

GROSSE POINTE SKI CLUB

Application for Membership for 2007-2008



Name _____ Age _____

As it appears on you passport, license or other I.D.

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ E-mail address _____

Cell Phone _____

Distribute e-mail address to membership? Yes No

Downhill Skiing Ability: Beg. _____ Inter. _____ Adv. _____ Exp. _____

Single Membership: \$25.00

Married Couple: \$35.00

Make Checks payable to: Grosse Pointe Ski Club

Send check to Victor Attar, 75 Moorland, Grosse Pointe Shores, MI 48236

I agree to abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of the Grosse Pointe Ski Club. I have read, understand, and accept the Grosse Pointe Ski Club Travel Contract and Disclaimer as it appears on page 2 of this application. I hereby release the Grosse Pointe Ski Club and all persons officially connected with the Grosse Pointe Ski Club events from any and all liability for injury or damage resulting from my participation in any of the club's events.

Signature _____ Spouse _____ Date _____



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TRAVEL CONTRACT AND DISCLAIMER

General Trip Policy: Out low trip prices result from using a Charter Aircraft and/or Busses and assuming all seats will be filled or special air fares which are limited and must be booked 30 days prior to departure. Additionally, long term hotel commitments have been made. Serious financial penalties usually result from cancellation of Charter Aircraft/Busses and group hotel bookings. The passenger, as beneficiary of the low rates, is expected to share in this responsibility and it is therefore imperative that we have a firm deposit, payment, and cancellation policy which is fully understood by all prospective passengers. There will be no refunds for any unused portions of a tour, unless specifically outlined in each Trip Proposal. Please read these carefully so as to avoid any possible future misunderstandings.

Deposits and Payments: Each trip requires a deposit of \$50.00 per person. This deposit is not refundable in the event of cancellation by the individual unless that individual secures a replacement of like gender and/or there is a waiting list. Payments must be made in accordance with dates and amount outlined in each trip proposal. Cancellation by the individual, without replacement, within three weeks of trip commencement, will void any refund of monies paid in addition to the Deposit, by the individual. Refunds will be made, when necessary within 30 days after the conclusion of the trip. A full refund will be made if for any reason a trip is cancelled by the Chartering Organization and/or Tour Operator.

Late Payment Charges: Any individual who does not meet the payment schedules will be charged a \$10.00 late payment fee for each late payment.

Baggage: On airplane trips and some bus trips, as outlined in each trip proposal, baggage is limited to one large suitcase, one small suitcase (or boot bag) and one pair of skis and poles. Additionally, carry-on luggage can be taken on the airplane provided it will fit under your seat (limited to a size of 9"x13"x23").

Responsibility and Liability: The Grosse Pointe Ski Club and/or the Tour Operator reserve the right to withdraw the Tour, to refuse to accept or retain any person as a member of the tour at any time, or to make changes in the transportation, lodging, or published itinerary, whenever in their sole judgment conditions warrant. The passenger ticket in use by the airlines, when issued, shall constitute the sole contract between the airlines and the passenger. Airlines concerned are not to be held responsible for any act, omission, or event during the time passengers are not on board the aircraft. The liability of the Carrier for baggage accompanying passengers is limited to their stated liability policy. Liability other than that stated by the Carriers is at the owner's risk, and the Grosse Pointe Ski Club, Tour Operator, Cooperating Agents, act only in the capacity of Agents for the various owners and contractors providing means of transportation or other services. As such they shall not be liable for any Death, Injury, Personal Injury Damage, Loss Accident, Delay, or Irregularity which may be occasioned either by reason of any defect in any vehicle, or through the acts of defaults of any company or Person engaged in conveying the passenger, or in carrying out the arrangement of any tour, or otherwise in connection therewith.

Neither the Grosse Pointe Ski Club and/or the Tour Operator and/or Agents, or the airlines concerned are to be held responsible for lack of snow or non-operation of lifts at Ski Resorts; nor for closure of access routes to and from Resorts or lifts at Resorts due to snow or weather conditions; nor are they to be held liable for any additional expenses or consequences arising therefrom. Similarly they are not to be responsible for the late arrival of passengers at airports, resorts, and bus embarkation locations, due to inclement weather or road conditions, or for any other reasons beyond their control; nor are they to be held liable for payments of any refund for unused Hotel accommodations, meals, or other tour inclusions occasioned by such late arrivals at the Hotel holding rooms as per confirmed itineraries.

Special Arrangement: Although these trips are package group trips, every possible effort will be made to honor special requests by individuals such as special rooming arrangements, reductions for a child as a third person in a room, etc. We suggest that special requests be made in writing by the individual directly to the Grosse Pointe Ski Club Tour Director, so that we know exactly what you want.

Not Included in Cost: Meals, laundry, telephone calls, tips or items of a purely personal nature, unless stated as included. It is the responsibility of the individual to pay for these items before leaving the area in which these costs were incurred.

Air and Bus Fuel Surcharge: Both the air carrier and the bus carrier may impose fuel surcharges any time up to the day of departure. Any such surcharges shall be passed on to the participants of the trip.

Identification: On charter flights and/or foreign destination trips you will/or may be required to show positive identification and/or proof of citizenship before boarding the plane and/or crossing the U.S. border both to and from your destination. Please be sure this is available.

Trip Insurance: It is recommended that the individual purchase Trip Insurance before commencing a trip to protect themselves for cancellation costs due to inability to commence a trip and/or loss/damage to baggage or ski equipment while on the trip.

The above Contract is made a part of the Grosse Pointe Ski Club application for membership. The individual's signature on the front of the application therefore constitutes their acceptance of this Contract; however, should there be Individuals, not a member of the Grosse Pointe Ski Club but a member of another ski club affiliated with the MDSC, and thus able to be a participant in a trip promoted by The Grosse Pointe Ski Club, your signature below acknowledges your acceptance of the Contract.

REMEMBER: On all outings you are responsible for your own safety. Participating in GPSC activities is at your own risk. Any accidents, injuries, or mishaps must be covered by your own insurance.

In consideration of participation in ski trips with GPSC, I hereby release GPSC and all persons officially connected with GPSC events from any and all liability from any injury or damage resulting from my participation in GPSC events.

Sign: _____