#### Here's what's in the News!

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- 1. Trips Status. The preliminary Trip flyers are available on the CLASC web

page: www.clasc.org

## Portugal Douro River Cruise Sept 25 – Oct 5, 2019

Some of them are already packing! Participant pre-trip party is set for Saturday, Sept 14. Trip Leader Keith Zimmerman, kzimmerm@att.net, ATL Ken Stuchly, kenclasc@comcast.net

Get your Reservation Deposit in for one (or more!) of the great trips in store for this next year:

## Breckenridge, Colorado Nov 26- Dec 1, 2019

Thanksgiving trip with special packages available for youth. EPIC Pass. Interested folks can travel with the Houston Ski Jammers.

# Keystone, Colorado Jan 4-11, 2020

Always a CLASC favorite! Lodging at the Lakeside Condos. Air into Denver. EPIC Pass. We have 20 spots available. Need a Trip Leader. Deposits needed by <u>Sept 6</u>.

## Chamonix, France Jan 31 - Feb 8, 2020

Don't miss out on your chance to go to fabulous French Alps! Lodging is ski-in/ski-out. Air to Geneva. 16 spots available. Need a Trip Leader.

### Crested Butte, Colorado Feb 22-29, 2020

We're way overdue to get back to Crested Butte. Lodging at Plaza Condos. Air to Gunnison. EPIC Pass. 30 spots available. Need a Trip Leader.

### Sun Valley, Idaho Mar 7-14, 2020

Ski Spring Break in the sun in Sun Valley! Lodging at the Sun Valley condos. Air to Boise. EPIC Pass. 24 spots available. Need a Trip Leader.

### **New Zealand** Oct 13 – 24, 2020 (non-ski trip)

A grand adventure to both North and South Islands. Pre trip options to Sydney, Australia. Post trip option to Fiji. Contact Trip Leader Keith Zimmerman, <a href="mailto:kzimmerm@att.net">kzimmerm@att.net</a>, or Assistant Trip Leader Nancy Steger, <a href="mailto:nhsteger@yahoo.com">nhsteger@yahoo.com</a>

28 people already signed up! We'll know our final space allotment in September.

You can bring your \$100 deposit checks (made to CLASC), along with your membership renewal, to the next CLASC event 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: <a href="https://clasc.org/membership">https://clasc.org/membership</a>

**We need Trip Leaders and Assistants!** We will continue with trips for which we have Trip Leaders. Please consider volunteering. Training is available. Contact VP Trips Gayle Brown, <a href="mailto:gbrown.clasc@yahoo.com">gbrown.clasc@yahoo.com</a>

#### 2. CLASC Calendar

**August Super Happy Hour**: THIS WEEK! **Friday, Aug 16, 5:30**, South Shore Golf Clubhouse. Get the details on all of the trips!

Bonus! Cruise Planners (Missy Adams) will be there with information on a Mediterranean Cruise for next May!

**September Kickoff Membership** meeting **Friday, Sept 13,** South Shore Golf Clubhouse. **September 20 Happy Hour**, location TBD **October 18 Happy Hour**, location TBD

(send Nancy, nhsteger@yahoo.com and Ann annzimm@sbcglobal.net suggestions!)

#### 3. Texas Ski Council (TSC) Trip Coordinators (TC) needed for 2021 trips

The TSC is looking for Trip Coordinators (formerly known as Trip VPs) for the 2020-2021 trips that have already been selected. Trip planning is already underway. Applications are requested by Aug 31.

2020-2021 Season	Dates	Destination	Tour Operator
Traditional Week	Jan 16-23, 2021	Snowmass, Colorado	Sports America Tours
Winter Expedition	Jan 29-Feb 6, 2021	Sellaronda/Val di Fassa, Italy	Winter Ski&Sports
Winter Shootout	Feb 20-27, 2021	Purgatory, Colorado	<b>Purgatory Resort</b>
Final Showdown	Mar 13-20, 2021	Lake Louise, Canada	Ski White Diamond

The TC position description and application documents are attached.

If you have any interest in one of these positions, please contact Gayle <a href="mailto:gbrown.clasc@yahoo.com">gbrown.clasc@yahoo.com</a>, or TSC Nominating committee chair Andrea Yoman, <a href="mailto:aryowman@aim.com">aryowman@aim.com</a>, with any questions.

Stay Cool!!
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