



## July-August 2010 Update

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### September 1st (Wednesday) Board Meeting

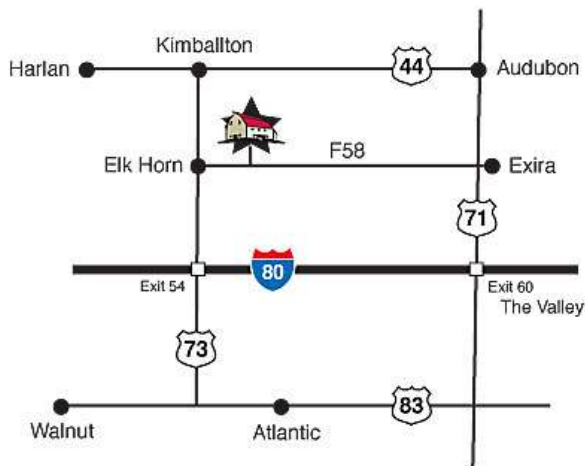
**6:30 p.m. – Buffalo Wild Wings, Council Bluffs, Iowa**

At 3701 Metro Drive, on the west side of I-29, exit 47, north of Rt 275.  
All members welcome.

### September 12th (Sunday) Social Gathering +Wine Excursion

**1 p.m. Danish Countryside Vines and Wines, Elk Horn, IA**

North of I-80 exit 54, then a little east of Elk Horn, on county road F58.  
Meet at 1:00 at the winery. They are open 1:00 to 5 p.m. on Sunday.



Anyone who would like to carpool, meet at 60th & Grover (close to the Interstate) at the Firefighters Hall parking lot at 12:30. Please call Mary @ 515-1686 or e mail [vp-activities@omahaskiclub.org](mailto:vp-activities@omahaskiclub.org) if you are planning on meeting to carpool so we won't leave without you!

Meeting point address:

Omaha Firefighters Hall  
6005 Grover Street  
Omaha, NE 68106

There is complimentary wine tasting at the Danish Countryside Vines & Wines tasting room. We can browse the gift shop. Please bring \$5 to take the tour and see how the wine is made. Afterwards we can get a bite to eat at one of three restaurants in Elk Horn.

### October 3rd (Tuesday) Trip Signup Party

**5 p.m. – Senor Matias, 90<sup>th</sup> and Arbor St**

A little north of Center St. Everyone welcome.

### October 12th (Tuesday) Board Meeting

**6:30 p.m. – Quaker Steak and Lube, Council Bluffs, Iowa**

At 3320 Mid America Drive, Just north of I-80, west of exit 1B.  
All members welcome.

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## **October 22nd (Friday) German Dinner**

### **7 p.m. – Zum Biergarten, Bellevue**

At 513 N. Fort Crook Rd, on the east side a bit north of Cornhusker.  
Everyone welcome.

### **New and Renewal Members**

The Omaha Ski Club welcomes the following new and renewal members:

William Berger  
Andy Bohn  
Felix Kalinowski  
Mark Storz  
Janet Tuttle

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# President's Letter

I know that I had a lot of fun on the past season's trips that I attended, which included Winter Park, Crested Butte, and Park City. Winter Park was the FSA annual trip. At Crested Butte, you could ski the whole mountain and we got up to and went down some of the extreme runs. On the Park City trip we skied Park City, Deer Valley, and The Canyons, and some of us also went to Sundance, the resort that Robert Redford owns. It had just 2 long lifts and it's the first time I've been on a lift that has three exit points. From the top you could see almost forever: the Great Salt Lake, Provo, and the highway below. We found that the bowls were steeper than we thought. I would recommend that if you are out in the Park City area that you check Sundance out.

I just got back from the June FSA meeting in Kansas City. I found out what I need to do as the 2010-2011 FSA Activities Director. I will need some help from our club members while we are in Steamboat.

I think that the trips to Steamboat and Telluride will be a lot of fun. Please sign up early for these trips to guarantee your spot.

Phil Bintz  
President  
Omaha Ski Club

# *Steamboat, CO (Jan 26-30, 2011)*

## **Drive-Out Trip**

**44 spots available**

\$527.00 per person

\$375.00 per person without lift-ticket

The Omaha Ski Club and the Flatlands Ski Association (FSA) annual FSA Trip will be at Steamboat Springs, Colorado. The trip includes:

- 4 of 5 day lift ticket beginning on Wednesday 1/26. If not skiing on 1/26 this can also be used for Sunday 30<sup>th</sup>. Additional days are available if purchased with trip package.
- 4 nights of lodging in 2BD/2BR condos at the Timber Run Condos located on shuttle route near the base. These condos feature wireless internet access, outdoor heated pool and hot tubs, and parking. We will all be located in the same condo complex. (If you plan to arrive a day early, check with the trip leader as we will have one condo available. Additional cost TBA) (Check in @ 4PM check out @ 10 AM. This condo complex has a clubhouse area and front desk staff.)
- FSA Welcome Party
- Awards Banquet on Saturday
- Racing opportunities for anyone who wishes to participate
- Après ski parties

Steamboat Resort has terrain for all levels of skiing/snowboarding. There are also opportunities to take lessons at the resort if needed. (Cost not included in trip pricing)

**Trip Captain: Teri Hammon 402 571-4517 (Home)**  
**402 680-0971 (Cell)**  
**dragonsrock@cox.net**

<b>Payment Schedule:</b> <b>At sign-up \$50.00 deposit</b> <b>10-26-10 \$150.00</b> <b>11-26-10 \$150.00</b> <b>12-20-10 Balance plus lifts</b> Checks made out to the Omaha Ski Club
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Everyone is required to be a member of the Omaha Ski Club. If you are not a member of the club, please fill out a membership application and return it to the address below with your membership fee. New members are WELCOME!

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**All prices stated above are subject to change or cancellation if participation is not adequate.** The Omaha Ski Club is able to offer our members great trips because of the member participation. Please support your Club.

**For information on any trip, please contact the trip captain or:**

**Teri Hammon**  
**Vice President of Trips**  
**Omaha Ski Club**  
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**OMAHA SKI CLUB TRIPS**  
**P.O. BOX 3104**  
**OMAHA NE 68103-0104**

# Chicago Week @ Telluride CO (February 26-March 5, 2011) Drive-Out Trip (Fly-Out Optional)

**28 spots available**

\$940.00 per person

\$1390.00 per person with R/T Airfare

Join the Omaha Ski Club and the Chicago Metropolitan Ski Council (CMSC) as they host the annual CMSC Week to Telluride, CO. The trip includes:

- Lift-tickets for 5 days of skiing/snowboarding. Optional 6<sup>th</sup> day ticket available. Cost TBA. Needs to be purchased with package.
- 7 nights of lodging at Etta Place Condos (2 bed/2bath condos) walking distance to the lifts.
- Round trip airfare from Omaha including ground transfers is available with purchase of complete air package.
- Travel Insurance (*optional*)
- Welcome Breakfast
- Welcome Reception
- Après ski parties
- Racing opportunities for anyone who wishes to participate (but it's fun to experience racing without being pressured to win!)
- Mountain Picnic
- Farewell Party

There are also opportunities to take lessons at the resort if needed (not included in trip pricing)

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<b>Payment Schedule:</b> <b>10-3-10 \$50.00 deposit</b> <b>10-27-10 \$250.00 + airfare</b> <b>if air package selected.</b> <b>11-28-10 \$250.00</b> <b>12-28-10 \$250.00</b> <b>1-28-2011 \$140.00</b> Checks made out to the Omaha Ski Club
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**OMAHA SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION  
JUNE 2010 – MAY 2011**

MEMBERSHIP STATUS:      NEW \_\_\_\_ RENEWAL \_\_\_\_  
Through September 30, 2010:      FAMILY \$25 \_\_\_\_ SINGLE \$22 \_\_\_\_  
After September 30, 2010:      FAMILY \$30 \_\_\_\_ SINGLE \$27 \_\_\_\_

**MEMBER INFORMATION - - - PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Check this box  if you are 21 years or older.      For family membership, list all dependent minors on back of application.

If new member, how did you hear about the club? \_\_\_\_\_

Ski/Snowboard destinations you're interested in: \_\_\_\_\_

Activities you're interested in: Biking \_\_\_\_ Bowling \_\_\_\_ Dinners \_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_  
(please list)

Other Interests: (please list) \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** BY SIGNING THIS APPLICATION I RELIEVE THE OMAHA SKI CLUB, INC. (OSC) OF ANY RESPONSIBILITY FOR ACCIDENT OR INJURY I INCUR WHILE PARTICIPATING IN ANY OSC ACTIVITIES. I ALSO CERTIFY THAT I AM OF LEGAL DRINKING AGE IN THE STATE OF NEBRASKA.

**SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Must be signed and dated)

[OSC USE ONLY]      MEMBERSHIP NO. \_\_\_\_\_ BD. \_\_\_\_\_ TR. \_\_\_\_\_ NL. \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Omaha Ski Club, P.O. Box 3104, Omaha, NE 68103-0104



# TRIP APPLICATION

(Required for each individual on the trip) (PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY)

Trip Destination \_\_\_\_\_ Trip Dates \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ M.I. \_\_\_\_\_ LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEX \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
 CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_  
 HOME PH. \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PH. \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PH. \_\_\_\_\_

### EMERGENCY CONTACT:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

I Prefer to Room With \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER INFO \_\_\_\_\_

### THE OMAHA SKI CLUB MEMBER SIGNING THIS APPLICATION AGREES AS FOLLOWS

The member has read the OSC trip policies on the bottom of this application and understands and agrees to be bound by them as a condition of participation in this trip. The member further agrees that the club, its directors or committee chairmen shall bear no financial responsibility to members in the event of a delayed departure or return of a trip, or for cancellation of a trip except as provided in items 7 through 10 of the trip policies, nor shall they be liable for any bodily injury, property damage, loss of personal property, or death sustained by or caused by any member on a trip. Those individuals causing property damage at the lodges, condos, busses, ski areas, etc. shall bear the full legal and financial responsibility for the damages. It is a condition of membership in the club that any individual shall be deemed to have accepted these responsibilities and limitations of liability as a consideration of joining the club and participating in this trip.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

[osc use only] deposit: amount paid \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_ ck or rpt no \_\_\_\_\_

### OMAHA SKI CLUB TRIP POLICIES

- 1) Trip captain is the final authority on and during the trip.
- 2) Club members will conduct themselves in a mature manner at all times.
- 3) There will be a \$28.00 charge on any returned check.

### TRIP SIGN-UP, DEPOSITS AND PAYMENTS

- 4) Only members in good standing with dues currently paid to the Omaha Ski Club may sign up for a trip. Children under the age of 19 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian on the trip. A trip application for a child under the age of 19 must be signed by a parent or guardian of the child.
- 5) By signing up for a trip a member agrees to pay the Club the full cost of the trip applied for, subject to the provisions for timely cancellation in item 7). Each trip will have its own trip deposit and payment schedule to be set by the trip committee. A deposit is required to sign up for a trip. Failure to meet the payment schedule may result in automatic cancellation from the trip subject to the cancellation fee in item 7).
- 6) When a trip is full the trip captain will start a waiting list. To be placed on the waiting list a member must fill out and sign a trip application and pay the standard deposit for that trip. Waiting list members must meet the payment schedules when moving to the confirmed lists.

### CANCELLATIONS AND REFUNDS

- 7) Unless otherwise listed in individual trip information, cancellations prior to 60 days before the trip departs will result in a cancellation fee of \$50.00; cancellations less than 60 days before the trip departs will result in a cancellation fee of \$100.00 if the trip goes full, or liability for the full cost of the trip if the trip does not go full. Any cancellation fees or penalties may first be deducted from payments the member made for the trip.
- 8) Transferring from the waiting list on one trip to a confirmed list on another trip will be done with no cancellation fee. Refusal to move from the waiting list to the confirmed list will constitute automatic cancellation subject to the cancellation fee in item 7) above.
- 9) If a trip is cancelled by the club, all money paid to the club by a member for that trip will be refunded.
- 10) All members on the waiting list when the trip departs will receive a full refund.
- 11) No refunds will be made until after the trip returns.

### BUS TRIPS

- 12) Smoking on buses is prohibited.
- 13) Any time the bus stops en route to its destination, passengers leaving the bus will do so at their own risk.
- 14) The Omaha Ski Club will not provide alcoholic beverages for any bus trip. If any members wish to consume alcoholic beverages on the trip, they can do so at their own expense, and assume all risks and liabilities associated with such consumption.