

CLASC News 2019.05.13 Trips open for Deposits

Howdy CLASC Members and Friends!

Here's what's in the news:

- 1. Change to Trip Deposits**
- 2. Winter Wake Party planning**
- 3. Trip Leaders and Assistants needed**

### **1. Change to Trip Reservation Deposits – now \$100**

The CLASC board was concerned about a potential cash-flow problem in paying for TSC Trip lodging and air reservation deposits this year.

Considerations:

- a. The deposit has been \$50 for as long as any of us can remember, but trip prices have tripled.
- b. The Club lodging and air reservation deposit payments have increased and gotten earlier.
- c. The Club no longer has sufficient bank balances to cover said payments without additional income from trip participants.

To that end the Board has voted to increase the Trip Reservation deposit to \$100 per person per trip. Reminder - this deposit holds a reserved spot on a trip until the Kickoff Membership meeting, September 6. This deposit is usually applied to the initial scheduled trip payment. This change was made to CLASC Standing Club Rules, Section II. B. (on the web page, under Forms.)

### **What's Next?!**

The 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 TSC Trips are now open for Reservation deposits!

You can bring your deposit checks (made to CLASC), along with your membership renewal, to the Winter Wake (see below), or mail them to:

Clear Lake Area Ski Club  
PO Box 58623, Houston, TX 77258

Be sure to note which trip the deposit is for.

The Membership form is also on the web page: <https://clasc.org/membership>

The Trip flyers are on the Trips tab.

### **2. May CLASC Activity – Annual Winter Wake**

Don't miss it! Sunday, May 19. Join us to say goodbye to a wonderful ski season, and usher in the next one!

The party will be from 1:00 to 4:00 pm at the Ives' home on Taylor Lake. Catered lunch.

**Bring Your Own Beverages**, and a lawn chair. Event cost is \$20 for Members, \$22 for Guests. Bring your checkbook to renew your membership and put down deposits on next years' trips.

**Please reply to the Evite**, so that we have a head count.

**HELP!** We're looking for volunteers to come help set up and/or help clean up, and possibly a few more folding tables. Contact Nancy, [nhsteger@yahoo.com](mailto:nhsteger@yahoo.com)

### **3. Trip Leaders and Assistants needed**

It's that time of year – Calling for Trip Leaders and Assistants for this year's trips. Training is available. Contact Gayle, [gbrown.clasc@yahoo.com](mailto:gbrown.clasc@yahoo.com)

All this, Trip flyers, and much more, on the web page: [www.clasc.org](http://www.clasc.org) !!

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