



December 2019 Update

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Trips

- December 11 -15 – Snowmass, CO, drive-out – completed - see page 4
- January 8 - 12 - Winter Park, CO, drive out - see page 5
- January 19 - 26 – Steamboat, CO, drive out – FSA trip - see page 5
- February 18 - 23 – Taos, NM drive out - see page 6
- March 1 - 5 - Copper Mountain, CO drive out - see page 6
- March 10 - 16 – Big Sky, MT fly or drive out - see page 6

Upcoming Events

January 1st (Wednesday) 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Social Gathering and New Years Day Party
El Siebert's residence, 3215 Belvedere Blvd, Omaha
 Chili and Niejasch Kuchen furnished. All members welcome.

January 3rd (Friday) 6:30 p.m.
Board Meeting
Peony Park Hy-Vee #5, 7910 Cass St, Omaha
 At the north end of 78th St beyond Cass St. All members welcome.

January 5th (Sunday) 6:00 p.m.
Social Gathering, Snowmass Post-Trip Party and Winter Park Pre-Trip Party
La Mesa Restaurant, 11002 Emmett St, Omaha
 In the shopping mall on the N side of Maple Rd a little west of 108th St. Everyone welcome

January 8th (Wednesday) to January 12th (Sunday)
Winter Park Trip
 See the trips flyer on page 5.

January 15th (Wednesday) 6:30 p.m.
Social Gathering, Winter Park Post-Trip Party and Steamboat Pre-Trip Party
Inner Rail Food Hall, 1911 S 67th St, Omaha
 On the east side of 67th St behind the HDR building. Everyone welcome.

January 19th (Sunday) to January 26th (Sunday)
Steamboat Trip
 See the trips flyer on page 5.

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February 5th (Wednesday) 6:30 p.m.

Board Meeting

Peony Park Hy-Vee #5, 7910 Cass St, Omaha

At the north end of 78th St beyond Cass St. All members welcome.

February 9th (Wednesday) 6:30 p.m.

**Social Gathering, Steamboat Post-Trip Party and
Taos Pre-Trip Party**

Legends Grill and Patio, 6920 Pacific St, Omaha

At the former Caniglia's location.

On the north side of Pacific St a little east of 72nd St. Everyone welcome.

February 18th (Tuesday) to February 23rd (Sunday)

Taos Trip

See the trips flyer on page 6.

March 1st (Sunday) to March 5th (Thursday)

Copper Mountain Trip

See the trips flyer on page 6.

March 10th (Tuesday) to March 16th (Monday)

Big Sky Trip

See the trips flyer on page 6.

March 19th (Thursday) 6:30 p.m.

Board Meeting

Peony Park Hy-Vee #5, 7910 Cass St, Omaha

At the north end of 78th St beyond Cass St. All members welcome.

April 16th (Thursday) 6:30 p.m.

Board Meeting

Peony Park Hy-Vee #5, 7910 Cass St, Omaha

At the north end of 78th St beyond Cass St. All members welcome

New Members

The Omaha Ski Club welcomes the following new members

Cynthia Carson

Reciprocal Members

The Omaha Ski Club welcomes the following reciprocal members:

Chris Lohry (Cornhuskers)

John Sedlak (Cornhuskers)

Kathy Spahr (Cornhuskers)

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Trips 2019-2020 Update

As of today, the trips for the season are filling up. We had a full trip to Snowmass, with nine members attending. This was a fun, first trip of the season! Mother Nature was good to us.

Winter Park (January 8-12, 2020) is coming up next. I have 9 spots left. I am dropping rooms on January 6th. If you want to get in on this trip, let me know ASAP!

Steamboat Trip on January 19-26, 2020 has only two spots left for this week long trip. So far, there are 12 of the 14 spots filled. For the four day trip, we have 16 of the 18 spots filled and have two spots left. We would really love to fill this trip. We are staying at the lovely Eagle Ridge Townhomes. The property is close to the slopes, but the shuttle is much easier than walking up the hill.

Taos February 18-23, 2020 has ten members so far. We have 4 spots left!

Copper Mountain in early March (March 1-5, 2020) also has four spots left!

Big Sky (March 10-16, 2020) has 4 spots left. Six members are signed up!

If you haven't signed up yet, do so to reserve your spot before the trip is filled.

I want to take this opportunity to wish you all a very Happy and Safe New Year!

Teri Hammon
Vice President of Trips
Omaha Ski Club

Snowmass Trip December 11-15, 2019

I had my doubts when we signed up for this trip as to whether we would have snow or not. Mother Nature did not disappoint us! We skied in beautiful conditions the entire time we were there! It was still snowing when we departed.

Nine members of the Omaha Ski Club joined the Cornhusker Ski Club on their early trip to Snowmass. We always have a great time with the Cornhusker group. We stayed at the Tamarack Condos where we had a pizza party, split between two condos. It was fun to see everyone again. The condos were nice and it was a short distance to the bus or a short walk to the slopes. The hot tubs were great, although the walk to them was a bit chilly.



We spent Thursday and Friday skiing at Snowmass. Surprisingly, much of the terrain was open. The snow was nice and there were no rocks showing! We had lunch at Gwyn's High Alpine, after exploring the High Alpine run, the Edge. Amy enjoyed the run! The next day, we worked our way over to Elk Camp. The snow was wonderful as it had snowed several inches overnight. We found that it was okay to roll around in also, not too hard. Pat even did a summersault and I happened to snap a picture at the exact time he did this!



We had lunch at Elk Camp and finished our day skiing. We enjoyed a spaghetti dinner Thursday evening and had the leftovers on Saturday. Friday evening, we went out to eat at Zane's, a small bar in Snowmass Village. The burgers were delicious.



On Saturday, we went to Buttermilk. Most of us had not skied at this area before. It was snowing and we had fresh powder to ski. That went well. We skied all three areas of Buttermilk, had lunch at the Cliffhouse and took the bus back to Snowmass.



Although we only had three days of skiing, it was a fun trip! What more can you ask for...skiing, fresh powder and great friends! We are truly blessed!

Teri Hammon
Trip Captain



Snowmass CO

December 11 -15, 2019 Cost: \$275 + Lift tickets Drive-out

This trip is full



Join the Omaha Ski Club on an early trip to Snowmass. Gather with the Cornhusker Ski Club as we enjoy early snow and have a great time. This trip includes:

- Four nights lodging at the Tamarack, 2 bedroom 2 bath condos. Hot tubs, Wi-Fi and free parking. Check in time is 4 PM; Check out time is 10 AM. First night lodging is Wednesday December 11, 2019.
- Lift tickets are additional – IKON pass holders have 5 days on a base pass.
- Lift tickets purchased with final payment are:
3-day Adult=\$204, Senior=\$129 (Senior is 65+)
- 4-day Adult+\$272, Senior=\$172
- Welcome Party
- Ski rental group rates are available. Contact trip leader.

Completed



Winter Park Colorado

January 8-12, 2020 Trip Cost: \$410 + lift tickets Drive-out

14 Spots Available FILLING UP



Join us for a drive-out trip to Winter Park or take the train if you wish. We will stay in town, close to shops, restaurants and the bus line. This trip includes:

- 4 nights lodging at the Best Western Alpenglo Lodge, located at 78665 US Hwy 40 in downtown Winter Park Colorado 2.9 miles from the ski area, with the free bus stop across the street from the hotel for pick-up and drop-off is near the hotel entrance. There is free parking and Wi-Fi.
 - Free hot/cold breakfast buffet every morning at the hotel, Refrigerator and microwave in each room, Elevator in the hotel (hotel is three levels)
 - Indoor hot tub, Two queen beds in each room, Check-In time is 4 PM, Check-out is 11 AM
 - Welcome Party on Thursday evening.
- Lift tickets are NOT included, these can be purchased on your own or use your IKON pass.



Steamboat Springs, CO

4-day option January 22-26, 2020 **(ALMOST FULL)**

7-day option January 19-26, 2020 **(ALMOST FULL)**

Drive-out



4 days lodging/3-day lift ticket \$637; 4 days lodging/4-day lift ticket \$706; 4 days lodging/NO lift SKIERS ONLY \$430; 4 days lodging/NO lift NON-SKIERS ONLY \$408; 7 days lodging/5-day lift ticket \$1005; 7 days lodging/6-day lift ticket \$1052; 7 days lodging/NO lift SKIERS ONLY \$680; 7 days lodging/NO lift NON-SKIERS ONLY \$658

Grab your friends and join the Omaha Ski Club on the Flatlands Ski Association trip to Steamboat Springs, Colorado. This is a great trip for those who wish to party, have fun, race and meet new friends. The trip includes:

- 4- or 7-nights lodging at Eagle Ridge Townhomes. (4 and 5-bedroom townhomes) Three outdoor hot tubs and a pool, complimentary parking, Wi-Fi, Free shuttle. Check-in @ 4 PM and check out @ 10 AM at the Eagle Ridge Lodge
- A club welcome party with the 7-day option
- FSA welcome party
- Après ski specials at the Timber and Torch (formerly Bear River) Bar at the base
- FSA Awards banquet
- NASTAR racing (friendly competition between clubs)
- Snowshoe races between clubs (if interested, let your trip captain know)
- 1-7 days of skiing – lift tickets purchased with trip sign-up (1 day-\$76, 2 day-\$152, 3 of 4 day-\$207, 4 of 5 day-\$276, 5 of 7 day-\$325, 6 of 8 day-\$372, 7 of 9 day-\$434)
- On mountain Picnic on Saturday included. (skiers only)
- FSA Activity Pass for the FSA events Thursday through Saturday
- FSA Tee shirt optional Cost \$15 short sleeve, \$20 long sleeve Pre-ordered.
- Lift tickets not needed with IKON Base pass (5 days)
- Open Race (2 runs) optional on Thursday. Cost \$25 open to anyone who wants to make a couple NASTAR runs.



Taos New Mexico

February 18-23, 2020 Trip Cost: \$245 plus lift tickets

Drive-Out **ALMOST FULL!**



Join the Omaha Ski Club for an adventure to New Mexico! This trip includes:

- Five nights lodging at the Taos Valley Lodge, 615 Paseo Del Pueblo Sur, in the town of Taos. Hotel style rooms with two queen beds per room. Check-in time 3 PM, Check-out time 11 AM.
- Free breakfast every morning
- Refrigerator and Microwave in room
- Ski storage
- Indoor pool and hot tub
- Free parking and Wi-Fi
- Use your IKON PASS or purchase your own lift tickets
- Free town bus to shuttle you to the mountain and back with pick-up at the hotel front door. (price subject to change-it was free 2019 season)

Other ski areas that you could explore on your own during your stay (but are not on IKON PASS) would be Angel Fire, Red River, and Sipapu, are all within driving distance of Taos. Pajarito, Santa Fe and Sandia Peak are a farther drive.



Copper Mountain Colorado

March 1-5, 2020 Trip Cost: \$345 + lift tickets

Drive-out **Only 8 spaces available**



Pack your gear and join the Omaha Ski Club as we team up with the Cornhusker Ski Club on a trip to Copper Mountain. This trip includes:

- Four nights lodging in 2 bed/2 bath condos located at the base area (Mountain Plaza). Hot tubs, Wi-Fi, underground parking (1 car per unit) and surface parking for additional vehicles.
- Welcome party
- IKON pass holders do not need to purchase lift tickets
- Lift tickets (ADVANCE PURCHASE ONLY)
 - 1-day Adult Lift Ticket Price: \$75.00 per person
 - 2-day Adult Lift Ticket Price: \$137.00 per person
 - 3-day Adult Lift Ticket Price: \$203.00 per person
 - 4-day Adult Lift Ticket Price: \$269.00 per person
 - 5-day Adult Lift Ticket Price: \$335.00 per person



Big Sky Montana

March 10-16, 2020 Cost: \$485.00 + lift tickets + Airfare (Airfare obtained on an individual basis after initial deposit.) Airfare pricing TBD

12 Spots Available



Join the Omaha Ski Club as we travel to Big Sky Montana for six fun-filled days of skiing and socializing! This trip includes:

- Six nights lodging at Buck's T4 Lodge, two queen beds per hotel style room
- Free breakfast daily
- Free Wi-Fi
- Free parking
- Free Shuttle to and from the mountain
- Welcome Party
- Lift tickets additional- IKON pass holders have 5 days skiing with base pass

Airfare will be determined after sign-up (We will either do group, if 10 people, or individual ticketing, whichever is most cost effective. Price TBD)

For more information on any of the trips, please contact:

Trip Captain: Teri Hammon Phone: 402 680-0971 Email: dragonsrock@cox.net

Make checks payable to: Omaha Ski Club, PO Box 3104, Omaha NE 68103-0104

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

**OMAHA SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
JUNE 2019– MAY 2020**

MEMBERSHIP STATUS: NEW ____ RENEWAL ____

FAMILY \$25____ (\$30 if paid after September 30th, 2019)

SINGLE \$22____ (\$27 if paid after September 30th, 2019)

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.