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THE UNRECABLES REPRESENT WELL AT CONVENTION

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE MICHELLE MCCARTHY



Welcome Summer! Hopefully everyone has been finding a way to unwind and reconnect this summer.

In June we held our Annual Meeting and Elections. Thank you to our returning Board Members for agreeing to serve another year. We truly appreciate your time and effort!

Elected Board Members:

President Michelle McCarthy
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The Unrecables parties at Convention with FWSA VIPs and the Mahre brothers.

As you can see, our Club is in need of volunteers to help keep us running smoothly. Please contact me if you are interested in helping with, or would like more information regarding, one of the open positions. We are in need of a Vice President, Public Relations and Fundraising Chairpersons. There is very little time commitment involved, but your service would greatly help our Club. Have a fabulous summer! ♦

Michelle

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HISTORY OF SKI EQUIPMENT

STEVE LEFKOWITZ



This newsletter article will feature some of the changes in ski equipment over the last 65 years. It will include both hardware and software innovations. In the days before the electronic and high-tech era, these terms took on drastically different meanings than they do today. Hardware referred to the physical equipment while software was the clothing associated with the sport (think "The Great Pacific Iron Works", Yvon Chouinard's climbing hardware company (which was probably known only to serious climbers) and had its beginnings in Ventura, CA, and its spin-off offshoot, software company "Patagonia" which is vastly more widely known today). I've been skiing since 1958 and the following is only based on my memories and not on an exhaustive Google search.

Hardware

Skis: For those of you skiers out there who think that nothing significant has happened in the skiing industry in their lifetimes except that skis are now shaped (parabolic), wider at the tips and tails with a narrower waist so that turning them is a bit easier and you can ski a shorter ski, I just have to say that you just haven't lived long enough. I bought my first pair of skis at a thrift store in 1958. They were solid wood, had "bear trap" bindings with a cable that fit around the heels of my boots, no metal edges, and were about 7' long. When not in use they had to be clamped at the tips and tails with a wooden block between them at the center so the skis wouldn't warp and lose their camber. It was not so dire, how-

ever, because I grew up in Minnesota where ski jumps and X-country terrain were in abundance, mountains for downhill skiing, not so much. These huge slats were no hindrance to jumping and to a teenager, a means of getting out in nature which was covered with snow 5 months of the year, was a reward in its own right. Notice I said that these skis were made from solid wood and were long. Skiing (and being able to control) long skis was a sign of an advanced skier. It was not unusual for skiers in those days, when standing in a gondola line, with skis detached and being held vertically at one's side, to prop them up on one's toes, to make them appear even longer. Later skis were made from aluminum, steel, fiberglass, plastics, foam, and laminates of several different materials sandwiched together in layers. The bases also have undergone tremendous changes with today's bottoms made out of synthetic wax or P-tex.

Bindings: As mentioned above, these were the "bear trap" type where any significant fall could mean a broken leg. Your heel was "free" which was OK for Nordic skiing and/or jumping, but pretty sloppy for downhill. The 1st "safety" bindings had been developed but were neither very safe nor widely in use. I remember "Cubco" as being 1 of the many manufacturers that were trying to solve the quick-release, safety dilemma so that at any given time a significant percentage of the skiing population would not either be in the hospital or waiting for their broken legs (and/or ankles) to mend. Notched toes (on ski boots) and screwed on steel plates were all part of this evolution which is still an ongoing thing today.

Boots: Mine were leather and were little more than hiking boots. They were soft and pliable, especially when wet, and didn't offer much support. Also, they were a huge hindrance to the research and development of safety/quick release bindings because they weren't of uniform shape and the soles didn't stay flat for very long. One other thing, they were all of the lace-up style. If you've ever laced up a pair of ski boots with frozen fingers, you know what a pain that was. Gradually, buckles were developed to replace the laces, the 1st ones having little hooks to fit in the places where the holes had been for the laces. Soon, all new boots were made with buckle attachments and the lace-up boots were history (thank God). Next, the materials were worked on. The leather of old became thermoplastic. These boots gave more support, were much warmer, and worked much better in the development of safety/quick release bindings. They now provided a flat, uniform sole for the spring-loaded bindings. While helping to solve 1 medical problem, it created another. It used to be that almost every time you went out skiing, you were risking a broken ankle. These new higher, plastic boots cradled and supported the ankle so well that this was not the weak point to be destroyed anymore. Ankles were saved from being broken, but a new injury, the boot-top fracture was now becoming more common. The ankle bones themselves were being saved but the long leg bones were wrapping around each other and twisting until they broke. Better binding helped this but we still have that problem today.

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FWSA CONVENTION IN OREGON

SIGRID NOACK



What a fun convention this year in Portland, Oregon! This was the convention, that had been planned for 2019, but was postponed due to the pandemic. The Northwest Ski Club Council was ready three years ago, and they were really ready this year hosting the 89th FWSA convention "Rollin' on the River". The Holiday Inn Portland was the host hotel, located directly on the Columbia River, a beautiful setting. Actually from my room, we could watch the Interstate 5 highway bridge open and close for the taller, larger ships.

What was especially fun for me, was that we had four Unrecables members attending this convention! **Hannah Nishimoto** represented LA Council as Woman of the Year, now renamed Volunteer of the Year, **John Gray**, this year's winner of the Jimmie Heuga Humanitarian award, **Dee Armstrong**, past winner of the Jimmie Heuga award, and **Sigrid Noack**, FWSA Charities & Our Community Chair. Actually all four of us, the Unrecables delegates, are Jimmie Heuga award winners. Other past Unrecables members, who have been awarded this recognition, are **Gordon Cardona**, **Diana Digiandomenico**, and **Linda Fryback**.

If you are not familiar with Jimmie Heuga, please google him. What an amazing person, what an honor to win this special FWSA recognition. The FWSA awards booklet describes the award: The Jimmie Heuga Award is given to the individual who, like Jimmie, has demonstrated courage & skill

in three arenas - the ski slope, the human body, and the courageous heart. Congratulations John and all our Unrecables winners.

Before the Convention officially began on Friday, Hannah, Dee, Sigrid & others took part in the "Mt. Hood Adventure". This was a beautiful day adventure, which included touring the historic Timberline Lodge, dedicated in 1937 by President Franklin Roosevelt, Government Camp with a tour of the Mt. Hood Cultural Center & Museum, a delicious lunch at the "Crooked Tree Tavern & Grill" at Cooper Spur Mountain Resort, then on to Hood River & a view of the fabulous Multnomah Falls in Columbia River Gorge.

The annual Pub Crawl on Thursday evening was a very popular event, a great time to visit with our Industry friends in a relaxed atmosphere.

Friday was a busy day, but sadly the Michael German Memorial Golf Tournament had to be cancelled due to rain. But many people enjoyed the Western Washington Wine Tour. The Pool Party in the afternoon, had to be moved inside to a meeting room, because of cold & rain. But nobody seemed to mind.

Friday night was the 36th annual Trade Show & Silent Auction with many really phenomenal deals on trips & hotel visits. Normally scheduled for Saturday, the Travel Expo this year was incorporated into the Friday night Silent Auction. Delegates were encouraged to spend some extra time with Industry partners to discuss possible future trips.

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CONVENTION HIGHLIGHTS



FWSA CHARITIES & OUR COMMUNITY

SIGRID NOACK

At this year's FWSA Convention we presented our second Charity Recognition video. Last year was our first attempt, and it turned out very well. This year we had more club involvement in this FWSA Charity Recognition program, which made the video more interesting.

My goal as chairperson of this program has always been to get all FWSA ski clubs in every one of our ten councils to be involved with at least one charity. So far we have almost reached the goal.

Most of our clubs are involved with several charity activities every year. The challenge for me, is to get the clubs to take the time to share those activities with FWSA. I have tried to make it easier for the clubs. Now, when a club shares anything with me, like a photo with one of their favorite charity activities together with their club logo, that's enough to get their club featured

in the video. Last year we had six clubs included in the video, this year we had eleven groups! Making great progress!

At the convention in Portland, the TV ran the whole weekend showing our Charity Recognition video. On Sunday we even played it on the huge screen for the whole group of convention delegates to view. That was very exciting for me and for **Paul Vlasveld**, the BAC president, who put the video together.

These are featured groups in our 2022 video:

Bogus Basin Ski Club - Intermountain Council
Grindelwald Ski Club - Los Angeles Council of Ski Clubs
Four Seasons West Ski and Snowboard Club - LAC and National Brotherhood of Skiers - Western Region
Monterey Ski & Social Club - Bay Area
Snow Sports Council
Mountain High Snow Sport Club -

Northwest Ski Club Council
Reno Ski & Recreation Club - Sierra Council
SLO - Central Council of California
Skiyente Ski Club - Northwest Ski Club Council
Get Off Your Rockers Ski Club - San Diego Council of Ski Clubs
Arizona Ski Council
PacRat Racing - Northwest Ski Club Council

These outstanding clubs and one council were also presented with a Charity Recognition Certificate of Appreciation and received an electronic FWSA medallion to post on their website and to use in their newsletter.

All clubs involved with charity activities are winners!

Our two charity videos are posted on the fwsa.org website and also on YouTube. ♦

Sigrid



MEMBER SPOTLIGHT JOHN GRAY



I would like you to meet **Victor and Kenny Chan**, volunteer ski instructors with The Unrecables for over

ten years. Victor and Kenny's contributions to the club have been innumerable and immeasurable ever since they joined The Unrecables.

This past season was no exception. They were the only ski instructor volunteers to make every single trip to Mammoth for the 2021-22 season*. That is every trip from the December instructors' weekend to the spring thaw in May. Their willingness to help and support the club is limitless. They are gracious, humble, and self-less in their efforts to accommodate our student skiers and other instructors who may need a carpool or shared lodging up in Mammoth. Victor is always more than happy to cook a Friday night dinner for his condo mates, and both help at our Saturday night club dinner. Victor, with Kenny's help, has been our main videographer on the mountain which has led to many great moments of awe-inspiring skiing and a few laughs as well. They often give up their own free ski time to help students get extra time on the slopes. They are great volunteer ski instructor role models and each of us in The Unrecables family appreciate their dedication and service to others.

*The only other person to make every trip to Mammoth is our beloved **Hannah Nishimoto**. Hannah is our Equipment Manager, and Ski Director when **Dee Armstrong** is not available, and nothing happens up in Mammoth for The Unrecables without Hannah. ♦

John

FWSA TRIPS

FWSA Annual Dive Trip 2022

Cozumel, Mexico
October 8-15, 2022

FWSA Annual Ski Week 2023

Jackson Hole, WY
January 21-28, 2023

FWSA Mini-Ski Week 2023

Big White, MT
March 2023

International Ski & Snowboard Trips

Croatia -- Sept. 2022
Zermatt, Switzerland -- Feb. 2023
Val Nevado, Chile -- Summer 2023
Madonna di Campiglio, Italy -- 2024
Val d'Isere, France -- Feb. 2025

FWSA Adventure Trips

East & Central Africa -- 2024
Galapagos Islands -- 2026

Check out details at fwsa.org.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July

12 Social on Zoom @ 6:30p

August

9 Social on Zoom @ 6:30p

September

13 Social on Zoom @ 6:30p

October

11 Social on Zoom @ 6:30p

November

5 Snow Gala



THE UNRECABLES' NEW FUNDRAISER

Order your Hand Santizer Today!

Click on the link on our website, you will see our Unrecables logo. Click on our logo to order. All orders placed from the Unrecables logo will support our club.

If you have any questions, contact **Amanda Davis**. Thank you for your support of our newest fundraiser.

SUPPORT THE UNRECABLES AND SHOP RALPHS!

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Thank you for your support!

Contact Sigrid Noack
sigrid@unrecables.org

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The Unrecables is part of AmazonSmile! It's simple fundraiser, somewhat similar to the Ralphs Program.

To order from AmazonSmile, first sign-in on Amazon. Then choose The Unrecables as your charity. The next time you sign-in, The Unrecables should be listed as your charity. It should be indicated at the top left of the web site. Have fun shopping! ♦



2022 FWSA AWARD WINNERS

Service Awards (Great 8)

Hans Georg Award

Sheri Parshall (NWSCC)

J. Stanley Mullin Award

John Reinhardt (NWSCC)

Elizabeth "Schatzi" Wood Award

Sandra Blackwell (LAC)

Jordan-Reily Award

Heidi Logosz (Mt Hood Meadows)

Jimmie Heuga Humanitarian Award

John Gray (The Unrecables)

Bill Mackey Award

Michael J. Ballingall (Big White)

Tommie Tyndall Award

Aspen Snowmass

Terry Smith Award

Peter Dodd (NWSCC-PACRAT)

Snowsports Builder Awards

The Kohnstamm Family Timberline

Lodge & Ski Area (Mt Hood)

The Drake Family Mt. Hood Meadows
(Mt Hood)

Kirk Hanna Mt. Hood Skibowl (Mt
Hood)

Media Awards

Bill Berry – Hard News

The Tahoe Weekly

Bill Berry – Featured Article

Lindsey Vonn, author of "Rise: My
Story"

Warren Miller Award

Coolfire Productions, for documentary
film "Magic in the Mountains"

Public Affairs Awards

Western Ski Heritage Award

Lowell Skoog, author of "Written in
the Snows: Across Time on Skis in the
Pacific Northwest."

Richard Lubin

Safety Person of the Year

No Award

Environment Award

No Award

Communications Awards

Wentworth Outstanding Club Publication

MASTERS

1st Mt. High Snowsport Club
Emilio Trampuz

2nd **The Unrecables**
Gordon Cardona

ADVANCED

1st Castro Valley Ski Club
Dennie Warren

NOVICE

No awards

Outstanding Club Website

MASTERS

1st Mt. High Snowsport Club
Emilio Trampuz

2nd Inskiers Ski & Snowboard
Bob Burke

3rd **The Unrecables**
Dee Armstrong

ADVANCED

1st Torrey Pines Ski Club
Judy Fontanella

NOVICE

1st Don Diego Ski Club
Karl Cikst

Outstanding

Council Publication

1st **Los Angeles Council**
Gordon Cardona
2nd Bay Area Snow Sports Council
Dennie Warren
3rd Northwest Ski Club Council
Linda McGavin

Outstanding

Council Website

1st Northwest Ski Club Council
Linda McGavin
2nd Bay Area Snow Sports Council
Cathy Wilson and Jenn Wilson
3rd Los Angeles Council
Sandy Blackwell

Social Media Awards

Facebook:

1st Northwest Ski Club Council
2nd Reno Ski & Recreation Club
3rd Get Off Your Rockers Ski Club

Outstanding Club

No awards



The Unrecables Clothing & Merchandise Store



The Unrecables Merchandise and Clothing Store is now open! There are 38 products to choose from. All the profits (100%) from the items sold go directly to The Unrecables fund for continuing our mission to provide exciting and meaningful snow sports experiences on the slopes of Mammoth Mountain for individuals with a physical disability. We continue to offer these services with no charge to the student for ski equipment, ski instruction, and lift tickets. The link to The Unrecables Store can be found on our homepage (www.unrecables.org).

Convention

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Saturday was a fun, interesting & educational day, with several Snowsports Leadership Academy sessions & Public Affairs panels: Strategic Travel - in a Changing World, Portland Mountain Rescue, Weather Changes Affecting Mountain Operations & Public Safety, How to Jumpstart Your Facebook Social Media Presence, and Athletes & 10th Mountain Division.

The highlight of the whole weekend was certainly the visit with Olympians **Phil & Steve Mahre**! These fun & funny twins became instantly our

new best friends. They were our Keynote Speakers, but then they spent the rest of the day with us, taking photos & joking around with all of us. See the special photo they asked to be taken with our John Gray! (Showing off their 3 bald heads!)

At Saturday night's banquet, John received his Jimmie Heuga Award. Congratulations John! Also, **Hannah Nishimoto** was one of the honorees for FWSA Volunteer of the Year. She had really tough competition, but we are very proud of our Hannah. The dancing went on till 11:00pm and Sigrid didn't miss a beat!

Congratulations to the new

FWSA officers who were elected by the club delegates on Sunday:
President Linda Westland
Secretary Tina Lyon
Treasurer Randy Lew
Trustees Fran Long & Jo Simpson
VP Communications Joe Harvis
VP International Travel Debbie Stewart
VP Marketing Debbi Kor
VP Membership Jean McCassey ♦

Sigrid



ROARING 20'S PARTY

get all gussied up and let's celebrate in style!

Los Angeles Council of Skiers
Presents
SNOW GALA

NOVEMBER 5, 2022
Seven O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING

Almanson Court
700 South Almanson St
Alhambra, Calif. 91801

A stylized illustration of a woman in 1920s flapper attire. She is wearing a white, sleeveless, fringed dress and a black headband with a large feather. A long, purple feather boa is draped around her neck and shoulders. She is holding a yellow cocktail glass in her right hand and is depicted in a dynamic, dancing pose. The background of the poster features a dark, ornate floral pattern.

Ski Equipment

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Poles: My originals were made of wood (bamboo?) and had large metal rings with leather attached baskets. Newer versions are shorter, made of hollow aluminum, and have smaller, plastic baskets.

Retention straps/ski brakes: With the advent of safety/release bindings, ski resorts faced another problem - runaway skis! This could be lethal. Imagine an unimpeded ski, hurtling down a steep, snow-covered slope. Big-time danger - an unguided missile! To temporarily allay this problem ski retention straps were developed. They were quick release straps that attached the ski binding (and thus the ski) to the leg (around the calf). But now another problem developed. After a fall, assuming the binding released (not always a fair assumption), while still sliding (the steeper the slope, the more you'll slide), the ski, now attached to your leg, would windmill around and smack you in the head, cut your face with their metal edges, and do all kinds of harm to your arms and body. To work on that problem, ski brakes were developed. These would stop the detached ski in the snow (supposedly) and away from your body. The problem was that it was hard to convince ski resorts that they worked. It wasn't until the mid-late 1970s that resort owners were finally convinced that they actually stopped a runaway ski (every time) and retention straps were relegated to the history books. (PS. I still have some should any of you knuckle-dragging snowboarders out there need one (John).

Software:

Clothing, for a long time, seemed com-

pletely fashion driven. All you ski-bunnies out there (and men too) had to have the latest fads and be completely color-coordinated. Over time, while fashion continued to be a driving force, function started gaining market share. As an avid mountaineer, I had all kinds of outdoor clothing. It seemed a waste not to also wear them while skiing. Once, a long time ago, my then girlfriend said while skiing that I looked like an ugly clown - no 2 things that I was wearing matched. Yeah, "but I'm warm" was my reply and so went the argument over ski clothing. Today, BOTH fashion and utility are driving forces. Time was that I thought that numb fingers and toes, and frozen ears and noses were just some of the things you had to endure in order to enjoy the sport of skiing. Modern science has changed all that. New materials for gloves make frozen fingers almost a thing of the past (almost). Thermoplastic boots and bladders keep toes warmer. Helmets are not only much safer but also keep the noggin warm. And in high wind or sleeting conditions, I'm glad my knit beanie (that's toque to you PJ) is back at the condo. Blue jeans - not in decades. Jackets are now breathable as well as wind and waterproof. Synthetic long underwear has replaced the scratchy woolies of years gone by. Jackets now have many pockets to hold our numerous electronic devices that some people just can't seem to ski without (Kenny). Besides, they come in handy to hold snacks to munch on while you're on the chair lifts. I could go on and on about today's software but sometimes it seems that modern ski clothing is restricted only by one's credit card limit.



Steve

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2023 Far West Ski Association

JACKSON HOLE

WYOMING ski week

JAN 21 THRU JAN 28



FAR WEST SKI ASSOCIATION

Sign up and relax, we take care of everything.



- Welcome reception at Snow King
- Seven Nights Lodging
- Banquet dinner / dance at Snow King
- Mountain picnic at base of Snow King (lift ticket NOT needed for picnic)
- Council après event
- GS race at Snow King
- Council Challenge Race at Jackson Resort
- And much more

Please select your accommodations. The lodging is all in town. There are frequent buses from the hotels to the Jackson Hole Resort. There will be bus from the 49er to Snow King for the events. New intermediate and beginner area chair lifts.

49er Hotel 2Q	\$1,035 (\$540 single supplement)
49er Studios 2Q (slightly larger than hotel room)	\$1,090 (\$595 single supplement)
49er DLX Bridger Fireplace 2Q	\$1,135 (\$640 single supplement)
Snow King Hotel K or 2Q	\$1,335 (\$870 single supplement)

Payment Schedule

To sign up and hold a spot:	\$500
Due by June 20, 2022	\$400
Due by Aug 29, 2022	\$200 (if you plan to join the group air)
Due by Oct 1, 2022	\$300
Due by Nov 7, 2022	Balance

make checks payable to:
Los Angeles Council
of Ski Clubs

Cancellation Policy, Penalty:

Aug 1 to Sept 7, 2022	\$200
Sept 8 to Oct 20, 2022	\$ Single supplement room cost

NO REFUND AFTER OCTOBER 21, 2022

Air and ground transportation will be available through FWSA at a competitive price. Information on the exact price to be available at a later date

TRIP INSURANCE IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED

Lift Tickets - Jackson Hole Resort

• Adult 4-day	\$503	Senor (65 yrs.) 4-day	\$430
• Adult 5-day	\$604	Senor (65 yrs.) 5-day	\$517
• Adult 6-day	\$719	Senor (65 yrs.) 6-day	\$615

Lift Tickets - Snow King Resort

1-Day	\$77	2-Day	\$144	3-Day	\$213	4-Day	\$280	5-Day	\$300
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IKON Pass—Skigroup.net and FWSA have a website where participants can order the IKON pass online. The website to purchase is live: <https://go.tripstorm.app/#!/22ikonfwsa>. Participants purchasing the pass on this site and who sign up for the Jackson Hole trip will get a \$50 lodging credit. Participants purchasing the pass from other vendors or directly through IKON will not get the lodging credit. **The Full IKON pass and the Base Pass Plus are the passes that will give our trip participants access to Jackson Hole.** The Full IKON Pass gives participants 7 days and the Base Pass Plus give participants 5 days at Jackson Hole.

Tear off and fill out

Mail your check payable to Los Angeles Council of Ski Clubs: PO Box 10266, Glendale, CA 91209

Trip Leader: Laura Priess ☎ (818) 800-3166 E-mail: rokkaracers@aol.com

Name: _____ Name for your badge _____

(As it appears on your government ID. We are not for discrepancies between the name on your ID and the name on your airline ticket) [Real ID required for air travel after May 3, 2023. If using a Passport it must be valid for 6 months after travel date]

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Roommate preference: _____ Email: _____ Lodging choice: _____

Single Supplement: Yes / No Your Ski Club _____ or FWSA direct Member _____

You must be a member of an affiliated ski club or a FWSA direct member

Do you have an IKON Pass Yes / No (If no, please complete the next line)

Need a lift ticket for _____ days at Jackson Hole; Adult / Senior Need a ticket for _____ days at Snow King (Snow King ticket NOT included in trip price)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

JULY

2 Ian Kucma
4 Hannah Nishimoto
5 P.J. Sallaway
6 Steve Lefkowitz
14 Stella Levin
14 David Scheinfarb
17 Amade Nyirak
18 Dee Armstrong
20 Sigrid Noack
26 Doug Brown
28 Randy Benson
28 Don Taetsch
30 Casey Caputo



AUGUST

3 Hal Ellis
10 Gordon Cardona
11 Sue Taetsch
12 Helen DeBerard
17 Keith Bonchek
17 Brook Komar
26 Brent Myers

SEPTEMBER

12 Carolyn Galantine
15 Rob McCarthy
16 Herbert Raymond
16 Christopher Oakley
24 John Kriz
26 Scott Nakada
29 Marc Rosenberg

Sunshine

Dina Garcia

recovering from neck surgery

Will Chung

recovering from a biking accident

Brian Cruise's brother

recovering from a stroke

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Since 2020, The Unrecables have been staying safe, and not producing paper copies of the newsletter.

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FWSA ANNUAL SKI WEEK 2023

Jackson Hole, WY

January 21-28, 2023

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THE UNRECABLES NEWS

NEXT NEWSLETTER DEADLINE: SEPT 5

Coming up in the next issue:

- Summer party recap
- Snow Gala preview ... and much more

UNRECABLES SOCIALS ON ZOOM

2ND TUESDAY MONTHLY
6:30 PM

July 12
August 9
Sept 13
Oct 11

Check your e-mail or Facebook
for Zoom meeting link, or e-mail
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Stay safe, get vaccinated!

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THE UNRECABLES MEETINGS

SOCIALS: Every second Tuesday monthly at 6:30pm on Zoom. Check your e-mail or Facebook for the Zoom link.

BOARD MEETINGS: Every second Tuesday monthly, following the Social on Zoom.

LA COUNCIL MEETINGS: Every first Monday quarterly at 7:00pm on Zoom. E-mail our LA Council Representative for Zoom meeting link. Everyone is welcome.

FAR WEST SKI ASSOCIATION SAFETY SLOGAN

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FIRST WITH SAFETY AWARENESS

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