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# August Meeting: TRIP SIGN-UPS & MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS! POPS TICKETS, TOO!

Ski season is finally getting closer! The **August 6th** meeting will be held at the Lexington Racquet Club Apartments Clubhouse, 3900 Crosby Drive, off Man-O-War Drive. A picnic meal of burgers, dogs, and fixin's will be available starting at 6:00 for \$5.00. 2013-14 trip sign-ups will be taken from 6:00 to 7:00 as will membership renewals (\$25). The meeting and trip presentations will begin at 7:00. Please review all the trip plans in this newsletter, the payment schedules , etc. so you can come prepared to pick your trips and pay your deposits! Don't forget, if you plan to go to Picnic with the Pops you can pick up your tickets at the meeting, too! Dan Geiger will have Pops

tickets for \$25.00. SEE YOU AUGUST 6th!







Lexington Ski & Sports Club August Social Plans

#### Picnic with the Pops August 17th

Bring your beverages and a dish to share Gates open at 6:00p.m. Show starts at 8:30 p.m. Tickets \$25 at Aug 6th meeting PICNIC WITH THE POPS

AUGUST 16 & 17, 2013 Gates open at 6pm



Mark & Dianna Miller's Pool Party August 24th

Pool party, cookout and dancing under the stars at the Mark and Dianna Miller's home in Winchester. Meat provided. Bring a dish to share and your beverages. If you want to stay over, bring a tent. For details and directions contact Dianna at hagski@aol.com.



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The next board meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, *August 14*, 6:30 p.m., 1880 Ft. Harrods Drive. Turn into Rabbit Run Subdivision at the Ft. Harrods/ Harrodsburg Road traffic light between New Circle and Man-o-War. 1880 is at the end of the dead end on Fort Harrods Drive.



### AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

TERRY ROTHGEB 8/13

> RAY CLARK 8/21

KEITH HUBBARD 8/28

TAKAYA NAKANO 8/29



# CRESTED BUTTE

COLORADO

Dates: Sunday, December 29, 2013 to Friday, January 3, 2014 (LSSC Holiday Trip) Trip Leader: Peter Woollam woollam@aol.com, 859.223.1685: 859.489.7507

Availability: 12 full packages (airfare, transport, 4 day lift tickets and 5 night accommodations) plus 6 ground only packages.

Cost: \$1445.00 for full package, or \$808.00 for ground only package (no air or transport). Insurance: available at 7% of the package cost.

Payments Due: Aug 6 - \$400.00: Sep 3- \$400.00: Oct 1- \$400.00: Nov 5 - \$245.00 - full pkg

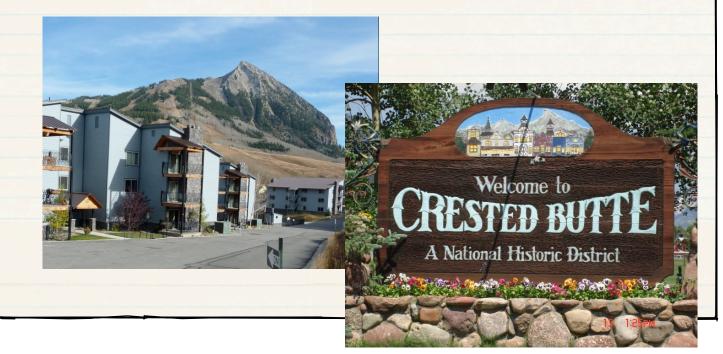
Flights: Delta Airlines from Cincinnati to Montrose via Atlanta

Transport: From Montrose Airport to Crested Butte and return (approximately 90 minutes)

Accommodations: Chateaux Condominiums (3 bed/3 bath, 6 persons per unit) -The complex is located approximately 472 yards from the lifts - a short 5 minute walk. Each spacious unit has a wood burning fireplace, TV with HBO, VCR, phone and a fully equipped kitchen. The centrally located amenities include a clubhouse for hosting parties or meetings, gas grills, and saunas with change rooms just off the outdoor pool and hot tub. There are laundry facilities in each building. A free shuttle transports you to the base every 10-15 minutes.

Crested Butte: (An old coal mining town with great restaurants below ski area)

Ski Stats: 13 lifts (6 quad chairs, 2 triple chairs, 3 double chairs, 2 surface lifts); Ski Area – 1,547 acres; Snow making – 297 acres; 121 trails - 26% beginner, 58% intermediate, 16% advanced; Longest run -Peak to Treasury 2.6miles; Extreme Limits in-bounds double black diamond terrain -542 acres; Average annual snowfall 300+ inches, Base elevation 9,375 ft, Top of chairlift 11,875 ft, Vertical drop lift served 2,775 ft, with peak hike 3,062 ft.



TELLURIDE: Winter adven-tures saved Telluride from its ghost town fate. The majestic mountains that created a lucrative gold and silver boom also provided a natural transition into a world-class alpine destination. With legendary terrain and Colorado's most spectacular mountain views, Telluride has quickly risen in the ranks as a must-visit ski destination. Telluride is tucked into a box canyon surrounded on all three sides by 14,000-foot peaks. The town of Telluride is just eight blocks wide and twelve blocks long. Because of its significant role in the history of the American West, the core area of Telluride was designated a National Historic Landmark District in 1964. This listing is the highest level of historic status available from the United States Secretary of the Interior. These sites are so special that they are eligible for consideration to become national parks. With the town's colorful Victorian-era homes, clapboard storefronts, boutiques, art galleries, gourmet restaurants, historic buildings and more, Telluride is a delight to explore. The citizens are committed to preserving Telluride's historically significant architecture, open space, traditional design elements and, most of all, Telluride's small-town mountain lifestyle.

# LSSC Joins OVSC Clubs: 1/18-25 Telluride

TELLURIDE



**Trip Activities:** Welcome reception Lunch at Gorrono Ranch NASTAR races Wine-Tasting Farewell Dinner and Dance

#### Amenities:

Discounted equipment rentals Photography Tours Commemorative trip pin Free mountain tours tours Discounted group lessons

#### Lodging:

Horseback and Sleigh Rides Helicopter and Cat Skiing Glider Rides **Cross Country Skiing** Ice Skating Winter Fly Fishing Snow Shoeing Snowmobiling Sledding

Non-ski activities:

Ice Climbing

Dog Sledding



### TRIP LEADER

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**Trip** insurance recommended



**Trip Details** 

January 18-25, 2014

Cost	\$1749
Lodging	Riverside
Availability	24 slots
Flights DL t	o Montrose
Lift Tickets	5 of 6 days
Payments	\$450/\$399

The Riverside condominiums are located along the River Trail at the base of the Bear Creek trailhead at the end of Pine Street. The free gondola connecting Telluride to Mountain Village, ski lifts, and the fine dining and shopping along Main Street are all within two blocks of this lovely property.

Located near the slopes, this Telluride condo is in the city center, within minutes of Telluride Ski Resort, and close to winter sports such as ice skating and snowshoeing. A dedicated ski condo, Riverside Condos offers plenty of onsite amenities, including a spa tub, ski storage, and complimentary wireless Internet access. Guest rooms open to patios with river or mountain views and feature televisions with cable channels. Other amenities include kitchens, complimentary wireless Internet access, and washers/dryers.

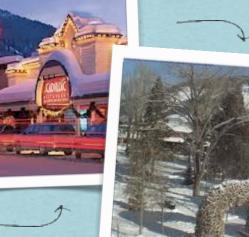
Dates: February 22 – March 1, 2014 Cost: \$1,649 (\$1,119 land only) Flight: Between Lexington and Jackson on Delta Airlines Lodging: 2 bedroom/2 bath condos in Teton Village Lift ticket: 5 of 7 days

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To sign up or to obtain more information, contact Trip Leader Catherine Monzingo <u>camonzingo@kyattorney.net</u> 859-223-8712

Non-ski Activities Horseback riding, Dog sledding, Snowmobiling, Snowshoeing, Mangy Moose après ski, Silver Dollar Saloon dining

This is a Lexington Ski and Sports Club trip. LSSC has selected Winter Ski and Sports as our vendor, who is offering trip insurance for an additional \$80 per person.



*Payment Schedule* <sup>★</sup> \$450/month for August through October \$299 in November

### MOUNTAIN CHARACTERISTICS



Two outstanding mountains: Rendezvous Apres Vous

116 Named Trails Expert: 50% Intermediate 40% Beginner 10% Base Elevation6311 ftSummit Elevation10450 ftVertical Drop4139 ftIn-bounds terrain 2500 acresBackcountry3000+acres

# Europe 2014: Enjoy France with OVSC





#### FROM THE TRIP LEADER

Final contract numbers have not been received at the time of this newsletter due to OVSC issues. Complete details will be available at the August 6th meeting. Come learn about this great opportunity to tour France for a week, or three with folks from LSSC and OVSC!

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Week 1 March 2-8 *Nice The French Riviera* 

Week 2 March 7-15 *Chamonix Ski Mont Blanc*  Week 3 March 15-22 *Morzine Ski Avoriaz* 

# **Important LSSC Trip Policy Information**

1. The trip leader will assign a number to each participant in the order his/her application and initial payment is received. This number establishes the ranking for priority in bedding assignments.

2. A participant will retain that ranking so long as trip payments are made in accordance with or in advance of the trip payment schedule, established by the Executive Vice President. Otherwise, the participant will be moved to the end of the ranking, in the order he/she breached the payment schedule.

3. The trip leader will assign bedding based on the ranking of the participant.

a. The trip leader will attempt to accommodate participant's requests for roommates and condo mates.

b. When there is a conflict in roommate and/or condo mate assignments, the participant with the higher ranking shall be accommodated first.

c. Single individuals will be assigned bedrooms with twin beds, in the order of his/her ranking. If the bedding for the trip does not accommodate a single participant having an individual bed, the lower ranking single participants will be assigned to sleep two to a queen/ king bed or the lowest ranking participant will be assigned to the couch/sofa bed, if any.

4. Trip cost adjustment for unfilled rooming

a. If there is a single, unpaid pillow available on a trip and no participant volunteers to pay a single uplift to have a single room, the cost of the pillow will be prorated among all the participants in order to ensure the viability and success of the trip. Unless he or she elects otherwise, the trip leader will have the room with this extra pillow.

b. If there is more than one unpaid pillow, the Board has the right to cancel the unit with the unpaid pillow even though this may result in the lowest ranking participant(s) being cancelled from the trip. Those participants who are cancelled from a trip under this provision will be refunded his or her payment to the extent available. The club will not bear the cost of such cancellation, consistent with the policy that all trips are self-sustaining.

c. Before participants are cancelled from a trip, the trip leader shall use his or her best efforts to secure alternative accommodations for the participant(s), including, but not limited to, sharing with participants in another OVSC club or staying in a hotel. The participants under this provision will bear the additional cost, if any, of the alternative accommodations.

5. The trip leader will advise the Executive Vice President of unfilled slots and incompletely filled condos or hotel rooms, as reserved for the particular trip, in advance of the date to reduce the reservation and not incur an additional cost to the club.