



Foothills Ski Club August 2011 Newsletter

The summer party will be held at the Baileys' house on Saturday August 13 starting at 6 pm. Come early and enjoy the lake view and dock. Directions are posted on the web at <http://www.foothillsskiclub.com/> and later in this newsletter.

Louie Dreinhofer, the editor

President's Corner

Summer is on the wane and football season is around the corner. Can ski season be far behind?

Think Snow - Deep & Powdery!!!

Only in the mountains out West of course.

We look forward to seeing everyone at the next meeting – Saturday, August 13th at 6:00PM. The meeting will be at the home of Bob and Donna Bailey, 660 Pine Lane, Friendsville.

This will be the sign-up meeting for our visit to Taos, New Mexico on Feb. 4th – 11th! Thanks are due to Bob and Mary Charles for putting together what should be a great trip. If you can't be there in person, please let Bob Harris know (by e-mail) if you plan to go to Taos. We will be trying to finalize numbers for further planning. Initial deposits for the Taos trip will be due at the sign-up.

The "shoulder trip" to Telluride has made and a small group is looking forward to a great warm-up week prior to Taos. As of now there has been little interest in a "shoulder trip"

to Silverthorne, CO the week following Taos. If more interest does not emerge at the August meeting we will cancel the Silverthorne trip.
See you at the Bailey's!

Bob Garbutt
President

Foothills Ski Club Officers for 2011/12.

President	Bob Garbutt
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Social Chair	Janette Garbutt
Trip Chair	Bob Harris
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Membership Chair	Mary Charles Harris

Calendar of Events

Aug 13 – Summer Party and Trip Signup – The Baileys
Oct 14 – Oktoberfest – The Garbutts
Nov 11 – Thanksgiving – Savannah Park Clubhouse
Dec 9 – Christmas Party – Sullivan's Maryville
Jan 13, 2012 – Savannah Park Clubhouse
Mar 16, 2012 – Snowy Awards – Savannah Park Clubhouse

Social

The meeting will be Saturday, Aug. 13, 2011 at the Baileys house in Friendsville and will be a pot luck starting at 6:00 pm. I will make the meat dish (pork loin) and if everyone could call and let me know what they can bring--that would be wonderful. A charge of \$5 per person is suggested to cover the cost of the meat, beverages, and supplies. Call my cell 865-824-6106. Look forward to seeing everyone and signing up for the trips.

Janette Garbutt

Program

Party and Discuss Trips!

TripReports

Telluride, CO Jan. 28th - Feb. 4th

We have 3 couples going to ski in Telluride Co. This is a full house. Other houses as well as condos are available for rent by owner. If there are any others interested in going let me know and I will try to help you arrange accommodations.

Taos, NM Feb. 4th - Feb. 11th

This is our Club Sponsored Trip...

We will be staying at The Sagebrush Inn in Taos. We have stayed here a couple of times in the past and it has always been a wonderful experience. The accommodations have always been great. **This year as in the past breakfast is included with your room reservation.** A gratuity of \$2.00 per person per breakfast is suggested for the breakfast staff.

Since this is a destination trip, no travel is included in the cost. It will be up to each individual to arrange their own transportation. I suggest talking with other participants and arranging to share vehicles if possible, let me know if I can be of assistance.

We have reserved 15 Executive Suites at a special rate of \$706.00 per room (double occupancy). These rooms are located at the rear of the property and have plenty of convenient parking. These rooms have a King bed in the bedroom, a Queen Murphy bed in the living area, a fireplace, small refrigerator, coffee maker, two full baths and indoor/outdoor porch/patio.

Trip Cost

Room = \$706.00 (double occupancy)
Plus \$10 per person for refreshments.

Payment Schedule

\$100 @ Aug. 13th signup
\$200 due Oct. 1st
\$200 due Nov. 1st
\$226 due Dec. 1st

Total cost per couple \$726

Cancellation Policy:

Full refund before Dec. 30th
Cancellation penalty of \$100. from Jan. 1 to Jan 14th.
After Jan. 15th no refund.

If you are booking single, the room cost will be the same **\$706**
Best to find a roommate to split the cost.
Plus \$10 for refreshments making your total cost **\$716**

As usual all participants must be paid club members at signup and will be required to sign a liability release form for the trip.

Summit County, CO Feb. 11th - Feb. 18th

At this time no one has expressed interest in this offering. This will be discussed at the signup meeting.

Bob Harris
Trip Chair

Membership

Calling all prospective and former members of the Foothills Ski Club! It is time to download your ski club application from our website and join today! You may mail your completed form along with your membership dues to Foothills Ski Club, P.O. Box 4422, Maryville, TN 37802. Membership dues are very affordable. (In fact, we will be offering some discounted rates for new members who join our Taos trip, so be on the look out for those prices.) However, for now, a family may join for \$35 or if you were a member last year, your renewal dues are only \$30. New individual dues are only \$30 or renewal dues are \$25. Students are just \$20. If you prefer to have a hard copy of the membership application, I will have those available at the August 13th meeting at the Bailey's. I'm looking forward to seeing everyone there and be sure to pass the word to your friends and family that they are welcome to join us any time!

Membership form can be found at <http://foothillsskiclub.com/>

Mary Charles Harris
Membership Chair

Directions to the Baileys

Take 321 S towards Friendsville

Approx 6 miles turn right on TN-333 (E Main Av)

Continue on W Main Av

Turn Left on W Hill Av

Continue onto Unitia Rd approx 1.4 mi

Turn right onto Roax Rd approx 0.3 mi

Turn left onto Pine St

Becomes Pine Ln in approx 0.6 mi

You have arrived at 660 Pine Ln, Friendsville, TN - house at end of long driveway

Lost – call 865-988-8333



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