

# SNOWSEEKERS

Volume 46 Issue 13

December 2010



## Headline Stories

[Baggage Policy](#) see page 2

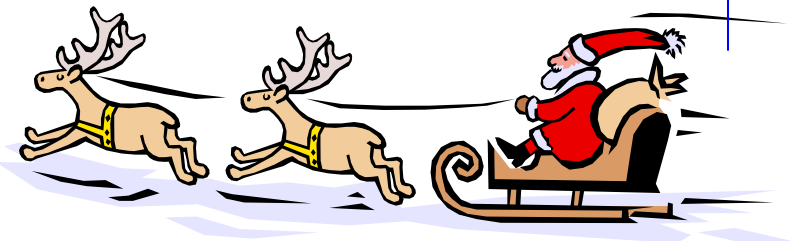
[Trip Status](#) , see page 2



### Important Dates!

Jan 7-- 9	<i>Devils Head Trip</i>
Jan 11	<i>Regular Meeting</i>
Jan 29-- Feb 5	<i>Steamboat Trip</i>
Feb 27-Mar 5	<i>Taos Trip</i>

*Note: Unless otherwise indicated, all regular monthly meetings are held at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall of First Presbyterian Church, Libertyville.*



Happy Holiday's Snowseekers,

Here wishing you have a great holiday season and a safe one.

For the people who are going on the Steamboat Ski Trip don't forget to come to the January meeting to pick up your tickets and information. To all of the other Snowseekers you can come, too.

Keep the skis pointed down hill and ski safe.

Darwin Adamss  
President

## **Baggage Policy important**

### **From Trip Coordinator Stu Howes:**

**American Airlines recently changed the baggage rules for a ski bag and boot bag (the boot bag would be a third bag and require a payment of \$100.00). After many replies from ski clubs, ski councils, and ski resorts, American Airlines has changed back to their prior procedure of allowing a ski bag and boot bag to be considered as one bag. The charge is \$35.00 if they are considered as one bag (a second bag).**

**However, you may not put any clothes or other items in those bags. You can only put skis or boots in those bags. If you do put anything else in those bags, they will be considered separate bags (duffel bags) and an additional charge of \$100.00 will be added for the boot bag which is then considered as the third bag.**

**This information has been confirmed by our trip provider, Sports America Tours.**

## **Trip Status**

### **From Trip Coordinator Stu Howes:**

#### **Steamboat, CO. Trip:**

The Steamboat trip is now finalized. The itinerary and air tickets will be given out at our regular meeting on January 11, 2011. You must sign for your air tickets and other trip information. If you cannot attend the meeting, you must have someone else pick up your information, and sign for your information.

#### **Taos, New Mexico:**

This trip is finalized also. The regular meeting on February 8, 2011 will be the time to receive the trip information. Again, you must sign for your information or have someone pick up the information and sign for you.

#### **Devil's Head, Wisconsin:**

The Lamer's Charter Bus will leave Lamb's Farm at 5:30pm on Friday, January 7, 2010. Please begin to board the bus around 5:00pm. Your car should be parked at the back of the parking lot so the Lamb's Farm security people will know what cars to watch while we are gone for the weekend.

We will make a short stop on the way to and from Devil's Head for a bite to eat.

There are a number of members who would like to ski with our group on Saturday, January 8, 2011. Anyone coming to Devil's Head for the day on Saturday the 8<sup>th</sup> must pay Snowseekers Ski Club \$37.50. This will give you a lift ticket for the day as well as lunch with our group. Anyone age 66+ will receive a free lift ticket, so lunch would only be \$7.50 for that day. Please confirm that you will be there on that day so I can let Devil's Head Resort know the number of people attending for the day. I will try to have packets ready for you upon your arrival. Check in at the front desk at Devil's Head Resort upon arrival to pick up your packet. Please also be sure to mention that the Snowseekers Ski Club is there for the weekend.

**Riddle**- I'm looking for a virtue (8 letter word) strongly possessed by skiers who don't hurt themselves. It is particularly important when filling out ski rental forms. The first person to email me this word gets a free dinner. One guess per person. Answer and winner announced at next meeting. (winner need not be present). Please put the word "virtue" in the email subject. You can reply to [corsec@snowseekers.org](mailto:corsec@snowseekers.org).