Use the Wait List -- But Do Not “Over-Enroll”

CMC trips tend to fill up in the first few days after posting but people drop off as time goes on. Most people get off the wait list and onto the trip roster. If you are on a wait list, keep the trip on your calendar and check your status at your CMC.org "My Membership" dashboard: log into CMC.org>Members>My Membership>My Trips.

On the other hand, some members appear to register for way more trips per month than they end up attending, cancelling off most of them along the way, sometimes at the last minute.

Obviously, this practice precludes other members from registering for a trip in which there ultimately are openings, sometimes even if using the wait list. It also creates a significant issue for leaders as they determine who is on their trips. Average cancellation “churn” sometimes exceeds the final roster number.

To make sure there is room for everyone, please do not enroll in every possible trip you may want to take.

1. When you review the CMC trip calendar, please sign up only for those trips AND for the number of trips you truly plan to attend.

2. As soon as you know you cannot make a trip, please cancel off the trip or the wait list immediately. Here's a reminder how to cancel off a trip or wait list: Log in to cmc.org>Members>My Membership>My Trips> find the trip (all your upcoming trips are listed in date order) and click "cancel."

3. Never sign up for two trips and/or wait lists scheduled for the same day.