



Actioneers at the Del Mar races  
August 14, 2010

### ACTION'S 2011 TRIP SCHEDULE

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| M1 1/7-1/10  | Vail TBD     |
| M2 1/20-1/23 | M4 3/11-3/14 |
| M3 2/4-2/7   | M5 3/24-3/27 |

***Mammoth signups start 9/2!***



Action Happy Hour at Wine Steals  
5:00 PM Friday, 9/17  
2970 Truxton Rd, SD 92106  
(Point Loma) 619-221-1959

Organizer: Tom Sekreta  
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# Prez Sez

Hello Actioneers!

Our next general meeting will be held Thursday, Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup> at Kate Sessions Park, 6:00 PM. This will be our last outdoor meeting, so it's also the last time you can get your burgers and a drink for \$3.00! We will start selling our Mammoth trips at this meeting (Yes! Ski season is nearly upon us), so get geared-up for the ski season of your life!



Carmen Jahns

On August 6<sup>th</sup>, 24 Actioneers headed for William Heise Memorial Park in Julian, to camp with **John Thomas**. After combating some initial hurdles (only two tents per camp site) we had a marvelous time, hiking, eating gourmet dinners, and kicking back with our Action buddies. Once you have been on one of these camping trips, you will never want to miss another one. Then on August 14<sup>th</sup>, 20 Actioneers met at my home for lunch, and then off to the Del Mar races! See the write-up on Page 4 of this newsletter.

Coming up in September, **Tom Sekreta** is hosting a Happy hour at Wine Steals in Point Loma on Friday the 17<sup>th</sup>, at 5:00 PM. Then **Shannon** will be 65 years old (again) and he is celebrating this milestone at "That Pizza Place", 2622 El Camino Real, Carlsbad. This celebration begins at 7:00 PM on Saturday the 25<sup>th</sup>, so don't miss the fun, food and spirits!

**Anna Marie** has put together a survey, so please take the survey because (to paraphrase my Daddy) "we all want to be swinging on the same gate" when it comes to Action activities!

Some fall activities to watch for include wine tasting in Temecula, and a happy hour or two! See you at the next meeting!

*Carmen*

# ACTION PREPARES FOR 2011 SKI TRIPS

By Wendell Openshaw

Trip leaders have been selected for Action's 2011 ski season. Ken Hodge has booked condos for all our Mammoth trips. Vail trip arrangements will be finalized soon.

To give members the best possible trip experience, all trip leaders recently attended a training session led by John Thomas, based on "best practices" developed from Action's trip experiences over many years. We are now planning our trips and creating trip flyers, so watch your email!



Mammoth trips will go on sale at Action's general meeting on Thursday, September 2nd, 6PM at Kate Sessions Park. Please bring your checkbook to the meeting. Mammoth trips are priced at \$285 per person, only \$5 more than last year! Private rooms (double occupancy) cost an additional \$25 per person, based on availability. Please sign up for private rooms together with your roommate.

Ski trips are open to Action members only— so if you haven't yet renewed your membership, it's time! See Page 7 for the membership application, give it or mail it to Hank Filar along with your check.

Action's 2011 trip dates and leaders are as follows:

Mammoth 1: 1/7-1/10, Anna Marie Sorriso and Pam Tait

Mammoth 2: 1/20-1/23, Ken Hodge and Carmen Jahns

Mammoth 3: 2/4-2/7, Wendell Openshaw and Janet Chenier

Vail: TBD, Jack and Jackie Holder

Mammoth 4: 3/11-3/14, Hank Filar and Rick Cole

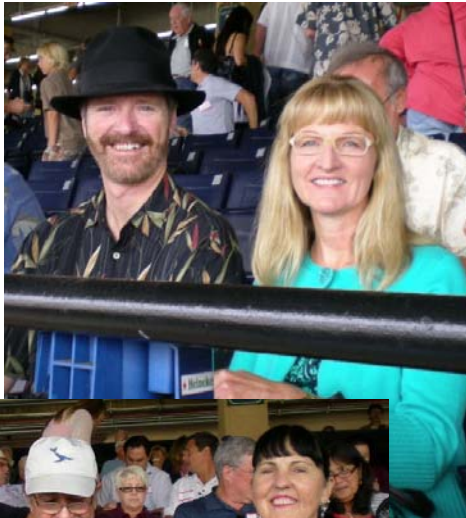
Mammoth 5: 3/24-3/27, Tom Sekreta and John Thomas

Seller of Travel No. 2065800-40

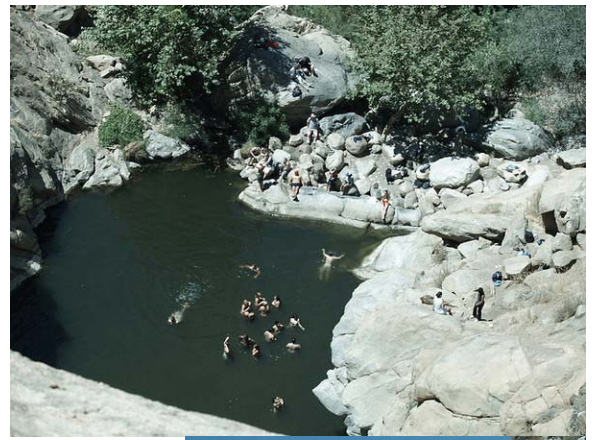
# Del Mar Races--August 14, 2010

By Gary Jahns

Action's motto is "continuous party atmosphere," and Del Mar Race Day lived up to the saying. Prez Carmen Jahns, located strategically close in Encinitas, with the help of kitchen elves Pam Tait, Anne Pettay, and Soren Andermatt, hosted the pre-race party again this year (although she was heard quoting Edgar Allen Poe--"Nevermore!"). Shannon Miller came jonesing for breakfast but had to settle for lunch. Kazba the cat knew a cat person right away and settled in Shannon's lap. Everyone was blown away by the spread the ladies put out, and after two hours of good food and good company set out for the track with full tummies, while Kazba settled in for a serious nap from all the handouts of people food. Raul Rodriguez had a wicked Friday the 13th the night before (stolen bike, lost wallet, hostile/aggressive woman in bar scene...) and wondered how much worse his luck could be. As it turned out, much better: he hit a big winner in the 7th race and went home seriously to the north side of even. Mike Saeva has a system: it worked last year, it worked again this year, and he was another winner. The bookies have sworn Mike to secrecy to protect their livelihood. Wendell's friends Gary and Nancy Jalaty proved that they were savvy handicappers too. As for the rest of us, well, it was good entertainment. On Action day at the races, there was a smile on every face, and a winner in every race, down at old Del Mar...hey, that could be a song!



For more great photos, visit [www.actionski.org](http://www.actionski.org) and click on "Gallery"!



William Heise  
Camping  
Near Ramona,  
California  
August 6-8, 2010



## Shannon Miller is 65— AGAIN!

Come help Shannon celebrate his birthday!

Saturday, September 25th, party starts at 7PM.

“That Pizza Place”, 2622 El Camino Real,  
Carlsbad.

No presents please!

Any questions, call Shannon 760-722-2734 or  
Kelly 760-967-7115.

(Not an Action-sponsored event.)

*You are Invited to*  
*The Magic of the Night*  
*...the Event of the Year*

**Courtyard Marriott Kearny Mesa**  
**8651 Spectrum Center Blvd**  
**San Diego, CA 92123**

**Saturday**  
**November 6, 2010**

A limited number  
of rooms are available for  
**only \$99!**

Call 858 633-9002  
Use code: HDYJ or HDYK  
*San Diego Council of Ski  
Clubs*  
to get the special rate.

*Saturday Evening, Dine & Dance!*

5:30 pm – No Host Bar  
6:30 pm – Sit Down Dinner  
7:30 pm – Award Presentations  
8:30 -11 pm – Dancing to *North Star Band*

Attire: Semi-formal (Black Tie Optional)

\$52 pp on or before Oct 15  
\$62 pp after Oct 15

*Celebrating*

*San Diego Council of Ski Clubs'*  
*Man and Woman of the Year and*  
*Joe Harris Award Recipient*



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Please choose Salmon, Chicken  
or Portobello Mushroom

# Action Ski & Snowboard Club Membership Application 2010-2011

Membership is open to the general public, adults only, 21 years or older. Annual dues for the period June 1 to May 31 are \$35 per person or \$65 for married couples. Make check payable to: ACTION SKI & SNOWBOARD CLUB. Mail or give form and check to *Hank Filar, Membership Director, P.O. Box 2601, Valley Center, CA 92082.*

New Member \_\_\_\_\_ Renewal \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Newsletter Delivery (Only Choose One): \_\_\_\_\_ By Email or \_\_\_\_\_ By US Mail

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Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the activities you are interested in:

Skiing  Snowboarding  Racing  Bicycling  Camping  Golf  Kayaking  Skating  Hiking  Rafting  Volleyball

How did you find us? \_\_\_\_\_

**RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY-** In consideration of being accepted as a member of the ACTION SKI AND SNOWBOARD CLUB (AS&SC), the undersigned, for himself or herself and personal representatives, assigns, heirs, next of kin, or either of them, **HEREBY RELEASES, WAIVES, DISCHARGES AND COVENANTS NOT TO SUE AS&SC/FAR WEST SKI ASSOCIATION (FWSA)**, its officers, trip leaders, and members, for all liability to the undersigned, his or her personal representative, assigns, heirs, next of kin, or either of them for all loss or damages, and any claim or demands therefore an account otherwise while the undersigned is participating in the AS&SC/FWSA activities. The undersigned expressly agrees that foregoing **RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY** is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the laws of the State of California and if any portions is held to be invalid, the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full force and effect. **ASSUMPTION OF RISK**—the undersigned hereby warrants that he or she is fully aware of the risks and hazards inherent in participating in all activities and any events related thereto, including, but not limited to, the sport of alpine skiing or snowboarding and hereby elects voluntarily to participate. The undersigned hereby voluntarily **ASSUMES ALL RISK OF LOSS, DAMAGE, OR INJURY** that may be sustained by him or her, and to any damage to property of the undersigned while participating in the above activities. **THE AS&SC/FWSA** is a nonprofit volunteer organization, run entirely by volunteers, operated by and for the benefit of its members. I am aware that **AS&SC/FWSA** carries no insurance nor maintains a reserve for liability. I agree to and shall hold harmless **THE AS&SC/FWSA**, its officers, directors, and any other person appointed by **THE AS&SC/FWSA** from and against any and all claims, losses, damages, demands, attorneys' fees for injury to or death of any person, or for damages to any property. I understand that the **AS&SC/FWSA** acts only as coordinator and accepts no responsibility for the services of any person, travel agency, ski area, resort, airline, motor coach, hotel, or any organization whatsoever rendering any of the services or accommodations being offered on this or any trip or activity. Trip and activity fees are based on current tariffs and exchange rates that are subject to change without notice. **THE AS&SC/FWSA** accepts no responsibility, in who or in part, for any delays, delayed departure or arrivals, missed or failure of any nature, however caused, or from any substitutions or for any additional expenses occasioned thereby. I hereby grant permission for the **AS&SC/FWSA** to seek medical attention should the need arise and parent/next of kin cannot be reached by telephone. The undersigned has read and voluntarily signs this **RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK**.

**CODE OF CONDUCT - ACTION SKI AND SNOWBOARD CLUB (AS&SC)** members shall maintain **HIGH STANDARDS OF MORAL AND ETHICAL CONDUCT**, which includes but not limited to self-control and responsible behavior, consideration for the physical and emotional well-being of others, courtesy, and good manners. It's important for **AS&SC** members to follow a **CODE OF CONDUCT** with all members and non-members because they are representing not only themselves, but also **AS&SC**. Therefore, I recognize and understand that any infraction of the **CODE OF CONDUCT** as stated in the **AS&SC** bylaws may cause up to expulsion from **AS&SC** and I shall hold harmless the **AS&SC**, its officers, directors, and any other person appointed by the **AS&SC** from and against for any and all claims, losses, damages, demands, attorneys' fees for personal injury or harassment.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2010 at San Diego, California

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## Action General Meeting

LAST OUTDOOR MEETING OF THE YEAR

*MAMMOTH TRIPS ON SALE!*

*Bring your checkbook!*

6 PM Thursday, September 2, 2010

Kate Sessions Park

5115 Soledad Road, San Diego 92109

**BURGER AND A BEER/SODA  
FOR THREE BUCKS!**

Directions: From the 5 Freeway, take Garnet Avenue west for 1/2 mile, turn right (north) onto Lamont, go up the hill.



## SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Dave Arnold	6th	Shannon Miller	25th
Scott Wexman	6th	Dariusz Wroblewski	26th
Jeremiah Bietz	11th	Pamela Levine	27th
Clark Crawford	14th	Linda Banks	28th
Robert Herr	18th	Gerry Zozula	29th
Marie-Claude Angers	20th	Lillian Brown	29th
Andrej Czerwinski	25th	Ron Kollmansberger	30th

### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:

Bert Vermeire, Clark Crawford, Gondy Leroy

### COMING EVENTS:

- 9/2 Action General Meeting  
at Kate Sessions Park in Pacific Beach  
Mammoth trips now on sale!
- 9/17 Happy hour at Wine Steals, Point Loma
- 9/25 Shannon's "65th" birthday party, Carlsbad

See you at Action's  
MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING 2nd  
6PM, Thursday, September 2nd  
at Kate Sessions Park

**MAMMOTH  
TRIPS NOW  
ON SALE!**



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