

PHILOSOPHY

The MAFP is happy to present this annual event, in an effort to effectively combine the enjoyable leisure and recreation of skiing with a meaningful continuing medical educational program. Your attendance at the meeting sessions is essential if we are to continue this event.

While we have been proud of the quality of the formal talks, panels, demonstrations, etc. of previous years, we feel the maximum benefit comes from the INDIVIDUAL, informal discussion that takes place between the attending physician and the speaker — on the ski hill or chair lift, in the lounge or in the dining room. Therefore, we encourage you to make the maximum use of these speakers while they are here. They all have much more to offer than can be contained in their brief formal presentation.

HISTORY

In the fall of 1958 two physicians met again while attending the western Surgical Society meeting in Salt Lake City. The Montana doctor invited the Minneapolis doctor to come to Montana and give a talk. The first in January 1959, was located at The Big Mountain in Whitefish, so that the initial speaker, Dr. Car Rice (late editor of Minnesota Medicine) could enjoy some skiing during his visit.

Thus began an annual event of skiing physicians migrating to this northern Rocky Mountain ski resort to combine daytime recreation with evening continuing education programs. The meetings were small and informal, and the accommodations in the original Chalet included only one room with a private bath. The jovial atmosphere initially engendered by standing in line to use the facilities at the end of the hall persists today.

Since the speakers were not paid, and there were no other expenses, no registration fees or dues were required. The group call themselves the "Big Mountain Medical Association." Interest grew and skiing physicians began arriving from throughout the country, rather than just those who practiced along the Great Northern Railroad line. Many made it an annual event, and several Flathead County Medical Society members took turns being Program Chairman. Since 1965 the meeting has been officially sponsored by the Montana Academy of Family Physicians.

HOSPITALITY ROOM,
The Lodge at Whitefish Lake
Daily after Skiing and Meetings

The Lodge at Whitefish Lake is a full service resort/spa/conference center along the shores of Whitefish Lake. Just a 15 minute drive to skiing on Big Mountain, the lodge offers fantastic comfort and a convenient location to downtown Whitefish restaurants and nightlife.

LODGING

To make reservations at The Lodge at Whitefish Lake, call 1-877-887-4026 or 406-863-4013. Ask for Group reservations; reference the Big Mountain Medical Conference. The Lodge is pleased to offer a low rate for the conference. If staying at the Whitefish Mountain Resort, call Whitefish Mountain Resort Reservations at 1-800-858-4152. They will extend a 15% discount off all lodging for conference attendees - the code will be GLAC10. Mention this code when making reservations.

Transportation is available — please indicate on the registration form if you will need transportation between the Whitefish Mountain Resort Village area and the Conference.

For over 50 years the Whitefish Mountain Resort has been the secret winter getaway of skiers who like to have fun. With over 3,000 skiable acres, two high-speed Quads, no lift lines, magnificently varied terrain, and a ringside vista of Glacier National Park, you'll discover Whitefish Mountain Resort is worth exploring. Whitefish Mountain Resort is the second highest ranked ski resort in Montana and is ranked 27th overall in "The Top 50 Resort Guide" survey in October 2005 Ski magazine.

Whitefish Mountain Resort's village offers a great après ski environment and a wide variety of dining is available.



Please note: In 2007 Big Mountain changed its name to Whitefish Mountain Resort.

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THE BIG MOUNTAIN
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THE MONTANA ACADEMY OF FAMILY PHYSICIANS

Presents

The 52nd Annual

Big Mountain Medical Conference

January 26th - 29th, 2010



The Lodge at Whitefish Lake
Whitefish, Montana

REGISTRATION FEE:

Before Jan. 1, 2010:		After Jan. 1, 2010:	
MAFP Members	\$500	MAFP Members	\$325
Non-Members	\$550	Non-Members	\$375
Students/Residents	\$500	Students/Residents	\$325
Nurse Practitioners/PAS	\$500	Nurse Practitioners/PAS	\$325

(Includes registration night "eats and drinks" for registrants and families; afternoon snacks, social hours, and ski racing for registrant & Family members.)

SEND TO:
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Application for CME credit has been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians. Determination of credit is pending.

Tuesday, January 26th, 2010

4:00-6:30 pm Registration and Gemutlichkeit Hour at The Lodge at Whitefish Lake for registrants and families join us for "eats and drinks"

Tuesday Evening (3 hours)
The Lodge at Whitefish Lake

6:30-8:00 pm What Family Medicine Physicians Should Know About Risk Management
Larry Riley, JD
Craig Eddy, MD, JD

8:00-8:45 Post-Partum Hemorrhage
Greg Utter, MD

8:45-9:30 Fetal Monitoring Review
Greg Utter, MD

Wednesday, January 27th, 2010

Wednesday Afternoon (3 hours)
The Lodge at Whitefish Lake

3:30-4:30 pm Anxiety and Depression, A Professional and Personal Perspective
Richard Wise, MD

4:30-5:30 Genetic High Tech and Low Tech
John Johnson, MD

5:30-6:30 Menopausal Symptom Management-Non-Hormonal and Hormonal Options
Mirna Bowden, MD

6:30-7:30 Social Hour
The Lodge at Whitefish Lake

Thursday, January 28th, 2010

10:30 am Ski Races Chair 2

Thursday Afternoon (3 hours)
The Lodge at Whitefish Lake

3:30-4:15 pm Autism Spectrum Disorders
Brian Lubberstedt, MD

4:15-5:00 Bipolar Disorder in Adolescents
Brian Lubberstedt, MD

5:00-6:30 Pediatric Orthopedic Update
Paul Caskey, MD

6:30-7:30 Social Hour
The Lodge at Whitefish Lake

Friday, January 29th, 2010

Friday Afternoon (3 hours)
The Lodge at Whitefish Lake

3:30-4:30 pm Case Presentations from Montana Family Medicine Residency
Laura Goodell, MD
Chris Cancro, MD

4:30-5:30 Steroids in Athletics
Paul Monier, MD

5:30-6:30 Urology Update-Testosterone Replacement/PSA Testing
Jon Mercer, MD

2010 Big Mountain Medical Conference Faculty

Mirna Bowden, MD
OB/GYN
Whitefish, MT

Paul Caskey, MD
Pediatric Orthopedics
Shriners Hospital, Spokane, WA

Chris Cancro, MD R2
Montana Family Medicine
Residency
Billings, MT

Craig Eddy, MD, JD
Garlington, Lohn & Robinson
Missoula, MT

Laura Goodell, MD R2
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Residency
Billings, MT

John Johnson, MD
Director Medical Genetics,
Shodair Children's Hospital
Helena, MT

Brian Lubberstedt, MD
Child Psychiatry
Billings, MT

Jon Mercer, MD
Urology
Whitefish, MT

Paul Monier, MD
Sports Medicine Fellow,
Family Medicine
Billings, MT

Larry Riley, JD
Garlington, Lohn & Robinson
Missoula, MT

Greg Utter, MD
Maternal/Fetal Medicine,
Missoula, MT

Richard Wise, MD
Family Medicine/Addiction
Medicine
KalisPELL, MT

Faculty Disclosure

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REGISTRATION FORM

Please send this form to:

Montana Academy of Family Physicians
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2021 - 11th Ave., Suite 1
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Online Registration Available at:
<http://www.montanaafp.org>

* Please note MAFP is able to accept credit cards for online registration.

Name _____

Title _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Please indicate if transportation is needed between conference and Big Mountain.

YES / NO

REGISTRATION FEE:

*Before Jan. 1, 2010: After Jan. 1, 2010:

Montana AFP Members \$500 _____ \$525 _____

Non-Members \$350 _____ \$375 _____

Students and Residents \$500 _____ \$525 _____

Nurse Practitioners \$500 _____ \$525 _____

Total _____

Ski Racers FREE!! # Attending _____

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