

“Listening is an Act of Love”

Sound familiar? You may have heard selections from a national oral history project called StoryCorps on your local National Public Radio station. “The heart of StoryCorps is the conversation between two people who are important to each other.”

And now StoryCorps is coming to Salt Lake City from March 26-May 2! Reservations must be made on March 12th or 27th. Your conversation is recorded on a free CD to take home, and is archived at the Library of Congress.

We encourage Park City Museum members to consider taking part in the national initiative because “Everybody’s story matters and every life counts.” For more information, call the Park City Museum at 649-7457, or visit <http://www.storycorps.net/>.

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FEBRUARY 2009

Historical Ski Tours Scheduled

It’s time again for our annual historical ski tours! There will be four ski tours, two at Park City Mountain Resort and two at Deer Valley Resort. This will be our first year to offer ski tours during the week – so hopefully everybody’s schedules will be accommodated. The dates for ski tours at Park City Mountain Resort are Sunday, February 8th and Thursday, March 19th; the dates for Deer Valley ski tours are Sunday, March 29th and Thursday, April 9th. All tours begin at 10am.

As usual, Research Historian Hal Compton will lead the three-hour tours of the silver mine and mill sites and of early ski history. Using copies of historical photographs, Hal will bring history alive. The ski tours require an intermediate level of skiing. To join the ski tours, or for further information, call the Museum office at 649-7457. Space is limited, so make your reservations early.



< Hal Compton uses historical photographs to illustrate Park City’s mining past.

> Museum member Don Covert enjoys the spectacular view on one of Hal’s ski tours.



HISTORICAL SOCIETY & MUSEUM CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FEBRUARY

Sunday, February 8
PCMR ski tour

MARCH

Thursday, March 19
PCMR ski tour
Sunday, March 29
Deer Valley ski tour

APRIL

Thursday, April 9
Deer Valley ski tour



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It’s official! We’re in the home stretch! The Park City Historical Society & Museum has raised \$8.65 million, which means we only have \$300,000 left to go. Please consider contributing to this community resource, and generations of visitors will thank you for this lasting gift.

2008 Dungeon Party was a Great Success!

About 200 people attended the Dungeon Party at the Elks Lodge in December. It was a wonderful opportunity for all to catch-up and share good food and drink before the holidays! Many thanks to Jan Massimino who organized this year's party, to all the volunteers, the restaurants (Shabu, Chez Betty, Riverhorse, Jean Louis, Café Terigo, Java Cow Bakery, and Done to Your Taste), and everybody else who made this a raving success!

Attendees renewed their membership, bought the Christmas ornament, and took tours of the new Museum facility. Everybody was in awe of the building and emphasized how beautiful all the galleries looked. The new Museum will be the jewel on historic Main Street and a wonderful meeting place for the entire community.



^ Some of our wonderful volunteers, Gini Smith, Cherry Hertler, Anna Ffrench and Jackie Day, assisted members with renewing their memberships.

> Board member Ken Martz (far right) takes members through the new Museum.



^ Museum members shared good times at this year's Dungeon Party.

Museum Office will move back in February

Museum staff and volunteers are busy packing up the temporary office in the Main Street Mall to move everything back into the new Museum at the beginning of February. It is hard to believe that one year has gone by so fast and it is already time to move back.

Many of you saw the beautiful building during the Dungeon Party, and we are very excited to move into this great new facility! Aside from packing, we are in the final stages of creating the exhibit graphics. Pacific Studio, our exhibit fabricator in Seattle, is building the exhibits off-site, with installation scheduled for March.

Please contact Museum staff at 649-7457 if you would like to volunteer with the moving or with preparing our artifacts for display.

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Exhibit Fabrication Well Under Way!

Museum staff and David Krajeski, Chair of the Exhibits Committee, along with Adam Prost and Mark Elliott from West Office Exhibit Design, visited Pacific Studio, our exhibit fabricators, in Seattle.



^ Lots of good discussion about the time traveler exhibit.



^ Museum educator Johanna Fassbender tests the detonator for the mine exhibit.



> The aerial tramway model for the Mega Mine exhibit.