

# VALLEY OF THE SUN SKI CLUB UPDATE

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## Trip Liaison's Report

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

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

### **Telluride, CO: January 26<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup>, 2025.**

Traveling via MOTORCOACH to our favorite hotel in Telluride. The Telluride Hotel is a boutique hotel with a lovely lobby filled with stuffed chairs and couches to gather near the fireplace. Rooms have a small refrigerator, microwave, and a coffee brewer. There is a small restaurant near the lobby serving breakfast 7am – 10 am, Après ski 4pm – 5pm, and dinner 5pm – 10pm. The hotel stores our skis in the lobby and has a shuttle to take you to the gondola, which goes to the slopes OR Lift 7 which is just a few blocks away. The hotel shuttle will take you to dinner downtown or you can walk to the corner and catch the **Galloping Goose**, which circles the town. There is also a grocery store, **Clarks Market**, just a block away.

If you paid the \$150.00 deposit, your balance is \$1,227.00. If you have not paid the deposit and wish to go to Telluride, your balance is \$1,377.00.

**YOUR FINAL PAYMENT FOR TELLURIDE IS DUE OCTOBER 28<sup>TH</sup>.**

**You are responsible for getting your (EPIC PASS) AND MAKING RESERVATIONS FOR THE DAYS YOU WANT TO SKI.**

### **Aspen/Snowmass, CO: February 23<sup>rd</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025.**

Traveling via AIR. **We will fly directly to Aspen on American Airlines. Depart Phoenix @ 9:30 am on flight #6686 and arrive in Aspen @ 11:29am.** We will shuttle to The Stonebridge Hotel. The Stonebridge is a smaller hotel but has a bar with tables to gather for a beverage, lunch or dinner. The hotel is undergoing renovations so there will be a remodeled restaurant and bar. Rooms have a mini refrigerator and a Keurig coffee brewer. This destination is world renowned as a supreme environment for skiing on all levels. It is a quaint village with lots of restaurants and shops within walking distance of our hotel. Skiers have a short walk to the Snowmass slopes. There is a free shuttle for skiers to ski at the other three mountains (Buttermilk, Aspen Highlands, and Aspen). Don't forget to pack your swimsuit. There is a huge pool and spa area outdoors, and an inside workout room as well.

**The return flight #4882 departs Friday the 28<sup>th</sup> at 12:02pm and arrives in Phoenix at 2:10pm.**

If you paid the \$150.00 deposit, your balance is \$1644.00. If you have not paid the deposit and wish to go to Snowmass, your balance will be \$1794.00.

**YOUR FINAL PAYMENT FOR SNOWMASS IS DUE NOVEMBER 25<sup>TH</sup>.**

### **INVOICES:**

Invoices for BOTH trips with the BALANCE DUE for both trips will be mailed out soon.

**There is still room on both trips. If you know anyone who wants to join us, please reach out to me for a trip application.**

**konihojnbaum@gmail.com**

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 Mary Ann Vangelisti.**

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.

Get those skis in now for a tune up to avoid the rush.



**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** Mary Ann Vangelisti 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.

**Note:** I will let you know if Mary Ann is able to negotiate breakfasts being included, and if she can get a group discount for the IKON pass like we had last year.



2025 Trip Schedule					
Destination	Dates	Price	Deposit	Balance Due	No Refund After
Telluride, CO (Bus)	Jan. 26 - 31 (4 ski days)	\$1,377.00pp	\$150	Oct. 28	Oct. 28
Snowmass, CO (Air)	Feb. 23 - 28 (4 ski days)	\$1,794pp land/air	\$150	Nov. 25	Nov. 25

*Trip costs are per person, double occupancy. Single rooms may be available at additional cost. Prices are subject to change due to unforeseen airline or other vendor surcharges.*