



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

2019 SkiTOPS Network & University

Telluride Ski Resort, Colorado

Friday-Sunday, March 22-24, 2019

Telluride Ski Resort Pre-FAM: lift tickets and agent rooms; see itinerary for details.

Sponsored by Telluride Ski Resort and SkiTOPS-member properties

- **Open to Tour Operators and University Agents only**
- Pre-FAM registration begins on September 15, 2018
 - Two spots per company and open to the first 20 participants
 - To register email Estrella Woods, Sales Manager, Telluride Ski Resort at ewoods@telski.com

Sunday, March 24, 2019

CHECK-IN & PARKING: Check-in time is 4:00 pm.

- The Peaks Resort & Spa
 - Parking at The Peaks is valet and \$24/night.
- Alpine Lodging Telluride/TAL
 - TAL properties will come with one complimentary parking space. The exception is Hotel Columbia; parking is \$20/night.
- Mountain Lodge Telluride
 - Parking is \$20/night.

SKITOPS REGISTRATION DESK & TELLURIDE SKI RESORT LIFT TICKET PICK UP:

- Location: **Telluride Conference Center**
- Lift Ticket pick-up: 8:00 am - 12:00 pm
- SkiTOPS Registration: 12:00 pm - 7:00 pm

NEW MEMBER – MEET AND GREET

- Time: 2:30 - 3:30 pm
- Location: TBA

SPONSORS RECEPTION: Sponsors, Tour Operators & Agents

- Time: 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

- Location: Crystal Room at The Peaks
- Food & Drinks will be served ***Don't forget your name badge***

WELCOME TO TELLURIDE: ALL SkiTops Attendees

- Time: 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm
- Location: Crystal Room at The Peaks
- Food & drinks will be served and ***Don't forget your drink tickets inside your name badge***

Monday, March 25, 2019

REGISTRATION DESK:

- Time: 7:30 am - 5:00 pm
- Location: **Telluride Conference Center**
- **LIFT TICKETS MUST BE PICKED UP BY 5:00PM FOR SKI DAY ***

TOUR OPERATOR BREAKFAST MEETING: Tour Operator Delegates

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- Time: 8:00 am - 9:00 am
- Location: Crystal Room at The Peaks
- Note: Mandatory Meeting for SkiTops Tour Operators

SUPPLIER BREAKFAST MEETING & SPEAKER: Supplier Delegates

Sponsored by

- Time: 8:00 am - 9:00 am
- Location: Legends at The Peaks
- Note: Meeting for SkiTops Suppliers with your supplier representatives

AGENT BREAKFAST MEETING & SPEAKER: University Delegates

Sponsored by

- Time: 8:00 am - 9:00 am
- Location: Appaloosa at The Peaks
- Note: Meeting for University Agents

NETWORK MEETINGS: Tour Operator & Supplier Delegates

Sponsored by Telluride Ski Resort

- Time: 9:00 am - 12 noon
- Location: Telluride Conference Center
- Note: Check individual appointment schedule for exact meeting times

UNIVERSITY MEETINGS: University Delegates

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- Time: 9:30 am - 12 noon
- Location: The Peaks: Big Billie Ballroom and Golden Slipper
- Note: Check individual appointment schedule for exact meeting times and locations

MORNING REFRESHMENT BREAK: Network & University delegates will have separate coffee breaks

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- Time: 10:00 am - 11:00 am
- Location: Network at the Telluride Conference Center and University at The Peaks.

LUNCH – ALL ATTENDEES WITH KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

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- Time: 12 Noon - 1:30 pm
- Location: Appaloosa and Crystal Rooms at The Peaks
- Speakers: TBA

NETWORK MEETINGS:

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- Time: 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm
- Location: Telluride Conference Center
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UNIVERSITY MEETINGS:

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- Time: 1:45 pm - 5:30 pm
- Location: The Peaks: Big Billie Ballroom and Golden Slipper
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AFTERNOON REFRESHMENT BREAK: Network & University delegates will have separate coffee breaks

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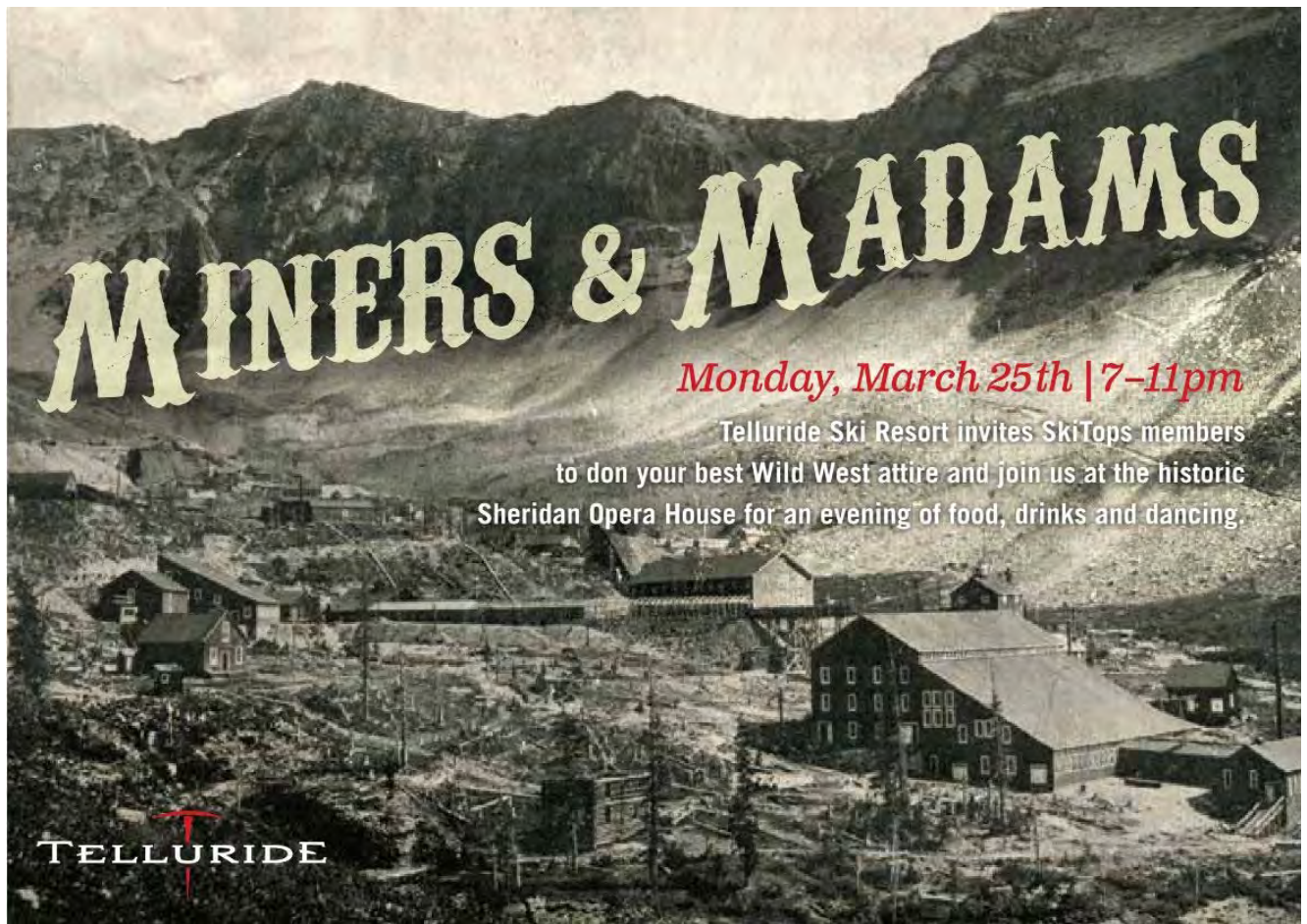
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DINNER ON YOUR OWN – Enjoy one of the many restaurants in Mountain Village and Telluride.

TELLURIDE SKI RESORT PARTY: Theme Miners & Madams

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- Time: 7:00pm – 11:00 pm
- Location: Sheridan Opera House; includes two drinks and hearty appetizer fare.
Theme: *Telluride Ski Resort invites SkiTOPS Members to don your best Wild West attire and join us at the historic Sheridan Opera House for an evening of food, drinks and dancing.*
- 12:00am Last Gondola: Midnight back to Mountain Village
- 1:00am Last Bus: Telluride Express will have a 1 am bus back to Mountain Village.
After 1 am delegates will be on their own to return to Mountain Village.



Tuesday, March 26, 2019

All lift tickets must be picked up by MONDAY at the SkiTops Registration Desk

COMPLIMENTARY MOUNTAIN TOUR

Sponsored by Telluride Ski Resort

- Time: 9:30 am SHARP
- Location: Meet at the base of the Village Express/Chair 4
- Ski Instructors will show SkiTops members Telluride Ski Resort and deliver to Gorrano's for lunch

NON-SKIERS:

- Time: 9:30 am Meet Telluride Ski Resort rep at the base of the gondola in Mountain Village. Wear comfortable walking shoes.
- 10:00 am Meet Mr. Ashley Boling at the base of the gondola in town for a historic walking tour.
- 10:15–11:30 am Historic walking tour of town of Telluride.

12:00 noon

Lunch location TBA.

*** Pre-registration required for this event *** please contact donnamae@skitops.com; dress for outdoors and wear comfortable walking shoes.

SKI DAY LUNCH:

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- Time: 12 noon - 1:00 pm
- Location: **Gorrono Ranch – Midway on Misty Maiden run under the Village Express/Chair 4**

TELLURIDE SKI RESORT: GROUP PHOTO

- Time: 1:00 pm
- Location: Gorrono Ranch deck

APRES PARTY:

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- Time: 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm
- Location: Tomboy Tavern
- Live music, drinks and appetizers * *Don't forget your drink tickets inside your name badge **

Free night to explore the towns of Mountain Village and Telluride

This evening is meant for all SkiTOPS delegates to explore both the towns of Mountain Village and Telluride restaurants.... network as you wish, there are no organized SkiTOPS events.

For information on restaurants:

Telluride Ski Resort <https://www.tellurideski resort.com/events-activities/dining/>

Telluride Tourism Board: <https://www.visittelluride.com/play/dining-nightlife/>

Transportation: The gondola, the first and only free public transportation of its kind in the United States, opened in 1996. It is a 13-minute ride between the towns of Mountain Village and Telluride.

Operating Hours: 6:30am to midnight Sunday through Saturday; 6:30am to 2am Friday & Saturday.

<https://townofmountainvillage.com/getting-around/gondola-chondola/>

Wednesday, March 27, 2019

REGISTRATION DESK

- Time: 8:45 am - 5:00 pm
- Location: Telluride Conference Center

BREAKFAST ON YOUR OWN: Suggestions include: Altezza at The Peaks, The Bean Cafe at The Peaks, The View at Mountain Lodge, The Pick, Telluride Coffee Company

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LUNCH WITH SKITOPS PANEL DISCUSSION: ALL ATTENDEES

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- Time: 12 noon - 1:45 pm
- Location: Appaloosa and Crystal Rooms at The Peaks
- This will be an interactive discussion for all attendee's on the state of industry

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FINAL DINNER AND SKITOPS DONATION PRESENTATION

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- Time: 6:30 pm - Cocktail Reception (ask Tony about time to flip room)
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm - Dinner
- Location: Telluride Conference Center
- AFTER PARTY – TBA ... until it closes. No Host.

Thursday, March 28, 2019

DEPARTURES: Hotel check-out time is 11:00am and make sure to book your return airport shuttle with Telluride Express.

See you at SkiTops 2020 in Park City, Utah