



A Message from the President.....

Hi everyone,

Another year has passed and we are looking towards the beginning of our next ski season! I enjoy the cooler temperatures and the weather reports of snow in the mountains. I hope we enjoy powder days again this year.

A quick recap of last year...

Early season started at Snowmass with 13 members. This was followed by the FSA Trip to Telluride with 25 members. We ended the season with the CMSC Spring Fling to Snowbird UT with 5 members. We had good member participation on the trips and broke even from a financial standpoint. I would like to see our numbers grow over the next year.

Teri has a couple of great trips planned for this coming year. The first trip to **Copper Mountain** in early December will be a good time to get your ski legs and make sure your gear is in proper condition and your ski outfit still fits. *Get your own lift tickets for Copper...a Four Pass or Season Pass is your best buy.* Get these early!

In January, we join FSA for a trip to **Steamboat!** I always enjoy this trip, meeting with old friends from other clubs and making new ones. I love skiing Steamboat with the varied terrain, trees and a little bit for everyone. Again, we are offering a 7 day and a 4 day option with varying lift ticket days. It's your choice. Both trips have a limited number of spaces at the prices that we are offering. Sign up early! Trip applications can be found on the website at www.omahaskiclub.org. We will have a couple more trips to be announced soon. If anyone has any suggestions for trips later in the season, please contact either Teri or myself. We welcome new ideas from our members.

I would like to offer our condolences to the family of one of our long time members, Don Hamel, who passed away earlier this year. Also, our condolences to Valerie Ford who lost her mother recently. Please keep them in your prayers.

As the new season begins, I want to welcome our members both old and new and I encourage you all to join us on a trip and bring a friend. The more folks we can add to the trips, the lower the cost for each of us. If you haven't submitted your 2016-2017 membership yet, today would be a great day to do it!

I hope everyone had a great summer and I look forward to skiing with you soon!



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