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World-Class Cast of Honorees Highlight 2013 Ski Affair

The story lines of 2013 edition of the University of Utah J. Willard Marriott Library's Ski Affair are laced with so much world-class history that they would fill volumes – lots of volumes.

Here's what is in the offing for the Oct. 16 gathering of some 500 ski enthusiasts:

- -- **Ted Ligety,** a Park City native, winner of three events in the 2013 world ski championships, winner of four World Cup ski titles, an Olympic Gold medalist in 2006 and a heavy favorite to finish on the podium often at the 2014 Olympic Winter Games in Russia, will receive a History-Maker Award.
- -- Sarah Hendrickson, a Park City native, reigning world women's ski jumping champion, winner of nine World Cup events for a World Cup title and heavy favorite to medal in the 2014 Olympic Winter Games in Russia, will receive a History-Maker Award.
- -- **Ted Johnson**, one-time California surfer and Alta ski instructor, handyman and lodge manager who founded world renowned Snowbird Ski and Summer Resort in 1971 (and has the distinction of having the Little Cottonwood Canyon sewer line named in his honor), will receive the prestigious S.J. Quinney Award for his outstanding contributions to skiing in the Intermountain West.

--Park City Mountain
Resort, originally named
Treasure Mountain Resort, will
be celebrated for embarking on

its 50th winter season of internationally known

winter recreational offerings and for being the catalyst for Park City being named "The Best Town in America" in the September issue of *Outside Magazine*.

Editor: Mike Korologos

Add to that glittering list of honorees a vibrant 6 p.m. reception and cash bar, a bargain-packed silent auction, an exceptional buffet dinner at 7:15 p.m. and some fun ski video footage and you have the makings of a ski history gala of galas.

The Ski Affair is the annual fund raiser for the Ski Archives that was established at the University of Utah in 1989. Renowned worldwide, the archive includes exceptional collections of ski photos and films, historic files of the region's ski resorts, the records of the Salt Lake Bid and Organizing Committees for the

2002 Olympic Winter Games, numerous personal collections and countless other materials -all of which are available to researchers, historians, reporters and the general public at no cost.

The Ski Affair will take place on Wednesday, Oct. 16, at the Little America Hotel in downtown Salt Lake City.

Open to the public, the dinner and gala cost \$70 per person or \$1,500 for a reserved table of 10. Reservations should be made by Oct. 10, 2013. Please contact Judy Jarrow at the Marriott Library

Special Collections, <u>judy.jarrow@utah.edu</u> or phone Judy at 801- 581-3421. -Mike Korologos

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As Utah's Winter Sports Scene Glistens Throughout the World, Ted Johnson to Receive U. Library's Quinney Award

Ted Johnson: Snowbird and a Sewer Line

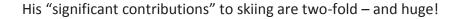


The S. J. "Joe" Quinney Award is presented by the Utah Ski Archives to an individual or organization that has made "significant contributions to skiing" in the Intermountain West. It is presented by the Quinney family to perpetuate the vision and fortitude of its namesake, Joe Quinney, who, in 1938, spearheaded the establishment of Alta, Utah's first ski area, and thus earned him the title of "the father of Utah's ski industry." A prominent Salt Lake City lawyer, Quinney died in 1983.

Ted Johnson, 2013 recipient of the Quinney Award, fulfills the award's criteria to the Nth degree.

Johnson, a California native and hearty beneficiary of its beaches

and surfing, worked as a handyman, photographer, ski instructor and lodge manager at Alta where he became a world-class powder skier, appearing in Warren Miller ski films and on the cover of *Sports Illustrated* magazine.



1. Ted founded today's world-renowned Snowbird Ski and Summer Resort in 1971, thus putting Utah skiing on the national and international maps of destination ski areas. He was inducted into the Intermountain Ski Hall of Fame in 2007.





2. Ted spearheaded the 1971 construction of a seven mile-long, \$450,000 privately-funded sewer line that runs the length of the Little Cottonwood Canyon, thus eliminating the use of septic tanks in the canyon, which is a major Salt Lake City watershed. For that he has the dubious distinction of having a sewer line bearing his name.

Quite appropriately, the S. J. "Joe" Quinney Award is comprised of a small plaque mounted on a cantaloupe-sized hunk of granite rock from Little Cottonwood Canyon.

Previous S. J. Quinney Award recipients include: Alf Engen, Joe Quinney, Nick Badami, Charles "Chick" Morton, Earl Miller, Wilby

Durham, M. Earl Miller, Junior Bounous, Spencer F. Eccles, Stein Eriksen, Corey Engen, Zane Doyle, Suzy Rytting, Janet Quinney Lawson, Edgar Stern, Karen Korfanta, Russ Harmer, Jim Gaddis and, in 2012, John W. Gallivan.

HISTORY-MAKER AWARD HONOREE THEODORE SHARP "TED" LIGETY

Somewhere there's a ski coach saying "oops."

That would be the coach who told a young Ted Ligety that he wasn't good enough to be a member of his ski team.

That's the same Ted Ligety who in 2013 became a triple world champion in giant slalom, super G and combined; who became the fifth man in history to win three or more gold medals at one world championship and first in 45 years since Jean-Claude Killy won four in 1968.

What's more, the Park City native and one-time "student" at its Winter Sports School, is the first racer of either gender to win the super G, giant slalom and combined at **One World** championships.

Ted was the 2006 Olympic gold medalist in combined and Photo: Mitchell Gunn/ESPAAudi four-time World Cup champion in giant slalom (2008, 2011 and

2013). He won the gold medal in giant slalom at the 2011 World Championship and successfully defended his world title in giant slalom in 2013, where he also won an unexpected gold medal in the super G and a third gold medal in the super combined.

Through March 2013, Ligety had 17 victories (all in giant slalom) and 37 podiums in World Cup competition. He is expected to be a major contributor to the medals count for the U.S. Ski Team that will compete in the 2014 Olympic Winter Games in Sochi, Russia.

No doubt, those are accomplishments of historical proportions. For those accomplishments -- and more -- Ted Ligety will received the 2013 History-Maker Award from the Ski Archives.



Talk about taking flight -

As a snow bunny, Sarah Hendrickson would seek out every bump and mogul on a ski run and jump off it for the excitement of being airborne for just a moment. Harkening back to those snow bunny days, she recalls being smitten by ski jumping at age 7 after watching her older brother enjoy the sport for two years while she remained earthbound.

That was then. Now, the 19-year old Hendrickson sails off the world's biggest ski jumps for distances as long as a football field. What's more, she is the reigning world champion in women's ski jumping and the marquee member of the U.S. Women's Ski Jumping Team that will compete in the first Olympic Winter Games open to women's ski jumpers in Sochi, Russia in 2014.



Sarah Hendrickson

The 19-year old Park City native and a graduate of its Winter Sports School was crowned world champion in 2013 after winning nine of 13 events in the Inaugural

World Cup Championships in 2012.

She finished second in World Cup overall competition in 2013 and won a silver medal in the 2012 Junior World Championships. Before that she won the bronze medal in her sport in the 2010 Junior World Championships.

After missing the 2012 U.S. Ski Jumping Championships to recover from knee surgery, she won that nation title in competition at her "home hill" at Utah Olympic Park in August 2013.

For all those historic accomplishments, Sarah Hendrickson will receive the 2013 History-Maker Award from the Ski Archives.

University of Utah Ski Team to Host 2014 NCAA Championships and Alumni Reunion



For the past two years the University of Utah has seen itself as "the bridesmaid" to the NCAA ski champions from the University of Vermont in 2012 and the University of Colorado in 2013.

The Ute team is anxious to become the "bride" in 2014 collegiate championships at Park City Mountain Resort and at Solder Hollow.

The event will take place March 5-8, 2014, starting with the giant slalom at Park City Mountain Resort. The 5- and 10-km classic interval start cross-country races will follow on March 6 at Soldier Hollow, the site of those events during the 2002 Olympic Winter Games. Slalom competition will take place at PCMR on March 7. The final event is scheduled at Soldier Hollow on March 8, with a mass start 15- and 20-km free cross-country race. The team headquarters will be the Park City Marriott Hotel – Prospector.

Kevin Sweeney, Director of Skiing for the University of Utah said, "We are ecstatic to have the NCAA Skiing Championships return to Utah. The support we receive from the university, the competition venues as well as from the volunteers and alumni is outstanding. I know the best collegiate athletes in the country are anxious to race here. "

Sweeney also noted that the NCAA championships are "a perfect time for us to host a U. of U. Ski Team Reunion. U. alumni and spectators are encouraged to join us at the competition and special events."

Reunion events scheduled to coincide with the competition include the races, a tour of the U campus, a BBQ following the ski awards and a reunion party. Package information will be emailed to ski team alumni soon, according to Barbara Yamada, general chair of the events. Leading to the week's activities, the U's J. Willard Marriott Library Ski Archives will feature displays of the history of the U ski team in the 4th floor George S. Eccles reading room. A special exhibit also is planned at the Alf Engen Ski Museum at the Utah Olympic Park.

For information on the events or to volunteer please contact Barbara Yamada, Tournament Manager- barbyamada@gmail.com.

2013 Intermountain Ski Hall of Fame

The Intermountain Ski Hall of Fame was held at the Alf Engen Ski Museum in Park City on Sept. 26, 2013.

This year's Honorees are:

Dean Perkins won numerous downhill and giant slalom titles in U.S. national competitions from 1950-1955. He was a member of the U.S. FIS World Cup Team in 1950-1951 and won the inaugural Roche Cup on Aspen Mountain that season. He later ran a popular ski shop in Ogden, Utah for 20 years.

Between 1974 and 1976, **Alan Schoenberger** had 16 first and second place international finishes in ski ballet, including the 1976 World Championships. He and his father later developed the ski carpet used at indoor training sites and in his famous ski entertainment shows.

The late **Dr. Robert Smith** was an orthodontist who made his first ski goggles by hand in the mid 1950's using dental tools, foam and glue. He later formed Smith Goggles, which in the 1970's became the leading ski goggle in the United States.

LeRoy Schultz is a mechanical engineer and national expert on designing, building and inspecting safer ski lifts, trams and gondolas. A native of Ogden, Utah and a graduate of the University of Utah, Schultz constructed more than 40 chairlifts in North America and was regional tramway engineer for the U.S. Forest Service in Idaho and Montana.

In Memoriam 2012-2013 Friends of Ski Archives

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PARK CITY MOUNTAIN RESORT: 50 YEARS AND COUNTING

By Andy Miller, Communications Manager, Park City Mountain Resort

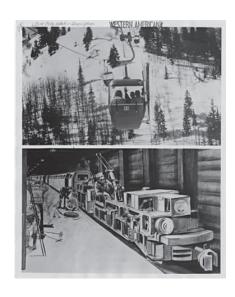
Park City's first skiers could never have known what they were starting. As early as the 19th century, "Parkites" were strapping 10 foot long pieces of wood to their feet in order to navigate Park City during its snowy winters.

Rather than recreational, these skis served a more practical purpose for residents of this frontier town built on the mining boom: for them it was transportation.

Almost a century later, Park City's economy and identity were changing--going from a depressed and dilapidated mining community to a ski area. The area, first known as Treasure Mountains Resort, became Park City Ski Area, and today is Park City Mountain Resort (PCMR). During the next 50 years, Park City, anchored by Park City Mountain Resort, would blossom into one of America's greatest ski

towns. While the skis and snowboards that Park City Mountain Resort's guests bind into today bear little resemblance to those first skis of the 1880s, the mountain itself maintains a great deal of its mining heritage. This winter, in celebrating 50 years of skiing and snowboarding in Park City, PCMR looks back on the history that has shaped it, while looking forward to its next half century as one of the industry's most innovative and progressive mountain resorts.

Treasure Mountain Resort opened for business on December 21, 1963 with a state-of-the-art gondola to show off and a staff of lift operators, maintenance workers and snow groomers made up largely of one-time miners. The mountain's "Skiers' Subway" was a distinctly Park City feature: a system of retro-fitted cars that traveled the old mining tunnels, carrying skiers three miles into one of the peaks before passengers then loaded onto a hoist and rode 1,800 feet up to the surface.





Today, PCMR's guests enjoy the comforts of high-speed sixperson detachable lifts and the convenience of ride-on conveyors. From those lifts, guests access runs observing Park City's mining legacy – King Con, Double Jack and Jupiter Bowl, to name a few. Those runs take guests by landmarks that stand as living testaments to that history; Mid-Mountain Lodge, now one of the resort's most

popular lunch locations, was originally a turn-of-the-century boardinghouse for miners.

While observing that rich past,

Park City Mountain Resort today is one of North America's most innovative mountains: pioneering the latest technologies in snowmaking and grooming; hosting world-class competitions, such as the Olympic Winter Games of 2002 and pushing action sports progression with four terrain parks and two half-pipes.

That progression continues as Park City Mountain Resort looks ahead to its next half century, all the while mindful of the heritage that began when Park City locals first strapped those wooden skis to their feet just to get around.



Highlighted Collections

By: Roy Webb, Multimedia Archivist

The Ski Archives continues to document our sponsored events, with more than 200 images of the 2012 Ski Affair from Neil Rossmiller and Roy Webb.

The Butch Hoffman family donated several photos and clippings of Butch and his children Scott and Heidi.

Dr. Todd B. Engen and his wife, Michelle, donated a large collection of photos documenting his famous ski family, including Alta, Ecker Hill, the Winter Olympics, and other ski topics.

Tim Strong donated ski and snowboard passes and lift tickets, as well as articles and a portfolio documenting his snowboarding career.



Mike and Penny Griffin gave the Ski Archives photos of Robert Smith's skiing career, along with some other ski-related items.

As part of his induction into the Intermountain Ski Hall of Fame, LeRoy Schultz sent photos relating to his career at Alta and Snowbasin.

Alan Schoenberger is also entering the Intermountain Ski Hall of Fame, and donated thirty prints that document his unique approach to skiing.

Andrea Trepp White, former University of Utah Ski Team member, donated films and other memorabilia from her father, LaVern Trepp, relating to the 10th Mountain Division.

A number of color and B&W postcards of skiing and mining at Alta were added to the Utah Postcard collection.



"Maximum Benevolent Overlord" of the Utah Ski Archives, Barbara Yamada, added images relating to her ski interests. Barbara also brought in a large collection documenting the life and career of the late and much lamented



Pat Miller, including photos, ski team media guides, articles, patches, drawings and other items.

Denis F. and Ila Winn donated a box of photographs and films from Dale Eldon Winn of skiing at Alta and other topics. Jeff Davis donated his portfolio of magazines, calendars, newspapers, postcards and photos that document his career as a champion snowboarder.

Richard Palmer sent videos and still images that document Dmitrije Milovich and the development of the Winterstick.

Ted Major added photographs of his time in the 10th Mountain Division.



10th Mountain Division

Jeff Perkins Hyde and his son Dakota Hyde donated numerous items relating to Dean Perkins skiing, including freestyle skiing, work at Alpine Sports and passes from Nordic Valley and Snowbasin. They also donated films from Fern Perkins Hyde that show jumping and skiing at Snowbasin and many other skirelated subjects.



Miles Havlick

The University of Utah Ski Team continues to add to their archives, with photograph of Miles Havlick as a young skier.

SKI ARCHIVES WEBSITE

The Ski Archives website has undergone a much-needed facelift. Under the talented hands of Krissy Giacoletto, Multimedia Archives Assistant Photograph Archivist, the website has been updated, all dead links tracked down, *youtube* clips embedded and any photos that appear on the page will be linked to the library's main server, so that when you click on the photo the full scan will come up along with all the associated metadata. Take a look

http://www.lib.utah.edu/collections/ski-archives/!

SKI ARCHIVES HISTORY

The Ski Archives, now includes snowboarding, has one of the most comprehensive collections in the entire country for research on the history and development of Utah's prospering winter sports industry. The archives document the history of ski competition on local, national and international levels; the founding of major resorts; snow safety and avalanche control; ski equipment; ski instruction; freestyle skiing; the 10th Mountain Division; back-country skiing and virtually every facet of winter sports in Utah and the surrounding region. The archives are the repository for the Salt Lake Winter Olympics Games Bid Committee records and the records of the 2002 games themselves.

Links from the Ski Archives page include: List of the Advisory Board members, Award recipients, Ski Archives Brochure, Ski Affair Corporate Sponsors (1996-2012), sample ski film clips, Intermountain Ski Hall of Fame awardees, past Ski Affair History-Makers and S. Joseph Quinney Award Honorees, sample ski photographs, silent auction donors and Ski Affair announcements from 1991 to 2012. Links are also provided to the Special Collections and Utah's Winter Resorts web pages.

SKI ARCHIVES EXHIBITION

Materials from the Ski Archives will be on display in an exhibition in the Special Collections Gallery from September 16 through November 1. The exhibition will contain items from all divisions of Special Collections, including photos, ski passes, trophies, racing bibs, books, resort brochures, PSIA records and other memorabilia and ephemera! Ski movies will be shown continuously in the gallery as well.

S. JOSEPH QUINNEY RECREATION EXHIBITION: THE UTAH RIVER RUNNING ARCHIVES



When all that snow melts, where does it go? Down the river, of course. River runners and skiers have a long history together; the Quinney family, along with

Fred Speyer

Fred Speyer, were avid river Runners. The Utah River Running Archives, part of the S.J. Quinney Outdoor Recreation Archives, mounted an exhibit of photos, journals, brochures, letters, films and many other items that opened in July 2013. It was well-received, often-visited and featured in a story on KTVX Ch. 4 that aired on Sunday, August 21, 2013.

SKI BOARD MEMBERS GONE TOO SOON

Sadly, the Ski Archives Advisory Board lost two of our active members this past year.

Alfred David "Stormy" Lupus died on May 5, 2013. He was an avid skier. Loving the powder, Alta became

one his homes. Stormy was active on the Finance Committee, securing corporate tables and silent auction items for the annual fundraiser – the Ski Affair. He was a member of the board for 20+ years.



Patrick Miller died June 22,

2013. He was the Director of Skiing at the University of Utah from 1976 to 2000. Pat led the U of U Ski Team to nine NCAA Skiing Championships. Pat was inducted



into the Utah Sports Hall of Fame, the Intermountain Ski Hall of Fame, the Fort Lewis College Athletic Hall of Fame and the Maine Ski Hall of Fame. He was an Advisory Board Member for more than 20 years. Pat chaired the Exhibit Committee and set up displays at various venues prior to,

during and following the 2002 Olympic Winter Games. For his contributions to the Ski Archives, Pat was presented with the Sue Raemer Memorial Volunteer Award.

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Greetings from the Chair Barbara Yamada



Barbara Yamada

Where does the time go? I know I say this every year, but here we go again! Another wonderful Ski Affair is in the works! Celebrating the accomplishments of this year's History Makers, World Cup Champions, Ted Ligety and Sarah Hendrickson; S. J. Quinney Award recipient Ted Johnson and Park City Mountain Resort's 50th anniversary. It is leading up to another fun party with many wonderful auction items.

Our long time Master of Ceremony, Larry Warren, is unavailable for this year's event. We are fortunate to have Tom Kelly, the Vice President of Communications for the U.S. Ski and Snowboard Association, as our emcee for the evening.

Along with celebrating Park City Mountain Resort's 50th anniversary celebration this coming ski season, the University of Utah Ski Team is looking forward to hosting the Pat Miller Alpine Invitational January 4 & 5 at PCMR, the 2014 NCAA Skiing Championships and Ski Team Reunion at Park City Mountain Resort and Soldier Hollow. Please see the article in this newsletter for details. We hope that you will come out and support the team in their efforts to win the big trophy. Go Utes!

Here's wishing and hoping for a great snowfall season!! See you at the Ski Affair.

2013 SKI AFFAIR

OCTOBER 16, 2013 LITTLE AMERICA HOTEL