



88th ANNUAL FAR WEST SKI ASSOCIATION CONVENTION

San Diego Marriott Mission Valley
San Diego, California – October 7-10, 2021

“Sail into San Diego”



Welcome FWSA Club Presidents and Convention Delegates:

Enclosed you will find the registration materials for the **Far West Ski Association's Convention**, Thursday through Sunday, **October 7-10, 2021**, at The *San Diego Marriott, Mission Valley*, in San Diego, California.

Deadlines:

September 10 is the deadline for early registration of **\$175**, a savings of \$20. The price goes up to **\$185 on September 11**. **September 10 is also the deadline** for submission of **ALL** event fees. These include Wednesday's Evening on Coronado, Thursday's Hornblower Harbor Cruise, the Island Bike Ride, and the Pub Crawl; Friday's 14th Annual Michael German Memorial Golf Tournament, Old Town Trolley Tour, and Aqua Adventure, along with A **FREE** Pool Party, at the *Marriott Pool* in the afternoon from 3:00 pm to 4:00pm, before the evening events. **September 20 is the deadline for fees at \$185**. Fees go up to **\$195** beginning **September 21**. Submit all forms and payments to: **FWSA Registrar, c/o Jean McCahey, 10635 Esmeraldas Dr., San Diego, CA 92124**

Economic Relief Program:

Again, this year, FWSA offers an *"economic relief" program* to provide a ski club the opportunity to send more delegates to the Convention. For every six (6) delegates that have paid the full registration package by the registration deadline of September 10, the club will receive a rebate of one (1) paid registration after the Convention (limit of one rebate per club).

Make Your Hotel Reservations NOW!:

Lodging at our group rate (double occupancy) is available at *The San Diego Marriott Mission Valley*. Per our contract, we have **NO RESORT FEES, FREE IN-ROOM WI-FI, & REDUCED RATE PARKING**. Refer to the enclosed flyer for the FWSA contracted room rates for our group. The *San Diego Marriott Mission Valley* is located at 8757 Rio San Diego Dr., San Diego, CA 92108. Make your reservations by calling **800-228-9290** and give them our Group Name: **Far West Ski Association**. You can also book your room reservations on-line at our special FWSA site at: **<https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1616103971646&key=GRP&app=resvlinko>**. Make your room reservations before **September 10**, when the room block is released. **Once our room block is released, The San Diego Marriott Mission Valley will endeavor to take reservations for rooms after the cut-off date, but this will be subject to availability. Room reservations are welcome at the Convention rate of \$159 from October 2-14, 2021.**

Transportation Information:

Flights should be booked in and out of the San Diego International Airport located just 15 minutes from the hotel. Transportation to/from the resort is available by rental car or *Super Shuttle*.

Theme – Sail in to San Diego:

This year's Convention theme is *Sail in to San Diego*, and features the Thursday evening Pub Crawl, with an Oktoberfest Theme, and Friday evening Silent Auction and Trade Show. The Saturday Awards Banquet, with the theme *"Paradise Found"* will be *Island- apparel optional*.

Contact Information:

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If you have any questions, please contact the appropriate person above. Welcome to the 88th Annual FWSA Convention!

Debbi Kor, Chris Gill, Jean McCahey