



October 5, 2009

To the Parents of the Telluride Ski and Snowboard Club:

I hope this finds everyone well and getting ready for the upcoming ski season. As we strive to reach our goals of retention and growth in the Alpine Program, we also need to do our best to provide the best possible product for our young athletes. In today's extremely competitive environment, we need to attempt to do everything in our power to allow our athletes the opportunity to compete at the highest level. Thus the reason for this letter, we are trying to raise money through our Club for Alpine Team equipment. Of course this would be a tax-deductible donation. We have attached a contribution form with a return address for your convenience. Any help would be greatly appreciated. Once you have made any contribution, we will send you a charitable receipt noting the amount you may deduct on your taxes.

The last few years' efforts have been a tremendous success and we raised enough to get our Brower timing system, additional weight room equipment, gates, etc. Thanks are more than deserved for all of your support!

More examples of equipment that the Club already funds are team wax and additives, video cameras, video analysis programs, gates for training and races, weight room and exercise equipment, etc. We are always striving to improve our facilities and have the best tools to allow our young athletes the best chance to succeed. Making a contribution this year would go into the funds to expand and improve the inventory of our tools.

If you have any questions about donating toward these projects or to the Club, please contact either Justin Chandler or myself. Justin can be reached at 970/728-6163 ext. 11 and I can be reached at ext 12. Also feel free to contact me with any questions you may have. I can also be reached via e-mail at mbowman@tssc.org.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter. I look forward to the new season with all of you.

Mike Bowman
Alpine Program Director and Head Coach
Telluride Ski and Snowboard Club



**Telluride Ski and Snowboard Club
Alpine Team Donation Form**

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Donation Amount: \$ _____

Check Number: _____

OR

Credit Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Name on Card: _____

(Circle One) **Visa** **MC** **Amex** **Discover**

Please indicate how you would like your funds allocated:

___ **Alpine Team Equipment Fund**

___ **TSSC Club General Fund**

___ **Other (Please specify):** _____

Please send your tax-deductible donation to:

**Alpine Team
Telluride Ski and Snowboard Club
P.O. Box 2824
Telluride, CO 81435**

Feel free to contact us if you have any questions at 970/728-6163. Mike Bowman can be reached at ext. 12 or Justin Chandler at ext. 11.