



SKI & SNOWBOARD CLUB

ACTIVITIES, MEETING DATES, & MORE

General Meeting @ The Market Grill & Bar	<i>Oct. 6th</i>
Board Meeting @ The Market Grill & Bar	<i>Oct. 18th</i>
Happy Hour @ Buffalo Wild Wings—in Odessa	<i>Oct. 20th</i>
Halloween Party @ Truckload on Hwy. 191	<i>Oct. 29th</i>
General Meeting @ The Market Grill & Bar	<i>Nov. 3rd</i>
Board Meeting @ The Market Grill & Bar	<i>Nov. 15th</i>
Happy Hour @ TBA	<i>Nov. 17th</i>
Thanksgiving Trip to Keystone	<i>Nov. 22nd to 27th</i>

2005-2006 Ski Trips

TSC Fall Roundup (Thanksgiving)—Keystone, Colorado

FSC New Years (Dec. 29-Jan. 2)—Wolf Creek, Colorado

TSC Traditional (Jan. 7-14) — Steamboat, Colorado

TSC Expedition (Jan. 28– Feb.5) - Finland

FSC Trip (Feb. 7-12)-Telluride, Colorado

TSC Winter Shootout (Feb. 11-18) - Big White / Kelowna Canada

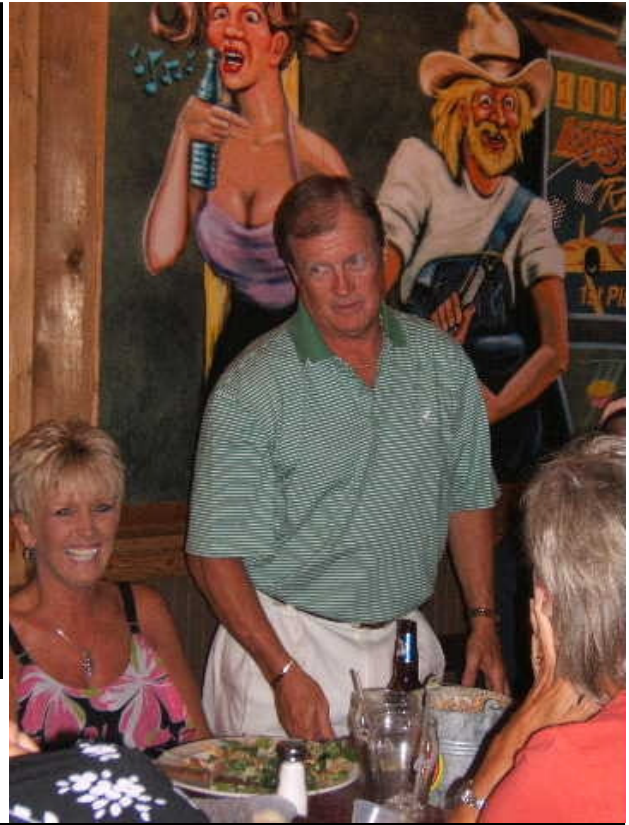
TSC Final Showdown (Mar. 11-18) - Big Mountain, Montana



Halloween Party

Come join the Flatlanders on Saturday night October 29th at the Truckload Fireworks stand on Hwy 191 between Midland and Odessa. This will be a Halloween costume party like we had last year. Call Kie Echols for details.

Rick Ayars looks excited as the staff at Logan's helps him celebrate his birthday



Check out the Flatlander's current updated website at
www.flatlanderskiclub.com

Also check out the Texas Ski Council site:
www.texas-ski.org

Feel like you're uninformed???
Not sure of current events and activities???
Didn't hear of recent changes??
If so, send your current email address to
Vicki Sisco at vsisco@rkmfirm.com
And be added to our master list and never
miss out on any fun again.

Donations to Hurricane Relief

The Flatlanders voted to donate \$250 from the general membership fund to the victims of last month's hurricanes. Afterwards many members made individual contributions bringing the total donation to over \$600. I'm sure that many people donated more money or time to help those that were victims of one of the worst natural disasters that we have witnessed in the US in some time. Thanks to everyone that participated.



2005 Flatlander Membership Drive

Saturday September 24th was the date of the 2005 Flatlander Membership Drive. The cooks got started early at Prescott's Café firing up the grill and cooking up the brisket. That's not all they started early, but that's another story. Depending on who you asked, you could get three different answers on who was doing the cooking and who was helping. I personally think it took all three, Hump, Rick Ayars, and Ronnie Raburn's combined talents to get the Bar-B-Que to taste that good! Maybe it was the grill that Rick brought. Who knows? Either way, it was "mouth-watering" The weather turned out great for an outdoor event. It made it nice to get out and visit and talk about up coming trips and events. We even had a two-piece live band show up for the entertainment. We didn't have too many newcomers, but the old ones showed up in force. Special thanks goes out to Lavonne for fixing the baked beans and potato salad and Sharon and Carolyn for the deserts. That was the icing on the cake. All the leftovers we had were taken to the Door Of Hope Mission, which they graciously accepted. They wanted to know who our cater was and I told them it was the Flatlander gang. They asked if that was like the Chuck Wagon Gang, and I said "yes but only much better!"

Kie Echols
Activities

A View From the Top



Some of the worst weather I have ever seen in my life has affected us all . We all have friends who faced the path of one if not both hurricanes . I have no doubt that every member of the Flatlanders has contributed and in some way has sacrificed in efforts to assist those who are suffering . Daily we are all wired differently, in times of trauma we are all wired the same .

Our advertising promotion of the Flatlanders has gone well . We started off by having representatives on all three television stations, followed by advertisements in the Midland and Odessa newspapers. Ted was able to persuade Vail Resorts to co-op with us and cover half the cost .

Social hour at the "Hog Pit" was a lot of fun . If you choose to eat there be sure and take your healthy appetite . The membership drive was held at Prescott's on hwy. 80 . Hump, Rick , Ron and Don Lee got it started early and about 5 p.m. we had a feast . I ate way too much .We by chance lucked out and even had live music .

We are beginning a new approach to the website . Soon each chairperson will access their own page (i.e. membership , activities, etc...) and update as needed. This method will allow for timely updating and alleviate the burden of one webmaster being responsible for all . This project will unfold over the next 60 days .

Our general meeting is Oct. 6th. There are a lot of activities on the slate and drawings for trip vouchers, so sign up and become eligible . The AIRSHO is right around the corner, hope to see you there.

Best Wishes,
Mike Moore
President—Flatlanders Ski and Snowboard Club



February 11th—18th

If anyone is interested please contact Vicki Sisco: vsisco@rkmfirm.com for information or visit www.bigwhite.com

Happy Birthday Flatlanders



October

Dean Beeman—3rd
Heather Grimes—4th
Tommie Sue Flournoy—4th
Chad Spears—10th
Larry Lanham—10th
Marie Boze -17th
Dax Barnhart - 25th
Carroll Lee—28th
Suzette Holloman—30th

November

Darren Magda—3rd
Karen Lundberg—4th
Treva Flanagan—7th
Will Green—13th
Mike Lovera—13th
Inhee Paik—16th
Pat Wells—17th
Alan Wells—19th
Britton Saavedra—19th
Frank Flournoy—20th
Marla Hensley—20th



The TSC Traditional trip is back to Steamboat Colorado on January 7th thru 14th. The ground package is approximately \$715 for a seven night and six day trip. Something other than a Saturday thru Saturday trip may be arranged depending on interest. If you would like to discuss options please give Mike Morris a call at 559-3620 or e-mail at morris@cableone.net. Steamboat is always a great destination and great fun. Check-out other details at www.steamboat.com

Wolf Creek Colorado

New Years Eve Weekend

Arrive either on the 29th or 30th—departing on the 2nd

Long trip \$366 / Short trip \$266

Hotel rooms at Pagosa Lodge—2 people to a room

Children stay free in your room—children's lift ticket \$72 or \$50

\$50 deposit to hold one of the 26 spots

Trip Leader is Lavonne Humphrey

520-5154 or jhump@grandecom.net



www.bigmtn.com

Come check out the resort of Big Mountain Montana with the Texas Ski Council. This is one of the most impressive parts of the country, with Glacier National Park right next door. The trip will be during spring break for some of the West Texas schools on March 11th thru 18th. The ground package is approximately \$725 for seven nights and six days of skiing. This will include breakfast every morning. If interested give Mike Morris a call at 559-3620 or e-mail at msmorris@cableone.net

Telluride Colorado

February 7th thru 12th

Bear Creek Lodge

2 bedroom / 2 bath condo

5 nights lodging and 4 days skiing

\$598 per adult / children \$140

The original 20 spots are almost gone so you better hurry

Contact Ron Raburn for other information:

rabes@netscape.com or 362-6948



www.tellurideskiresort.com

Price Reduced to 2003 rate - \$475



**KEYSTONE RESORT
COLORADO**

November 22—27th

Keystone is home to many of the TSC fall trips with the snowmaking to help guarantee a wonderful Thanksgiving trip. The trip will include five nights lodging in a 2 bed / 2 bath condo and four days of lift tickets. This year we will be staying in lodging within walking distance to the lift — no bus ride. The pricing for children is the real attraction this year. Kids will get a special 4 day ski school price that includes equipment rental, all day lessons, lift tickets, lunch and fun evening activities (a \$502 value!). Vail Resorts in partnership with the TSC is pricing this package at \$152 for the entire four days! Since kids stay free in your condo that means **a child can attend for just \$182 including ski school**. This pricing is for packages age 12 and under. There is also some very good pricing for more advanced classes and older participants.

\$50 deposit due now—balance by October 18th—
last day to cancel without penalty is September 22nd.

For more information contact Rick Ayars: ayarski162@hotmail.com or 556-1110

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The Roadrunner newsletter/flyer is published bi-monthly. For up to date information about the club and it's activities check out the website. Subscription is included with payment of yearly membership fee. Articles and correspondence should be addressed to the Editors by email or mailed to P.O. Box 60835, Midland, Texas 79711. Deadline for submission is the **15th of each month**. For more information on the next Club meeting or other related activities, contact any committee member listed above.

Website: www.flatlanderskiclub.com



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