

VALLEY OF THE SUN SKI CLUB UPDATE

September 2022

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Trip Captain's Report

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*Are you thinking
Let there be snow????*

Ski trips are organized and [there is currently space available for all trips!](#)

Telluride, CO: January 8-13, 2023

We will have 4 days of skiing and 5 nights lodging staying at **The Peaks Resort**, ski-in/ski-out, in Mountain Village. The contract includes bus transportation, porter from bus to lobby, ski valet, accommodation and daily breakfast. We were unable to get group rate lift tickets so all skiers were advised to purchase the 4 day or more EPIC pass before the rates went up Sept 5.

For those who stayed there last year, remember how nice it was to have your boots warmed overnight and skis laid out for you in the morning. There are many good restaurants a short walk away in Mountain Village, and you can take the gondola down to Telluride for more choices. We have guaranteed 15 rooms and must have a minimum of 30 on the bus.

The price for Telluride depends on whether you want a room with one king bed or two king beds. (\$1,195 for one king bed. \$1,255 for two king beds). If you have not notified Barb Stevens of your choice, please do so immediately.

Whitefish, MT: February 5-10, 2023

We were unable to get Big Sky this year but this is a good alternative. We will have 4 days of skiing and 5 nights lodging at **Firebrand Hotel** in the heart of Whitefish. It has a restaurant and bar, spa, fitness facility and fire pits on the patio and rooftop. Perfect places for hanging around after a day on the slopes. The contract guarantees 15 rooms, airport RT transfer, porter from bus to lobby, 4-day lift ticket, a Welcome Wine and Cheese party, private ski area shuttle and 5 days breakfast voucher to include tax and tip.

The cost of the land portion is \$975 plus the air portion of \$581 equals \$1,556 for all traveling with us from Phoenix to Kalispell. There will be discounts for non-skiers and different age groups as the ski area does not use Epic or IKON.

Winter Park, CO: March 5-10, 2023

We will have 4 days of skiing and will be staying at **The Vintage Hotel**, in studios with kitchenettes, 2 queen beds, 463 square foot rooms, heated outdoor pool, spa and cabriolet to ski area. The contract includes airfare from Phoenix, accommodation, portorage from bus to lobby, vouchers for breakfast and 4-day lift ticket. There will be a discount for non-skiers and IKON pass holders.

The cost of the land portion is \$1,039. The airfare has not yet been determined. [Balance is due Dec 11 and no refund after Jan 3.](#)



Looking forward to another great ski season!

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Be prepared!! Stretching, yoga, tai chi. Anything to prevent injury and be ready for the ski season.



INVOICES:

Telluride invoices will be mailed in September with full balance due October 16th. Invoices for Whitefish and Winter Park will be mailed in October.

Make checks payable to VSSC and mailed to:
VSSC
PO Box 5186
Sun City West, AZ 85376-5186



If you have questions about a specific trip, call Barb Stevens.

CANCELLATION Policy: Please read the cancellation policy in your Hold Harmless Agreement or online at <https://vsscskiclub.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/HHA.pdf> and put the cancellation dates on your calendar. It is important that you ***call*** or ***email*** Barb Stevens if you need to cancel a trip. You will receive a full refund if cancellation is received more than 90 days before the departure date. We will start a waiting list for all trips as soon as they are full.

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