



HEASB WATER SKI CLUB

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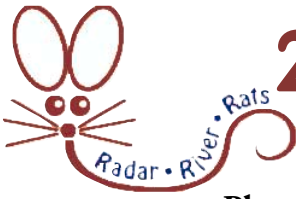
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Membership Due NOW!
Please Renew Today! See pg. 2!



2002 HEASB Water Ski Club Membership Application

Please, ONE application form per membership type (Individual or Family)

Name(s): _____ Home Ph: () _____
 E-Mail Address:** _____ Business Ph: () _____
 Birthday (Mo/Day): _____ Fax: () _____
 Home Address: _____ Emergency: () _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Contact: _____

** Note — Email will be the tool used for most of our communication with members. **Please print clearly.**

Raytheon Payroll Number: _____	LOC: _____	Bldg: _____	M/S: _____
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The membership year is from April 1 through March 31.

Please check (ONE only) the type of membership that applies to you:

____ \$20.00 **Single Membership**

____ \$50.00 **Family Membership** (three or more skiers at same address and includes skiing kids under 18)

**There is no membership fee for a non-skiing child under the age of 12.
However, ALL skiers must be members, regardless of age.**

A paper copy of the newsletter is available for \$10 a year

____ \$10.00 **Paper copy of the newsletter sent via US Mail.**

<p>Submit application with your check payable to HEASB WATER SKI CLUB by mail to: Cathy Schulte, P.O. Box 3080, El Segundo, CA 90245</p>

<p>This form must be sent to Cathy. DO NOT send this application with your trip reservation or both will be returned, which will affect your trip reservation.</p>
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The Rats are always looking for volunteers.

Would you be interested in helping run the club? Yes _____ No _____ Maybe _____

<p>WAIVER: I hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators waive and release any and all rights and claims I may have against HEASB Water Ski Club, Radar River Rats, Raytheon Employee Association (EA) or its representatives, agents, or board members of any and all injuries. The Raytheon Employee Association (EA) is a non-profit organization that has no association with Hughes Aircraft Company or Raytheon Systems Co.</p>
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Signature _____	Date _____
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SOUNDING

BORED

Board—

Yvonne Rupp will be back and doing the same excellent job she has always done as our Reservations Chairman.

Cindy Lemos was injured this winter and just started a new job and so she will be unable to do Reservations for us this year. Cindy hopes to be back skiing by August.

River Trips—

We've already had two fabulous trips to the river. **Kim Reed** was the trip leader for the first one that had **Bob-Tom Thompson** as the boat driver with **Paul Jackson** and **Mark Mathis** taking the kids out. I heard it was pretty windy, but still it was better than being in LA. Everyone pitched in to help out including **Cathy Schulte**, **Ellen Slaton**, **Carmen Jackson**, **Craig Henderson**, **Julie Wilder**, **Jami Thibault**, **Linda Newcomb-Mathis**, **Earl Kearney**. Taking advantage of the tube rides were **Jordyn & Michelle Mathis** and **Brian Jackson**.

River Parking—

The hook ups that are now available on the point are causing us a few problems. Parking was limited before and has now become even more of a challenge. We ask

for your cooperation with the parking. See the map on page 5 of this newsletter for the latest in parking.

First off, you must request hook ups when you sign up. The first three sign-ups requesting hook ups get priority, after the boat drivers, of course. We are reserving the spot near the trailer for the trip leader. The park brought in a bunch of rock on our last trip to give us back the parking near the trees. We are still working this out so please be flexible and move your vehicle if asked to do so by the trip leader or a board member.

Bob-Tom recommends bringing a 25' extension cord (and a blender for Gene).

Slalom Trips—

We had a very successful first trip. **Maury Adler** will be driving for the next trip on July 20, 2002. **There are only 4 more spots available for this trip.** We will be having a number of members from Beach Cities Ski Club joining us on this trip. Don't be left out. The trip is only 2 weeks away and it looks to be a good one! ■

Catherine

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU...

June

Craig Henderson	6/13
Kelly Podorsek	6/14
Paul Jackson	6/15
Gary Cann	6/26
Leif Widmayer	6/29

July

Larry Davis	7/08
Pam Malouf	7/09
Rick Fischer	7/16
Janice Hess	7/29



NEW AND RENEWING MEMBERS

Larry Davis
Rick Fisher
Suzanne Gilbert
Craig Henderson
Betty Jeffery

Jim Jeffery
Agnes Johnson
Mary Kircher
Peggy Knight
Patricia Ortiz

Laura Priess
Vicki Ripson
Ellen Slaton
Ashley Thompson
Courtney Thompson

Robert Thompson
Stephanie Thompson
Diana Zelika-Zomer

Jimmie Heuga Dinner

Gene Fulkerson outdid himself for the Jimmie Heuga Wine Maker Dinner. We had good participation from the Rats with **Paul & Carmen Jackson, Vicki Ripson** and **Patricia Ortiz** attending. **Linda & Mark Mathis** and **Scott & Kim Griffin** were unable to attend but send a donation anyway. Thanks to everyone we raised more than \$800 for the Jimmie Heuga Center for Multiple Sclerosis.

Here's what the rest of you missed out on. We will do it again and hope that more of you can join us.

Appetizers

Piper Heidsieck Extra Dry Champagne
Caviar on Toasted Sesame Crackers
Brie laced with Raspberry Preserves

2000 Kenwood Reserve Sauvignon Blanc
Marinated Mushrooms, Southern Italian Style

Salad

1999 EXP Tempranillo
Seared Ahi in Cracked Peppercorn

Second Course

1999 St. Francis Cabernet Sauvignon
Escargot in Garlic Butter

Raspberry Sorbet

Entrée

1999 Kenwood Mazzoni Zinfandel
1999 Kempton Clark Petite Sirah
Filet Mignon Grilled with Peppercorn Sauce
Roasted Garlic New Potatoes
Crisp Green Beans

Dessert

2000 EOS "Tears of Dew" Moscato
Crème Brûlée ■



Danielle, Jordyn, Kristine, Mandy, Courtney



The kids wearing shirts & hats from Gene



Kings of the Hill - Conor & Sean

River Trip: June 21-23

It was another great weekend with the Rats at Park Moabi. The Girls ruled on this trip with the girls outnumbering the Boys 8 to 2. **Sean** and **Conor Griffin** held their own and became kings of the rock pile with they attempted to transfer all the rocks from the hill to the hole in the sand. While **Michelle Mathis, Ashley Thompson** and **Erin Clark** skied, the little girls **Courtney Thompson, Jordyn Mathis, Kristine Aves** (**Agnes Johnson's** granddaughter), **Mandy Razo** (**Peggy Knight's** granddaughter), **Danielle Hess** played in the water.

Gene Fulkerson was back as trip leader and did a superb job with the chicken and top sirloin. He had ample help from **Linda Mathis, Peggy Knight, Kim Reed, Stephanie Thompson. Bob-Tom Thompson** provided the blender for the ice cream cocktails. **Jim & Janet Hess, Cathy Schulte** and **Vicki Ripson** especially enjoyed Happy Hour.

The boat drivers for the weekend were **Mark Mathis** and **Catherine Ohl. Bob-Tom** had his boat available to tow the kids around on the horseshoe ski and inner tube. First timer **Diana Zelika** (from Lativa) was a bit intimidated with it all. So she and **Sharianne Greer** went to get coffee and came back with a rental boat. They spent the afternoon exploring "The Sandbar." We finally got them out behind Cath's boat and both of them were able to get up on doubles. ■

Exclusive Ski Club Member Offer

**2 Years of SKI, SKIING,
Freeze, or Transworld
SNOWboarding**

Only \$17.97

Name _____
Mailing Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Method of Payment: Check Visa MC AEX
Check # or Credit Card Number _____
Signature _____ Exp. Date _____
Ski Club **Radar River Rats / NSCF - Promo Code 9CLU8-NSC**

Indicate below the magazine(s) you would like to receive by checking the appropriate box. Also check renewal box if you are currently receiving the magazine. **Include SEPARATE CHECKS of \$17.97 for EACH.**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Ski Magazine | <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal |
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Send completed form and checks (if applicable) or completed credit card information to:
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Boat Driver UPDATE

Boat Driver Assignments —

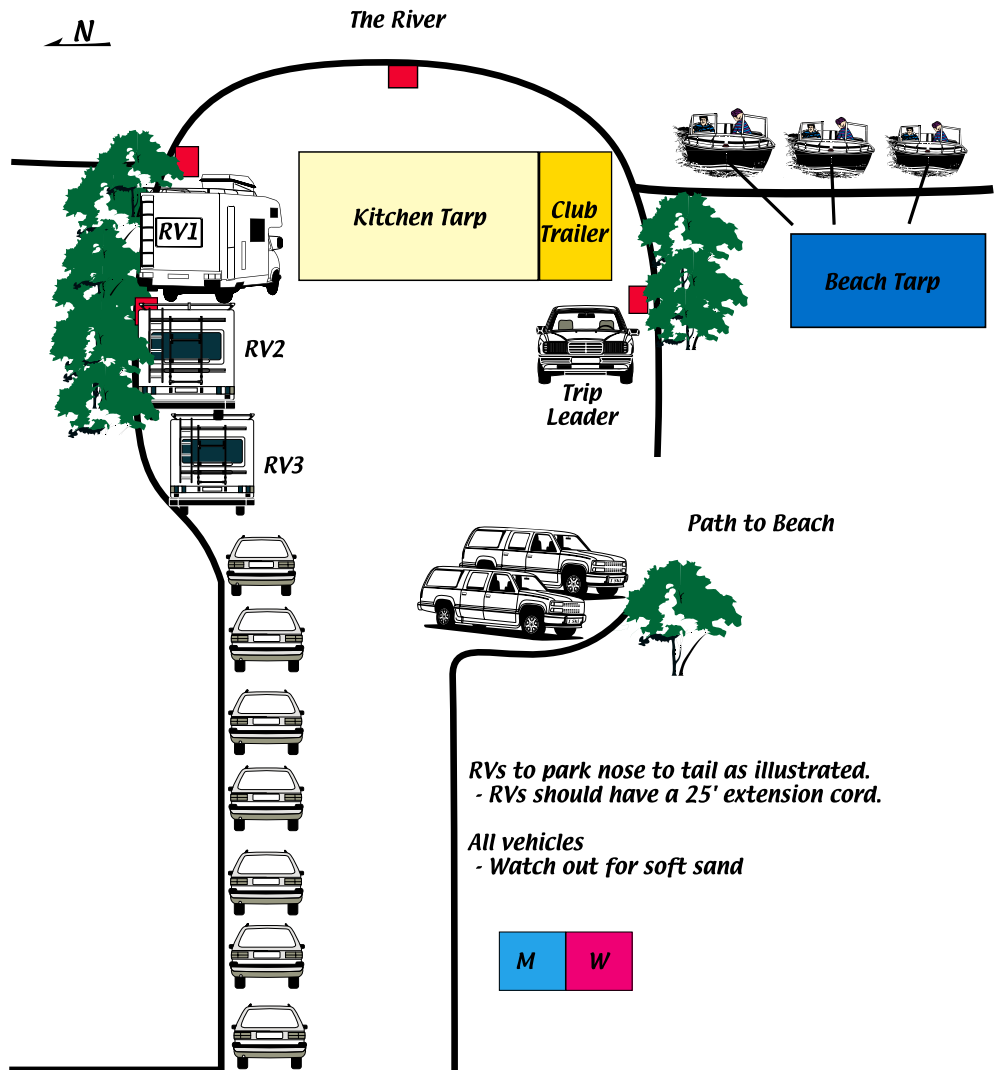
The forms are in and trips have been assigned. **Bob-Tom Thompson** and **Mark Mathis** have already driven one of their request trips. **Catherine Ohl** drove out of the queue. The queue now stands at **Paul Jackson, Bob-Tom Thompson, Mark Mathis, Gary Cann** and **Catherine Ohl**. The matrix to the right shows the boat driver's request trips. The "x" indicates that the driver is unavailable. ■



	Cath	Paul	Bob-Tom	Mark	Gary
6/6-8	x		request	x	
6/21-23				request	
7/12-14	request		x		
7/26-28		request		x	
8/9-11				x	
8/23-25		request		x	
9/6-8		x		x	request
9/20-22					request
10/4-6			request		
10/18-20	request				request

New!

Park Moabi Parking



Costa Rica

Pacific Rim presents

An Ecological Adventure to

Costa Rica

October 25 - 3 November 3, 2002

(8 Nights)

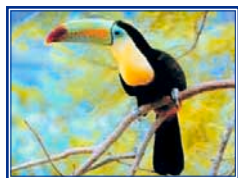
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Package to Include—

- Round Trip Air from Los Angeles or San Diego to San Jose, Costa Rica via United Airlines
- Round Trip Ground Transfer from San Jose to Quepos to Arenal to San Jose
- 4 Nights Lodging (Double Occupancy) Quepos - Choice of two Hotels —

Hotels are next to each other and only 100 yds. from the beach and Manuel Antonio Park (in Quepos)

- 4 Nights Lodging (Double Occupancy) Tabacón - Tabacón Resort & Spa is at the foot of Arenal Volcano. Daily entrance to the Tabacón Hot Springs is included.
- Lots of Parties
- Souvenir, other goodies & so much more



Price Does Not Include—

- US and Foreign Departure Fees and PFCs (est \$75)

Taking Reservations & Deposits NOW—

- \$200 will hold your spot.
- Send deposit to Pacific Rim—

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858-467-9469, gene@pacifierimalliance.org

Cancellation Policy will apply.

Central Holidays

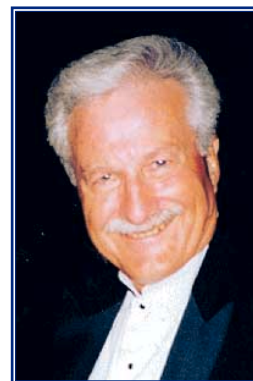
Chef's CORNER

by Gene Fulkerson

New York Steak with Green Peppercorn Sauce—

Ingredients

- 4 New York Steaks
- Fresh Ground Pepper
- Garlic Salt
- 1 cup Heavy Cream
- 2 tbs butter
- 1/3 cup Beef Broth
- 2 tbs Green Peppercorns
- Juice from the meat



Preparation

Season steak with fresh ground pepper and a touch of garlic salt. Grill steak to your taste (preferably rare). After grilling put on a plate and cover with foil to keep it warm.

Remember that the meat will continue to cook after you take it off the grill.

In a saute pan, melt butter. Add heavy cream, broth, juice from the meat and peppercorns, and just bring to a boil

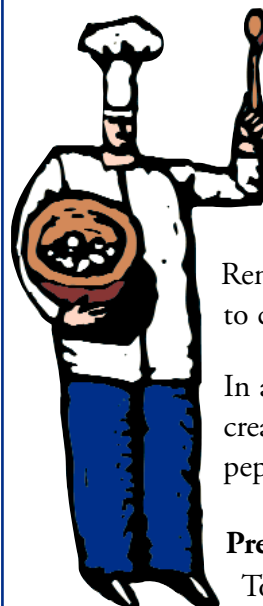
Presentation—

To serve, pour a quarter of the mixture over each steak. Serve with garlic mashed potatoes and steamed broccoli.

Wine—

Best paired with a full bodied Cabernet, Syrah or Zinfandel. My personal choice would be a 1997 Kenwood Jack London Cabernet Sauvignon.

Serves 4. ■



Southern Hemisphere Snow — Ski Resorts in Australia, Chile and New Zealand all opened ahead of schedule in early June after snow came earlier than expected.

In Chile's case it has arrived in particular abundance with Portillo (www.skiportillo.com) already sitting on 4 meters (13 feet), and counting. The resort opened its lifts to day visitors on June 7th with the world famous Hotel Portillo opening on June 15th.

In Australia, Perisher Blue opened its mountains early offering three days of free skiing and snowboarding before the 2002 snow season officially opened on Saturday.

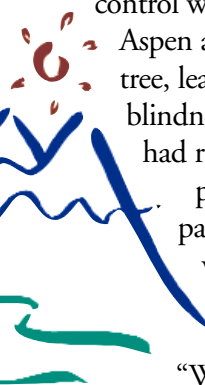
In New Zealand, skiers flocked to Mount Hutt and Queenstown's Coronet Peak for the start of the new season on the Queen's Golden Jubilee weekend. Mount Hutt ski area manager **Dave Wilson** said about 1700 people were on the mountain on Saturday and Sunday, making it the best start to a season for four years.

Ski Patrol Board Downsizes — In a long-planned move to improve the responsiveness of the association's leadership, the board of directors of the National Ski Patrol (NSP) reorganized and downsized at its annual meeting. The NSP board voted to shrink

from 24 members to 13, create a new nominating committee, and establish a new selection process.

Aspen Lawsuit—

On June 24, the Colorado Supreme Court overturned decisions made by lower courts regarding releases signed by parents on the behalf of their children. The case involved a 17-year-old boy lost control while racing at



Aspen and crashed into a tree, leading to his blindness. Lower courts had ruled against the plaintiff because the parents had signed a waiver. However, the Supreme Court wrote,

"We hold that the public policy of Colorado affords minors significant protections that preclude a parent or guardian from releasing a minor's own prospective claim for negligence."

Durango Master Plan Approved... Again —

After being forced to vote again on Durango Mountain Resort's master plan by a petition drive organized

by Colorado Wild, the La Plata Board of County Commissioners voted unanimously 3-0 to uphold their previous approval. The approval clears the way for a public vote which will likely take place on August 13. Durango's 25-year master plan includes 1,649 real estate units and 400,000 square feet of retail space on 612 acres, mostly concentrated at the base of the ski area.

Colorado Skier Visits Down—

Despite the lack of early-season snow, the aftermath of 9/11 and a slowing economy, Colorado skier visits were only off by 4 percent over last year. Colorado Ski Country USA reports that there were 11,145,181 skier visits for the 2001/2002 season, a decrease of 521,491 over last season's total of 11,666,672. ■

Fitness

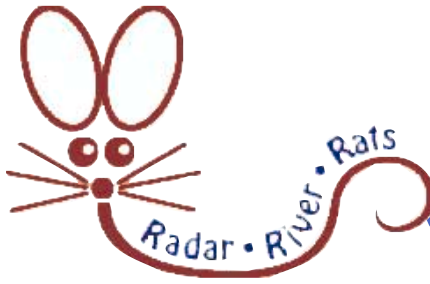
Finding Max Heart Rate

According to the American Heart Association, heart rates help you evaluate initial fitness levels, measure exercise intensity and monitor your progress.

The intensity of a workout can be measured as a percentage of your maximum heart rate. To calculate your max heart rate (MHR), subtract your age from 220 as follows:

$$\text{MHR} = 220 - \text{age}$$

People of the same age may have quite different maximum heart rates, so it's more accurate to calculate your MHR using a stress test rather than using an age-related formula. Check with your gym or doctor about taking a stress test. (Source: Heart-Rate Zones) ■



**HEASB WATER SKI CLUB
PRESENTS**

2002 WATER SKI PROGRAM

SLALOM TRIPS

1 Day Water Skiing at Thompson's Ski Ranch

July 20 • August 17 • September 14

\$57 skiers / \$20 non-skiers

Intermediate to Advanced Skiers

Alcohol NOT Allowed



**Only 4 Spots
available for
July 20!**

THOMPSON SKI RANCH SLALOM TRIP

To get on the waiting list, make checks payable to the HEASB WATER SKI CLUB and send to:
Catherine Ohl, 10818 Viacha Dr., San Diego, CA 92124-3421 (One form per person per trip)
For information, contact Catherine at rats@catmeowz.com or 858-467-9469

NAME: _____ TRIP DATE: _____

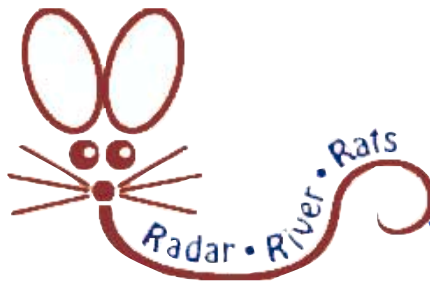
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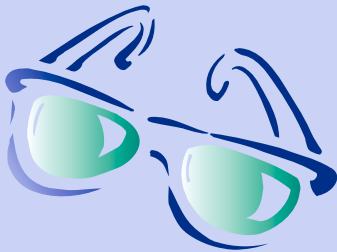
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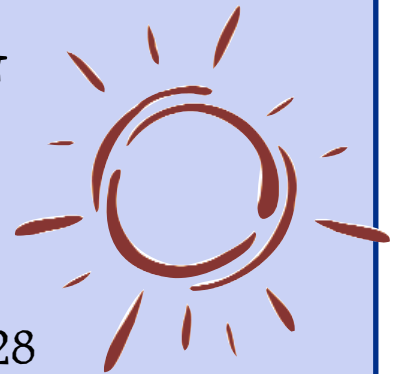
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2002 WATER SKI PROGRAM

COLORADO RIVER TRIPS



2 Days Water Skiing
Sandy Beaches • Camping
Ski Equipment
Food • Beer • Wine • Soda



July 12-14

July 26-28

August 9-11

August 23-25

September 6-8

September 20-22

October 4-6

October 18-20

\$89 skiers / \$42 non-skiers / \$18 children (5-11)

Everyone is Welcome. Beginner to Expert, Family and Friends.

For Information and Applications:

River Skiers: Patricia (323) 651-0686 (Before 9:00 pm) or PatriciaOrtiz1@juno.com

Boat Drivers: Gene (858) 467-9469 or boats@radarriverrats.org

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