

Due to circumstances under the editor's control, the Feb newsletter is very very late.



Telluride

TWENTY-SEVEN SKIERS and one Skier/Snowboarder (Craig) enjoyed a fabulous week in Telluride, Colorado. There were no broken bones, no one got sick, no one passed out at any of the bars (it was just a little nap, I swear), and we all survived the minus 20 degree weather for a couple of days, yes this is not a typo..."minus 20 degrees".

Instead of writing an article on my experience in Telluride: At the end of the trip on the bus ride back to the Montrose airport, I asked everyone what their favorite things in Telluride were. Hope I wrote everything down accurately.

Teeda enjoyed riding the Gondola and the Polar Queen Express



Meeting and waiting at LAX



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Photos: Lisa, John Nolan, Mike Wire, Ed.

chair. She also received a Bronze medal in the Nastar race course as a first time racer. Mark, Deb, Chuck, and John N. loved Alpino Vino, a quaint wine bar on the mountain with a spectacular selection of wines. They also enjoyed the Llama and Pescado restaurant in town, so did I, and everyone else who ate there. The sign on the door read.."Burgers and Beer, Tacos and Margaritas, Sushi and Saki" mmmm the Burgers were amazing.

The Kabers also loved the Nastar race course, and survived skiing with Chuck for a day and a half...wait I think its the other way around, Chuck survived the Kabers. Barbara K. loved skiing the Plunge with me, thanks Barb.

Kurt and Joanne enjoyed having cocktails at Allreds, especially the Egg Nog Martini. Herb was excited to see Guinness on Tap at the Hop Garden, which was one of our favorite après ski spots along with a great selection of other beers on tap including PBR.

Dick and Andrew really enjoyed fresh tracks on the Bushwacker Trail Wednesday morning...Andrew discovered that, "If you go skiing in -18 degree weather, you have the whole place to yourself." The rest of us stayed inside where it was warm. Way to represent guys.

John M. needed oxygen, the highest lift in Telluride is at 12,570' and you can hike up to 13,320', I think Neil only hiked up 1/2 way up to the run called Mountain Quail, the rest of us couldn't keep up. He probably would have gone all the way to the top if it was skiable. Neil also spent a good portion of the week "barking at rocks", while Susan enjoyed skiing with the lovely ladies.

Mike W. enjoyed skiing in cruise control and Steve H. danced through the bump runs with his new helmet. He was fearless. Ric A. enjoyed the \$2.00 PBR drafts and a powder day on Saturday morning when the rest of us were packing to go home. He also commented, "The only thing we missed on the trip was Ken Sieck" I agree, we also missed Walter LaMay who also had to drop out at the last minute.

Craig and Barb T. loved snow shoeing to Bear Creek falls..."A beautiful Blue Waterfall" which they did on the very cold Wednesday. Barb said it was soooo cold she could barely breathe. They also enjoyed eating at Telluride Bistro.

John N. and some of the guys had to try out the Bacon Bourbon shots at Alley Way...they have photos, there was a slice of bacon on the actual shot glass. They also said that Siam was the best Restaurant in Town. Chuck G. really liked the aged Bison at the New Sheridan Chop House, or is it Buffalo, or is it Bison. hmmm?

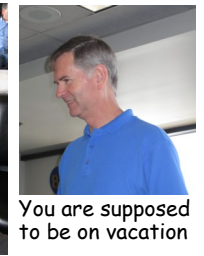
Homa summed it up by saying the entire trip was "Perfect". Homa's friend Saideh said, "It was a happy trip, I became closer to God". Homa's brother said he had the best Chinese food in the mountains.

Oh yeah, I forgot to mention that John M. and Vel won the trivia contest at the Brown Dog Pizza Restaurant. \$50.00 bucks, paid their tab.

Finally, I loved playing the drum in Dick and Herbs condo while Doug chanted to the snow gods as it was dumping snow on our last day. I also earned some stars skiing with the General and Ric. Hiking up to Geneveve bowl and skiing the bumps on the Mammoth run were my favorite.

There are many more quotes and many more stories from the trip. Ask us about our sleigh ride in minus 15 degree weather. It was an adventure. Or you can ask about the real-estate tour off of the Sunshine chair. So many beautiful houses, one can only dream of actually owning one. Or ask about the museums or the wine tasting or the dart games. So much to talk about. Everyone loved the food, the mountain - "there is something for everyone in Telluride", and the "See Forever" trail...you could literally see forever...all the way to

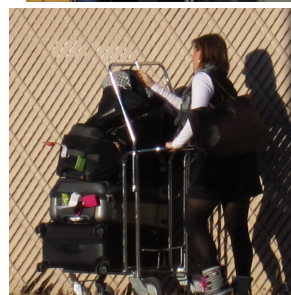
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You are supposed to be on vacation

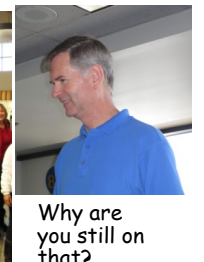


Below: Waiting for baggage at Montrose



Barbara travels "light;" others travel lighter.

Will it all get on? Needed added transport



Why are you still on that?

Utah. The view was breathtaking at the top of the mountain. I hope I covered the highlights of the trip as there were too many to list them all, which means it was "Sweet" as I like to say. Thank you to everyone for an awesome, awesome vacation.

Lisa "F"

Jan 22-23 MAMMOTH Trip

Photos from Lisa



Just call me Miles

Needed patrol to get down



Two trips left in March. Very easy to sign-up



AEA Ski Club 2011 Mammoth Bus Trips

NAME(s):

ADDRESS:

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Member: \$210 per person (\$235 if paying less than 15 days prior to a trip; see cut off date below)

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INITIAL THE DATES FOR WHICH YOU ARE SIGNING UP

Must pay by date for discount

January 7-9 _____ December 23

January 21-23 _____ January 6

February 25-27 _____ February 10

March 11-13 _____ February 24

March 25-27 _____ March 10

Membership, Waiver, Sign-up forms are all on the club web site
<http://aeclubs.org/ski/index/html>

TGIF

Photos: Teeda, & Melisa



Teeda's Future TGIT & Fs
Thursday Mar 17—Patrick Malloy's
Hermosa Beach
Apr 15—La Sirena Grill
El Segundo
May ??—Ski Club Banquet TBA



Waiting at airport for any TGIF



It doesn't have to be Friday

First night "dining"



Lets get going

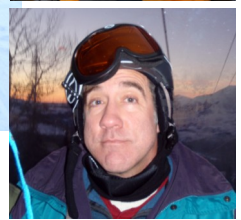


Lets go SKIING

On his way up



HIKE this way



Just on his way



Lisa's new motto.
Or is it??



Well suited



Tracy & Barbara did 123 laps (thereabout)



Doug somewhat less.
Teeda was already at the bottom

And after skiing? At various places.



Doug won!



Look, no phone





PARTY



Filer photo



Kept on partying!

Off to a ONE degree night ride



In a no horse open sleigh



Something can be said for freezing



LUNCH at the Ranch

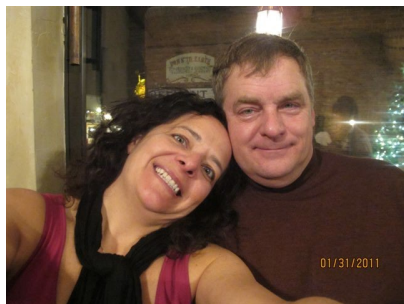
Where to go this afternoon?
Doug can play with the boys.
I'll go back to the condo.



All is under control.
Who wants to hike this
afternoon?



FINE Dining



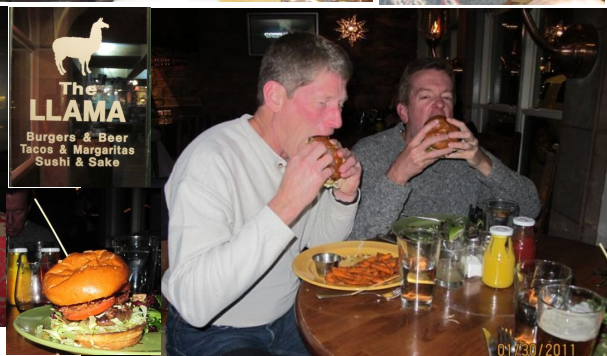
That could be a phone



Dining with Glen



Dining in their own little corner



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President	Tracy Kaber
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STUFF TO DO

MARCH

11-13 Mammoth Bus Trip
 17 THURS Patrick Malloy's
 Hermosa Beach

19-20 SOCALS GS/SL
 25-27 Mammoth Bus Trip

APRIL

1-3 FWSA Championships
 Alpine Meadows

5 MEETING

15 TGIF La Sirena Grill
 El Segundo

MAY

Banquet TBA

February

James Cullers - 4
 Mark Mueller - 9
 David Graham - 14
 Joyce Rodella - 15
 Andrew Dawdy



March

Bruce Difley - 2
 Herb Schraibman - 9
 Curtis Hedlund - 10
 Ric Agardy - 11
 Mark Williams - 11
 Velimer Randic - 12
 Lora Spicher - 13
 Ken Sieck - 17
 Jim Hecht - 21
 Saideh Rezai - 21
 Barbara Tressel - 21



One cold Haight

Reinhold Bauer
 Miguel Cruz
 Dan Egle
 Maja Gartmann
 Elliot Gertner
 Stella Kabelitz
 Judy Latta
 Saideh Rezai
 Ditah Rimer
 Steve Skinner
 Mike Sremba
 Veronika Pesinova

MEETING

April 5 5:32pm

Grunion's
 1501 N. Sepulveda,
 Manhattan Beach



Only two trips left

I know
 I know

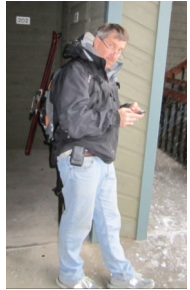


Join us



TGI Thursday
Patrick Malloy's
March 17th
Hermosa Beach

One
 last call
 before
 leaving
 for
 home



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