



# DFW YAHs YOUNG AT HEART SKIERS

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## JULY 2012

*"You don't stop playing because you grow old; you grow old because you stop playing"*

### **MESSAGE FROM THE PREZ - Janet Rensmeyer** [info@dfwyoungatheartskiers.org](mailto:info@dfwyoungatheartskiers.org)

I'm looking forward to getting to know more of you over this next year as well as enjoying another great year of skiing. Our next two trips – Telluride and Ireland – should be packed with a lot of fun times! Watch your emails and newsletters for updates. *Swimfest August 5, 2012*

If anyone has an interest in coordinating an event over the next few months, please step up. We would love to have someone lead us in an evening or afternoon of fun. Please contact me and we'll get it distributed to the masses.

Have a safe summer and stay cool...think of those "cold" chair lift rides up the mountain...as you cruise on your bike, walk the trails or just sit and fan yourself. My motto for the summer ... eat more ice cream.

Following is a list of current Board Members and Appointees:

- President -- Janet Rensmeyer
- Vice President & VP of Trips -- Maggie Phillips
- Secretary -- Pam Terrell
- Treasurer -- Beach Aten
- Membership & Publicity Chairperson -- Mike Crupi
- TSC delegate -- Charles Chapman
- Immediate Past TSC Delegate – Marlow Muldoon
- Immediate Past President -- Greg Jones
- Newsletter Editor -- Pam Terrell
- Webmaster -- Greg Jones

Hope to see you all soon at another YAHs event! ..... Janet

### **NOTES FROM THE VP – Maggie Phillips** [www.dfwyoungatheartskiers.org](http://www.dfwyoungatheartskiers.org)

- Texas Ski Council Trips for the Next Year*
- Fall Roundup--Dec. 15-22, 2012--Vail, Colorado*
- Traditional--Jan. 12-19, 2013--Steamboat Springs, Colorado*
- Winter Expedition--Jan. 25-Feb. 2, 2013-- Granada and Torremolinos, Spain*
- Winter Shootout--Feb. 9-16, 2013--Telluride, Colorado*

*Final Showdown—March 9-16, 2013—Big Ski Montana  
Summer Expedition--Dates TBD--late August 23-31, 2013--Limerick and Dublin, Ireland*

*\*\*\*See your e-mail from Greg dated 4/20/2012 for a more detailed description of each trip.*

*\*At the annual meeting on Sunday, Pam agreed to be trip leader for Telluride, and there were around 18 people who expressed interest in going.*

*\*Charles agreed to be trip leader for the Ireland trip, and several people expressed interest.*

*\*No one else has shown an interest to leading one of the other trips, although several folks were interested in Steamboat Springs.*

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*\*If you are interested in being a trip leader for Steamboat or any of the other trips, please let me know. If no one steps forward, we will refer interested skiers or travelers to one of the other TSC clubs.*

*Thanks! Maggie*

**MEMBERSHIP/Publicity – Mike Crupi**

***“It takes a whole club to raise a new member skier”***

**Texas Ski Council Update – Charles Chapman** [info@dfwyoungatheartskiers.org](mailto:info@dfwyoungatheartskiers.org)

News from the Ireland trip scheduled for the Summer of 2013.

Each of you should have received an E-Mail regarding the trip to Ireland. If you did not get the correspondence, please let me know and I will forward the information to you. The trip is scheduled for August 23-August 31, 2013. It includes 4 days in Limerick and 3 days in Dublin with a number of scheduled and optional tours that should be of interest. *Swimfest August 5, 2012* I need a non-binding head count of those who might be interested in making the trip by August 1<sup>st</sup>. It should be a great trip. The estimated cost will be about \$2,100. Per person double occupancy. That price includes transportation from Houston, all hotels and transfers and several meals.

I know the trip is over a year off and plans can change. The head count is just that, an estimate of interest.

So, think snow for the winter and green for the Emerald Isle in the summer of 2013.

Bing, Bang, Boom...Have a great 4<sup>th</sup> of July!

**WE NEED YOUR HELP**

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**Pictures are worth a thousand words but two hundred words are just as good!! Email your travel/adventure/fun stuff, *Swimfest August 5, 2012* written words or photos to Greg Jones our Webmaster and you'll be featured on YAHS website!!! Beat the rush!**

**Calling all volunteers to plan and host one monthly event- Happy Hour, Dinner, Day Trip, House party, sporting event, hike/bike outing (early a.m. please). Your suggestions and ideas are more than welcome.**

**If each of us does the planning/hosting of just one monthly event it is fun for all and not that much effort on anyone. Won't you please come forward and let a Board Member know you want to contribute as well????**



## LET'S PLAY TOGETHER- Save the Dates

**Biking and Hiking Saturday Mornings Campian Bike/Hike Outings – Hosting - The Muldoon's and they say we still need ten for those mimosas.**

July 2012- still open for suggestions

**August 5, 2012 4:00 p.m. \$7/members \$10/guests- Muldoon's Annual Swim-fest! Plan to Get Wet With The Rest of Us + Poolside picnic and wine! RSVP to the Muldoons not later than July 31<sup>st</sup> - Your check is your reservation: 3508 Bellah Court, Irving, TX 75062 Bring a guest or bring two and let's have some fun!**

September 2012-

October 2012-

November 2012-

December 2012- Annual Christmas Potluck & Chinese Gift Exchange

January 2013-

February 2013- Ski Telluride

**Monthly Calendar- watch email for updates! Contact HOST of individual activities with any questions. –refer to your Club Roster for Email addresses and phone numbers (available on our website, “Members Only” section)..**

## WE'VE BEEN PLAYING

### **Exotic Car Poker Anyone?**

**Beach and Kathy Aten**

Navigator Kathy and I participated in an exotic car poker run recently on a Saturday morning. We met at the Lamborghini dealership in Richardson along with about 75 other driver teams. Most of the cars were Porsches, Ferraris, and Lamborghinis, along with a few Maseratis and others that I couldn't identify.

The objective was to drive around Collin County collecting playing cards and prizes were awarded to the best five card poker hands. Each navigator received a set of clues used to determine where to pick up the cards. The clues were easy to decipher--the first stop was Southfork Ranch east of Plano. The second was the Heard Museum in McKinney, and the third was a small private airport in western McKinney. When we arrived at each location a Dallas Stars ice girl (in uniform) handed us a card. *Swimfest August 5, 2012*

The organizers emphasized that it was just a fun run--not a race. Most of the driving was on country roads, but we managed to hit some heavy traffic in McKinney. With 75 cars participating, they often bunched up in groups. It was an experience to see some of them accelerate in front of us.

The event ended with a lunch at the Maserati dealer in Plano. Kathy and I wound up with a decent poker hand--three aces, which was good for fifth place. Our prize package consisted of a Stars hockey puck, a Lamborghini calendar, and some miscellaneous other items. The top prize--four of a kind--went to an older woman who had a small dog as a navigator.

With everyone parked at the dealership for lunch, I estimated that the total value in the lot was about \$7.5 million. My car is a Porsche, but it is a Boxter--the bottom of the line. It was the only Boxter and in that lot it looked like a Volkswagen Beetle in comparison.



However, it was a beautiful day and we had the top down. Also, our co-driver teams were a nice, friendly group of people.

**IT'S SNOW FUN IN THE MAKING !**

***Two members have stepped forward to lead trips in 2013! Refer to TSC info above to know if you would like to be a Trip Leader and contact Maggie Phillips.***

**Other News, Updates and Information**

***We need your input ! Any news you may want to share with YAHS is welcome. The newsletter comes out on the 1<sup>st</sup> of each month so send Pam your input by the 28<sup>th</sup> of any month to get your name in YAHS next issue.***

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***Swimfest August 5, 2012 Be there or B Square !***

**OUR MONEY GUY- Beach Aten**

Detailed information available in "Members Only" section of website.

**see you next month.....Pam**

