



January 2015 Update

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Four Trips Left

Space still available on all four trips
Remaining Trips for 2014-2015:

January 25-February 1 – Crested Butte, CO **LAST CALL**

February 21-28 – Mt Bachelor, OR **LAST CALL**

March 14-21 – Mammoth Mountain, CA

March 31-April 5 – Beaver Creek, CO

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Upcoming Events

January 13th (Tuesday) 7 p.m.

Social Gathering and Crested Butte Pre-Trip Party

Clancy's Pub, 777 N 114th St

In the Miracle Hills shopping mall near the NE corner of 114th and Dodge St.
Everyone welcome.

January 22nd (Thursday) 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Warren Miller Ski Film Viewing - "No Turning Back"

Aksarben Cinema - 2210 S 67th St

In the Aksarben area a little W of 67th St and N of Center Rd.
Everyone welcome. Cost: \$10. See page 3 for details.

January 25th (Sunday) to February 1st (Sunday)

Crested Butte Trip with the Flatland Ski Association

See the trip flyer on page 7 for details.

February 8th (Sunday) 6 p.m.

Social Gathering, Crested Butte Post-Trip Party

and Mt Bachelor Pre-trip Party - Clancy's Pub, 777 N 114th St

In the Miracle Hills shopping mall near the NE corner of 114th and Dodge St.
Everyone welcome.

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February 10th (Tuesday) 7 p.m.

Board Meeting

Hy-Vee #3, 8809 W Center Rd

On the southeast corner of Center Rd and 90th St. All members welcome.

February 21st (Saturday) to February 28th (Saturday)

Mt Bachelor Trip with the Chicago Metropolitan Ski Council

See the trip flyer on page 8 for details.

March 3rd (Tuesday) 7 p.m.

Board Meeting

Hy-Vee #3, 8809 W Center Rd

On the southeast corner of Center Rd and 90th St. All members welcome.

March 14th (Saturday) to March 21st (Saturday)

Mammoth Mountain Trip

See the trip flyer on page 9 for details.

March 31st (Tuesday) to April 5th (Sunday)

Beaver Creek Trip

See the trip flyer on page 10 for details.

New Members

The Omaha Ski Club welcomes the following new members:

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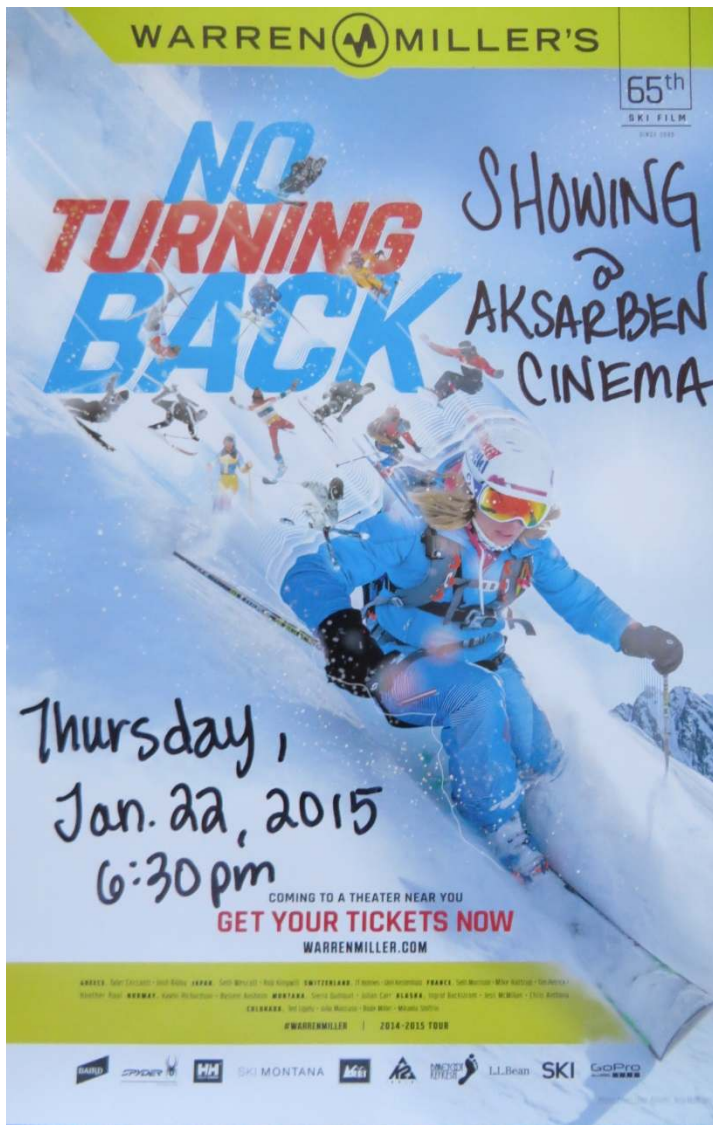
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Warren Miller's "No Turning Back"

Thursday, January 22, 2015

6:30pm - 8:30pm

Aksarben Cinema

2110 S 67th St, Omaha, Nebraska 68106

Tickets Available at the theater \$10

Brought to you by Backwoods, Aksarben Cinema, Mt. Crescent Ski Patrol, Omaha Ski Club, and Mt. Crescent Ski Area

As skiers and snowboarders, we don't spend much time looking backward—we don't have to. Our history is all around us, in the age-old streets of the mountain towns where we gather and the quirky traditions handed down by the generations that taught us. The very act of carving a turn is a celebration of those who came before, even as we explore and innovate and push relentlessly forward into the unknown.

That's where the mountains take us.

No Turning Back, the latest ski and snowboard film from Warren Miller Entertainment, is 65 years in the making. We're taking a legacy that dates to before skis had edges and mountains had condos and we're running with it to every end of the winter world. From beneath blankets of powder in Niseko, Japan to the top of Greece's Mount Olympus, we'll leave fresh tracks on faces that have never seen skiing and

snowboarding quite like this before. Even after all this time, we'll find new corners of the French Alps to climb, Mom and Pop hills in Montana to ride, and ancient evidence of skiing in the fjords of Norway. For 65 years, WME has documented the cutting edge of winter sports, from early alpine racing to the birth of freestyle, extreme skiing, and snowboarding. Every single winter has seen riders pushing envelopes we didn't realize existed the winter before, and this year is no different. See Ingrid Backstrom and Jess McMillan push women's big mountain skiing to the edge of Alaska's Chugach; watch Ted Ligety and the US Ski Team rewrite the rules of speed on the fearsome Birds Of Prey World Cup course, and witness JT Holmes and Ueli Kestenholz prove that the only thing more radical than extreme lines in the Swiss Alps are extreme lines off the Swiss Alps. And that's just half the story.

There's only one thing in life more anticipated than snowfall in winter, and that's the Warren Miller movie. The air is getting cold, and this time, there's No Turning Back

Join us for the evening. Each ticket you buy allows you a chance to win some great door prizes. It is a free raffle! (You must be present to win) We will also have vendor booths and a ski swap. If you would like to rent a table for a gear swap, the cost is \$10. (You are responsible for selling your own items and their security during the movie)



Copper Mountain Trip December 10-14, 2014

Eight members of the Omaha Ski Club joined several members of the Cornhusker Ski Club for an early trip to Copper Mountain. We arrived on Wednesday and settled in at the Mountain Plaza condos, located slope side above Endo's. The condos were nice with ample room for the morning breakfasts. We fixed dinner and explored our surroundings, only to find out that both hot tubs were closed for repair.

Thursday morning we were up early, preparing breakfast and making coffee. It was a beautiful morning, blue skies and well groomed slopes. This was a perfect first day of the season. It felt great to be on skis again! Most of us went back to the condos for lunch, and then returned to the slopes for more fun. At the end of the day, we found our way to Jack's to be entertained by Lefty Lucy. Of course, Brian found his "list". That evening, we fixed hamburgers for dinner. We checked the hot tub situation and found one had been fixed. A few of us soaked for a while before bed.



Friday, we again had warmer weather and blue skies. We were joined by Len, who had recently moved to Summit County. It was another great day of skiing. We checked out Hallelujah Ridge and the view from the top. The area needed more snow for some of the expert runs to open, but we had fun with all the runs that were open. That evening after our usual stop to see Lucy and Nick, we had a joint



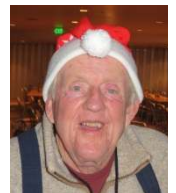
welcome party with Cornhusker Ski Club. It was nice to see familiar faces and we each chose a different table with people from Lincoln. It was a nice welcome party in the Ptarmigan Room. We had Caesar salad and pizza, with enough salad to feed many more. The only damper on this evening was to find out that Chris Lorhy, CSC's race director, injured her knee this first day of their trip. Hope you feel better Chris! After the welcome party, we pulled out the Farkel game. Brian was on a roll the first game. The second game was very competitive, but Paulette pulled off the win!



Saturday we had another great day of skiing and found ourselves back at Jack's enjoying Lefty Lucy. That evening we had dinner at Endo's before going to Len and Chris' to see their new house and enjoy their company. Later, we went back to the condos to pack and prepare for the drive home.



Sunday morning we woke to snowflakes. As we were preparing to leave, a couple cars were "booted" so we waited around until they were freed. Unfortunately, only one vehicle was allowed in the underground parking. The drive home was slow due to slippery roads. I am really fortunate the wall didn't touch my vehicle driving down the Georgetown incline when I started to slide. We all made it back safely.



I would like to welcome Paulette and Tony to the club. It was nice to have you join us on this trip and hope you will join us in the future. Thank you to everyone who made this trip successful. Happy New Year!



Teri Hammon
Trip Captain



Christmas Party December 21, 2014

The Nebraska Brewing Company was the setting for the annual Omaha Ski Club Christmas party. Seventeen members gathered for an evening of fun and gift exchanging as we wished one another a Merry Christmas and happy holidays. The merry began with social hour while folks gathered. Following this, we ordered from the menu. The service was good and our food was delivered quickly. With dinner finished, we all drew numbers for the gift exchange. This year, everyone was creative. There was a candy cane of small liquor bottles, a lovely dish of baked goods, bottles of wine, ornaments, a “damn it” doll, chocolates, a lantern, candle set, a popcorn bowl, a large can of nuts, and olive oil just to name some of the items. These items were passed around several times. Each new gift added to the mix, increased your chance of obtaining the item that you really wanted to take home. When the last gift was opened, the exchanging was over.

Thank you to El Siebert for organizing the party. We had a great time!



Mt Crescent Ski Day December 28th, 2014

Seven members of the Omaha Ski Club came out to ski at Crescent on Sunday. The weather was nice and the snow was sparse. The area did



a great job making snow for the main run down Easy Street. Our weather has not been

snowy and the area finally opened on December 27th. We were thankful that we had some snow.



Paulette and her son Alex and daughter Miranda joined us. Ellen and Jordyn came out. Jordyn did well making turns and keeping upright. Ben enjoyed the afternoon skiing and Teri joined the group but had ski patrol duty until close.



After an enjoyable afternoon, we gathered at the Pink Poodle in Crescent for dinner. We were joined by Paulette's mother, El and Phil. We had soup, salad, bread and a main entrée. The salmon was delicious as were the steaks, prime rib, shrimp and spaghetti. It was the perfect relaxing afternoon and evening.



El Siebert
VP Activities



Crested Butte Colorado

January 25 - February 1, 2015

Drive-out trip

\$845

Join the Omaha Ski Club on the Flatlands Ski Association trip to Crested Butte Colorado. This is a great trip for those who wish to party, race and meet new friends. The trip includes:

- 7 nights lodging at the Grand Lodge at the base of Crested Butte. (Hotel style rooms with two king beds, full bath, microwave, refrigerator, sink and hot plate) Indoor/outdoor pool and hot tub, wireless internet access, business center and exercise facility.
- A club welcome party
- FSA welcome party
- Après ski
- FSA Awards banquet
- NASTAR racing (friendly competition between clubs)
- Snowshoe races between clubs (if interested, let your trip captain know)
- Five days skiing-additional days available if purchased in advance (1-day \$35.36, 2-day \$69.68, 3-day 102.96, 4-day \$134.16, 5-day \$164.32, 6-day \$192.40, 7-day \$224.64)
- On mountain Picnic
- FSA Activity Pass for the FSA events
- FSA Tee shirt optional Cost TBA

Trip Captain: Teri Hammon
Home: 402 571-4517
Email: dragonsrock@cox.net

Membership is required in either the Omaha Ski Club or one of our reciprocal membership clubs. No additional dues will be required.

Payment Schedule:
Due at signing: \$50
September 20, 2014 \$100
October 20, 2014 \$100
November 20, 2014 remaining balance
Make checks payable to:
Omaha Ski Club
PO Box 3104
Omaha NE 68103-0104

**Mt Bachelor - Bend Oregon
CMSC Week 2015
Sunriver Resort
February 21-28, 2015
Fly-out trip
\$1450**

Join the Omaha Ski Club as we team up with the Chicago Metropolitan Ski Council (CMSC) for a great week at the Sunriver resort. This trip includes:

- 7 nights lodging at Sunriver resort (1 bedroom + loft) chalets. 2 double beds in bedroom, 2 double beds in loft, 3 bathrooms, stove, refrigerator, dishwasher, microwave, wireless internet. Near outdoor pool and hot tubs, Lodge and Great Hall 4-8 min walk; Village grocery, restaurant and brewpub 12-15 min walk.
- Round trip airfare Omaha-Portland on Delta
- Round trip bus Portland-Sunriver (approx. 3.5 hrs.)
- Daily buses to Mt Bachelor (18 miles, about 20 min.)
6 morning runs, 5 afternoon runs
- Buses two nights into Bend (15 miles) for dinner, shopping etc.
- 5-day lift ticket (also good for Mt Bachelor Nordic Center)
- Daily breakfast
First morning's breakfast buffet at the Great Hall
Six breakfast vouchers for Meadows restaurant at the Lodge
- Welcome reception
- Last tracks après ski
- Fun race
- Mountain Lunch
- Dinner Banquet with Hawaiian entertainment
- Pub Crawl, Bend Ale Trail (tentative)
- If you wish to go and do not ski, minus \$190 lift ticket price.

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<p>Payment Schedule: Due at signing: \$100 September 20, 2014 \$200 October 20, 2014 \$200 November 20, 2014 \$200 December 20, 2014 remaining balance Make checks payable to: Omaha Ski Club PO Box 3104 Omaha NE 68103-0104</p>

**SIGN-UP EARLY AS THIS TRIP WILL SELL OUT AND IT IS NOT KNOWN
WHETHER WE WILL BE ABLE TO GET ADDITIONAL ROOMS. Prices subject to change.**

Mammoth Mountain California

March 14-21, 2015

Fly-out trip

\$1820

20 spots available

(subject to cancellation if trip does not fill)

Join the Omaha Ski Club as we explore a new ski resort at Mammoth Mountain. Mammoth Mountain boasts 3,500 skiable acres, 400 inches of snow per year and a season that lasts from November through June. Mammoth statistics: 400 inches of annual snowfall, top elevation 11053 feet, base 7953 feet; 15.0% expert, 20.0% advanced, 40.0% intermediate, 25.0% beginner.

This trip includes:

- Roundtrip airfare from Omaha to Reno (American Airlines)
- Roundtrip transfers from Reno to Mammoth
- 7 nights lodging at the Juniper Springs Condos (2 bedroom/2 bath condos) ski-in, ski-out, outdoor hot tubs, fitness room, refrigerator, microwave oven, stove/oven and ski storage
- 5 day adult group lift ticket
- Welcome reception with light beer, wine and snacks
- Mountain Tour
- Complimentary midweek Mammoth Beer tasting at the Mammoth Brewery
- Farewell party in the condo

Trip Captain: Teri Hammon

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Email: dragonsrock@cox.net

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Payment Schedule:

Due at signing: \$100

September 20, 2014 \$200

October 20, 2014 \$300

November 20, 2014 \$300

December 20, 2014 \$300

January 20, 2015 \$300

February 20, 2015 remaining balance

Make checks payable to:

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Beaver Creek Colorado
March 31-April 5, 2015
Drive-out trip
\$430+lift tickets
20 spots available

Join the Omaha Ski Club as we enjoy skiing at Beaver Creek. This trip includes:

- 5 nights lodging at the luxurious Charter (2 bedroom/2 bath condos). Ski-in, Ski-out, indoor pool, outdoor hot tubs, wireless internet, parking, exercise facilities, shuttle service within Beaver Creek.
- Daily breakfasts on 4/1, 4/2, 4/3 and 4/4. Not on last day since some leave early.
- Omaha Ski Club welcome party
- Lift tickets additional

Trip Captain: Teri Hammon
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**OMAHA SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
JUNE 2014 – MAY 2015**

MEMBERSHIP STATUS: NEW ____ RENEWAL ____

FAMILY \$25____ (\$30 if paid after September 30th)

SINGLE \$22____ (\$27 if paid after September 30th)

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 rept 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.