your own roommate.

Leader and Information: Ann Wright, 805-341-4652, call or text

Conejo Ski and Sports Club



BELIZE ADVENTURE ESCAPE HALF MOON CAYE TO JAGUAR REEF RESORT

Join us on a ten-day adventure exploring the lush, tropical wildlife of Belize, starting with a visit to our idyllic island retreat, Half Moon Caye, returning to the Belize Zoo, and wrapping up in style at the luxurious, beachfront Jaguar Reef Lodge & Spa in Hopkins Village.

THANK YOU SOLD OUT!

Duration: 10 nights
Int'l Airport: Belize City
Guides: 2-6 leaders
Tour Price: \$3,515 includes air, tips, taxes, entrance fees, intra country air, Included Meals, Included Activities (Double Occupancy)

Single Supplement: Add \$560
Habitats: Wetlands, Reef, Rainforest
Activity level: 2 - No experience required
Included Meals: B-6, L-8, D-7
Date: April 24 - May 4, 2018

MEMBERS ONLY - SEE DETAILED ITINERARY ON CLUB WEBSITE conejoskiclub.org

Included Activities: Sea Kayaking (paddling & sailing), Snorkeling, Fishing, Birding, Stand-Up Paddle boarding (SUP), Zoo Tour, Cave Tubing, Ziplining, Waterfall Rappelling, Cultural Tours, River Paddling, Photography, and Natural History Interpretation. **Scuba Diving is available for an additional fee and must be arranged separately.

Accommodations: Lodge at Crooked Tree, Half Moon Caye Basecamp on the Lighthouse Atoll, Belize Zoo Jungle Lodge, Jaguar Reef Lodge & Spa.

Leader: Carolyn Phillips 805-796-7015 phillipscaroc@gmail.com

Lighthouse Reef Cont...

Our trip starts with an overnight inland adventure to Crooked Tree Wildlife Sanctuary and then takes us by boat through the warm Caribbean Sea to Lighthouse Reef Atoll. Lighthouse Reef is a well-known tropical marine park and UNESCO World Heritage site fifty-five miles from the Belize mainland. Abundant with marine life, this Atoll offers unparalleled snorkeling and paddling. We will spend four nights at this remote location in comfortable safari-style tent cabanas. Our all-inclusive Adventure Basecamp is located on Half Moon Caye, a protected island managed by the Belize Audubon Society and home to 4,000 red-footed boobies who nest at the opposite end of our idyllic island retreat! Enjoy a choice of daily guided reef activities such as snorkeling, fishing, paddle boarding, sea kayaking, and birding along with snorkeling excursions to the 'Aquarium' and to Jacques Cousteau's legendary Blue Hole.

We leave the island and head back to Belize City where we will overnight at the Belize Zoo Jungle Lodge located in the savannah pine habitat of the Belize District. Here we have a unique opportunity for a private nocturnal tour of the Belize Zoo with a zookeeper. Our next stop is cave tubing and then on to Hopkins Village where we will spend our final four nights at the luxurious beachfront Jaguar Reef Lodge & Spa. Hopkins, and the surrounding area, including the Maya Center, Mayflower Bocav

THANK YOU SOLD OUT!

You may mail, or drop off, your deposit check of \$500.00 made payable to Conejo Ski and Sports Club along with your completed registration form and other required documents listed on the registration form to: Carolyn Phillips, 2625 Townsgate Rd. Suite 330, Westlake Village, CA 91361 or bring it to the next club meeting. Please enclose your documents and check in a sealed envelope.

Our Island, Half Moon Caye, only accommodates 28 people at a time. A second group of travelers has been formed. This second group will be a reverse tour beginning in Hopkins Village and ending in Crooked Tree with all travelers meeting for lunch, mid-tour, at Half Moon Base Camp on the Lighthouse Reef Atoll. Everything else will be equal.

PAYMENT REQUIREMENTS

\$500 deposit at sign-up, which is non-refundable.
Payment # 2 - \$535 due on September 15, 2017.
Payment #3 - \$1,000 due on November 15, 2017.
The final payment of \$1,480 is due on February 15, 2018.

CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY

If you cancel this trip the following terms apply:

Cancellation 101 or more days prior to departure - \$800 is non-refundable.
Cancellation 41-100 days prior to departure - \$1,950 is non-refundable.
Cancellation 21-40 days prior to departure - \$2,550 is non-refundable.
Cancellation 0-20 days prior to departure - No refund unless replacement person is found and can be transferred. No refund of non-refundable airfare which cannot be transferred.

Seller of Travel: 2109794-40

Island Expeditions is a Canadian Company license number 54193 and is governed by the British Columbia Consumer Protection Agency.

Enchanting Iceland

Conejo Ski & Sports Club Adventure

SOLD OUT
Waiting list only



Date: September 2018; Land Package \$2,715
Leader: Lou Patalano; Phone: 818-292-4334; email: LouisPatalano@aol.com

Iceland, offers an once-in-a-lifetime unique experience, you will feel that you are in another world. Iceland is one of the last great natural frontiers of the world: A land with geothermal swimming pools, majestic waterfalls, blue glaciers and quaint fishing villages

- ***Soak/Swim in the Blue Lagoon*** a geothermal spa of crystal clear water where you can swim in 99 degree water year round. The lagoon's rich mineral content is known to be helpful to your skin. The aquamarine waters alongside the black background of the landscape make this setting impressive
- ***Take a Fjord Sea Cruise*** and then taste fresh Icelandic seafood
- ***Travel to Europe's Largest National Park*** to explore a glacial lagoon filled with floating icebergs and then walk on the black sandy beach where icebergs get stranded
- ***Visit & Learn about Icelandic Horses and Visit a Geothermal Greenhouse***
- ***Take a Walk along the Village of Vik's Black Lava Beach*** with its cluster of sea stacks
- ***Taste Freshly Baked Hot Spring Bread with Geothermally Boiled Eggs and Herring with a glass of Geysir Schnapps, served very cold – nearly freezing***
- ***Seljalandsfoss Waterfall*** is said to be one of the most photographed waterfalls, where you can walk behind the waterfall, making it one of your memorable experiences
- ***Climb Grabrok Volcano Crater and Visit Europe's Most Powerful Hot Spring***
- ***Gullfoss Waterfall***, a beautiful double waterfall, which will highlight our Golden Circle Tour. The surrounding landscape looks as if it is from a different world
- ***Geysir & Strokkur Geysers***; Geysir is where the word geyser originated from. Strokkur "the Churn", erupts at 5-10 minutes intervals spurting water up to 100 feet in the air
- ***Take an Amphibian Boat thru the floating glaciers where seals swim in arctic water***
- ***Drive through the Landscape where scenes from "Game of Thrones" were filmed***
- ***Soak in a Hot Tub in the evening, on our quest to experience the elusive Northern Lights***

Enchanting Iceland

Conejo Ski & Sports Club Adventure

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Trip Includes:

Transfer from Keflavik Airport-Reykjavik to hotel with English speaking guide

- Accommodation for 8 nights's including breakfast
3 nights lodging in Reykjavik, 5 nights lodging outside of Reykjavik
Prices include all lodging taxes
- 3-course farewell dinner including coffee/tea in Reykjavik
- Two (2) 2-course lunches including coffee/tea during travel days
- Coach and driver as per program outside of Reykjavik
Fjord Cruise in Breiðafjörður
Bjarnarhöfn entrance to museum
Entrance at Tingvellir UNESCO World Heritage National Park
Geothermal tasting: including freshly baked hot spring bread served with Icelandic butter,
Geothermal boiled eggs, herring with a frozen glass of Geysir Schnapps
Entrance to Friðheimar geothermal greenhouse and Icelandic horse stables
Entrance to Eyjafjallajökull Visitors Center
Entrance to Skógar folk museum (turf-built houses)
Amphibian boat tour in a glacial lagoon filled with floating icebergs
Entrance and towel at the Blue Lagoon a geothermal spa of crystal clear water
- English speaking guide as per program
- Transfer from your Reykjavik hotel to the Keflavik Airport
- All GJ Travel busses include: free WIFI

Reservation Policy:

Sign-ups commencing on August 16th at the Palm Garden Hotel, which is located at 495 North Ventu Park Rd. Thousand Oaks CA. If possible, please find a roommate prior to sign-up, if not we will try to find you one from the sign-up list. We are taking sign-ups early, since Iceland has become one of the top destinations and lodging is difficult to reserve. Only one roommate needs to sign-up for both or if you or our out of town have a friend or relative bring your deposit check.

The Iceland trip is 10 days scheduled for September 2018; the exact dates will be scheduled when air is available in October. The land package is \$2,715, double occupancy. You can get your own air or group air will be available in October, which is around \$600.

To sign-up bring a \$200 refundable check payable to New Horizon Tours. Registration and waiver forms will be available at sign-up.

Maximum trip members 48 (one motor coach)

CST # 2031736-40

Weekender

CSSC Mini Cruise to Fun

 **Carnival** Inspiration

Friday,
Oct. 12, 2018
To Monday,
Oct. 15, 2018
9:00 a.m.

Benefits of Booking with Club

- Lowest Available Pricing
- Free Bottle of House Wine (\$30)
- Private Cocktail Party—Open Bar & Snacks
- Free Tote Bag (\$15)
- Assigned Formal Dining with Club friends!

Sign Ups Begin Feb. 21, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.

Price per person includes approx.

\$80 port fees and taxes:

Inside Cabin 4B: \$350 (10 available)

Inside Cabin 4C: \$355 (10 available)

Inside Cabin 4D: \$365 (8)

Oceanview Cabin 6B: \$390 (12)

Oceanview Cabin 6C: \$400 (10)

Single Supplement: Add \$278

Tips Approx. \$40 pp, not included

Non-members add \$40 pp

Trip Leader:
Carolyn Phillips
805-796-7015

Phillipscaroc@gmail.com

Conejo Ski and Sports Club

Oct. 12—Port of Ensenada, Mexico

Oct. 13—Fun Day At Sea

\$100 Non-refundable Deposit Due at Sign Up
Balance due on May 15, 2018 which becomes
non-refundable July 1, 2018

Sign up process: Complete attached form. Arrive at meeting between 6:00 and 6:30 p.m. One entry per person. Drawing begins at 6:30 p.m. Sign-ups proceed in order names are drawn. One person may sign up for one cabin of choice, if still available, and cabin mate only. If you sign up for a cabin, you may not be a proxy for anyone but your cabin mate.



Conejo Ski and Sports Club

MINI CRUISE TO FUN (ENSENADA) REGISTRATION FORM

Friday, Oct. 12 Board from 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. (Time determined when you pay in full and complete online documents with Carnival)
October 15, 2018 - Disembark 7 to 10 a.m.

Member Name: (exactly as it appears on your passport): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Passport # _____ Issue Date: _____

Passport Exp. Date _____

Phone number: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Sex: Male _____ Female _____ (Check One)

I have read and understand the flyer for this trip which is incorporated herein by this reference. I have read the Payment Requirements and the Cancellation and Refund Policy below and agree to these terms and conditions.

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Member Name: (exactly as it appears on your passport): _____

Mailing Address: _____

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Date: _____

Signature: _____

Trip Leader: Carolyn Phillips 805-796-7015 phillipscaroc@gmail.com

PAYMENT REQUIREMENTS

\$100 deposit at sign-up, which is non-refundable.
 Final Payment which is the balance due to be paid on or before May 15, 2018 and will be paid through Vacations to Go website with a credit card.

CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY

If you cancel this trip, the following terms apply:
 Cancellation before July 1, 2018,
 \$100 is non-refundable.
 Cancellation after July 1, 2018,
 no monies are refundable unless replacement found,
 then change of name fee of \$50.00
 will be non-refundable.
 All cancellations must be received in writing.

FORMAL DINING ROOM TABLE MATE REQUEST (Please Print)

1. _____	2. _____
3. _____	#1 – Should be your cabin mate.

REGISTRATION CHECK LIST:

- _____ 1. Completed Registration form
- _____ 2. CSSC Waiver and Release of Liability, specific to this trip, completed and executed by each member.
- _____ 3. Deposit Check for \$100 per member made payable to Conejo Ski and Sports Club.
- _____ 4. Registration will open on February 21, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. at the meeting and will close when the 50 cabins are sold out. Waiting list to follow.
- _____ 5. Travel Insurance: Conejo Ski & Sports club strongly recommends Trip Cancellation and Travel Insurance which is not included in this package. May be purchased from Vacations to Go for approx. \$49

Seller of Travel: Vacations to Go, Jeanne Parr, Master Cruise Counselor, Luxury Specialist

CONEJO SKI & SPORTS CLUB CRUISE TO FUN October 12-15, 2018
WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND CONDUCT POLICY
(READ BEFORE SIGNING)

In consideration of being allowed to participate, in any way, in the Conejo Ski & Sports Club programs, related events, and activities I, _____ (Participant's Name Printed) the Undersigned, acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

1. The risk of injury from 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 lessors 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 are hereby 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."

In addition, I have read, understand and agree to the Conejo Ski & Sports Club (CSSC) Conduct Policy which states: "All participants are requested to observe common courtesy and generally accepted standards of behavior. 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 event. 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 events. Participants who display obnoxious or offensive behavior in violation of this conduct policy, as determined by the CSSC event representative, may be removed and/or isolated from the group. Participants shall adhere to the requirements of the CSSC event packages (i.e. lift tickets) and not transfer, resell or barter all or portions of the 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 and/or removal from the club.

I have read and understand the above statements, and I am signing this document, granting this release and participating in this activity voluntarily. I also agree to abide by the CSSC conduct policy.

_____ (Participant's Signature)	_____ (Date)	_____ (Emergency Contact)	_____ (Phone Number)
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CSSC Recurring Events

Monday Night

SAND VOLLEYBALL

Dos Vientos Park - for all skill levels -

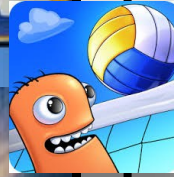
No need to sign up—just show up to play

Meet at 6:30 PM at the Dos Vientos Volleyball Courts.

Directions: Freeway 101, take the Borchard Rd. exit; continue on Borchard for approximately 3 miles, at the top of the hill, make a right on Via Ricardo and park in the parking lot. Walk over to the Sand Volleyball Courts !!

Meet afterwards at "The Alamo" between 8:30-9:00 pm

Leader: Mark Glasmeyer (805) 376-3574



Tuesday Night



Where: Thousand Oaks Community Center, 2525 N. Moorpark Road

MARCH 13 - NOVEMBER 04



"This is NOT beginner level play..."

2nd Wednesday

of the month

7:00-10:00 p.m

West San Fernando Valley

For directions contact

Almut Bower (818) 998-8685

(818) 998-8685



Bridge

4th Wednesday

of the month

7:00-10:00 p.m

In Thousand Oaks:

David Smith's home

295 Hodencamp Rd, Apt 55

(805) 495-4504

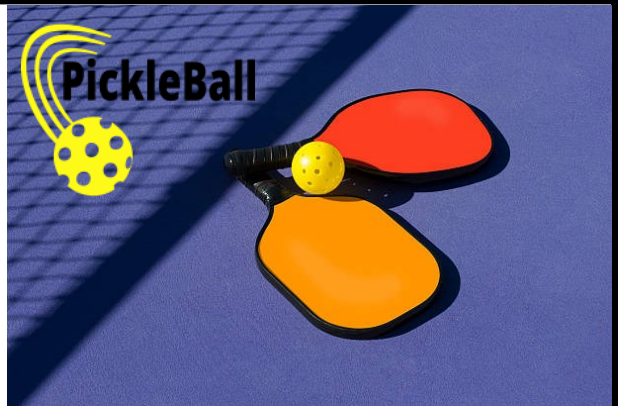
Friday Nights 6:00-8:00 p.m.

*Rancho Conejo Playfields, 950 Ventu Park Road,
Newbury Park*

FOR DETAILS CONTACT: ANN WRIGHT (805) 341-4652

CSSC will provide some beginner level equipment, but if you have your own equipment...Bring it along

Open to players of all levels



CONEJO SKI & SPORTS CLUB PRESENTS:

PICKLEBALL!

EVERY FRIDAY, 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Rancho Conejo Playfield
950 Ventu Park Road, Newbury Park
(CANCELED WITH RAIN OR HIGH WINDS)



Friday night pickleball is designed to introduce members to this wonderful sport, as well as to provide open play for members who already know how to play. We will promote the club's commitment to exercise, social interaction and sense of community.

Just show up and you will learn how to play!

Beginners will learn the basics, including how to hit a funny yellow wiffle ball, how to keep score, when to stay out of the kitchen and why you shouldn't be caught in the toilet!

Experienced players will get to play with other club members at a similar skill level, or challenge players at a higher level.

Play will depend on how many courts are available to us. If we have one court only, we will have group instruction first, then rotate players on and off the court in 6-point games.

If we have several courts, we will have an instruction court and also full-play courts by skill level – beginner, intermediate and advanced.

(These are public courts and not reservable.)

Activity Leader: Ann Wright 805-341-4652

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15459 Wyandotte Street

Van Nuys, California 91406

E-mail Ad to:

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soukups@earthlink.net

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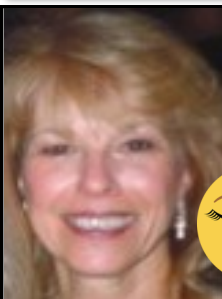
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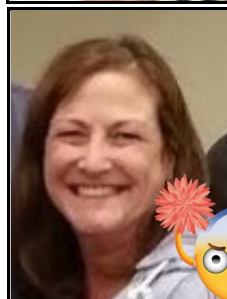
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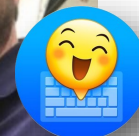
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the **2nd Wednesday of the month.**

Call one of your Board Members for the location of
the Board meeting

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