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## Holiday Party and Dance

The club's annual Holiday Party and Dance is set for Friday, December 19, at the LaFortune Park Clubhouse. Tickets are \$25 per person for members and \$30 per person for guests. Tickets may be purchased on the website.

## Crested Butte - Flatlands

*January 27 - February 2*

### **Ski 5 days**

Join us for the annual Flatlands Ski Association trip. One sleeper bus departs Tuesday afternoon, January 27 and returns Monday morning, February 2, 2015. Ski 5 days. Trip captains are [Evan Elsberry](#) and [Gene Elsberry](#) and Tulsa Race Chair is [Dick Watts](#).

Tulsa will join several other clubs from the flatlands states Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, and Missouri for friendly [Flatlands Ski Association](#) competition for all abilities. The price includes an activity pass including a welcome party, an FSA welcome dinner, and the FSA closing banquet.

Lodging is at the [Grand Lodge and Plaza](#) at the [Crested Butte Mountain Resort](#). Trip price includes transportation, lodging, meals on the bus, and an activity pass for the week. Tulsa Ski Club membership is required to participate in all trips. More details inside on page 7.

Crested Butte, CO website: [www.skicb.com](http://www.skicb.com).



# President's Column

By Robert Foster

As I write this report, I am thinking about the holiday that just past and the coming Christmas and New Year's holidays around the corner.

I would like to mention a few things that I am thankful for: my family, my friends, and this great ski club I have been blessed to be a part of for the past 20 years! I have made so many friends and even met the love of my life about 10 years ago. Skiing is just one part of being in this club; the fellowship and relationships are very special to me.

I am also thankful to the Akdar Shriners and all of the good work they do for those who are in the need. They provide us (Tulsa Ski Club) with a great facility for our monthly meetings that are every second Tuesday of the month and start around 7 p.m.

And now it's time to talk about things going on in December. I am so excited about the Holiday Party and Dance at the Lafortune Park Golf Clubhouse on December 19. If it's anything like last year, it should be a great time – so sign up on the TSC website today. Penny Shelton, our social chair, needs a good head count



for the party.

There is also still time to sign up for one of our great ski trips. Wolf Creek, Colorado, is the first trip, and it departs on December 26. Don't miss out on this great trip; get a hold of Toni Hatfield and reserve your seat today. If that trip doesn't work for you, then you can check out the rest of our ski trips online or come to the December meeting and get all the details. I hope everyone has a blessed holiday season!



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*(Articles and photos should be sent as*  
*an **attachment** to emails.)*

# Membership Directory

The 2015 membership directory is now live - but only available to members when they log in to the website.

For years the club has published the *Skimeister* membership directory. We've now moved to an online format that should always be current because members can update their own information.

To prepare for the new directory, the club has asked members the past two months to log in to their profiles and opt out information that they don't want to be made publicly available to other members. Members can still opt out at any time. To do so, log in, go to Member Profile, and uncheck data that should be unpublished.

Members now also can post classified ads for other members to see. Have skis or ski clothes that you want to sell? Want to promote a personal business? Post it! The classified ads is another benefit for members.

## Welcome New Members

Welcome new members! The club now has 234 members!



# Winter Ski Trips 2014-2015

| Trip #                                 | Days            | Ski Days | Dates                | Lodging                                 | Rooming  | Price *                 | Trip Captains                 | Bus/<br>Fly Out  |
|--|-----------------|----------|----------------------|---|--|-------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| <b>Christmas Break - Wolf Creek</b>    |                 |          |                      |   |  |                         |                               |  |
| 1                                      | Friday<br>Wed.  | 4        | 12/26/14<br>12/31/14 | Pagosa Springs<br>Quality Inn Downtown  | Dbl. Occ.<br>Extra Person<br>Lodging Only -<br>Double Occ.   | \$501<br>\$316<br>\$288 | Toni Hatfield                 | Sleeper Bus<br><br>Includes Shuttle to and from Mountain |
| <b>Flatlands - Crested Butte</b>       |                 |          |                      |   |  |                         |                               |  |
| 2                                      | Tues.<br>Mon.   | 5        | 1/27/15<br>2/2/15    | Crested Butte<br>Grand Lodge and Plaza  | Double Occ.<br>Extra Person<br>Lodging Only -<br>Double Occ. | \$606<br>\$319<br>\$480 | Evan Elsberry                 | Sleeper Bus  |
| <b>President's Weekend - Steamboat</b> |                 |          |                      |   |  |                         |                               |  |
| 3                                      | Thurs.<br>Tues. | 4        | 2/12/15<br>2/17/15   | Steamboat<br>Timber Run Condos          | Double Occ.<br>Extra Person<br>Lodging Only -<br>Double Occ. | \$573<br>\$325<br>\$321 | Terry Gordon<br>/Jene Harmon  | Sleeper Bus  |
| <b>Taos</b>                            |                 |          |                      |   |  |                         |                               |  |
| 4                                      | Thurs.<br>Mon.  | 3        | 3/5/15<br>3/9/15     | Toas<br>Kachina Lodge                   | Double Occ.<br>Extra Person<br>Lodging Only -<br>Double Occ. | \$402<br>\$316<br>\$189 | Don Woolsey<br>/Katie Roberts | Sleeper Bus<br><br>Includes Shuttle to and from Mountain |
| <b>Spring Break - Winter Park</b>      |                 |          |                      |   |  |                         |                               |  |
| 5                                      | Sat.<br>Wed.    | 3        | 3/14/15<br>3/18/15   | Winter Park<br>Beaver Village           | Double Occ.<br>Extra Person<br>Lodging Only -<br>Double Occ. | \$489<br>\$292<br>\$270 | Robert Foster                 | Sit Up Bus<br>Day Drive                                  |
| <b>Heavenly, Tahoe</b>                 |                 |          |                      |   |  |                         |                               |  |
| 6                                      | Thurs.<br>Tues. | 4        | 3/26/15<br>3/31/15   | Heavenly, Tahoe<br>Forest Suites Condos | Double Occ.  | \$995                   | Phil Wilfong                  | Fly Out  |

Which ski trips are you going on this winter? The Tulsa Ski Club has something for everyone – even for people who don't ski but enjoy nature, travel, and fun with TSC members! The club begins the ski and snowboard season with a holiday trip in late December to Wolf Creek. Next up is our fun and friendly race trip with other Flatlands clubs to Crested Butte in late January. In February, we'll enjoy Steamboat Springs in mid-February and our annual trek to Taos. The spring break trip is to the popular Winter Park and our fly-up trip is to Heavenly. Why choose just one?

**Detailed trip ads are on pages 6-11.**

First Trip of the Season

*This trip is getting full, so don't delay!*

# Wolf Creek

**December 26-31**

**JOIN US!!!**

*Trip Captain: Toni Hatfield*

Join Toni and TSC for some fun on the holiday break! We have reserved one sleeper bus, so this trip will likely fill up fast. Don't miss out on your chance to be on this very affordable first trip of the season.

We will be staying in town at the Quality Inn, right next to the Hot Springs. Wolf Creek typically has lots of powder, so the skiing should be excellent fun. If you prefer to take a day off, you will be right in walking distance to the shops in Pagosa Springs. Evenings will be a nice relaxing time as we will be in walking distance to many restaurants in Pagosa Springs. We will leave the day after Christmas, ski four days, and be back in time for New Year's Eve at home.

For questions, email Toni at [thookhatfield@gmail.com](mailto:thookhatfield@gmail.com).

### DISCOUNTED LIFT TICKETS!!!

|       | Adult | Child/Senior |
|-------|-------|--------------|
| 1 day | \$ 63 | \$34         |
| 3 day | \$186 | \$99         |

## Grow the Club

Every member of the Tulsa Ski Club can help the club grow - ensuring our existence year after year, trip after trip, event after event. After all, the club exists for the benefit of its members. And the club now is asking for each member's help.

- Log in and create a member profile. Get to know other members. Network and have fun.
- Like us on Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/TulsaSkiClub>, like the posts and SHARE the posts so your FB friends will see our posts.
- Invite friends to the meetings and events. Invite them to become a member.

The club is only as strong as its members. Our founding members more than 50 years ago created a vision that we still enjoy today. Let's each do our part to grow the Tulsa Ski Club this year.

# Flatlands

The #1 TSC Ski Trip!

## SKI CRESTED BUTTE

**5 Days of Superb Skiing, Racing and Fun Parties**

- Tulsa Ski Club Dinner - Free Beer and Wine •
- Flatlands Welcome Party - Free Beer, Food and Dance •
- Beginner to Expert Ski, Board and Snowshoe Races •
- Awards Banquet • Door Prizes • Beer, Food and Dance •

Depart Tulsa on Tuesday, January 27 P.M.

Arrive Crested Butte Wednesday, January 28 A.M.

Ski, Party, Drink, Dance, Play – Help TSC Win First Place Again!

Depart Crested Butte Sunday February 1 P.M.

Arrive Tulsa Monday, February 2 A.M

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# Steamboat Springs

Presidents' Day Ski Vacation  
February 12-17, 2015

**IT'S A DESTINATION LOCATION!!!!**

*NOTE: The first bus for this trip is full. There is currently room for 8 more people, lodging only. If you want to go on this trip and have not yet registered, please contact one of the trip captains to be added to the waiting list.*

**\$573 per person/double occupancy**

**\$325 extra person/sleeper sofa use**

*(Trip price includes transportation and lodging.)*

Steamboat Springs has 3 mountains, 19 lifts, and a variety of trails for any skiing ability. We've got 2 bedroom units at The Timber Run Condos that are a 1-mile "free" shuttle ride to the mountain base. The property has a heated indoor pool and 3 hot tubs.

Board the sleeper bus in Tulsa on Thursday evening, February 12th; arrive in Steamboat the next morning for your first day of skiing; **SKI UP TO 4 DAYS**. Leave Steamboat Monday afternoon and return to Tulsa Tuesday morning, February 17th, in time for school and work.

- Meals provided on outbound and return trip
- 3 nights at Timber Run Condos
- Non-alcoholic beverages provided on the bus
- Mountain Party for all ages
- Free shuttle service around the whole area
- Group rates for ski and snow board rental

Contact:

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E-mail: [me.t.gordon@juno.com](mailto:me.t.gordon@juno.com)

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DISCOUNTED LIFT TICKETS!!!

|             | Adult           | Teen  | Child |
|-------------|-----------------|-------|-------|
|             | 18+             | 13-17 | 6-12  |
| 2 of 3 days | TO BE ANNOUNCED |       |       |
| 3 of 4 days | TO BE ANNOUNCED |       |       |
| 4 days      | TO BE ANNOUNCED |       |       |



# Taos

March 5-9, 2015  
Ski 3 Days

**\$402 transportation and lodging (double occupancy)  
\$316 each (third and fourth person in room)**

Transportation and Lodging: Pay all at once or 3 equal payments.

Our Bus will shuttle you to and from the slopes - once in the morning and once in the afternoon. The mountain features terrain for all levels of skiing. Snowboards are in at TAOS SKI VALLEY.

- Village Tours Sleeper Bus
- Box Lunch & Soft Drinks provided on the bus both ways
- Lodging at Kachina Lodge
- 1/2 mile north of historic town plaza
- Indoor Jacuzzi and hot tub, bring your swim suit.
- Breakfast buffet included each morning (all 3 days)

Group rates for 3 days. Pay Don two weeks before departure.

3 day lift pass: \$189 Adult, \$174 Teen/Senior, \$132 Child  
Sport package equipment rental: \$87 Adult/Teen, \$63 Child  
Snowboard package rental: \$111 adult, \$90 Child

Membership in the Tulsa Ski Club is required.

Trip Captains:  
Katie Roberts and Don Woolsey  
Phone 918-747-5133  
Email [dhwoolsey@sbcglobal.net](mailto:dhwoolsey@sbcglobal.net)





## Our trips

**TAOS**  
SKI VALLEY



Taos trips have been lead for 30 years by three Generations of the Woolsey family (Don, Elise, Katie, Megan and Kyle) and have a strong followership: Many members sign up for this event year after year. This is one of our shorter and most affordable trips (3 days).



We stay at the rustic **Kachina Lodge** in Taos and drive to the mountain daily. Skiing in Taos is spectacular with more vertical slopes than any other mountain; for an extra kick, lift up **Kachina Peak** (12,481'), the crown jewel of Taos Ski Valley and the Sangre de Cristo Mountain Range, and enjoy lunch at the **Bavarian Inn** after skiing down in deep powder. If you don't ski, explore the **art scene** and fine dining in Taos at **Doc Martin's** restaurant at the historic **Taos Inn**, or relax in the hot Mineral Springs at **Ojo Caliente**, a sacred place of healing for indigenous Native Americans tribes in the **Land of Enchantment** since thousands of years.



# Winter Park

## Spring Break 2015

\$489 per person/double occupancy

### BEAVER VILLAGE CONDOS WITH BUS TRANSPORTATION

Club membership is required. Sign up today!!

We are staying at The Beaver Village Condos in Winter Park. With 4 nights lodging we've got eight **2 bedroom units** and will be a short "free" shuttle ride to the mountain base. The property has a heated indoor pool and 3 hot tubs. Winter Park is a great venue with 3 mountains, 19 lifts, and a variety of trails for any skiing ability. **We can answer all questions and work out any details for large or small groups to make it affordable.**

Board the bus in Tulsa on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup>; arrive in Winter Park that same evening. **SKI UP TO 3 FULL DAYS**; leave Winter Park Wednesday morning and return to Tulsa that same evening in time for school and work the next day.

#### TRIP PACKAGE PRICE INCLUDES:

- Same day bus both ways
- 1 meal provided on outbound and return trips
- 4 nights at The Beaver Village Condos
- Non-alcoholic beverages provided on the bus
- Mountain party for all ages
- Great skiing for all levels
- Free shuttle service around the whole area

### Don't miss the fun!

For information, contact:

Trip Captain: Robert Foster

918-493-7444

[Robertfoster392@rocketmail.com](mailto:Robertfoster392@rocketmail.com)

#### 5 GREAT DISCOUNTED LIFT TICKETS!!!

|             | Adult<br>18+ | Teen<br>13-17 | Child<br>6-12 |
|-------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| 2 of 3 days | \$127        | \$110         | \$ 78         |
| 3 days      | \$174        | \$152         | \$ 113        |

Age 5 and under **SKI FREE!!!**

#### SKI RENTAL: (INCLUDES FEES & STORAGE)

|                           |              |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| **Child sport ski package | \$30 per day |
| Adult sport ski package   | \$34 per day |
| Adult performance/board   | \$30 per day |
| Child performance/board   | \$25 per day |
| Helmet                    | \$ 7 per day |

\*\*Free Rental with Adult Performance Rental

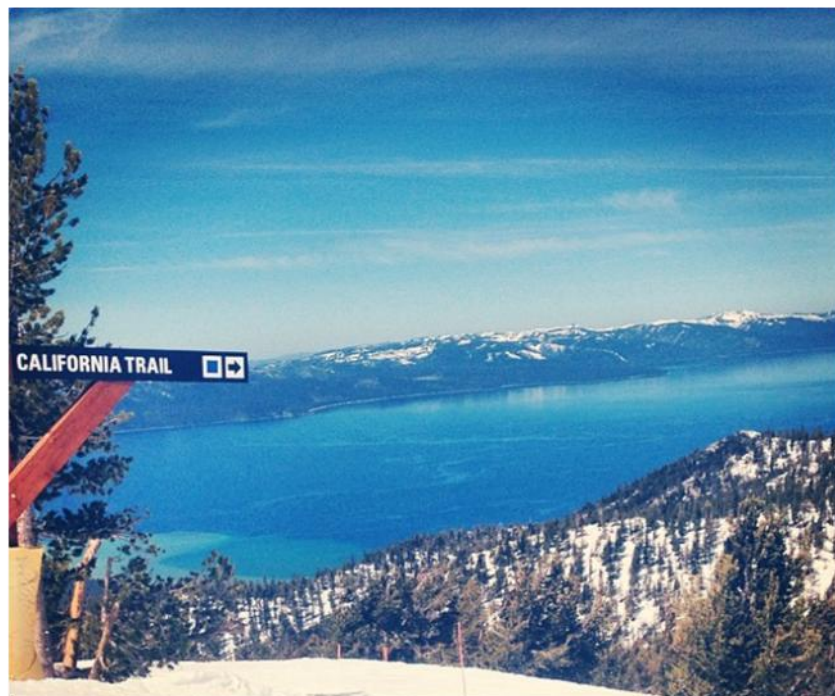
**Come along, enjoy this great resort and experience the beautiful surroundings and skiing that Winter Park offers.**

# Heavenly

*Late March Trip  
to South Lake Tahoe!*

March 26 - 31

Price Only \$995 per person



(Lodging only available on a limited basis)  
**Gorgeous Skiing with Great Friends!**

**2 Bedroom Condos - Next to Gondola & Casinos!**

This is our only fly up trip of the season and it is a terrific deal! 5 nights lodging at Forest Suites Condos, 4 full days skiing, great group rates on lift tickets and ski rentals. Price includes Airfare, Ground Transportation and Lodging, plus a get-acquainted party!



Trip Captain: Phil Wiltfong  
918-693-1397  
[philwiltfong@cox.net](mailto:philwiltfong@cox.net)



# CLUB CALENDAR

## December General Meeting

**Tuesday, December 9**  
**Adkar Shrine Center (lower level)**  
**2808 S. Sheridan Road**

- Tuesday, Dec. 9    General Meeting at Adkar Shrine Center, 2808 S. Sheridan Road  
7:00 pm    Social Time  
8:00 pm    General Meeting
- December 19    Holiday Party and Dance at LaFortune Park Clubhouse
- Dec. 26-31    Wolf Creek Ski Trip
- November 20    SNO at Full Moon Cafe at 411 W. Stone Wood Drive in Broken Arrow

### Upcoming Activities:

- January 13    Monthly General Meeting
- Jan. 27-Feb. 2    Crested Butte/Flatlands Ski Trip
- February 10    Monthly General Meeting
- February 12-17    Steamboat Springs Ski Trip
- March 5-9    Taos Ski Trip
- March 10    Monthly General Meeting
- March 14-18    Winter Park Ski Trip
- March 26-31    Tahoe Heavenly Ski Trip
- April 14    Monthly General Meeting



# TSC Offers Free Business Card Ad Space to TSC Members

Are you a Ski Club member? Do you want to let others know your business??? Not necessarily your personal business... well, maybe that too! Seriously, a service of the Ski Club is available to you. Members may place a business card ad in our online newsletter free of charge. So email us a copy of your card ([gowriluk@cox.net](mailto:gowriluk@cox.net) and [danagray@cox.net](mailto:danagray@cox.net)) and let other members know your business!! If you don't have access to a digital version of your business card, you may also mail one of your business cards (along with a note saying that the card is for the Lift Line) to *Debbie Gowriluk, 3702 W. Twin Oaks Place, Broken Arrow, OK 74011.*

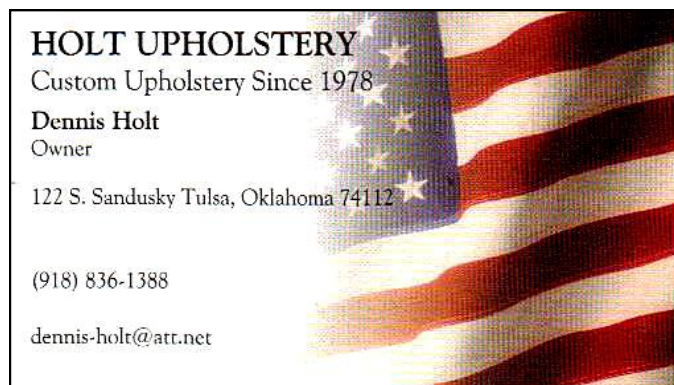


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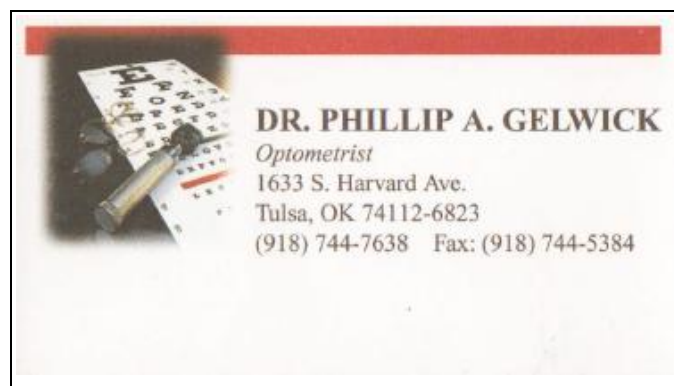
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