



DANCING BEAR ASPEN

A TIMBERS RESORTS RESIDENCE CLUB

DANCING BEAR ASPEN APPOINTS ANNEKE SCHOLTEN AS GENERAL MANAGER

Scholten Returns to Her Role Overseeing the Management and Operation of Aspen's Luxury Private Residence Club

ASPEN, COLO. – (December 18, 2013) – The acclaimed private residence club in Aspen, Colo., [Dancing Bear Aspen](#), which is part of the [Timbers Resorts](#) portfolio, has appointed Anneke Scholten as General Manager. A long-time Aspen resident and a fixture in the luxury hotel and private residence industry, Scholten played an integral role in the opening and operation of Dancing Bear Aspen from 2008 to 2010 when she first assumed the role of General Manager.

“We are delighted to welcome Anneke back to Dancing Bear Aspen and into the Timbers Collection family,” said Randall Bone, COO of Sunrise Company. “Anneke’s enduring relationships with the Dancing Bear Aspen owners and staff paired with her keen industry knowledge and familiarity with the town of Aspen will make her a vital part of our operation today.”

“I have often spoken about my job at Dancing Bear Aspen as a dream job come true, an intimate and luxurious environment, a vibrant atmosphere with a fantastic group of owners and the support of a very talented team,” said Scholten. “I recognize the property as one of the most unique and comfortably luxurious residence clubs in town and beyond. I look forward to cultivating my existing relationships with the staff and owners and meeting new friends to drive the continued success and growth of the property.”

Transitioning from her most recent role as Hotel Manager at Aspen’s The Little Nell, where she spent almost four years overseeing the operation of the five-star, five-diamond hotel, Scholten brings more than 30 years of luxury hospitality and private residence club experience to her position. After graduating from Wim Gertenbach College in The Netherlands, Scholten began her career as the Front Office Manager at Sonesta Hotel in Amsterdam and transitioned to Reservations Manager at the property’s sister resort in Key Biscayne, FL. Scholten’s luxury hotel experience expanded during her tenure at the Four Seasons in Boston and Washington D.C. where she grew from Assistant Rooms Division Manger to Director of Sales. Scholten has also held hotel positions with Aspen Skiing Company and various managerial positions at The Snowmass Club and Aspen Mountain Club. During the 1990’s, she founded Colorado Hosts, an international tour operating company.

Easily accessible from Aspen Airport, Dancing Bear embodies Aspen’s singular blend of rugged alpine charm and grand sophistication. The intimate mountain retreat is nestled in the historic red-brick heart of downtown Aspen, just a few steps from one of Colorado’s most renowned ski slopes. The property is as dramatic as the locale, complementing the elemental surroundings with bracing architecture and an eclectic, urbane sensibility. Part high-country getaway, part private club, and part live-in gallery, Dancing Bear sets a new standard for [Aspen fractional ownership](#).

For information on Dancing Bear Aspen, please visit www.dancingbearaspen.com or call 855-920-2510 or 970-920-2510.

About Dancing Bear Aspen

Dancing Bear Aspen – A Timbers Residence Club is a boutique club that embodies Aspen’s singular blend of rugged alpine charm and sophistication. The intimate mountain retreat is nestled in the historic red-brick heart of downtown Aspen, just a few steps from one of Colorado’s most renowned ski slopes. This nine-unit Private Residence Club offers Owners a refined yet inviting year-round home away from home with 3-bedroom, 3.5-bath residences available for fractional ownership. Highlights include a state-of-the-art fitness center, private movie theatre, owners’ wine room and cellar and a private rooftop terrace providing an unparalleled outdoor living experience in Aspen with the best views of downtown.

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About Timbers Resorts

Since 1999, Timbers Resorts has established a gracious collection of properties in the world’s most sought-after destinations. As the developer and operator of boutique, private resorts, hotels and residence clubs – including ski, golf, leisure and beach locations – Timbers Resorts has created an unrivaled reputation in the luxury resort and real estate industry. Throughout its history, Timbers Resorts has committed to being authentic, unique and respectful of the destination, focusing on family and experiences, and never compromising with regard to quality and service.

In addition, Timbers Resorts has created the Timbers Collection - a portfolio of resorts and residence clubs recognized for their grace, sophistication and overwhelming sense of place. As an Owner at a property in the Timbers Collection, you have the opportunity to further enhance your ownership experience with Timbers Collection Benefits - a host of perks and privileges from some of the most recognized travel and lifestyle partners in the world including Sentient Jet, Hertz, MedJet Assist and more. In addition, ownership assures access to the Timbers Reciprocity Program and the ability to trade your vacation time with other destinations in the portfolio. These are extraordinary places that enrich and invigorate. From the rolling hills of Napa and Tuscany, to the slopes of Aspen, Steamboat and Vail, to the beaches of Cabo San Lucas, and the golf courses of Sonoma and Ireland, and more, the choice is yours.

Current Timbers Collection properties include Dancing Bear Aspen in Aspen, Colorado; Timbers Bachelor Gulch in Beaver Creek, Colorado; Esperanza in Cabo San Lucas, Mexico; Doonbeg in County Clare, Ireland; The Orchard at The Carneros Inn in Napa, California; The Rocks Club in Scottsdale, Arizona; The Timbers Club in Snowmass, Colorado; Mayacama in Sonoma, California; Rancho Valencia in Rancho Santa Fe, California; One Steamboat Place in Steamboat Springs, Colorado; Castello di Casole in Tuscany, Italy; The Preserve at Botany Bay on St. Thomas in the U.S. Virgin Islands; The Sebastian - Vail in Vail, Colorado.

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