



Powder Express

The Official Newsletter of the Fall Line Ski Club

January 2010

Fall Line Happy Hours

Scaturro's Happy Hour

Please join us at Scaturro's Restaurant and Bar, located @ 841 Rt. 73 in Marlton, N.J. on Friday, January 8, 2010. Happy Hour is 4:30-6:30, then again after 9pm, when there is music and dancing. Specials are \$2 domestic beers, \$3 import beers, \$4 wines, and \$5 bar menu. The deck is enclosed and heated for our comfort while enjoying friends, old and new. More info: www.scaturros.com, or call Marie Eagan @ 609-605-1332

Taylor's Happy Hour

Friday, January 15, 2010 will be an evening of meeting and greeting at one of Fall Line's favorite stops: Taylor's on Rt. 70 in Cherry Hill, N.J. Stop at the desk to receive your free drink coupon, and proceed in to mingle with fellow members. There are hot appetizers to munch on, and beverage specials for your enjoyment. Happy hour is 4pm-8pm. Come and bring a friend!

Victor's Pub Happy Hour

Come experience a new venue right on the Camden Waterfront. We will be meeting on Friday, January 22, 2010 for a Happy Hour that's sure to please. The Victor has many different beer, wine and martini selections in a spacious loft atmosphere, with great appetizers and lovely sunset views next to the bridge. For those faint of spirit, not to worry—Victor has gated parking directly across the street guarded by Rutgers security. The address is 1 Market St, Camden, N.J. Come join the fun! Info: www.victorspub.com or call Marie Eagan @ 609-605-1332

Skeeter's Pub Happy Hour

Come join your Fall Line friends at a new venue for Happy Hour on Friday, January 29, 2010. Skeeter's Pub is located just off the Blackhorse Pike on Coles Road in Blenheim, N.J. They boast the best bar food in South Jersey, so let's check them out. Happy Hour specials are from 4-7pm, including domestic and imported beer pricing, as well as that "best bar food". Information: www.skeeterspub.com, or call Marie Eagan @ 609-605-1332.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We are now into the 2010 Ski season. Happy New Year to all. I would like to thank all of the members for their support and input over the past year. For those of you who have not signed up for a trip we still have openings on our weekend trips to Stratton and Jay Peak as well as some of our longer trips, but don't delay since they have to book the airplane tickets.. Please check the newsletter and call or e-mail the trip leaders for more information even for the trips with the waiting lists since you never know what happens at the last minute. Remember to support your club, better yet, have you thought of joining a committee or running for the board?

On a personal note I have retired from my job of 32 years and as you receive this newsletter I will be some where in the western part of our great country. I plan to be in Colorado the week of 1/9/10, Salt Lake 1/16/10, Tahoe 1/23/10, back to Salt Lake 1/30/10 and on to meet the club at Jackson Hole on 2/6/10. If anyone is in the area let me know I would love to ski with someone from the club. Just e-mail me at ken.heath@comcast.net.

Think snow!!

Ken

MEETING INFORMATION

General Meetings... are held the first and third Tuesday each month (except for December) at PJ Whelihan's at Route 70 and Greentree Road in Cherry Hill. Meetings are from 8:00 pm until 10:30 pm for trip sign-ups, announcements, information and socializing. Please bring a friend, for newcomers are always welcome.

Board Meetings... are held the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month and start at 7:30 p.m. In order for the board to discuss all agenda topics in a timely fashion, members who wish to attend a meeting must contact the Fall Line President prior to the meeting. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

Winter Trip Committee Meetings... are conducted by Wayne Schofield, board member and Winter Trip Chair, and occur monthly. Please call Wayne (856/931-2173) if you are interested in attending or participating.

Summer Trip Committee Meetings... are conducted by Marie Eagan, board member and Summer Trip Chair, and occur monthly. Please call Marie (609/605-1332) if you are interested in attending or participating.

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Fall Line Ski Club membership begins May 1 and ends April 30. Membership applications for renewals and new membership are accepted anytime during the year. The membership fee is \$25.00 through 9/11/09 and \$30.00 afterwards.

Members have the privilege of attending all Fall Line Ski Club activities during the summer season as well as next ski season. Membership applications may be obtained at any General Meeting, on the penultimate page of most newsletters, at our web site at www.FallLineSkiClub.org or through the mail by contacting:

FLSC

9109 Verree Road

Philadelphia, PA 19115-2801

Phone: 215/969.4736

eMail: Membership@FallLine.org

The membership application should be completed in a legible manner to ensure the proper forwarding of all club correspondence. Any member not receiving the newsletter should stop at the membership table during a General Meeting.

Changes in address or phone numbers should be reported as soon as possible so that you may remain informed of all Fall Line events and activities.

It's Snow Problem!

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If you do not wish your name to appear in the newsletter or on-line, please request it in writing to the trip leader PRIOR to the trip!

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Silverstar & Big White, BC

by Bob Suravage

If you like to ski the West and have ever thought about skiing in that vast part of Canada between Banff and Whistler, then this could be an opportunity you won't want to miss. British Columbia is a vast, mountainous province, framed by the Canadian Rockies and the Coastal Range. In between lies the Thompson Okanagan, a region of highlands that are home to the ski resorts of Silverstar and Big White. Pleasant winter weather and light, dry powder prevails. Mountain summits are a comfortable 7600 feet. The skiing terrain, snow quality, great lift systems, slopeside villages and gracious locals all made for a terrific ski experience. The three Thompson Okanagan resorts (Sun Peaks being the other) were awarded "Best Weather in the West" from Ski Canada magazine (2007), and up to 7m (23ft) of snow can fall on the slopes in a single season. With access via Air Canada through Toronto to Kelowna, British Columbia's second largest city, both full-service resorts are only one hour from the airport and two hours from one another.

This trip includes:

- Round-trip air transportation between **Philadelphia (20 seats)** or **Newark (12 seats)** and Kelowna, BC via Air Canada
- Ground transfers between Kelowna airport, Silverstar Resort and Big White Resort
- **8 nights lodging:** 4 nights at Silverstar Resort and 4 nights at Big White Resort
- Full breakfast buffet each day
- **6 of 7 day lift ticket** (3 days Silverstar and 3 days Big White)
- Group party

All this for a terrific price of \$1649.

Give Jeff Stein a call at 856-728-1254 for more details.

Summer Trips...

It is never too early to plan the non-skiing events such as bowling, Miniature golf, Happy Hours, softball, baseball, hikes, bike rides and much more.

Many volunteers are needed to plan and run these events. Your suggestions and ideas are welcome, why don't you join us at the Summer Trip committee planned for January 20th. Call Marie Eagan at 609-605-1332 for details.

Winter Park in 2010 April 8 to April 13th, 2010

By Deb Taraska

Are you looking for an awesome way to wrap up to the 2009/2010-ski season? Look no further than **Winter Park, Colorado** for some of the best spring skiing conditions. Make plans now to join your Fall Line friends when we return to this favorite ski location in April 2010. It is \$899 for a great get away.

This price not only gets you access to a great ski town but it includes round trip air transportation and ground transportation in Colorado with five nights at the Alpenglo Lodge. You will get full breakfast every day, four-day lift ticket, group party, and the personal luggage tags. Winter Park a walking ski town, also has a convenient free shuttle, it is filled with shops and restaurants located near the Alpenglo Hotel. The combined towns of Winter Park and Fraser offer more than 40 different types of dining experiences. What else could you ask for?

Well, let me tell you about the awesome mountain... **Winter Park...** Offers 134 designated trails on more than 2,700 total skiable acres, Winter Park has a track record for consistently receiving greater than 350" a year of the stuff that we love - SNOW! Just ask any Fall Liner who skied here last year about the place and there is a good chance that in addition to mentioning the skiing variety, they will tell you about Winter Park's excellent spring powder conditions. Without question, Winter Park presents something for all levels of skiing. This resort delivers to you a magnificent symphony of chutes, bowls, glades and even cruisers. And, at this time of year, if you are looking to shop, it also delivers some great prices on equipment and clothing. Comprised of five very distinct mountains, Winter Park is almost equally divided between "beginner-intermediate-advanced" runs and the expert challenges. Whether skiing the Vasquez Cirque, Vasquez Ridge, Parsenn Bowl, Winter Park or famed Mary Jane trails, this location will quickly go on to your list of top US ski resorts.

So why not join me on the last great Fall Line trip of the 2009-2010 season.

Fall Line Ski Club

2009-2010 Winter Trip Schedule as of December 24, 2009

All FLSC trips include Lift Tickets. FLSC provides Beer, Wine & Soda on weekend bus trips.

Extended trips include air and ground transportation. Lodging is two per room.

Prices Are Subject To Change & do not include baggage fees

Date	Location	Trip Leader	Lodging	Some Features	Opens	Price
December 16 th – 21 st	Snowbird, Utah	Jeff Stein 856-728-1254	Lodge at Snowbird	Non Stop Delta PHL-SLC 5 nights lodging, 4 day all Alta/Snowbird ski pass, Party	Over	\$1,155.00
January 8 th – 10 th	Stratton, Vt.	Sue Bagosy 610-733-3336	Inn At Stratton	Two Day Lift Tickets Two Nights Lodging Continental Breakfast	Get on Wait list	\$349
January 9 th – 16 th	Copper, Colorado	William Roehner 215-431-3205	Mountain Village Condos	Round Trip air Phila., Denver 7 Nights lodging Beeline Express Pass, party, walk to lifts 5 of 7 day lift.. Lesson Packages Available	Get on wait list	\$1,259.00
January 22 nd – February 2 nd	Cervinia, Italy Florence Extension	Pat Maguire 856-772-1120	Sertorelli Sport Hotel in Cervinia Hotel Balestri in Florence	Round trip air Phila. - Italy 7 nights Cervinia w/breakfast & dinner. Indoor pool & hot tub. 6 day Aosta Valley ski pass. 3 nights in Florence w/breakfast.	Get on wait list	\$2,269 with Florence \$2,125 without Florence
February 5 th - 8 th	Stowe, Vermont	Barry Schofield 609-702-8205	Town and Country Inn Inn	3 nights lodging, 3 breakfasts, 2 dinners, indoor pool & hot tub Plus Super Bowl Party	Canceled	
February 06 th - 13 th	Jackson Hole Wyoming	Sara Walls 609-747-8582	Wort Hotel	7 nights lodging including breakfast, Complimentary Mimosa Welcome Party + another Party during the week. Optional Snowmobile trip thru Yellowstone or day at Grand Targhee	Get on wait list	\$1,649.00
February 19 th - 21 st	Sugarbush, Vermont	"G" Respes 609-636-3513	Inn at Sugarbush	Another Fall Line Favorite 2 Great days of skiing with lifts And breakfast	Cancelled	\$389.00
February 25 th – 28 th	Jay Peak, Vermont	Kathie Read 856-344-2459	Hotel Jay	Ski in/out, (2-hour group lessons, Fri.Sat.Sun) Two Hot Tubs. 3 Breakfasts, 2 Dinners and a wine and cheese party	Available	\$559.00
March 5 th – 13 th	Davos, Switzerland	Ann Marsteller 856-772-9414	4*Meierhof Hotel	Non-stop Newark-Zurich, 7 nights lodging, Buffet Breakfast and 4 course Dinner daily, 6 day Davos all region ski pass.	Get on wait list	\$2,359.00
March 13 th – 21 st	Silverstar & Big White British Columbia, Canada	Bob Suravage 609-654-5521	Vance Creek Hotel at Silverstar and The Inn at Big White	Two Resorts in one week! Fly Phila. or Newark to Kelowna, BC. 8 nights lodging, 6 of 7 day lifts, ski in / ski out, buffet breakfast included, group party.	Available	\$1,599.00
April 8 th – 13 th	Winter Park, Colorado	Deb Taraska 609-747-8582	Alpenglo Lodge	Round trip airfare Philadelphia/Denver, 5 nights lodging, 4 of 6 day lift pass, party, indoor hot tub	Available	\$899.00

Prices in **bold** reflect early sign-up discount. This discount is available only at trip opening for weekend trips; for weeklong trips it's available for the first two meetings the trip is open. You must be a member to sign up!

**THE BUS
PICK UP &
DEPARTURE SPOT
HAS CHANGED!**

**Starr Bus is now using the
Crown Plaza Hotel
on Route 70 in Cherry Hill
(Route 70 and Cuthbert Blvd).**

**This affects the
Stratton, Jay Peak and
Davos, Switzerland trips.
The exact address for your
GPS is 2349 W. Marlton Pike,
Cherry Hill, NJ 08002**

**An Organization is only
as strong as the volunteers
that donate there time to
make it work!**

**A Newsletter
is only as good as those
that contribute to its content.**

**Please Volunteer and
Please Contribute.**

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