CLASC News 2018.10.16 Trip signup cutoff dates and Calendar

Howdy CLASC Members and Friends!

Here's what's in the news:

- 1. Trips Status Cutoff dates!
- 2. October Happy Hour
- 3. 45th Anniversary Party Report
- 4. Calendar looking ahead

3. Trips Status. Detailed trip flyers are available on the CLASC web page: <u>www.clasc.org</u>

TSC Winter Expedition – Zermatt, Switzerland Jan 18-26 Cutoff date: Tomorrow, Oct 17 This trip is will be dropping ALL unused lodging and air this week! Don't miss out on your chance to go to fabulous Zermatt or to the island of Malta! Contact Trip leader Dan Willett at dwillett.clasc@email.com

{Still looking for an Assistant Trip Leader. This would be a great opportunity to "learn the ropes" for Europe!}

TSC Winter Shootout – **Breckenridge, Colorado** Feb 2-9 **Cutoff date: Oct 28.** Always a CLASC favorite! Still space left on this trip. Ground only (meet the bus in Denver, or get yourself to the mountain). Contact Trip Leader Doodie Taylor at <u>dejtaylor@comcast.net</u>

TSC Final Showdown – Whitefish, Montana Feb 23-Mar 2 Cutoff date: Nov 10. Four spots left! Contact Trip Leader Missy Adams, <u>missyadams.clasc@gmail.com</u> or ATL Jim Robertson, <u>irobertson@teconservices.com</u>.

TSC Fall Expedition – **Portugal Douro River Cruise** Sept 25 – Oct 5 **Wait list started** Still more than a year off, but this trip is already full, with a wait list started. Post trip options TBD. Contact Trip Leader Keith Zimmerman, <u>keith.d.zimmerman@nasa.gov</u>, or ATL Ken Stuchly, <u>kenclasc@comcast.net</u>

1. October Happy Hour

Friday, October 19, 5:30 – 7:30 pm. Live music starting at 8:00.
Vino e Formaggio Cafe, 20801 Gulf Freeway #24/25, Webster TX 77598
Map: https://goo.gl/maps/NfM6besaFq62
(Behind Cavender's, in the very corner, next to what used to be a Bally's Fitness center)
We're celebrities! Check out the photo on the web page:
http://www.vinoeformaggiocafe.com/

2. 45th Anniversary Party

We had a great time, with 40 people in attendance! THANKS to all of the committee who organized and executed the event!!

On a sad note, the owner of Opus Ocean Grill, Mr. Chris Simon, died suddenly on Tuesday. He was the nice man who greeted everyone at the door on Saturday.

4. Calendar – looking ahead

November Membership meeting Friday, Nov 9, 6:30 - 8:30 pm South Shore <u>Golf Clubhouse</u>. 4300 South Shore Blvd, League City 77573 (NOT the hotel.) Catch up with your CLASC friends, make payments for Trips, renew your membership! Map: <u>https://goo.gl/maps/hQ1ztgZwVpA2</u>

November Happy Hour Friday, Nov 16, Craft 96 Draught House & Kitchen 2575 E. League City Pkwy, League City 77573 Web page: <u>https://goo.gl/maps/HEqDdpQyJeK2</u>

Annual CLASC Christmas Party Saturday, Dec 8 Details TBD

All this, and much more, on the web page: www.clasc.org !!

See you Friday! Go ASTROS!! Gayle Brown VP Trips