

Greetings,

Well, if you remember in my first article I said it would be smooth sailing, or should I say skiing with the support of the new Board. Har, Har, little did I know!! They challenged me!!,,,,,,,,,,,,, This year has started out with a ZOOM.

The Board requested a “social distancing” meeting, interpret that to mean ZOOM. Hey, I am the person who is intimidated by this contraption called a computer. Since I installed Windows 10, I have heart palpitations just trying to shut it down.

My first attempt to satisfy this request resulted in a catastrophe. I was communicating with people from outer space who spoke a language I did not understand, I mean with terms like launch, on my computer??? I knew I was on a Star Trek journey. When I was beamed back to earth, I did what any mortal would do, I asked for help!



Yeah, Linda Hennings came to the rescue.

Together we installed and set up my ZOOM application, sent out a meeting invitation to everyone and scheduled a practice meeting. After disconnecting myself from the practice meeting several times, she recommended that when we have our “real meeting” I should just open the meeting application and NOT touch anything else, not even the mouse. Sage advice!

So, I now consider myself a ZOOM survivor and I can hold meetings like a champ. I am so glad the Board members were there to help me and they didn't even laugh, I think they felt sorry for me. If this is any inkling what this term is going to be like, hold on Board members, this is gonna be a heck of a ride and I am glad you're there beside me.

See you on the Slopes,

Your Prez, Sharon





MSC Lodge News

Modesto Ski Club



Well...looks like we can finally start to use the Lodge again. We are using the guidelines from Truckee and Nevada County. June 15th is the proposed date that we will be able to start taking reservations for the Lodge. This is subject to change if there is an increase of the Corona Virus cases and California Shelter in Place mandate. As

for the Truckee area and events all have been cancelled thru the summer. We will not be having a Spring Clean-Up Weekend. A big Thanks to Tim and Marlene Hutton for taking a trip to check on the Lodge. While they were there Marlene cleaned all the bathrooms and cleaned out the refrigerators of any foods that were left and expired condiments.

We will start with small groups of reservations at first. Families from the same household can stay in the same bedroom. We will not be asking people from different households to share a room. With this the capacity will be very limited. Please be very specific in your reservation request to let me know who is from the same household. If you are sick or become sick please do not stay at the Lodge and put other people at risk. We are going to pick up Hand Sanitizer and Wipes for the Lodge so area's you are using can be disinfected before you leave to go home. We all need to do our part in keeping the Lodge Clean after we visit. These initial months of using the Lodge again are subject to change at any time. The small groups are what we are starting with. This is the new normal for now.

To make a reservation, please email me mnighte@aol.com. Be sure to provide the ARRIVAL DATE and DEPARTURE DATE and ALL FIRST AND LAST NAMES of guests on your initial inquiry. This will really help me get back to you with an answer if your group will fit based on any other reservations that I may already have. Here is my home phone number if you want to leave a message for a reservation 209-571-8125.

Michelle Nightengale, *Lodge Chairperson*



2020 MSC MEETINGS

Modesto Ski Club



General Meeting

No membership meeting in June due to Coronavirus.

Rich Ulm- *1st VP*

MEMBERSHIP UPDATES

Here we are at the start of summer when we look forward to our Members bringing interested new members to our summer activities. We will do our best with emails alerting everyone to the latest updates to coming events. Our summer socials if and when they occur always provide a great venue to introduce prospective members to our Club.

We will be emailing our Membership and Liability forms in August this year so any prospective Members can attend their required two meetings or events in time for the season ahead. Let's hope our fun events rollout soon! Stay tuned!

-Membership



MSC Activities 2020

Modesto Ski Club



Please note cancellations for June. Activities cancelled will be reviewed for consideration/rescheduling in the future when restrictions are lifted.

Alison Peltier- *Second VP/Activities*

ACTIVITIES FOR 2020



6/9 Summer Meeting/Pot Luck Hosted by Sharon Wolinski
CANCELLED
 (209) 262-8128 srwbvf@gmail.com

6/18 Picnic in Graceada Park, **CANCELLED**
 Hosted by Kim Ruth(209) 543-2784 mimikim78.km@gmail.com



6/27 Music Jam Session at the Lodge/Bike Ride, Hosted by Rob Orr
 (209) 402-1956 roborr@sbcglobal.net



7/14 Summer Meeting/Pot Luck, Hosted by Dave Garcez
 (209) 324-9823 garcez@pacbell.net



7/25 Modesto Ski Club Luau, Hosted by Rob Orr and Ron & Pam Allen
 (209) 402-1956 roborr@sbcglobal.net



8/11 Summer Meeting/PotLuck, Hosted by Robert & Eileen Riedel
 (209) 988-4484 b.riedel@sbcglobal.net



8/15 Wine Tasting/Sharing Party, Hosted by Sharon Wolinski
 (209) 262-8128 srwbvf@gmail.com



9/8 Summer Meeting/Pot Luck, Hosted by Judy & Bill Hambre
 (209) 844-6341 hamrejudy@comcast.net



9/19 SF City Tour and BBQ, Hosted by Norm Azavedo
 (925) 451-2727 nazevedo@sbcglobal.net



9/25 to 9/27 Work Weekend at MSC Lodge. Call Michelle Nightingale
 (209) 649-7113 mnighte@aol.com

10/13 Membership Meeting at the Man Cave, Hosted by Denise Cook
 (209) 526-3772 drjenks56@yahoo.com



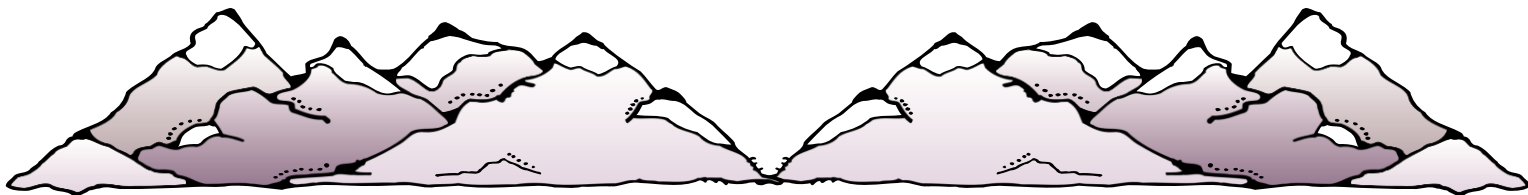
10/17 Angle Island Bike Ride, Hosted by Doug Ball
 (209) 481-2642 dwball237@att.net



11/14 Chili Cook Off at the Man Cave, Hosted by Randy and Denise Cook
 (209) 526-3772 drjenks56@yahoo.com



12/10 Holiday Dinner TBD



Far West Ski Association & Bay Area Council

Hi, skiers.

Now that we can venture out again, we can start thinking about going places. So far, all upcoming trips are on schedule, but, of course, as we have experienced, that can change in a hurry. But let's think positively and start planning.

Our domestic ski trip next winter will be at Sun Valley, Idaho, from January 30-February 6, 2021. Our international trip will be to Solden, Austria, from February 19-27, 2021 with an extension to Spain February 27- March 7. Far West Travel is planning an adventure trip to Chile in the summer of 2021, with dates and itinerary to be announced later. An Alaska cruise is planned for June 19-30, 2021. To get more information on any of those trips, go to the BAC website at skibac.org or contact Gail Burns at bac.travel@skibac.org. We do not know if we will get any more travel restriction next season, but we hope the virus will be manageable. I hope everybody is doing fine and ready to start planning our summer activities.

Maarten Vandermeer, BAC rep.

TAHOE MUSIC FESTIVAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Hello Y'all:

This message is re inform you about our Tahoe Music Fest set for 26, 27 & 28 June at the Modesto Ski Club lodge in Truckee, CA.

There have been questions about the event actually being held. At this time, we are still planning to have the festival.

HOWEVER, I want to give everybody a heads up about the present restrictions. Presently, the City of Truckee and the County of El Dorado are prohibiting any usage of hotels, motels and guest houses. I'm hoping things will change significantly in the next 8 days. If they don't, we will CANCEL the event.

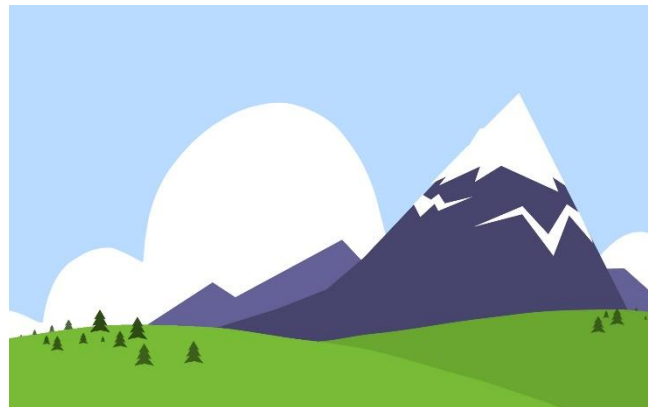
But, we have a backup plan for those dates in Modesto. Therefore, on 15 June, a decision will be made as to whether we'll go to plan B....

Rob Orr



June 2020

5/31	6/1	6/2 Happy Birthday! Thomas Helsby Peter Camarena	6/3 Happy Birthday! Joshua Nightengale	6/4	6/5 Happy Birthday! Pam Allen	6/6
6/7	6/8	6/9	6/10	6/11	6/12 Happy Birthday! Pat Ramsay	6/13 Happy Birthday! Erin Stender Brian French
6/14 Happy Birthday! Lykele Miedema Mary Azevedo	6/15 Happy Birthday! William Silveira	6/16	6/17	6/18	6/19 Happy Birthday! Lawrence Waspe	6/20
6/21 Happy Birthday! Scott Goodreau	6/22	6/23	6/24 	6/25	6/26	6/27
6/28 Happy Birthday! Michelle Nightengale	6/29	6/30	7/1	7/2 Happy Birthday! Gayle Yamamoto Jacqui Breitenbucher	7/3	7/4 Happy Birthday! Cheryl Kelly Mary Lou Griffin-Culver



Current MSC Board

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