

TRIP COMMITTEE UPDATE:

Thanks to everyone that has signed up to date for a trip.

Our trip to **Lake Tahoe February 10-17, 2018** still has some seats available. Checkout the website for trip details. Contact Devera Kazmerski with any questions and or to sign up at devykaz@aol.com

Our trip to the **Zermatt Utah Resort & Spa February 28 – March 4, 2018** still has room available for a great extended weekend of relaxation and or skiing/ boarding. Don't forget you have an opportunity to swim and or go scuba diving in a **Geo Thermal Crater**. Once inside, you can go swimming, scuba diving, snorkeling, enjoy a therapeutic soak, or even take a paddleboard yoga class. **The Crater is the only warm water scuba diving destination in the continental US** and attracts many diving enthusiasts and those wishing to get certified in a comfortable environment. You do not have to get wet to have a one-of-a-kind experience inside The Crater. Many guests just enjoy the self-guided Crater tour, the history, geology, and archeology of this unique natural phenomenon. Please contact Jon Doman with any questions and or to sign up at jkdoman@aol.com

The **Andorra/ Barcelona, Spain trip January 12-22, 2018** has a few seats available. This is a 10 day trip that includes a 2 night extension in Barcelona, Spain. Stefanie has pricing available for skiers/boarders as well as those that would just like to do some great touring in Europe. Note: All checks for the Andorra trip need to be made payable to the Merck Ski Association along with your signed trip application and a copy of your passport. **Now is the time to sign up as this trip will need to release both lodging and air seats by October 20, 2017.** Please contact Stefanie Stoyanov with any questions and or to sign up at Stefanie.stoyanov@merck.com

Our weekend trips are now available to sign up. We are going to **Gore Mt. Feb.2-4, 2018** and **Killington Feb.23-25, 2018**. Please contact the appropriate trip leader to get on board.

Our bus day trips are to **Elk Mt.** on Friday, January 26, 2018, **Blue Knob** on Sunday, February 11, 2018 and **Seven Springs** on Friday, March 9, 2018. We will have pricing available for these day trips at the Central PA Ski/Boarding Expo on Wednesday October 18, 2017.

The skiing/boarding continues to roll on with a few drive up/ carpool trips: Wed.-Fri. February 7-9, 2018 to **Windham Mt.** Day drive up/ carpool trips to **Jack Frost/Big Boulder** Wednesday Feb.21, 2018, **Whitetail** on Tuesday Feb.27, 2018 and don't forget about the annual LSC Race/ Family Ski Day at **Roundtop** on Sunday January 28, 2018.

*Have you thought about being a trip leader but not sure on what all is involved on leading a trip. **Well!!** We have a solution for you. We are looking for those that would be willing to shadow a trip leader on either a weekend or day trip. This is a great way to get started on learning the ins and outs of running a trip. New trip leaders are always needed. Please contact Jon Doman on shadowing a trip leader.*

If you have any questions concerning the trips, trip application or sign up policy, please contact me directly.

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