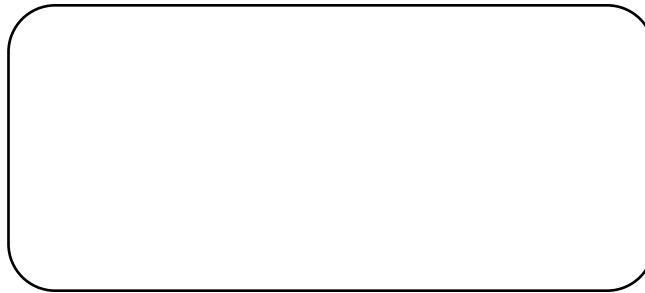




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c/o Cathy Schulte
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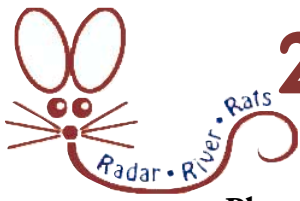
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2002 HEASB Water Ski Club Membership Application

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: _____

The membership year is from April 1 through March 31.

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

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**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.**

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

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.

We are always looking for volunteers. I may be interested in helping run the club: Yes _____ No _____

I would like to volunteer / suggest / comment: _____

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.

Signature _____ Date _____

Signature _____ Date _____

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SOUNDING BORED

River Trips —

We've had two more fabulous trips to the river. The weather was unbelievable with night-time temperatures dropping into the high 60s. The River is only going to get better as the season progresses. Don't be left out. Sign up for one of the four remaining trips of the season.



Halloween —

We are going to have our annual Halloween Extravaganza again this year on the October 18-20 trip. There will be lots of prizes for best costume and pumpkin carving. **Gene Fulkerson** will most likely do his infamous deep fried turkey. This trip usually fills so don't delay, sign up today.

Slalom Trips —

We had a small but successful third trip. **Maury Adler** drove August 17, 2002. There is only one trip left. Don't be left out. The next trip is only 2 weeks away and it looks to be another good one. To sign up, contact Maury during the day at 323-582-7003! ■

Catherine

Boat Driver UPDATE

Boat Driver Assignments —

We had another couple of great trips to the river as we continue to have a few of our boat drivers join us to veg on the beach with the rest of us. The queue now stands at **Paul Jackson, Mark Mathis, Bob-Tom Thompson**, and **Catherine Ohl**. In case you didn't notice, our new boat driver, **Gary Cann**, sold his boat and will not be driving for us this year. ■



Gary

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU...

Laura Priess	9/6	Carmen Jackson	9/9	Steve Bradley	9/24
Catherine Ohl	9/8	Conor Griffin	9/9	Mickey Klinger	9/24
Peggy Knight	9/8	Stephanie Thompson	9/11	Marcie Pettigrew	9/26
Kim Reed	9/8	Earl Kearney	9/12		
Denise Andrus	9/9	Robert Thompson	9/19		

NEW AND RENEWING MEMBERS

Denise Andrus	Trudy Ferris	Kevin Tosel
Steve Bradley	Skip Gleavey	Tom White
Donna Cebrynski	Danielle Lagrave	Katie Wilhite
Nancy Clark	Charlie Logan	



River Trip: Aug 9-11

This is one of the best August trips we have **EVER** had at the River. While the days were typically hot, the night time temperatures dropped into the high 60s.

Bob Thompson was our designated boat driver and worked very hard for the group. **Catherine Ohl** was out with her boat and towed **Cathy Schulte** and **Laura Priess** around for those early morning runs. **Gene Fulkerson** did his usual bang up job of trip leading. He went above and beyond and seared some excellent ahi on the new BBQ.

Steve & Mickey Klinger were their normal helpful selves and actually got enough skiing in. **Stephanie Thompson** made sure everyone had real coffee (what, no instant) before they went skiing.

Ashley Thompson was making great strides in her skiing on Catherine's old (not-for-sale) Mach-One. **Judi Miller**, did great on doubles. **Simone Beaudoin** gave lessons on her wake board. **Agnes Johnson** ate her usual bag of sunflower seeds. **Patricia Ortiz** asked for a "strong but not a hard" one, i.e., she wanted a "manly, girl pull."

Kristine Aves & Courtney Thompson played in the water all weekend and were treated to an "E-ticket" ride on the tube behind Catherine's boat. ■



Cathy Schulte



Steve & Mickey Klinger



Simone Beaudoin



Patricia Ortiz— Welcome back to the river



Laura Priess— Learns why not to fall asleep while Gene Fulkerson is around

River Trip: Aug 23-25

The temperatures on this trip were a repeat of the last August trip with nighttime lows again in the 60s. Unbelievable. **Catherine Ohl** was the designated boat driver.

Gene Fulkerson was our fearless leader. At about 10 PM, he managed to get the men to put up the kitchen tarp in the dark. Seen helping were **Jim Hess**, **Earl Kearney**, and **Charlie Logan**. **Bob Thompson**, a late arrival, helped also.

It was an even match up of kids — **Kristine Aves & Courtney Thompson** vs. **Sean & Conor Griffin**. Girls & boys this age really don't like each other all that much but they played well in the water. Bob-Tom spent many hours whipping the kids around on the tube. They were so funny to watch from the comfort of our beach. **Ashley Thompson** was a great help with the little kids.

The skiing was again fantastic in the morning. **Janice Hess** managed to get in two morning runs. **Kim Griffin** left **Scott "Dad-Man" Griffin** & kids in the hotel to get to the river in time for a Sunday glass run. **Agnes Johnson & Craig Henderson** got second run "glass" on both days. **Stephanie Thompson** did her normal work-on-the-tan bit. She really enjoyed Gene's Appletinis. ■



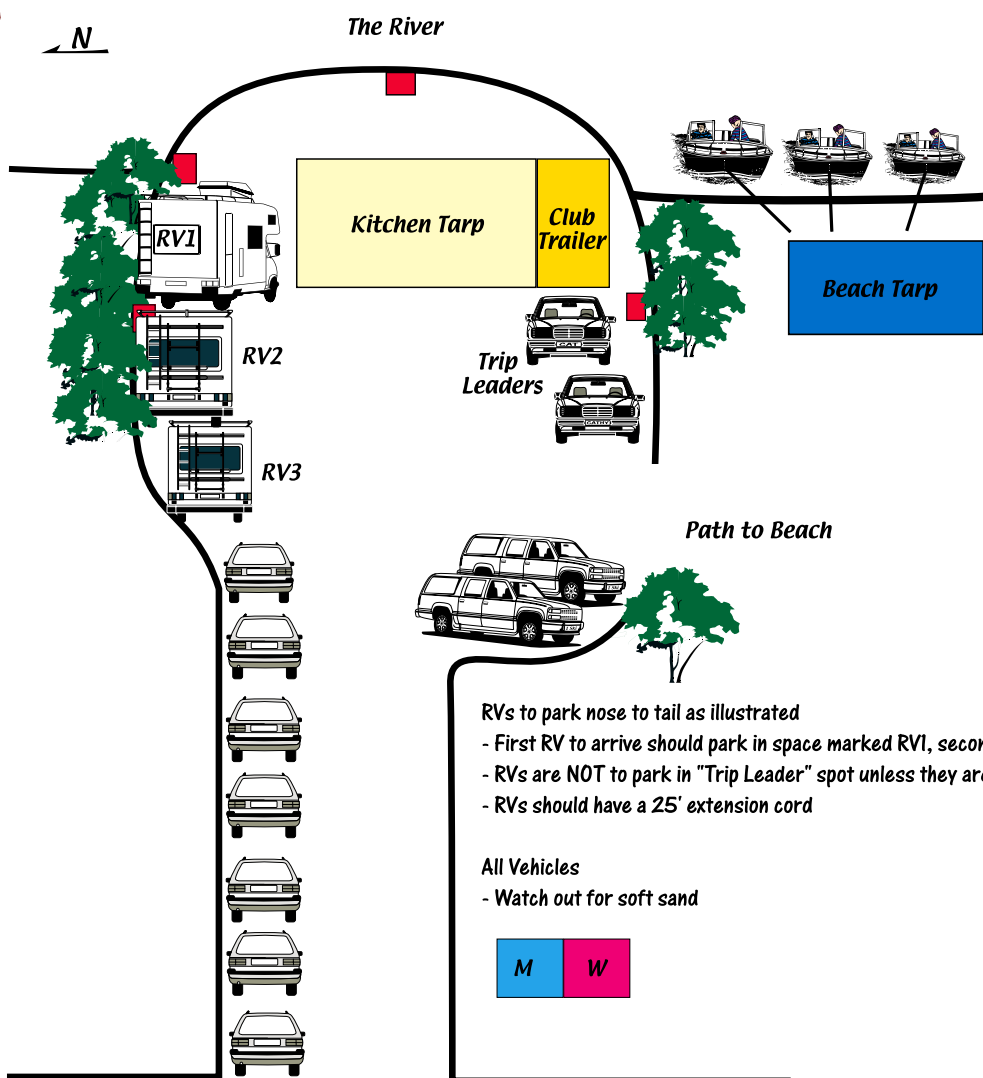
Gene Fulkerson, Earl Kearney, Stephanie Thompson, Craig Henderson & the Rock Skier



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*Marcie Pettigrew, Tom White, and
Suzanne Gilbert at Thompsos's*



Agnes & Kim Reed at Thompson's



Agnes Johnson with Courtney & Christine

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Sestriere

7-15 March, 2003

(7 Nights)

\$1,529



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Central Holidays

LA Council

SNOW GALA

Saturday, November 2, 2002, 6 PM

Marina City Club

4333 Admiralty Way, Marina del Rey

\$50*

Evening Events—

- Champagne Reception with hors d'oeuvres / No Host Bar
- Elegant Sit Down Dinner
- Salmon, Prime Rib or Vegetarian & Wine with Dinner
- **Men & Women of Year Awards**
- Dancing
- Lots of Great Door Prizes & Raffle Prizes
- Valet Parking

Grand Raffle Prize / Tickets \$1.00 each—

- Trip for Two to LAC Ski Week, Winter Park, Feb. 1-8, 2002
- Includes Air, Lodging, Lift Tickets, & more
- Winner need not be present

For Tickets & Reservations—

- Catherine Ohl, ohl@acatmeowz.com

Dress is Cocktail / Semi-Formal!

* \$70 after October 28, 2002



**December 13-22, 2002
Mammoth Mountain**

SKI, BOARD, AND RACE WEEK



Payment:

Packages range from \$309 - \$865

Lessons, Lessons with 7 night or 9 nights on-mountain lodging.
\$100 Non-refundable deposit due NOW.
Balance due Nov. 15

Cancellation:

After Nov. 15, subject to incurred costs.
If Mammoth doesn't have enough snow, full refund less \$35.

Information & Registration:

John Funtsch (310) 545-9349 } 7:30 - 9:00 am or
John Catozzi (858) 674-7454 } 7-9 pm only please



Daily, Non-Stop Air From LA —

Sun Valley Resort will begin its 67th Ski Season with new, daily nonstop, flights from Los Angeles on Horizon Air. It's just two hours and forty minutes aboard a roomy, 70-seat Q400, loaded with savory snacks, Northwest wines and microbrews. Get your tickets for the new flights by calling 1-800-547-9308 or visit www.horizonair.com.

Mahres Rejoin K2 —

K2 announced the signing of Phil and Steve Mahre to a multi-year deal that brings the twin brothers back to the company that sponsored them throughout their illustrious ski racing careers. The Mahres will serve as ambassadors for the brand, assisting in promotions, ski testing, and as a liaison to the international ski racing world.

Durango Development Approved —

Durango Mountain Resort (formerly Purgatory) development project has finally passed muster with the residents of La Plata County. The referendum vote, which favored the development by a 57% majority, was forced by a petition drive by the environmental group, Colorado Wild. However, Durango and Colorado Wild have come to an agreement about how the development should proceed.

Snowbird Gets Expansion Approval —

The United States Court of Appeals upheld a lower court decision that the U.S. Forest Service acted appropriately in approving Snowbird's expansion plans. The decision clears

the way for Snowbird to begin construction on Hidden Peak and to go ahead with a land exchange of Mineral Basin between Snowbird and the Forest Service. Construction is not planned to commence before next summer.

Snow Summit to Buy Big Bear —

After years of speculation, Snow Summit Ski Corporation, owners of Snow Summit, has executed an agreement with Booth Creek Ski Holdings, Inc., to purchase neighboring Big Bear Mountain Resort. The two southern California ski areas, separated by only a few miles, have long been in competition with each other, with Snow Summit generating, on average, 500,000 skier and snowboarder visits and Big Bear averaging 250,000 to 300,000 visits.

Marmot Buys Marker Ltd. —

Known for its backcountry ski-wear, sleeping bags and heavy duty apparel for ski patrollers and guides, Marmot Mountain Ltd. announced today that it will be moving a little further in-bounds with the acquisition of Marker Ltd., the Salt Lake City-based ski apparel company. Marker Ltd. is the international apparel licensee of binding manufacturer Marker International, and was the official supplier of apparel for the 2002 Winter Olympic Games.

Ski Hall of Fame Inductees —

The U.S. National Ski Hall of Fame will induct Georgene Bihlman, Hans Gmoser, John P. Litchfield, Dr. Robert Oden, Carrol P. Reed and Nicole "Nikki" Stone on Saturday, September 28, 2002 in Ishpeming, Michigan.



Nikki Stone, the guest speaker at the '98 FWSA Convention, was the first freestyle competitor from any country to have won every

major title in aerials including Rookie of the Year, National Aerials Champion, World Aerial Champion, Overall Aerial World Champion, Olympic Gold, World Champion and Overall Freestyle Grand Prix Champion. Stone retired from competition in 1999. She now runs Podium Enterprises in Park City, Utah, and volunteers for Make-A-Wish, Olympic Aid and the USOC. ■

Free T-Shirts

The water ski season is almost over and we still have a box full of our logo tee-shirts. These shirts will be given away **FREE** (while supply lasts) to the people who attend the October trips. They will be given out on a first sign-up basis. So sign up today!





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2002 WATER SKI PROGRAM

SLALOM TRIPS

1 Day Water Skiing at Thompson's Ski Ranch
September 14

\$50-60 for skiers (based on total sign-up)

\$20 non-skiers

Intermediate to Advanced Skiers

Alcohol NOT Allowed



**Spots Still
Available for
September 14!**

THOMPSON SKI RANCH SLALOM TRIP

Contact Maury Adler to Sign Up
323-582-7003 (daytime)

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2002 HEASB Water Ski Club Reservation Application

(Please, ONE reservation form and ONE check for EACH person EACH trip)

Circle Trip Date: 9/6-8 9/20-22 10/4-6 10/18-20

Name: _____ E-mail: _____

Home Addr: _____ Work Phone: () _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ Home Phone: () _____

In case of emergency, notify: _____ Phone: () _____

My reservation is for the following: _____ Water skier \$89 _____ Non-skier child (5-11) \$18
_____ Non-skier \$42 _____ Child (4 and under) \$0

Make check payable and send with this form to: HEASB WATER SKI CLUB, P.O. Box 3080, El Segundo, CA 90245.

Reservations must be received two weeks before the trip. Cancellation must be received IN WRITING AT LEAST TWO WEEKS before trip date. No substitutions without the Trip Coordinator's permission. The HEASB Water Ski Club reserves the right to reject a reservation. For further information, call Yvonne before 9 pm at 310/798-2434.

REQUIRED CARPOOL INFORMATION (your form may be returned if not complete)

The Trip Coordinator will arrange carpools for those wishing to travel with the club. First priority is given to vehicles pulling boats or hauling supplies. Volunteer drivers are needed to provide the remaining transportation, taking AT LEAST two passengers and/or food/drinks. Each passenger will pay the carpool driver for transportation expenses, an amount determined by the driver (typically \$10-\$24). Most carpools leave the LA area on Friday after work and arrive at Park Moabi around midnight. Drivers of arranged/approved carpools will be reimbursed for campground fees AFTER the trailer's packed on Sunday, about 2 pm. Your request for a specific carpool is not guaranteed. Carpools will be non-smoking.

- _____ I agree to carpool as arranged/approved by the Club.
NOTE: If you choose not to carpool, you will be required to pay campground fees (\$18 per night or \$6 per day use).
- _____ I am available to drive my vehicle to the river.
- Other passengers: _____ Year, make, model of vehicle: _____
 - Air conditioned? _____ Total # of people you can take including driver: _____
 - In addition, I have room for: #cases drinks: _____ #coolers: _____ #bags food: _____ #skis: _____
- _____ I prefer a ride to the River. Carpool Driver Preference: _____
- How much gear will you bring? Ski: _____ Chair (type): _____ Tent: _____
 - Other bulky items? _____
- _____ I would like a hookup on the point. (A **limited** number of hook-ups are available.)
- Hook-ups will be assigned on a first signed-up basis. Hook-ups are \$35 a night. We reimburse up to \$18 a night.
- _____ I am willing to be a trip leader (reimbursement will be based on people count up to \$89 per trip leader).

MEMBERSHIP

You must be a member of the HEASB Water Ski Club. The membership fee and application **MUST** be sent to Cathy Schulte at the location listed on the membership form. **(DO NOT INCLUDE MEMBERSHIP WITH THIS FORM.)**

I have paid my membership fee: _____ (Initial) (Non-skiers aged 0-11, membership not required)

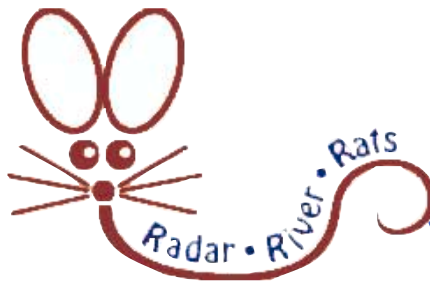
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I am aware that participation in the RADAR RIVER RATS' events, has, in addition to the usual risks, dangers and hazards associated with travel, water skiing, air chairing, skurfing and boating, including, but not limited to: boarding, riding and disembarking boats; changing weather conditions, exposed rock, earth, trees or other natural objects; the condition of the water, skis and boats; impact or collision with other skiers, boaters, jet skiers; the failure to ski safely or within one's own ability or within designated areas; negligence of other skiers, boaters and jet skiers and negligence on the part of the organizations or their staff. I am also aware that the risks, dangers and hazards referred to above exist throughout the area and that many are unmarked. I **FREELY ACCEPT AND FULLY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, DANGERS AND HAZARDS AND THE POSSIBILITY OF PERSONAL INJURY, DEATH, PROPERTY DAMAGE OR LOSS, RESULTING THEREFROM.**

PARTICIPANT (Please print clearly)

SIGNATURE (Parent if under age)

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

September 6-8
October 4-6

September 20-22
October 18-20

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

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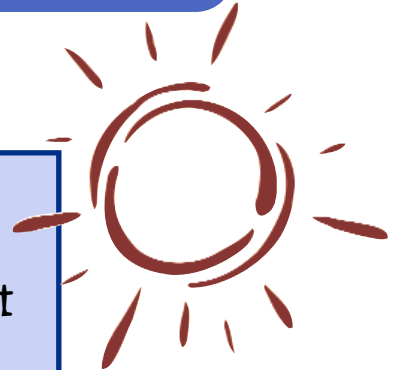
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September 5-7	September 19-21
October 3-5	October 17-19

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