



# Beach Cities Ski Club

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### Summer Sports

FALL 2009

Happy end of the summer everyone. As the summer comes to an end, most of the sports are tailing down. We have volleyball, softball, tennis, and golf to talk about.

#### Volleyball:

The final tournament ended Sunday the 13<sup>th</sup> of September at Manhattan Beach. BCSC had 3 of the four winners of the divisions. In the lower advanced Division, Joe S. defeated Newport Coast in the final to win his SECOND Championship in a row! Way to go Joe! In the upper intermediate Division, Keith N. defeated Don A. to win his second championship in three years! The real excitement though was in the semi-final game between Don A. and Andy D. (Maybe Andy's game wore Don A. out?). In the lower intermediate Division, Cheryl T. defeated SRU Vinnie to win the Division. BCSC had ten teams this year with over 100 players. Good job captains. We'll see you at the Pray for Snow Party or a club meeting where we'll give out awards.

#### Softball:

Our softball team did very well this

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year. Our record was 5-3, one game out of the Playoffs. We had a very exciting last game of 23-5, although we had a little mishap with Phil S. injuring himself while attempting to score from first.

#### Tennis:

BCSC still plays tennis nearly every Saturday at Mira Costa High. We play mostly doubles. If interested contact me at stugutten@aol.com.

#### Golf:

The last Sunday of the month and Oct 9<sup>th</sup> we have golf organized by Fred W. Also during the Clambake in Buellton at the Zaca Creek Golf Course we have a little tournament planned. For info, email Fred at [fredwylids@verizon.net](mailto:fredwylids@verizon.net)

So don't forget everyone that we still play volleyball year round on Sundays after 3pm now at Manhattan Beach and 2pm after the time changes in November.

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# LA COUNCIL CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS SEPTEMBER 13, 2009

## UPPER ADVANCED DIVISION

1. "GIRLS ON TOP"      TERRI MURPHY
2. WILL BENEGAR'S TEAM

## LOWER ADVANCED DIVISION

1. BCSC      JOE SCARANGELLO
2. NEWPORT COAST      MIKE MALONY

## UPPER INTERMEDIATE DIVISION

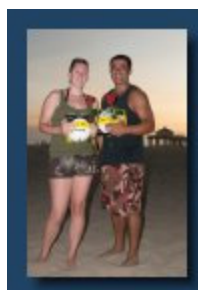
1. BCSC      KEITH NEILSEN
2. BCSC      DON ABBE

## LOWER INTERMEDIATE DIVISION

1. BCSC      CHERYL TABELLION
2. SRU      VINNIE OLIVERA



## War of the Roses



## Message from the Prez

Hello All,

The competitive volleyball season has ended on a high note. Despite the current economic situation, the number of players at the War of the Roses increased significantly. We had about 280 players and used 25 courts which resulted in a great tournament. The silent auction was a great success too. Between the tournament and the auction we raised about \$6000 for this year's charity, the Beach Cities Volleyball Club. A lot of kids who wouldn't have otherwise had the opportunity will now get to learn to play a sport that so many of us love. My thanks to all who made it such a success.

Like many organizations, these days we rely heavily on the internet to promulgate information about the club and its activities. Over the next few months we plan to take it much further and make it much easier for members to both

Snow will be falling soon, so details of our week-long trip to Steamboat are now available. I well remember the awesome powder the last time we were there, so sign-up and join in what will be seriously good skiing.

be informed about upcoming events and to book them online.

As well as getting emails about events you will also get and acknowledgement when you have registered for one. The membership database will also be online. Members will be able to update their own entries, decide what information is visible to others, and be able to access such information about other members. You will also be able to renew your membership online and the system will remind you if you forget!





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## Steamboat 2010 January 30<sup>th</sup> through February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2010

### LAND PACKAGE:

- \* \$995 for BCSC members\* \$1035 for Non-members\*
- \* 7 night stay at The Lodge at Steamboat: These are highly recommended, very nice, 3 bedroom/ 3 bath units, only 200 yards from the gondola, shops and restaurants. They all have: a fully equipped kitchen, free high speed wireless internet access, a balcony or deck. The complex has: 4 outdoor hot tubs, 1 indoor hot tub, a heated pool, and on site guest laundry facilities. They offer a free private guest shuttle, and complimentary morning coffee & doughnuts, served in the clubhouse.
- \* 5-day (out of 6 day) Lift Tickets.
- \* Have your own bedroom for only \$275 Single Supplement fee!
- \* Baggage handling fees, taxes and service charges.
- \* We are working on: NASTAR Race, On Mountain Picnic, Strawberry Hot Springs night trip, Wine & Cheese parties & more!

OPTIONS: Air \$345 & Ground Transportation \$45: Delta Air LAX to Hayden via Salt Lake City. Baggage fees: \$15/1<sup>st</sup> bag & \$25/ 2<sup>nd</sup> bag. Skis & small boot bag count as 1.

Jan 30            7:15AM LAX – SLC 10:12AM            11:29 AM SLC – Hayden 12:39PM  
 Feb 06            1:10PM Hayden – SLC 2:21PM            3:05PM SLC – LAX 4:01PM

\* Note: We are subject to any changes, made by the airlines, to prices, scheduled times, baggage fees, fuel surcharges, etc. Once ticket is issued, if you have changes, you must deal directly with the airlines.

To Sign Up: Fill out a Steamboat 2010 Reservation Form (on BCSC website)

Payment        Deposit        \$400            Due NOW! (1<sup>st</sup> pymt applies to Air, if appl.)

Schedule:    2<sup>nd</sup> Pymt        \$400            Due by 10/14/09

                    Final Pymt    Balance        Must be paid in full by 11/25/09

Make checks payable to: Beach Cities Ski Club

Mail to:                            Beach Cities Ski Club

P.O. Box 313

Hermosa Beach, CA 90254

State of California Seller of Travel #: Beach Cities Ski Club # 2084767-40

\*Changes: If the need arises, we reserve the right to make any changes to the components of the trip listed above. This includes passing along any price increases.

Trip Insurance: Is available for \$71.00. To purchase: make a separate check payable to SKI.COM. Deadline to purchase is 11/25/09.

## **SKI VP's:**

**BCSC is thrilled to announce: STEAMBOAT Ski Week 2010!  
Saturday, January 30 through Saturday, January 6, 2010**

Steamboat Resort is world renown for their annual snow fall of over 360 inches per year and the quality of their “champagne powder” snow! We are staying in the base area, where we are a short walk to the gondola. The gondola area has grown over the years and has several restaurant and bars, etc.. The town of Steamboat Springs is a short 3 miles and a free bus ride away, with plenty more restaurants bars, shops, galleries and more.

Or last trip there was one of our best ever. From skiing with the legendary Billy Kidd, snowmobile riding, the Strawberry Hot Springs evening, the sleigh ride dinner & square dancing with cowboys, watching Johnny Moseley practicing his ‘dinner roll’ for the Olympics, to the infamous ski poaching night... but ahhh, I digress – but boy, we had a blast! Who’s ready to go back and do it again??

### *New Members:*

<b>Brian Peck</b>	<b>Christopher Reynolds</b>	<b>Molly Brown</b>
<b>Leslie Ferguson</b>	<b>Vanessa Salem</b>	<b>Christopher Balcer</b>
<b>Christina Craver</b>	<b>Inge Stoops</b>	<b>Wilfred Krohne-Schmidt</b>
<b>Holly Miyagawa</b>	<b>Barbara Dillon</b>	<b>Mary Osterman</b>
<b>David Bennett</b>	<b>Daniel Battul</b>	<b>Renee Smith</b>
<b>Lisa Schoenthal</b>	<b>Paul Hern</b>	<b>Brian Szal</b>
<b>Roxanne Kimmel</b>	<b>Kristen Van Horn</b>	<b>Kevin Templin</b>
<b>Ashley Potter</b>	<b>Julian Rodriguez</b>	

# Social

## HAPPY HOURS



**Oct 2 Mickey Finn's**  
Redondo Beach

**Oct 9 Clambake**

**Oct 16 Alpine Village Oktoberfest**  
Look for coupon for discounted entry online

**Oct 23 Sainte Rocke**  
Hermosa Beach  
Happy Hour till 8

**Oct 28 Shellback end of volleyball party (Ghostball)**  
Costume contest will be held again!

**Nov 6 Stick N' Stein**  
707 N. Sepulveda Blvd.  
El Segundo

**Nov 13 Paul Martin's American Bistro**  
Happy hour 4-6  
\$5 wine and appetizer specials

**Nov 20 Shark's Cove Manhattan Beach**  
Happy Hour 4-7

## **CLAMBAKE 2009—Oct 9,10, and 11**

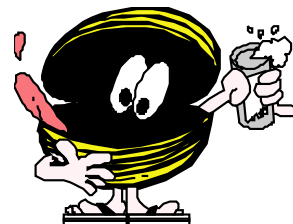
We are returning to Live Oak Campground for 3 days of food, wine, music and fun in Santa Ynez! Members \$85/Non-Members \$95, for camping Friday noon to Sunday noon, Saturday night seafood feast, Sunday morning mimosas and brunch, bloody mary and margarita bars, coffee bar, live music and dancing Saturday night by 3 Car Garage and of course the Clam Olympics! We are also offering a steak dinner on Friday night for an additional \$5. The annual Golf Outing will be held on Friday. On Saturday, we have a special picnic planned at Kalyra Winery: wine tasting, an Australian BBQ (chicken, ribs, sausages and all the sides), a complementary glass of wine with lunch and a tour of the winery-all for only \$30!

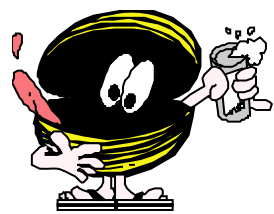
For **organizers of groups who sign up 20 or more people** together, the 21<sup>st</sup> admission is FREE.

The deadline for signing up for Clambake (other than the Thursday night camping) is September 30. Please see the flyer in the newsletter or go to the website and sign up through paypal on line.

Come join us for a fabulous weekend in the Wine Country!!

Trudi





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## Clambake 2009



October 9, 10, & 11

\$85 Members \$95 Non Members

Group of 20 gets 21<sup>st</sup> entry free

Live Oak Campground, 4600 Hwy 154, Santa Barbara, CA

Located about 15 miles North East of Santa Barbara on US Highway 154 See map at [www.bcskiclub.org](http://www.bcskiclub.org)

Campground available Thursday noon thru Sunday noon.

RVs ok, but limited hook ups available.

Campfire parties Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights.

Activities include: horseshoes, bike rides, wine-tasting singing, dancing, 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Clam Olympics.

Saturday night will feature **live music and dancing by Three Car Garage.**

**Free** hot showers and chemical toilets.

BYOB and snacks.

No children under 21 years old. No pets.

Sign up by Mail or Paypal at [www.bcskiclub.org](http://www.bcskiclub.org)

Deadline: sign-ups are to be received by Wednesday, September 30<sup>th</sup>.

Cancellation Deadline September 30<sup>th</sup>.

Organizers who sign up group of 20 receive 21<sup>st</sup> free.

### What you get

Saturday Night Seafood Feast

Live music by Three Car Garage

Sunday Morning Brunch and Mimosas

**Free** Bloody Mary and Margarita bars

### Options

Friday Night Steak Dinner (\$5 fee)

Wine Tasting, BBQ and Winery Tour-\$30

Kalyra Winery-Saturday noon-2pm

12<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf outing

(pay at the course)

For more information Call/email

Trudi Lesser at 310 503-6025 or

[trudijl@gmail.com](mailto:trudijl@gmail.com)

Please note event waivers must be filled out upon check in

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/St/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home#: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell#: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle: Member (\$85.00) or Guest (\$95.00)

OPTIONAL ITEMS:

Please indicate if:

Friday Night Steak dinner (add \$5)

Golfing: Y N (pay at the course)

Winery BBQ/Tasting/Tour: Y N (add \$30)

# Activities      Golf at Clambake      by Fred

1 ) They come from near, they come from far, the only way to get there is by motor car.

2 ) The time is specific, don't be late, if you are, you'll have a year to wait.

3 ) The game is golf, a game so pure, if you play, you'll agree I'm sure.

4 ) To Buellton we will assemble, to play a course made of rubble.

5 ) If you say you shot under par, I think your nose will grow by far.

6 ) A rough bunch we 'll be on the path, but at least you will get to laugh.

7 ) Valli will be there with the beer, just in case you are overcome with fear,

8 ) So if you don't take it too serious, you can sign up and come and join us,

9 ) 11 am tee time on Friday morning, that's not a notice, it's a warning.

10 ) 18 holes for 1 low price, \$22 now that sounds nice,

11 ) There will be prizes for certain holes, if you play well, you poor lost souls.

12 ) We leave the camp site at 10 on the spot, don't be late, or you'll loose your shot.

13 ) Zaca Creek is the place to meet, don't forget golf shoes on your feet.

14 ) So let me know if you can get out of bed, because I'm the organizer, and my name is Fred.





# Activities

BCSC members participated in several events this summer. One of them was an evening cookout at Dockweiler Beach, hosted by Susan Preston who had pulled in with her RV for a couple of days around the beginning of August. Those who joined us that night enjoyed a beautiful sunset, and further partying with the rest of the RVr's at the campsite. We weren't able to secure a firepit, which was the original intention of hanging out there. It was a crowded weekend at the campsite and the neighboring beach, but there were plenty of people who were treated to a fireworks show later in the evening. Not sure what the celebration was but it was fun to watch!

Another event was the concert at the end of July at the San Juan Capistrano Mission. I wasn't able to attend, but was assured that all those that did had a great time. There is lots of food, drink and dancing at those events, so I'm sure all participated. We appreciate members letting the board know when there is a fun event that you or others would like to participate in.



San Juan Capistrano Mission  
A beautiful setting to listen to music.

## Activities-continued

A small group also headed to the Hollywood Bowl on Sept. 11 to catch the "Blame it on Rio" concert, with Bebel Gilberto and Seu George headlining. The bus ride there is always interesting to me, since I don't often travel that route or even venture up to Hollywood. It's always fun to attend an event at the Bowl, and usually we'll have some wine or beer a great spread of food. Our group was small, but we enjoyed the concert and came away with a different appreciation of Brazilian music.

I want to say a special thank you to all those people who volunteered to help out at the 4 BBQ's we held at various members' homes over the summer months: Thank you to Ken Kawahara for hosting BBQ #1, Gary and Rose for #2, Tracy and Barbara Johnson for #3, and Heidi Kress for #4. A special thank you to the people who helped me out at all the BBQ's, actually taking over at a couple of the events I couldn't make. We would have been hurting without those volunteers!! We can use more people like you!!!

If there are any upcoming events or activities that you think your fellow BCSC members might be interested in, please let your activities or social VP's know. Your input helps us to plan for things that you enjoy participating in, so don't be afraid to mention an activity. If there is enough interest, we can try to make it happen. Don't forget, we need some advance notice to get flyers or information on the website and out to members.

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# Happy Birthday September, October, and November Birthdays

Mary Lou D	9/2				
Doug M	9/2				
Lynn F	9/2				
Ida S	9/5				
Scott R	9/5				
Maureen A	9/5	Colleen C	10/15	Anglea G	11/15
Holly M	9/12	Stu G	10/18	John C	11/17
Robert G	9/12	Christopher R	10/20	Bruce W	11/25
Russ G	9/13	Brian G	10/21	Rubin R	11/25
Kristen V	9/14	Vanessa S	10/25	Jim M	11/26
Wim D	9/17	Nina S	10/27		
Luanne L	9/17	Jonathan C	10/27		
Victor W	9/18	David P	10/29		
Nancy C	9/19	Ronald W	10/31		
Pat E	9/20	Norman C	11/1		
Richard M	9/23	Janice B	11/1		
Nick G	9/24	Rose M	11/5		
Michelle R	10/5	Susan J	11/6		
Fritz S	10/7	Annette C	11/6		
Barbara D	10/10	Caren B	11/7		
Stacia C	10/11	Lou C	11/10		
Elaine T	10/12	Don C	11/12		



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