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Leadership Park City

March 2015

Over Twenty Years and Still Connecting

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What's Up With Barbara Yamada (12)

Barbara Yamada has been in the Park City area since 1989, having moved to Salt Lake City via Pocatello and Boise, Idaho. She currently lives in Park City.

Like many other transplants to the Wasatch front, Barbara came in pursuit of great skiing. Her first year here, she was a part-time instructor at what was Park West Resort, now Canyons. After that and until 1998, she did her part-time instructing at Alta Resort.

When she moved to Utah, she worked for the University of Utah College of Medicine in the Dean's Office but after a couple of years she moved on to other interesting positions. ***"I served as the Executive Director of the Inter-mountain Division of U.S. Ski and Snowboard Association for two years and then at Snowbird Ski Resort in Group Sales. I retired from IBM Corporation a year ago after 37 years with the company."***



Ski Mom



Barbara now works part-time for the Park City Chamber in Visitor Information at the Park City Historical Museum on Main Street. ***"I've really enjoyed working at the museum, meeting people from all over the world and being able to give them advice about things to do on their vacation."***

Barbara may think she has 'retired', but her list of leisure activities reads like a well-honed professional resume. She admits, ***"My leisure time is taken up with a lot of volunteer activities,"*** and that is an understatement. ***"I am the Chair of the U of U Marriott Library's Ski Archives Advisory Board and a charter trustee for the Alf Engen Ski Museum. I'm the honorary Ski Mom for the University of Utah Ski Team, where I coordinate the Ski Team's Invitational in both alpine and cross country. Since the early 1990's, I've hosted athletes in my home for dinners, especially during the holidays. In 2014 I was the manager of the NCAA Ski Championships held at PCMR and Soldier Hollow. I'm a certified race official so I volunteer to help out with races at PCMR and Soldier Hollow."***

Volunteer Extraordinaire

Barbara also volunteers with the Adopt A Native Elder Program and takes tickets or ushers for the Park City Institute at Deer Valley in the summer and Eccles in the winter. She is also the President of her Home Owners Association.

With all of her work and play experience related to skiing, it isn't a stretch to assume that winter might be Barbara's favorite season. ***"I feel I'm so lucky to live in this beautiful area and love all the seasons. Of course, as a skier...winter would have to be my favorite. I grew up as an alpine skier but just recently learned to skate ski which I'm thoroughly enjoying."***



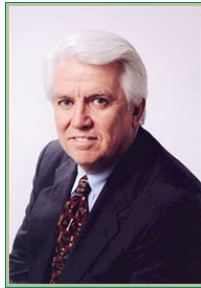
A perfect weekend in the winter would find Barbara skiing, but during mud season....Zumba classes with great friends at the Basin Recreation Center would be the place to be.

One of our fellow Leadership alumni, **Barbara Fontaine (3)** created a lasting legacy we fondly call 'The Barbara Party'. Every December one of the local Barbaras hostesses a party dedicated to our patron Saint Barbara and we all gather to celebrate. Isn't it funny to be in a total Barbara crowd? **"Haha...I love that. It's great that I don't have to worry about remembering anyone's name. I'm so bad at that!"**

It's been nearly a decade since Barbara's class 12 Leadership experience and she remembers it fondly. **"We had such a great class. I really enjoyed all the speakers we had each month. The highlight would be the friendships that were made and kept. A few of us still get together for lunches from time to time. I think we might need to initiate that again."**

Community Lecture

Leadership Park City, The Park City School District and The Park City Educational Foundation invite you to the 21st Community Leadership Lecture on **Monday, March 16 at 7 pm** at the Park City High School Lecture Hall (not Eccles Center). Dr. Paul Houston, a leading spokesperson for American education, will be speaking on the topic....Leading With Heart And Soul.



The lecture is free and open to the public.

Round Table Discussion



Dr. Houston will be available for a round table discussion on the future of American education from 4-6 pm. **All Leadership Park City alumni are invited to attend** this round table discussion

along with other invited guests. Any alumni who attend the session are also invited to join the current Leadership class for dinner from 6-7 pm.

RSVPs are not necessary for the 7 pm lecture, however, if you plan to attend the round table session and dinner....you must RSVP by Monday, March 9 to bbretz56@msn.com.

Twenty-one Years & Counting

CLASS XII

Melissa Averett, Donna L. Creighton, Kurt Daeniz, Douglas Drexler, Michael Fierro, Andy Garland, Hans Hoffman, John J. Huebner, Tricia Hurd, Elizabeth Jensen, Kyle P. MacArthur, David Maloney, Katherine Matsumoto, Michelle L. McDonald, Mary McPheters, Donnie Novelle, Drora Oren, Mary Ann Pack, Krista Rowels Parry, Carol Potter, Charles Robinson, Evan Russack, Carol Shepard, James L. Snyder, Wayne Stokes, Betsy Wallace, Sara West, Allie Winkelman, Barbara Yamada-Amidon

CLASS PROFILE:

Our Year: 2005-6

Events Calendar

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thr	Fri	Sat	Sun
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

March 1-April 15- THINK SNOW!

Monday, March 9-last day to RSVP for round table discussion and dinner on 16 March. bbretz56@msn.com

Monday, March 16,

4-6 pm- Round table discussion with Dr. Paul Houston followed by dinner with current Leadership class from 6-7 pm.

Monday, March 16, 7-9 pm- Community Lecture featuring Dr. Paul Houston at PC High School.

SAVE THE DATE....

Quite a few of you have been joining us for Park City Night at Saturday's Voyeur down in Salt Lake. This year we have booked the night of Thursday, July 30th. Mark your calendar....details in April Newsletter.

Alumni News

Way to go....Laurie Moldawer (20) for your fun and informative appearance on KPCW's The Morning Mix.

Join LPCA

Use your credit card to join LPCA! \$25 annual membership runs from October 1 through September 30. Find out how to join by emailing Barb Bretz at: bbretz56@msn.com

***SUPPORT** the Leadership Park City Program.

***PROVIDE** on-going education for graduates.

***PROVIDE** on-going networking opportunities.

***UNDERTAKE** activities benefiting our community.

Our City Tour: Reno, Lake Tahoe and Carson City

Our Project: All about Walkability

Our project was to try to get more children to walk to school rather than the parents drive them. We worked with schools in the Park City area and encouraged them to have one day where all students, with parents, would either walk or ride their bicycles to school. The Leadership class members volunteered for the different schools to help in any way they could. Still today schools and businesses in the area have a "Bike/Walk to School and Work Day".

Thanks to Barbara Yamada for providing some info about the Class Profile.

THINK SNOW.....



LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS?



If your nonprofit is looking for volunteers for an event....remember that the Leadership Park City Alumni facebook page is a great place to post.

We'd Like to Work for You

We can work for you!



Let the FB page help you promote what you are doing.

PLEASE feel free to post on this page.

Whether you have a business venture, non profit or just a piece of interest, Leadership Alumni is here to help you keep networking.

Look for the group **Leadership Park City Alumni** on Facebook...like us and join us.

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