



## August 2012 Update

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**Save this Date - September 23rd (Sunday) 5 p.m.**

**Trip Signup Party**

**Clancy's Pub Northwest, 777 N 114<sup>th</sup> St**

It's on the north side of the Miracle Hills Mall, a little NE of 114<sup>th</sup> and Dodge St. Everyone welcome. Time to sign up for trips! We'll have a raffle for two \$25 trip credit certificates – one winner per person - each trip signup gets a raffle ticket.

### **Trips for the 2012-2013 Season**

December 12-16 – Copper Mountain, Colorado

January 20-27 – Snowmass, Colorado

February 12-17 – Keystone, Colorado

March 2-9 – North Lake Tahoe, California and Nevada

See the trip article and flyers on pages 4 through 8 of this newsletter for details.

### **Want an Extra Discount on an Omaha Ski Club Trip? Here's how.**

For each trip you sign up for at (or before) the Sign Up party, you will receive one raffle ticket for a chance to win a \$25 credit towards one trip this coming season. If you sign up for three trips, you will have 3 chances to win. Raffle drawing will be on September 23<sup>rd</sup> at the party. We must have your trip application and down payment for each trip in order to receive a raffle ticket. There will be two \$25 credits awarded (only one per person). (Raffle open to all members of the Omaha Ski Club or reciprocal members in good standing.)



### **Other Upcoming Events**

**September 4th (Tuesday) 7 p.m.**

**Board Meeting - Wohlner's Grocery and Deli, 2287 S 67<sup>th</sup> St**

On 67<sup>th</sup> St a little N of Center Rd. All members welcome.

**September 8th (Saturday) 7:30 a.m.**

**3 Ring Circuit Century Bike Ride**

**Nannen & Harte PT, 636 N 20<sup>th</sup> St, Blair, Nebraska**

The Blair Bike Club is sponsoring a bike ride this year that many of us will be interested in. It's not just a century ride. This ride has many shorter ride lengths available; the ride lengths for people to participate in range from 20 to 124 miles. The longer ride lengths are combinations of 3 "ring" ride loop routes, like the Heatstroke 100 ride.

All the ride lengths start at 7:30 a.m. on Saturday, September 8.

Registration is \$22 and can be done at the start of the ride.

Ride website: <http://www.blairbikeclub.com/3%20Ring%20Circuit!.htm>

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**September 30th (Saturday) 8:00 a.m.**

**Wish Ride #26 - Percival, Iowa**

The Wish Ride is a charity bike ride to benefit the Make-A-Wish Foundation. It is not a pledge ride, but has still earned over \$105,000 since it was started in 1987. Each year several hundred riders ride the roads of SE Iowa enjoying the bright red and yellow fall colors. Apples, cider, and other refreshments are provided at several rest stops.

Starting location: The firehouse in central Percival, Iowa, near I-29 exit 15, about 30 miles south of Omaha. The ride is held on local roads.

5 ride lengths available: 15, 29 and 42 miles (flat), 54 and 64 miles (hilly).

You can register the day of the ride between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m, or mail in your registration.

Entry fee before September 21: \$20 including a T-shirt, \$15 without a T-shirt.

Entry fee after September 21: \$25 including a T-shirt, \$15 without.

**October 2nd (Tuesday) 7 p.m.**

**Board Meeting - Wohlner's Grocery and Deli, 2287 S 67<sup>th</sup> St**

On 67<sup>th</sup> St a little N of Center Rd. All members welcome.

**October 7th (Sunday) 8:00 a.m.**

**Charity Bike Ride – One Lap of the Bluffs**

**Christy Creme, 2835 North Broadway, Council Bluffs**

The One Lap of the Bluffs is a charity bike ride to benefit the American Cancer Society. This is the 8th year the ride has been held. It's a loop ride which starts and ends in northeastern Council Bluffs, at Christy Creme, 2835 North Broadway. Total ride distance is about 26 miles.

You can register at the start of the ride, or mail in your registration.

The entry fee includes lunch after the ride and a T-shirt.

Entry fee: \$35 before September 15, \$40 afterwards.

**October 16th (Tuesday) 7 p.m.**

**German Dinner**

**Zum Biergarten, 513 N Fort Crook Rd, Bellevue**

On the east side of Fort Crook Rd just north of the Galvin Rd intersection.

Last time here over twenty ski club members had a vibrant social hour and a great dinner. Everyone welcome.

**November 7th (Wednesday) 7 p.m.**

**Board Meeting - Wohlner's Grocery and Deli, 2287 S 67<sup>th</sup> St**

On 67<sup>th</sup> St a little N of Center Rd. All members welcome.

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## President's Letter

As we prepare for the 2012-2013 ski season, we hope for large amounts of snowfall, at least in the mountains. It has been a hot summer and we will welcome the cooler temperatures. I remember last year when there was so much water we just wanted it to go away. I think we wished too hard! Now we would welcome some moisture. Overall, it was a great summer for bike rides and outdoor activities. The ski club enjoyed many club organized bike rides as well as participated in some of the charity and organized rides this year. We also enjoyed a ball game, jazz on the green and a few taco rides. During last ski season, we started the season at Copper Mountain followed by Vail. We then joined with FSA for the Crested Butte Trip followed by our premier week-long trip to Banff and Lake Louise Canada.

The Omaha Ski Club recently created a Meetup.com account to keep our members informed and to help attract new members. This gives us one more way to keep current in the social media. Our membership has been slowly declining over the years. We have tried to offer great places to ski at reasonable prices to attract both existing members and new members, but this has not boosted the membership. So many younger people use social media as a means of communication, the Board felt trying Meetup.com would reach some of that population. In the short time the account has been active we have had over ten potential new club members join the meetup group. We encourage all of our current members to go to the Meetup.com website and join the Omaha Ski Club group. It's free and you have the option of indicating how often you want to be notified. By joining the meetup group you will help advertise our club and make managing club events easier.

We have been busy planning and negotiating some great trips for this next season. Ben Novograd will run the first trip to Summit County CO. Next, Dave Burden is taking on the complex FSA trip to Snowmass for an entire week at the beautiful Crestwood condos. I say "complex" because we are trying a new option for this trip (see details elsewhere in this newsletter). In March, Teri Hammon will run a North Lake Tahoe Adventure, skiing 5 or 6 different resorts around the north shore of Tahoe while staying at the Cal Neva resort. This is a joint trip with the Cornhusker Ski Club. It will be fun to party with CSC during FSA, and then go out to Tahoe for the week! In February, I will run an inexpensive trip to Keystone Resort in order to keep in shape for the Tahoe adventure.

Additional news, in August 2013 FSA plans to run a trip to Chile. I am trying to measure the interest in a summer ski trip. If you are interested in this trip, please let me know.

I hope you will join us for some great skiing and socializing as we prepare for the upcoming season.

Think snow!

Phil Bintz  
President  
Omaha Ski Club

# Trips 2012-2013

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Once again ski season is almost here! Where does the time go? I just finished getting the ski gear put away and here it is again, time to pull it out and pack it up to go again. We have some great trips planned again this year and some incentives for your participation. I hope to see all the current members and add a few new faces to the trips. I think you will appreciate all the negotiation to provide you with quality lodging and reasonable prices. The Omaha Ski Club tries to offer our members a variety of places to ski each year. I hope you will find this year's line-up attractive.

First, we take you to **Copper Mountain** for a warm-up trip in December. This trip gives you a chance to find your gear and get your ski legs. This trip will include lodging and a welcome party. Lift tickets will be additional. There are a few of us that will be able to get friends/family discounted tickets with their season passes or you can look for deals online. We will always make a stop at King Soopers on the way out.

Following the Copper trip, we take a week-long trip to **Snowmass** with FSA. We will also be teaming up with the Cornhusker Ski Club to offer a bus trip option and a shorter stay. Snowmass lift tickets will include all four mountain options (Aspen, Aspen Highlands, Buttermilk and Snowmass). The week-long trip will include four days of skiing and the mountain picnic as well as the banquet, FSA welcome party and an additional OSC welcome party! Dave Burden agreed to run this trip again this year. Thank you Dave!

Next we return to **Keystone Resort** in Summit County to keep in shape for the next great adventure. Phil will run a trip to Keystone for a fun, inexpensive trip. We will stay at the Forest Condos. This trip includes lodging and a welcome party. Lift tickets will be additional. As with the Copper Mountain trip, we will be able to get some discounted tickets in Denver or if you find specials prior to the trip, this may be an option.

Finally, we fly into Reno and travel to **North Lake Tahoe** to explore several ski areas on the North Shore of Lake Tahoe. We have asked the Cornhusker Ski Club to join us as we team up for five days of skiing at a different resort each day and seven nights lodging at the Cal Neva Resort on the North Tahoe shore. The hotel will welcome us and I have arranged a farewell dinner for us on the last evening. We have an optional sixth day of skiing available or you can do a Tahoe Cruise or any other activities that are offered. The optional day is in the middle of the stay for those who wish to relax. This will be a great trip to sample the various resorts around North Lake Tahoe including Squaw Valley, Alpine Meadows, Homewood, Sugar Bowl, Mt Rose and Diamond Peak (optional).

**New this year....**We are offering raffle tickets for each trip that you sign up for AT or BEFORE the Sign-Up Party. You will have a chance to win one of the two **\$25 trip discounts**. The only way you have a chance to win is a trip application. Only one discount per person. (Raffle open to current members and reciprocal members of the ski club who sign-up for a trip) If you sign up for all four trips, you will have four chances to win one of the \$25 certificates.

The **Sign-Up Party will be September 23<sup>rd</sup>** at Clancy's on 114<sup>th</sup> & Dodge in Miracle Hills. We are meeting at 5PM in the party room. Come out and join us. New members welcome. We will have lots of information on the upcoming trips.

Again this year, we are offering each member that signs up for a trip, a free **pole flag or a leg band** with a zippered compartment. You can chose which option you would like. If you wish to purchase either of these items, they are being offered for \$5 each. These items have the old Omaha Ski Club logo in white with a royal blue background. One per year, per person.

I hope everyone had a great summer. We look forward to seeing you at the Sign-Up Party! Think SNOW!

*Teri Hammon*  
Vice President of Trips  
Omaha Ski Club  
Got skis, gotta go!

# Copper Mountain CO December 12-16, 2012

Drive-out

Join the Omaha Ski Club on the first trip of the season. We will spend four nights in Summit County and enjoy skiing at Copper Mountain. This will be a great opportunity to find your gear and go test your legs.

This trip includes:

- Four nights lodging at the Best Western Lake Dillon Lodge (Hotel style 2 or 3 Queen beds per room)
- Welcome Party
- Lift tickets are additional. You may obtain your own lift tickets at King Soopers in Denver or if you have a friend with a season pass, ask them if they will obtain lift tickets for you.
- Daily continental breakfast at the hotel
- Additional amenities at the hotel include coffeemakers, indoor pool and hot tub, free parking and free wireless access in rooms



Price: \$285.00 plus lift tickets

Trip Captain: Ben Novograd  
402 291-5704 home  
[BenjaminNovograd@cox.net](mailto:BenjaminNovograd@cox.net)



**Payment Schedule:**

September 23, 2012 \$50  
October 23, 2012 \$100  
November 23, 2012 \$135

Make checks payable to Omaha Ski Club  
P.O. Box 3104  
Omaha, NE 68103-0104

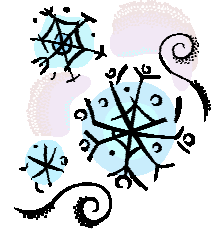


Think Snow



# Snowmass CO January 20-27, 2013

Drive-out trip



Join the Omaha Ski Club on the annual Flatlands Ski Association (FSA) trip. We will be staying at the beautifully remodeled, ski-in/ski-out Crestwood Condos for the entire week.

### Trip includes:

- 7 nights lodging at the Crestwood condos 1BR + loft/2 bath, or 2 BR/2 Bath condos (king or queen/2-3 twins per condo) concierge service, daily housekeeping, luggage assistance, grocery & liquor shopping free parking, free internet, complimentary laundry facilities) All services are included with the price of your condo and are covered by the service charge that is paid. The Crestwood has a NO TIPPING policy. Tips are already included.
- FSA Welcome Party
- Ski racing if you wish to participate for the club
- Awards Banquet
- Lift tickets-4 day included in the price of the trip (if you wish to purchase additional days, add the difference to the price of the trip. If you want less than 4 days, subtract the difference. If not skiing, subtract \$213 from the price of the trip)  
(These lift tickets are interchangeable for skiing at Aspen, Aspen Highlands, Buttermilk or Snowmass)(1 day=\$59, 2 day=\$113, 3 day=\$167, 4 day=\$213, 5 day=\$260, 6 day=\$311, 7 day=\$362. All lift tickets have a \$5 RF deposit which can be refunded. YOU have to visit any ticket office for your refund AFTER you have finished your last day of skiing for the week)  
Senior (over 70) price TBA (ask your trip captain prior to final payment)
- Activity ticket for all FSA activities
- Mountain picnic included with the price of the trip
- Tee shirt-optional cost

#### Payment Schedule:

September 23, 2012	\$200
October 23, 2012	\$250
November 23, 2012	\$350
December 23, 2012	\$295 + any additional lift days

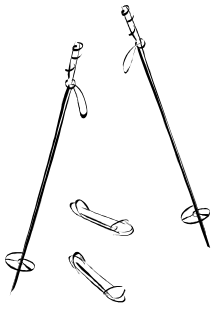
Make checks payable to Omaha Ski Club  
P.O. Box 3104  
Omaha, NE 68103-0104

Price: \$1095 (final price subject to change)

Trip Captain: Dave Burden (712) 527-5980 home, (712) 527-0740 cell

Email: [dbburd61@gmail.com](mailto:dbburd61@gmail.com)





# Keystone CO

## February 12-17, 2013

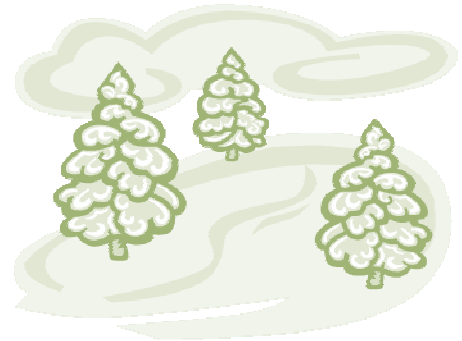
Drive-out



Join the Omaha Ski Club on a fun, inexpensive trip to Keystone Resort. We will spend five nights at the Forest Condos at Keystone and enjoy skiing at Keystone or any of the Summit County ski areas. We will enjoy 4 days skiing and enjoying the mountains.

This trip includes:

- Five nights lodging at the Forest Condos at Keystone (2 and 3 BR condos on the shuttle route to the mountain)
- Welcome Party
- Lift tickets are additional. (You will need to obtain your own lift tickets in Denver or look for online deals prior to going out. If you have a friend with a season pass, ask them if they will obtain lift tickets for you.)



Price: \$245.00 plus lift tickets

**Payment Schedule:**

September 23, 2012	\$50
October 23, 2012	\$50
November 23, 2012	\$50
December 23, 2012	\$95

Make checks payable to Omaha Ski Club  
P.O. Box 3104  
Omaha, NE 68103-0104

Trip Captain: Phil Bintz  
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# North Lake Tahoe Adventure

## March 2-9, 2013



**Fly-out trip**

Join the Omaha Ski Club for a fun adventure to North Lake Tahoe. Enjoy beautiful views of the lake from the Cal Neva Resort. We have arranged a different ski area each day. This trip includes five days of lift tickets, all transfers, airfare, lodging and parties. The 6<sup>th</sup> day lift-ticket is optional.

- 7 nights lodging at the Cal Neva Resort (double occupancy hotel style lodging)
- Round trip airfare from Omaha NE (Southwest Airlines)

March 2 OMA/PHX 9:00a/11:10a  
 PHX/RNO 12:05p/1:00p  
 March 9 RNO/DEN 11:55a/3:00p  
 DEN/OMA 5:25p/7:45p

- Round trip charter bus from Reno to Cal Neva
- Transportation to and from (AS A GROUP) to a different ski resort each day
- Five days of skiing:

March 3-Squaw Valley

March 4-Alpine Meadows

March 5-Homewood

March 6-DAY OFF or OPTIONAL day at Diamond Peak (additional \$38+ TBA)

March 7-Sugar Bowl

March 8-Mt Rose

- Welcome reception
- 15% off breakfast in the Lake View dining room
- Farewell Dinner Party on Friday TBA
- Trip insurance (optional) \*\*\*

**Price: \$1390**

**Trip Captain: Teri Hammon**

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Cornhusker Liaisons: Steve and Patsy Meyer (402) 423-6614

Email: [blueskies@inebraska.com](mailto:blueskies@inebraska.com)



**Payment Schedule:**

September 23, 2012	\$200 + trip ins (optional)
October 23, 2012	\$250
November 23, 2012	\$250
December 23, 2012	\$300
January 23, 2013	\$390

Make checks payable to Omaha Ski Club  
 P.O. Box 3104  
 Omaha, NE 68103-0104

\*\*\*Please note: If you want trip insurance, you must fill out the form at the time of sign-up. Obtain a form from your trip captain. Or obtain insurance on your own.





## ***Snowmass Trip***

We are trying something new this year.

If you are not able to stay the week with Omaha Ski Club, you may want to consider going out with the Lincoln club. We are offering “reciprocal” membership agreements to any members who wish to go out with the Cornhusker Ski Club. This means if you are a paid member of OSC, you are also a reciprocal member of CSC and only need a trip application and membership application with reciprocal written on top (no additional dues needed) to join them on their trip. You would be staying at the Woodbridge Condos and would need to make payments to CSC. If you need this option, please contact Dave Burden.

### **Cornhusker Ski Club Bus Trip to FSA... Snowmass and Aspen, CO: FSA January, 2013**

Welcome to Snowmass along with three other mountains

on one lift ticket! Woodbridge Condos is our destination in Snowmass to celebrate another season of racing and partying with the other Flatland Ski Association clubs. Snowmass advertises 4,406 vertical feet, 3,132 acres of terrain, 91 trails, 21 chairlifts and access to your choice of cruisers, glades, steeps, terrain parks and halfpipes. If that isn't enough terrain to keep you happy, grab the bus to go to Aspen Mt., Aspen Highlands, or Buttermilk, which will be hosting the X-games while we are there.

—Sign up with a deposit of \$200.00 by October 1 for **\$775.00**; after October 1, price will be \$825.00.

—Sleeper bus leaves Lincoln **Tuesday evening, January 22, 2013 and will return early morning, Monday, January 28.**

—Price includes sleeper bus transportation, minimum occupancy at Woodbridge Condos (ski-in, shuttle out), 4-day lift ticket, activity ticket to all the FSA events and a pizza party the first night at the condos. Optional 5th day lift ticket will be available for \$47.00.

### **Have You Thought About Trip Insurance?**

Trip participants may want to consider purchasing travel insurance to cover unreimbursed costs resulting from having to cancel all or part of your ski trip due to unforeseen events such as an unexpected illness, injury, or sudden need to be at home. Not all travel insurance is equal. There are many policies available and you will need to contact a travel agent or conduct research on the Internet to find the right travel protection policy for you.

Listed below are a few online travel insurance sites that you may find helpful. Please understand that the Omaha Ski Club is not endorsing any of these entities or websites - we are simply encouraging you to consider the potential benefits of purchasing travel insurance if you wish to do so.

[www.InsureMyTrip.com](http://www.InsureMyTrip.com) - includes a multitude of insurance products offered by many different insurers that you can review and compare in detail online. They also provide free customer service by telephone to help you find the right insurance product for your personal needs.

[www.GlobalTravelShield.com](http://www.GlobalTravelShield.com) - travel insurance offered by American Express TRS

[www.lonelyplanet.com/bookings/insurance.do](http://www.lonelyplanet.com/bookings/insurance.do) - travel insurance recommended by Lonely Planet

[www.TravelGuard.com](http://www.TravelGuard.com) - travel insurance trusted for 25 years

[www.squaremouth.com/](http://www.squaremouth.com/) - Voted the best travel insurance comparison site. Squaremouth is easy to use with powerful sort and research tools. 250+ travel insurance plans.

# Stormchasers Game



Five members of the Omaha Ski Club attended the game at Werner Park on August 2<sup>nd</sup>. It was a beautiful, cool evening, complete with a full moon. We watched the Chasers win over Reno, enjoyed beverages and good company. It was the first time some of us had seen the new stadium. It is a lot different than Rosenblatt without the tiers of seating. It is smaller, but more family friendly. Everyone had a wonderful time even though we had a small turnout. The final score was 4-2 Omaha over Reno.



**OMAHA SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION  
JUNE 2012 – MAY 2013**

MEMBERSHIP STATUS:      NEW \_\_\_\_      RENEWAL \_\_\_\_  
Through September 30, 2012:      FAMILY \$25 \_\_\_\_      SINGLE \$22 \_\_\_\_  
After September 30, 2012:      FAMILY \$30 \_\_\_\_      SINGLE \$27 \_\_\_\_

**MEMBER INFORMATION - - - PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Check this box  if you are 21 years or older.      For family membership, list all dependent minors on back of application.

If new member, how did you hear about the club? \_\_\_\_\_

Ski/Snowboard destinations you're interested in: \_\_\_\_\_

Activities you're interested in: Biking\_\_\_\_ Bowling\_\_\_\_ Dinners\_\_\_\_ Other\_\_\_\_  
(please list)

Other Interests: (please list) \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** BY SIGNING THIS APPLICATION I RELIEVE THE OMAHA SKI CLUB, INC. (OSC) OF ANY RESPONSIBILITY FOR ACCIDENT OR INJURY I INCUR WHILE PARTICIPATING IN ANY OSC ACTIVITIES. I ALSO CERTIFY THAT I AM OF LEGAL DRINKING AGE IN THE STATE OF NEBRASKA.

**SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Must be signed and dated)

[OSC USE ONLY]      MEMBERSHIP NO. \_\_\_\_\_ BD. \_\_\_\_\_ TR. \_\_\_\_\_ NL. \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Omaha Ski Club, P.O. Box 3104, Omaha, NE 68103-0104



# TRIP APPLICATION

(Required for each individual on the trip) (PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY)

Trip Destination \_\_\_\_\_ Trip Dates \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ M.I. \_\_\_\_\_ LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEX \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PH. \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PH. \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PH. \_\_\_\_\_

### EMERGENCY CONTACT:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

I Prefer to Room With \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER INFO \_\_\_\_\_

### THE OMAHA SKI CLUB MEMBER SIGNING THIS APPLICATION AGREES AS FOLLOWS:

The member has read the OSC trip policies on the bottom of this application and understands and agrees to be bound by them as a condition of participation in this trip. The member further agrees that the club, its directors or committee chairmen shall bear no financial responsibility to members in the event of a delayed departure or return of a trip, or for cancellation of a trip except as provided in items 7 through 10 of the trip policies, nor shall they be liable for any bodily injury, property damage, loss of personal property, or death sustained by or caused by any member on a trip. Those individuals causing property damage at the lodges, condos, busses, ski areas, etc. shall bear the full legal and financial responsibility for the damages. It is a condition of membership in the club that any individual shall be deemed to have accepted these responsibilities and limitations of liability as a consideration of joining the club and participating in this trip.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

[osc use only] deposit: amount paid \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_ ck or rcpt no \_\_\_\_\_

### OMAHA SKI CLUB TRIP POLICIES

- 1) Trip captain is the final authority on and during the trip.
- 2) Club members will conduct themselves in a mature manner at all times.
- 3) There will be a \$28.00 charge on any returned check.

### TRIP SIGN-UP, DEPOSITS AND PAYMENTS

- 4) Only members in good standing with dues currently paid to the Omaha Ski Club may sign up for a trip. Children under the age of 19 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian on the trip. A trip application for a child under the age of 19 must be signed by a parent or guardian of the child.
- 5) By signing up for a trip a member agrees to pay the Club the full cost of the trip applied for, subject to the provisions for timely cancellation in item 7). Each trip will have its own trip deposit and payment schedule to be set by the trip committee. A deposit is required to sign up for a trip. Failure to meet the payment schedule may result in automatic cancellation from the trip subject to the cancellation fee in item 7).
- 6) When a trip is full the trip captain will start a waiting list. To be placed on the waiting list a member must fill out and sign a trip application and pay the standard deposit for that trip. Waiting list members must meet the payment schedules when moving to the confirmed lists.

### CANCELLATIONS AND REFUNDS

- 7) Unless otherwise listed in individual trip information, cancellations prior to 60 days before the trip departs will result in a cancellation fee of \$50.00; cancellations less than 60 days before the trip departs will result in a cancellation fee of \$100.00 if the trip goes full, or liability for the full cost of the trip if the trip does not go full. Any cancellation fees or penalties may first be deducted from payments the member made for the trip.
- 8) Transferring from the waiting list on one trip to a confirmed list on another trip will be done with no cancellation fee. Refusal to move from the waiting list to the confirmed list will constitute automatic cancellation subject to the cancellation fee in item 7) above.
- 9) If a trip is cancelled by the club, all money paid to the club by a member for that trip will be refunded.
- 10) All members on the waiting list when the trip departs will receive a full refund.
- 11) No refunds will be made until after the trip returns.

### BUS TRIPS

- 12) Smoking on buses is prohibited.
- 13) Any time the bus stops en route to its destination, passengers leaving the bus will do so at their own risk.
- 14) The Omaha Ski Club will not provide alcoholic beverages for any bus trip. If any members wish to consume alcoholic beverages on the trip, they can do so at their own expense, and assume all risks and liabilities associated with such consumption.