



Application for  
**STEAMBOAT SPRINGS, CO**  
**Feb 24 – Mar 3, 2018 - \$1,749**



Sponsored by the *Thunderbird Ski Club* [www.tbirdskiclub.com](http://www.tbirdskiclub.com)

**Trip includes:** 7 nights at The Lodge at base of Mt. Werner, 2BR/2BA and 3BR/3BA units within walking distance of the Silver Bullet gondola & Village; 5-day lift ticket (6-day for add'l \$23 in advance); Southwest round-trip air (2 free bags): Feb 24 DTW/DEN Dep6:00a/Arr7:25am, Mar 3 DEN/STL Dep1:05pm/Arr4:00pm, STL/DTW Dep5:05pm/Arr7:30pm; Motor coach ground transfers Denver-Steamboat and return; CMSC Reception, Mountain Lunch, Race, Pub Crawl, Après Ski Parties (2), Dinner Banquet with music & dancing; Exclusive TBird-Only party.

Please note that you must be a member of the Thunderbird Ski Club, or a member of a club affiliated with one of the associations shown below\*

**Applicant Information – PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

**Complete and accurate information is required by Airlines and Government Security Organizations**

Name as on Photo ID (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Main Tel. (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt. Tel. (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Gender - circle (M F) TSA Pre/KTN# \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Airline FF# \_\_\_\_\_

\*If not a T'Bird, please list MDSC/CMSC Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Schedule

Trip Price is \$1,749

\$350	Due with Signup
\$450	Due Oct 1
\$450	Due Nov 1
\$499	Due Jan 1

**6<sup>th</sup> day lift \$23 in advance**

Trip Price increases to \$1,799 with signup after Nov 7th

Applicant: Make copies of this page for your final payment

**Request roommates or condo mates or provide information that will help us to do so (no guarantees!)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Circle preferences:**

Smoking or Non / Skier or Snowboarder / Party Level: Always Occasionally Peace & Quiet

**Person not on trip to contact in case of Emergency**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please continue, read terms/conditions and sign on PAGE 2**

## Responsibilities

Traveling, skiing, and snowboarding, and parties, events, meetings, and other activities sponsored by the Thunderbird Ski Club, involve external factors that are beyond the control of the Club, its affiliated organizations MDSC (Metro Detroit Ski Council), CMSC (Chicago Metro Ski Council) and FERA (Ford Employee Recreation Association), and their directors, officers, trip leaders, event coordinators, and employees. These external factors include weather, war, labor disputes and strikes, fire, conditions of equipment including aircraft, vehicles, and ski lifts, conditions of terrain including rocks, debris, bare spots, trees, signs, and other obstacles, marked or unmarked, and action or inaction of governments, transportation entities, resort owners or operators, and skiers, snowboarders, individuals, and other entities.

Participation in Club-sponsored activities is voluntary, and each participant must exercise judgment and care at all times to minimize the risk of inconvenience, injury, or death, to herself or himself, other members of the Club, and all other persons. The Club serves only as the sponsor of activities, and the Club, its affiliated organizations (MDSC, CMSC & FERA), and their directors, officers, trip leaders, event coordinators, and other employees, will not be responsible for or liable for any inconvenience, injury, or death that occurs during or as a result of participation in a sponsored activity.

**NOTES: Unlawful use of any controlled substance is prohibited at any Club sponsored activity.**

**No persons, other than officially registered trip participants, are allowed lodging privileges at any time of the trip's stay.**

## Cancellations

Any event sponsored by the Club is subject to cancellation at any time by airlines, ground transportation entities, or resort owners or operators. If other entities cancel an event, the Club will exert reasonable efforts to obtain refunds of amounts paid by members for the event. Additionally, the Thunderbird Ski Club, MDSC, CMSC or FERA reserve the right to cancel any event at any time for its or their own reasons. If the Thunderbird Ski Club cancels an event for its own reasons, the Club will refund amounts received from members for the event.

A member who wishes to cancel a reservation for an event must provide written notification to the trip leader or the event coordinator. **Members CANNOT TRANSFER reservations.** The Club must make all changes to any reservations. The trip leader or event coordinator will attempt to locate a replacement from a waiting list or by other means within his or her discretion. **AFTER TRIP COMPLETION**, the Club will refund the amount paid to the Club less its actual expenses and a handling and processing fee that is:

- for an event of four nights or more, \$50 if cancellation was received at least sixty-five days prior to the beginning of the event or \$75 if cancellation was received less than sixty-five days prior to the beginning of the event.
- for an event of less than four nights, \$25 if cancellation was received at least thirty days prior to the beginning of the event or \$50 if cancellation was received less than thirty days prior to the beginning of the event.

Actual expenses incurred by the Club can include fees charged by airlines, ground transportation entities, and resort owners and operators. Late cancellation can result in forfeiture of all amounts paid for a reservation with some, any or all of these entities.

## Fee and Payments

Members are responsible for making payments according to the payment schedule for the event or trip. If payments received are not in accordance with the published schedule, the trip leader or event coordinator can, in his or her discretion, offer the reserved space to others on the waiting list. A fee of \$25 plus additional charges and handling fees will be charged for any returned check. Any increase/decrease in costs to the club, such as changes in taxes, tariffs, or costs of transportation or accommodations, or any other changes out of the club's control, may be added to or subtracted. **Those changes will reflect in the final cost to the event participant.**

**The Thunderbird Board of Directors must approve any departure from these terms and conditions.**

## Commitment

I accept the provisions of this application regarding Responsibilities, Cancellations, and Payments. I am a member of the Thunderbird Ski Club or an MDSC or CMSC Club (a copy of my MDSC or CMSC club membership card is enclosed).

**NOTE: Your signature below also acts as confirmation that you are aware that Trip Insurance is offered and available [at your additional cost] for this trip. Contact your Trip Leader for details on how to purchase *Travel Guard Insurance* at a discount.**

**My signature acknowledges that I have read, understand and agree to abide by the provisions set forth above.**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_, 201\_\_

**Make checks, drawn on a United States Bank, payable to "Thunderbird Ski Club" and mail with this signed application to:**

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