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HELI-SKING

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Champagne

Powder ...

...to the weekend skier. It's about as common as winning the lottery. It means getting up in darkness and driving an hour or more so you can be the first one on the chairlift. The snow is soft and deep or three feet deep. It's a powder day. You're all tracking powder on your skis.

With Kootenay Helicopter Skiing there are no lines. No race for the chairlift. You get the lift you want.

Kootenay Helicopter Skiing

Shutled to the top of the mountain by a jet-powered Bell helicopter and of course, the best skiers. The helicopter will fly you to the top of the mountain and will land back and forth as needed. You'll be in the air for about 10 minutes. The helicopter is a Bell 206 and is a very safe aircraft. The pilot is a highly trained and experienced pilot. The helicopter is a Bell 206 and is a very safe aircraft. The pilot is a highly trained and experienced pilot.

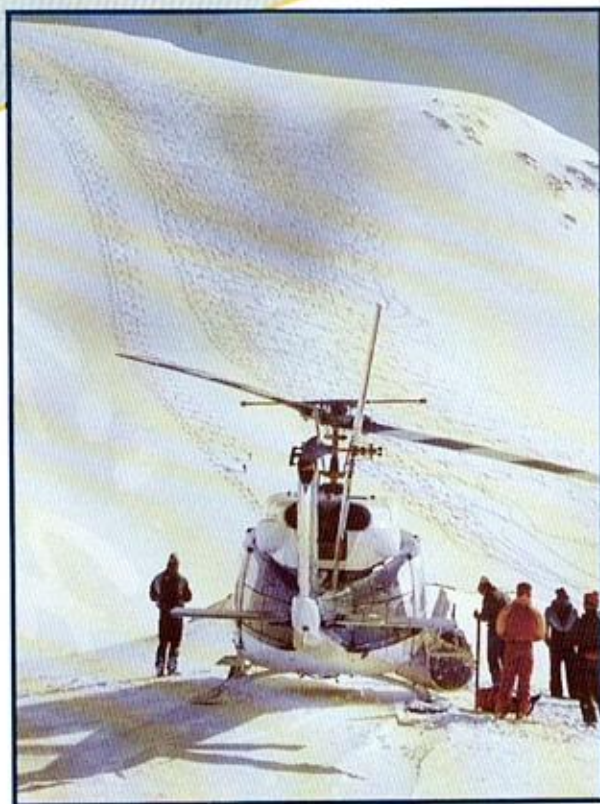
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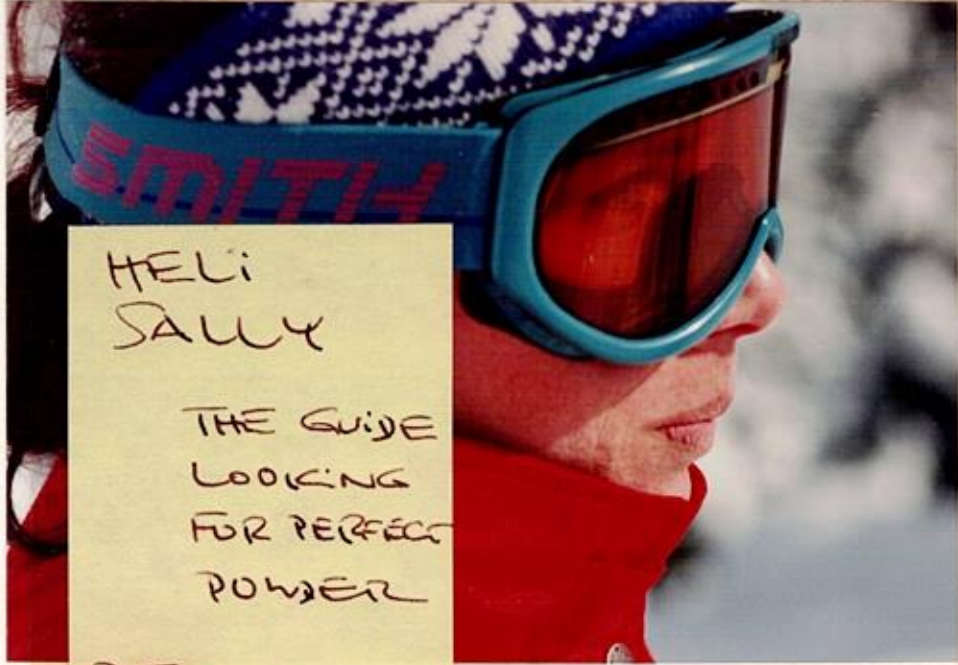
...To the weekend skier, it's about as common as winning the lottery. It means getting up in darkness and driving an hour or more so you can be the first one on the chairlift, and then catching two or three quick powder runs before it's gone — all tracked up by the hordes of skiers on your tail.

With Kootenay Helicopter Skiing there are no hordes. No race for first tracks. Just run after run of deep, untouched snow — snow so light that it rises in a brilliant cloud around you as you ski: so deep that you almost float down the slope. Ego snow. Powder.



Shuttled to and fro by a jet-powered Bell helicopter, and led by experienced guides, you'll ski runs of up to 5,000 vertical feet of uninterrupted powder, at a pace determined by you and the rest of your group: laid back and relaxed, or heli-bent for leather!





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THE GUIDE
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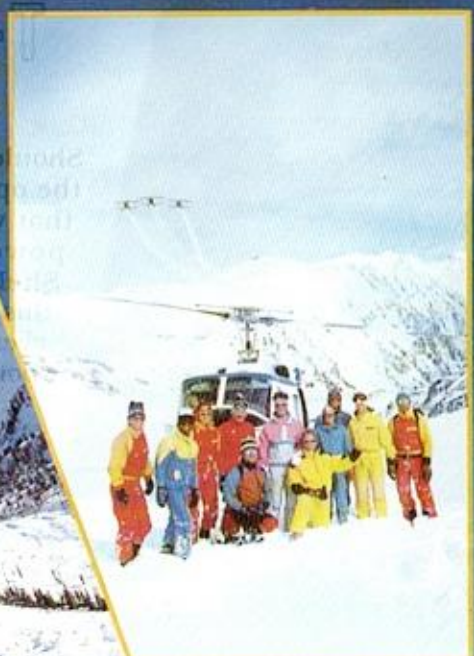
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Should you all the fluffy stuff from the snow... you'll be happy to know that we keep our own private reserve of powder hidden away in the trees. It's as if it's from sun and wind... and it's just what you need to

For... and... keep... to



Okay, okay, so it's not always fresh powder - sometimes it's a few days old.



Tad Derbyshire, your host and company president.

And for anyone who doesn't fall all week long, a 21-gun salute and a flypast. (Yeah, sure.)



Lose something, ladies?

Our pilot and crew are highly qualified professionals who will contact you by radio in a matter of seconds. If you have any questions...

80,000 Reasons to Ski

During your 7-day ski-holiday you'll get a minimum of 80,000 vertical feet of actual skiing, and that's a money-back guarantee. Of course you can usually do more than that, if you've got the stamina - one group racked up 54,000 feet in a single day! (Any challengers?)

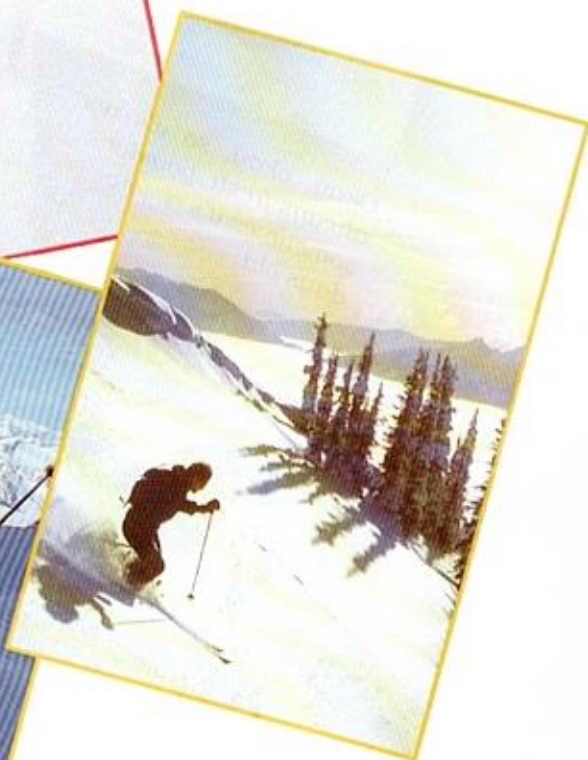
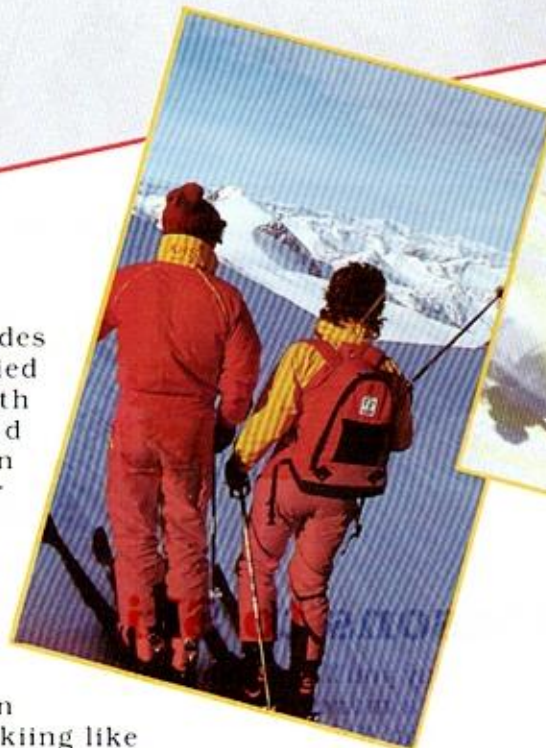
Snow conditions will vary from day to day, and even from the top of the run to the bottom: it will be perfect one minute, and merely superb the next, with just enough not-so-perfect to keep you on your toes.

This means you should be a fit, confident skier to get the most from your heli-skiing adventure.

T-I-M-B-E-R!

Should wind steal all the fluffy stuff from the open bowls, you'll be happy to know that we keep our own private reserve of powder hidden away in the trees. Sheltered as it is from sun and wind, this snow stays light and dry, even when everything else has turned to 'crete or boilerplate.

Well-travelled skiers tell us we've got the finest tree skiing in the world, and judging by the way groups keep asking for more, we're inclined to believe them!



Our pilot and guides are highly qualified professionals with your safety and comfort foremost in their minds. Their expert attention to aircraft maintenance, snow profiles, and weather forecasts, lets you concentrate on just one thing: skiing like you've never skied before!



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PETER !



THIS IS IT!
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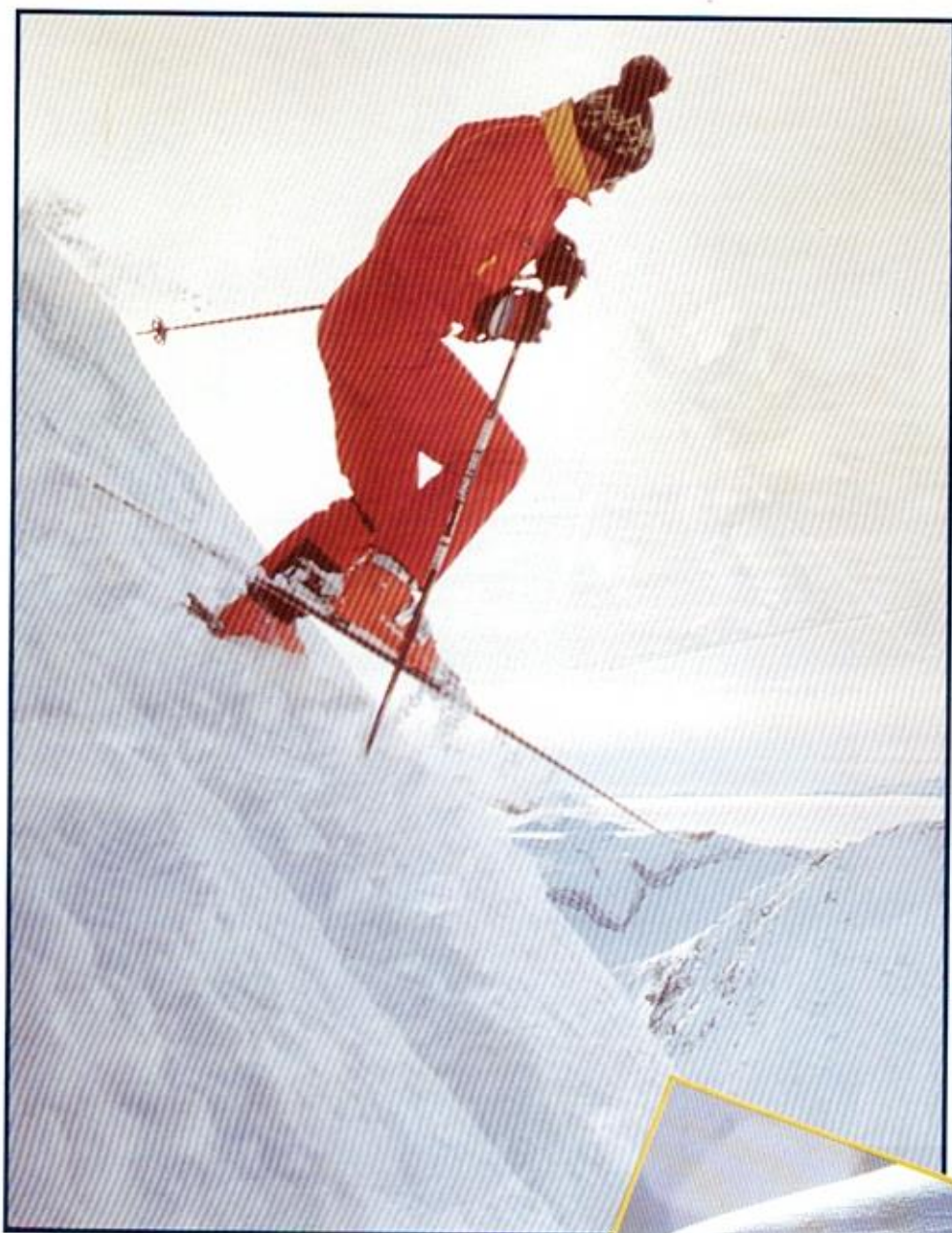


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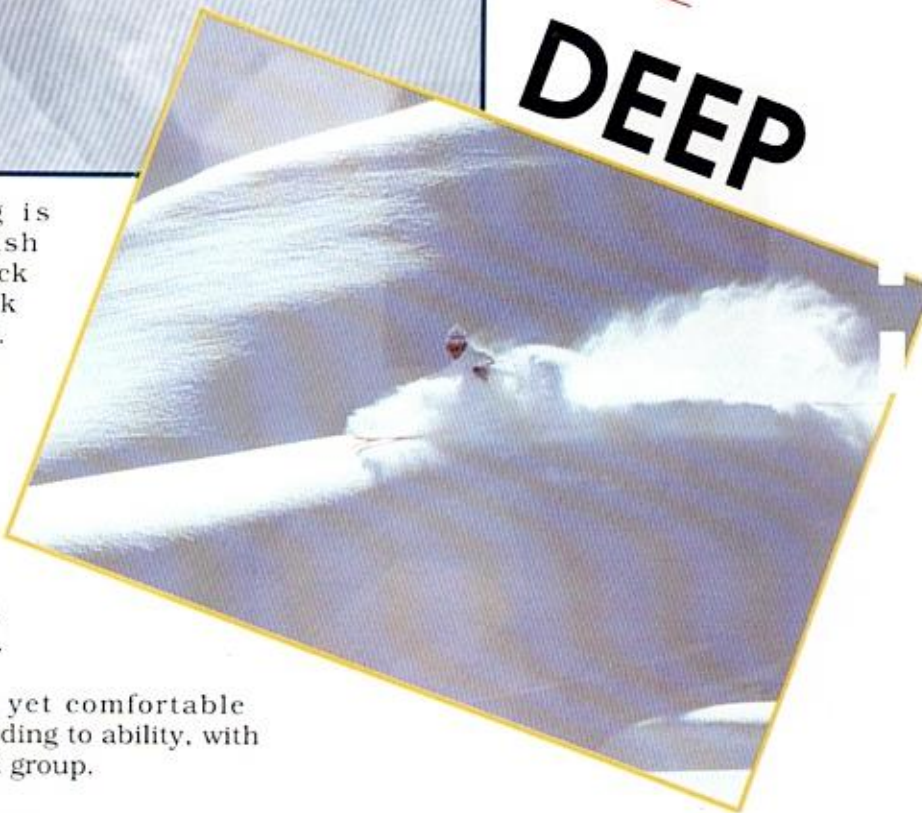
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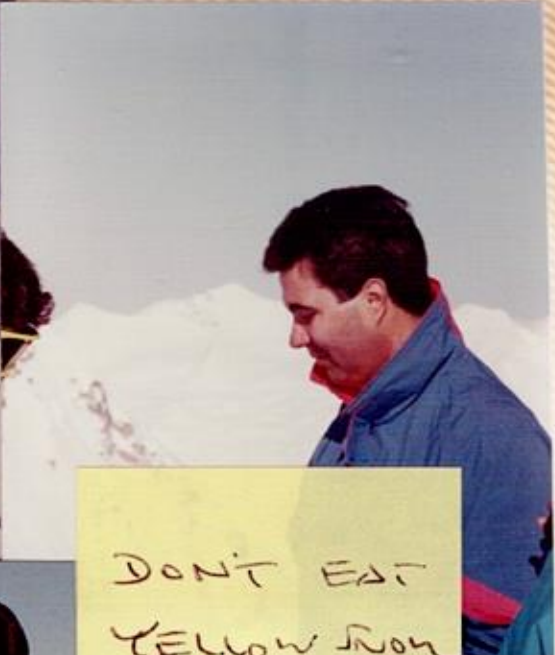
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DEEP

Kootenay Helicopter Skiing is headquartered in Nakusp, British Columbia, centrally located for quick access to either the virgin Selkirk Mountains or the rugged Monashees. Weather, snow conditions, and the skiing ability of each group will help your guides choose from more than 140 different runs - everything from the wide open slopes of "User Friendly" to the challenging "Steep Throat". Of course we won't take you anywhere too radical - not unless you beg and plead and whine, that is.

To assure you of a stimulating, yet comfortable experience, skiers are grouped according to ability, with an average of 8 or 9 skiers per guided group.





DON'T EAT
YELLOW SNOW

OH LORDY.....



JUST KIDDIN.
YOU CAN'T HAVE
MY VOLKL'S



..... IT'S HARD
TO BE HUMBLE



..... WHEN YOU ARE
THE BEST THERE IS



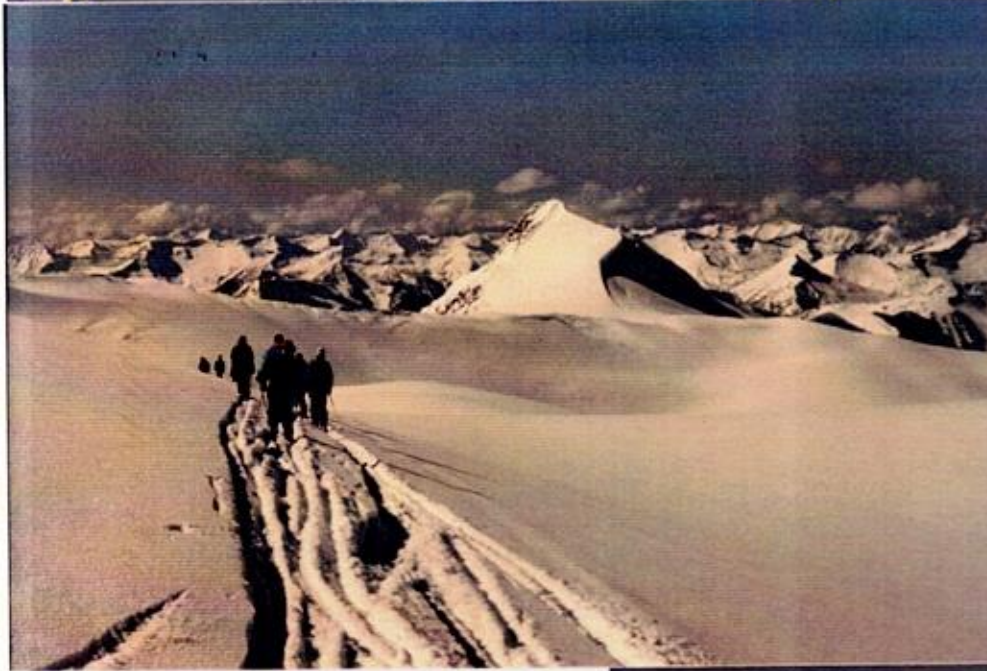
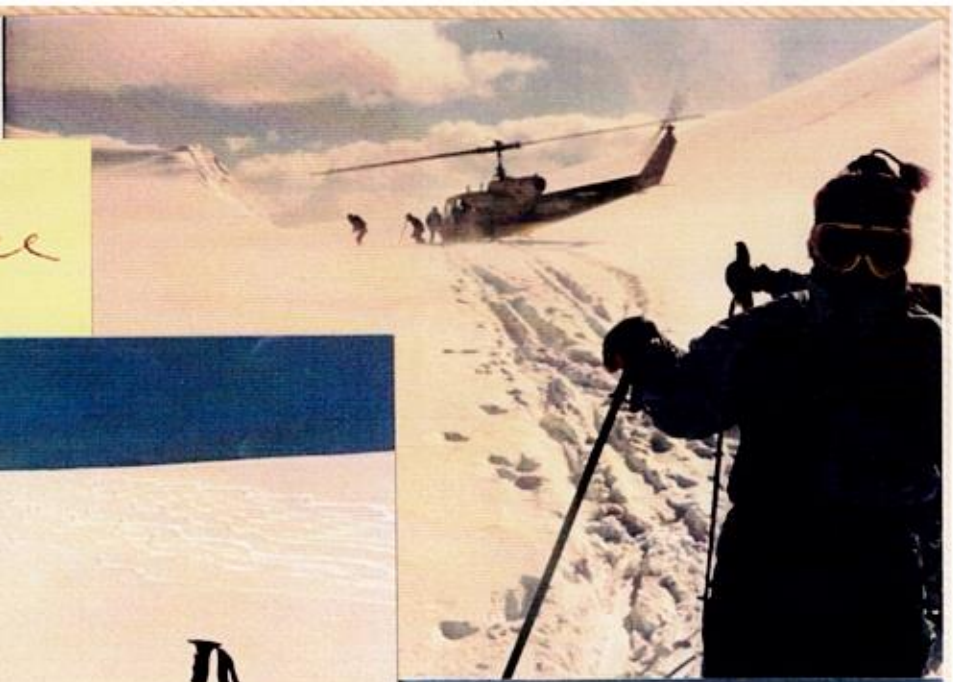
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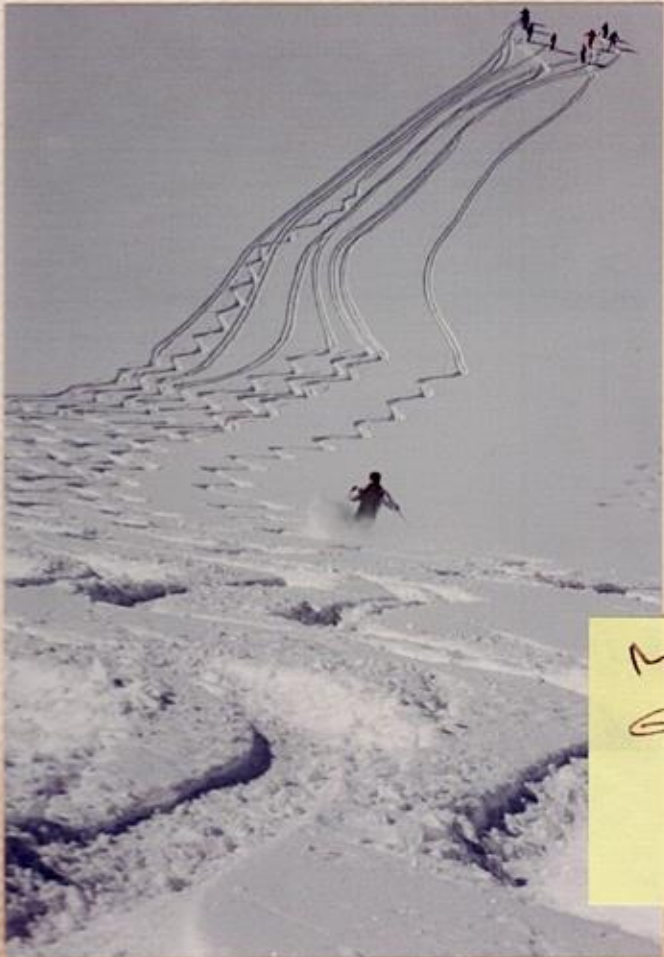
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ARE YOU
COMING ?

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DIAMOND PEAK &
TENDERFOOT TRACK





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GOING -
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PERFECT TIME &
PLACE FOR LUNCH



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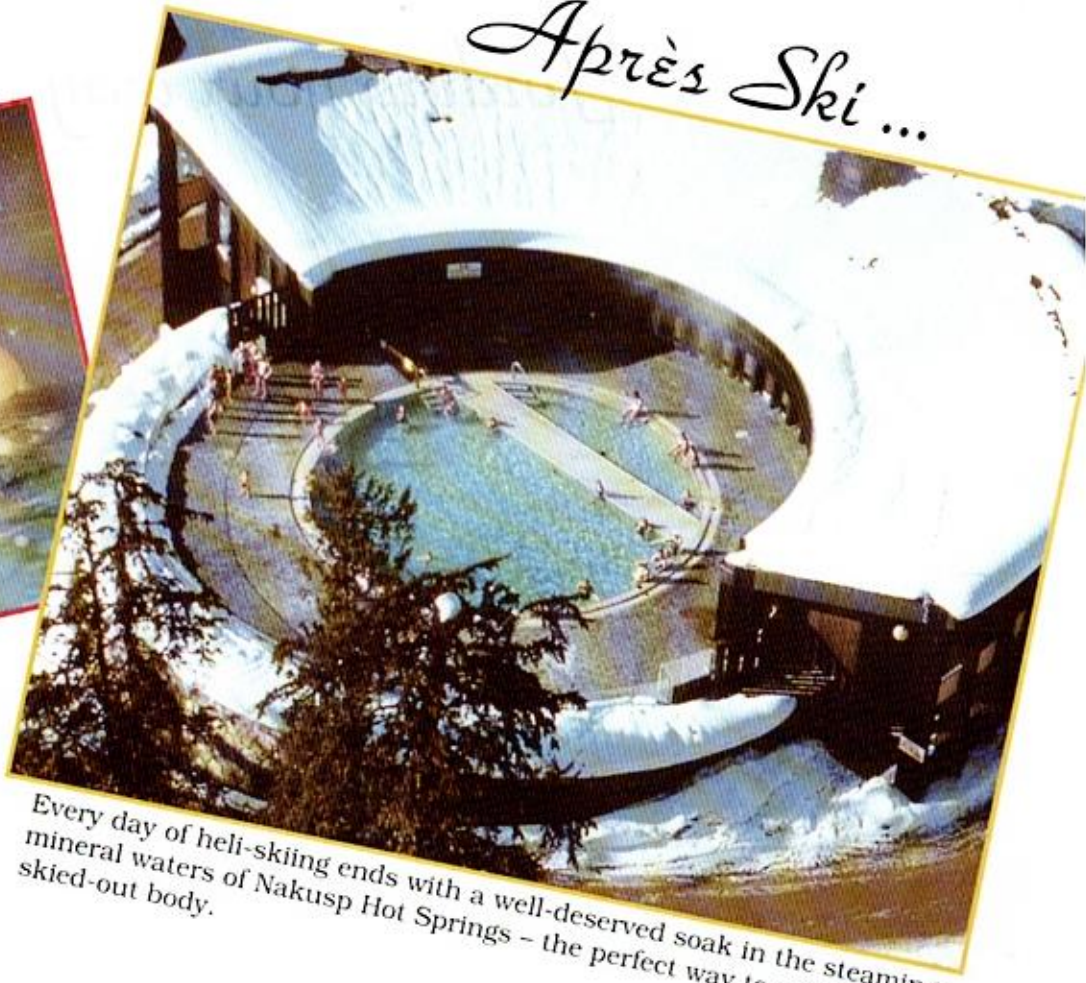
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NEXT TIME



Après Ski ...



Ahhh...!



Every day of heli-skiing ends with a well-deserved soak in the steaming mineral waters of Nakusp Hot Springs - the perfect way to soothe your skied-out body.

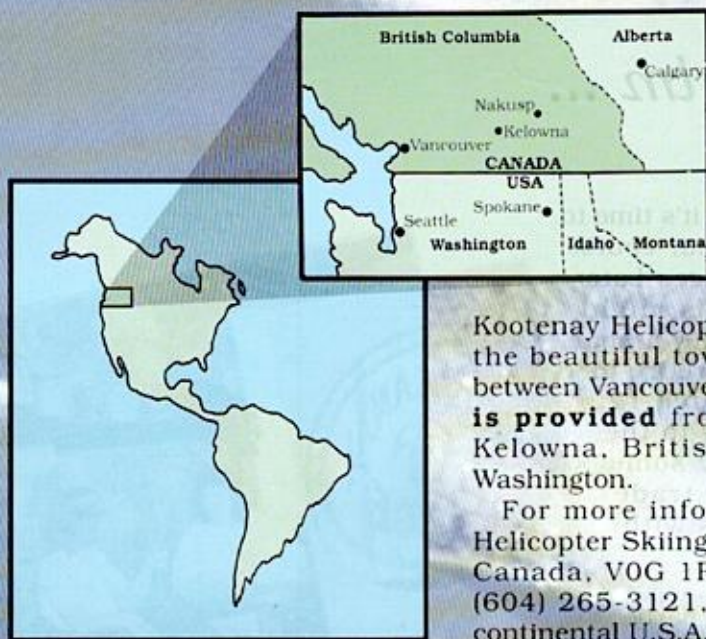
Après Swim ...

After your soak in the pool, it's time to dig into a mouthwatering four-course meal at the Kuskanax Lodge. Later on, a few energetic souls might wander to the nearby hockey arena or squash courts; others retire to their rooms to read or watch TV; but most make their way to the fireside lounge, to enjoy some liquid refreshment and trade stories of skiing prowess with new friends.

You probably won't want to party too late, though — it's snowing outside, and that means fresh powder tomorrow... with Kootenay Helicopter Skiing!



Finding your way ...



Kootenay Helicopter Skiing makes its home in the beautiful town of Nakusp, B.C., midway between Vancouver and Calgary. **Coach service is provided** from the gateway airports of Kelowna, British Columbia, and Spokane, Washington.

For more information, write to Kootenay Helicopter Skiing Ltd., Box 717, Nakusp, B.C., Canada, V0G 1R0. Telex 041-4196. Phone (604) 265-3121, or in B.C., Alberta and the continental U.S.A. call toll-free 1-800-663-0100.