

The Indianapolis Hiking Club

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THE TRAIL BLAZER

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Celebrating 59 Years of Sponsoring Hikes and Outings

The TRAIL BLAZER is published each year as a record of the Club's activities and a record of members' hiking accomplishments. In 1956 a group of people who had been hiking under the banner of AMERICAN YOUTH HOSTEL were working on a 22-mile trail. On January 23, 1957, several of them had a meeting to discuss the formation of a new hiking club. They decided to name it THE INDIANAPOLIS HIKING CLUB. The constitution they drafted listed the following: "The purpose of the Club shall be the encouragement of the love of nature; the dissemination of knowledge of the attractions of the out-of-doors; the promotion of outdoor recreation in the form of hikes and outings; and the sponsoring of other activities incidental to the foregoing."

Following the desires of the founders, the Club has remained faithful to the objectives for which it was founded. However, the Club has changed with the times and the desires of newer members.

Over the years the Club has been most fortunate in having dedicated officers to guide the Club. During 2016 the following people spent much time and effort in guiding the Club:

ELECTED OFFICERS

President - John Gaebler Vice-President - Phil Smith Pathfinders - Jean Ballinger Ed Wright Secretary - Mervyn Cohen Treasurer - Kathy Whalen

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Conservation - Chuck Turner Electronic Media - Phil Coons Membership - Mary Williams Mileage - Karen Zimmerman Publicity - Mike Khalil Publications - June Sergi Social - Janet Cohen Webmaster - Ed Wright DIRECTORS Marty Applegate Rena Elsner Anna Buckholz Griffin Pat Lawler

2016 YEAR IN REVIEW

The Indianapolis Hiking Club had a very successful and fun filled year that ended on September 30, 2016. We finished the year with 571 members, one more than we started the year with. This reversed the downward trend in membership we have seen in recent years. We added a very healthy 85 new members and the percentage of our members actively hiking is up. We attribute a good part of this growth to the Bicentennial State Park Hikes (more on this later) that were very popular with new guests. This past year the Club scheduled 2,072 hikes - an average of 5.7 hikes a day – almost identical to a year ago. This was the seventh year in a row that we scheduled more than 2,000 hikes, making us one of the most active hiking clubs in the country. In aggregate, 16,133 members hiked a total of 92,898 miles, up about 7% from a year ago. The average attendance was 5.8 people per hike, a modest drop from last year.

In addition to the very popular Bicentennial Hike series which drew unprecedented crowds, we continued to schedule numerous morning, afternoon and evening hikes every day of the year. We visiting every Indiana state park, we hiked in most state forests, the Hoosier National Forest, nature conservancies, the Knobstone Trail, wildlife refuges and numerous rural communities in Indiana and nearby states. Many themed hikes were offered, including wildflowers, museums, concerts, pet hikes, book club hikes, restaurants, flower gardens and

opportunities to learn more about the history of our great city and state. Five multiple-day trips were scheduled in Indiana and other states. Although hiking remained the primary focus, leaders often tacked on pitch-ins and visits to museums, gardens, concerts and restaurants at the conclusion of a hike. Following a number of regularly recurring hikes, it has become a tradition for hikers to meet for coffee, lunch or dinner. Hiking with the Club is as much a social experience as physical exercise.

BICENTENNIAL STATE PARK HIKES

By far the most significant accomplishment during 2016 was the Bicentennial State Park hike series. (Although the series ran through the end of the calendar year – 3 months beyond September 30 - we will recap the entire experience here). Envisioned as a way for our Club to participate in Indiana's year long bicentennial celebration, the Club scheduled hikes in all 25 of Indiana's state parks. When we came up with the proposal we had no idea how popular the hike series would become. We were astounded when 159 members and guests showed up for the first hike at White River State Park on a cold January 1. Most of the other official Bicentennial hikes drew between 60 and 80 attendees. Each member received a Bicentennial passport which we had made for the occasion and got them stamped at each hike. Many of our members sported new Bicentennial hikes (multiple options at each park) and 97 make-up and other hikes, such as wild flower hikes. 53 different leaders led at least one state park hike. Total attendance was 2,541 members, 171 guests and 10 children. 258 of our members (almost half our total membership) participated on at least one hike. We hiked a total of 14,115 miles in Indiana's state parks, more than 15% of the total mileage hiked by the Club for the entire year.

Here is a list of the state parks we visited and the number of attendees:

Brown County	84
Chain O'Lakes	60
Charlestown	71
Clifty Falls	70
Falls of the Ohio	67
Fort Harrison	169
Harmonie	76
Indiana Dunes	79
Lincoln	71
McCormick's Creek	103
Mounds	99
O'Bannon Woods	74
Ouabache	72
Pokagon	62
Potato Creek	80
Prophetstown	89
Shades	72
Shakamak	67
Spring Mill	78
Summit Lake	113
Tippy Canoe River	77
Turkey Run	68
Versailles	96
White River	159
White Water Memorial	66

Not surprising, close to home Fort Harrison SP saw the most hikers. Far away Chain O'Lakes SP had the fewest with 60, but still an impressive number.

At this year's Christmas Party on December 4th we recognized the Bicentennial SP Hikes Committee who worked very hard to put the year long hike series together. Everyone who attended at least one state park hike

(258 people) was awarded a commemorative lapel pin. We also recognized 35 members who hiked in all 25 state parks and an additional 18 members who hiked in 20 or more parks. For their impressive accomplishment these people received a photo book of the state park hikes and special tee shirts.

Although the state park hikes were a major focus in 2016, following are some other notable highlights from the past year:

CHRISTMAS PARTY Held on December 6, 2015, our annual Christmas Party drew about 140 people. It is always a fun event and a chance to socialize with our friends at a non-hiking venue. Social Committee chairperson Janet Cohen and her helpers did a wonderful job decorating the hall and tables and providing door prizes. As usual, the food was great and there was lots of it. Thirty one 2015 Achievement Award winners were recognized. This year's winners received rustic looking picture frames with the Club logo embossed on them. Thanks also to the many members who brought foodstuffs that were donated to a local food-bank and toys that were given to local firehouses.

BRADFORD WOODS Once again we hiked the beautiful woods (even in winter) at Bradford Woods each Tuesday in January. Our Club has been doing this for about 25 years. Weather in January is always iffy, and it is unusual for us to be able to hike on all the Tuesday's. On one of the hikes a fun group from Bloomington joined us. As much a tradition as the hike, many of the hikers enjoyed lunch after the hike at either Po's or Gray's cafeteria.

BIG BEND NATIONAL PARK On the way to Tucson, early March found eleven hiking club members experiencing the trails for several days in Big Bend National Park in south Texas. Most stayed at the Chisos Mountain Lodge, located in a basin of the Chisos Mountains. Big Bend is noted as being the "park of the stars". The night skies are full of stars and the hikers enjoyed viewing them. Hikers hiked Grapevine Trail, Boquillas Canyon, Hot Springs Trail, Lost Mine Trail, and the Santa Elena Canyon.

TUCSON, ARIZONA Almost 60 members and guests made the trek to southern Arizona in mid-March for five days of hiking in the beautiful Sonoran desert. This is the third time the Club has visited Tucson. Up to three hike options each day allowed everyone to enjoy desert hiking at their own pace – still there were plenty of steep climbs, lots of rocks and more than enough thorny cactus and cholla. Many thanks to John Gaebler and Ed Wright for organizing the week. Also thanks to the additional hike leaders we drafted to lead the various options.

WILDFLOWER HIKES As has been done for many years, hikers enjoyed the spring wildflowers with a weekly wildflower hike in April. We hiked Holliday Park, McCormick's Creek State Park, Mounds State Park and West Side of Eagle Creek. Due to the early spring, hikers got to see more of the early wildflowers this past year.

SMOKY MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK For the 19th year in a row the Club descended on Gatlinburg, TN in mid-April for three days of mountain hiking and wildflower viewing. The Smoky's are especially beautiful in early spring. This year over 40 members and guests attended. Jeff Edmondson led a new route up challenging Mt. LeConte, his favorite trek in the Smokies. Ron Mutzl, Jim Shoufler and Jean Ballinger also led hikes. Jean continues to orchestrate this fun trip to the Smoky's every year.

C&O CANAL ONE DAY HIKE This is an annual event put on by the Washington DC Sierra Club in late April. Although it was attended by only two Club members – Rita Bymaster and Theresa Ray - it is noteworthy because these ladies tied our club's single day long distance record of 62.2 miles (100K) by walking from Washington DC to Harpers Ferry, WV. Even more impressive is that this was the seventh time Rita has completed this distance and in a personal best time of faster than 4 miles an hour including stops (no running). Stop and think about it, if you averaged 4 miles an hour for 15 hours you would still have two more miles to go to finish 62 miles. This was an incredible accomplishment for Rita and Theresa and something for us all to take pride in. And they are going to do it again in 2017.

GNAW BONE CAMP As we have done for over 40 years, Memorial Day weekend again found hikers staying in the cabins and hiking the hills of Brown County at Gnaw Bone Camp. This is especially enjoyable for

grandparents and their grandchildren. Day hikers joined those who were staying over. October found us again at Gnaw Bone Camp for our annual Octoberfest among the fall colors in Brown County, with Bill Boyd leading a longer, faster hike and Mary Ann Layman leading a more moderate pace hike. After hiking, many hikers enjoyed picnic lunches and visiting on a warm fall day.

SLEEPING BEAR DUNES In September, on the way to Michigan's Upper Penninsula about 25 hikers stopped over for several days at beautiful Sleeping Bear Dunes on the shores of Lake Michigan, always a fun and scenic place to hike. Jean Ballinger always does a great job with the lodging and interesting hikes.

MICHIGAN'S UPPER PENNINSULA Bill Halik led a first ever Club trip to Michigan's upper peninsula in mid-September, which everyone raved about. About 40 people enjoyed perfect weather for the three days of hiking. Dramatic views of Lake Superior and waterfalls were great memories; not so sure about the bear tracks. All in all a great trip which we hope is repeated soon.

ANNUAL PICNIC Always a great event in late July about 100 members and guests attended. The weather was hot but the sun was shining. People brought their favorite food to share and the Club provided fried chicken and drinks. Ed Wright, Gary Fine and Marsha Hutchins led hikes before the meal. Many members brought school supplies for under privileged IPS students. Thank you to Janet Cohen for coordinating this and other social events throughout the year.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY On September 8th the Club held its annual General Assembly at a new location during which the current board was elected. Outgoing president, John Gaebler welcomed incoming president Phil Smith. After the election, Kevin Carlsen, manager of the Ornithology Center at Eagle Creek Park, gave an excellent slide presentation about resident and migratory birds regularly seen in Eagle Creek Park. Thanks to all the board members who brought snacks to the meeting.

BOOK CLUB HIKES Started in 2014, Book Club hikes have grown to be very popular, essentially a club within a club. Orchestrated by Kathy Whalen and Katy Smith one hike is scheduled each month and we didn't miss a month last year. Hikers read a different book before each hike and there is a book discussion before, during or after the hike at the leader's discretion.

PUBLICITY Under Mike Khalil's direction as Director of Publicity, our Club actively sought to provide information about and create interest in the organization. The Bicentennial hikes provided an opportunity to get out the word about the Club, and we worked with the Indiana DNR on permitting requirements for these hikes. Many members helped represent the Club at events such as the Boat, Sport & Travel Show and several employer wellness fairs. The April edition of Geist Magazine had a nice article about the club that included pictures of members on several hikes. We also responded to numerous inquiries regarding the Club and its activities that gave us an opportunity to provide information on the numerous hikes and hike venues.

CONSERVATION Chuck Turner has expanded our efforts in conservation this past year. We have made some efforts to help curb the unprecedented logging that continues in our state forests, and will continue this effort again this year. We have adopted an additional trail at Eagle Creek Park besides our commitment in Morgan Monroe State Forest. This commitment has given us some benefits to the park such as a free shelter for our annual picnic. We also are working on adopting and reviving the old Boy Scout Trail in the Eagle Creek Park. We have had a lot of participation and even some bridge building by dedicated Club members, always a good thing to give back.

<u>WHAT'S NEXT</u> On January 23, 2017 the Indianapolis Hiking Club celebrated its 60th anniversary and clearly we are stronger and more active than ever. Seventy-four of our members have been active for 25 or more years. Nell Larrison is our longest tenured member with 53 years. Twenty people, many of whom no longer hike, have been members for more than 40 years. They represent the backbone and history of our club. See who they are on the "About Us" page on our Club website. Take a few moments to remember long-term members who passed away this past year, including Paul Lorenz (from Gnaw Bone Camp), Macie Stephens, Frank Bogan, James Tygum, Jane Hilaire, John Behrmann and Mary Pulsifer.

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Once again we will be very busy in 2017. We expect to schedule more than 2,000 hikes for the eighth year in a row. Although not quite as ambitious as the 2016 state park hike series, this year we plan to hike at eight Indiana State Recreation Areas (SRA). Monthly Book Club hikes and Pet hikes will continue. As will April wild flower hikes and return visits to Bradford Woods and Morgan Monroe State Forest in March and October. We also intend to offer many slow and easy options for our elderly members. Multi-day trips are planned for McCormick's Creek SP and Los Angeles, CA in March, Smoky Mountains NP in April, Ridgeway Trail in England in May, Gettysburg in June, and Starve Rock, IL in September. Florida hikes are on the schedule for our winter snowbirds. As always, we will also host an annual Christmas Party, Club Picnic, General Assembly and Octoberfest at Gnaw Bone Camp.

For some of our members it is all about the exercise, and we offer lots of opportunites if that is your primary interest. For most however, hiking with the Club offers an opportunity to interact with old and new friends. The Club is very much like an extended family. Do your friends and family a favor and invite them to a hike. Do yourself a favor too and plan to hike more often this year. Your doctor will be happy if you do. We look forward to seeing you often this year. If you haven't led a hike recently, make it a goal to lead a hike this year. Everyone loves a new hike and leading is a rewarding experience.

Reports

HIKE LEADERS - Those who led 5 or more hikes:

Glee Crowder	287	John Lyghtel	44	Terry Roesch	26	Kate Curtiss	12
Rick Braun	110	Kathy Whalen	44	Jill McFall	24	Mary Bruss	11
Julie Litten	101	Elaine Wright	44	John Gaebler	24	Mervyn Cohen	10
Marsha Hutchins	70	Susan Sievers	44	Edeltraud Evans	23	Penny Edmondson	10
Ed Wright	60	Donna Maurer	42	Phil Smith	23	Ricki Jo	10
David Kincaid	57	Dick Underwood	39	Ron Clark	20	Elizabeth Robinson	8
Dick Bacon	55	Tish Brafford	39	Donna Chastain	19	Nanette Tate	8
Rick Kinnaman	55	Kae Ramey	32	Susanne McNeely	18	Rena Elsner	7
Marti Burton	52	Pat Lawler	31	June Sergi	17	Mary Ann Beuke	6
Bob Kriz	51	Mary Lang	29	Chuck Turner	17	Jim Shoufler	6
Janet Cohen	50	Jean Ballinger	28	Cherie Voege	16	Jim Robinson	6
Jo Anne Starzyk	47	Harold Crooks	28	Mary Williams	14	Charlotte Lyle	6
Jeff Edmondson	47	Mary Ann Layman	27	Allan Roberts	13	Cathy Harms	6
Jim Griffin	46	Mike Khalil	27	Narcisso Povinelli	12		

THE "MILE-A-DAY" HONOR ROLL - The honor roll recognizes members who have hiked 365 miles or more during the year—an average of at least a mile a day.

Crowder, Glee	3042
Hinds, Curtis	2648
Khalil, Mike	2026
Roberts, Allan	1935
Kincaid, David	1713
Kinnaman, Rick	1382
Voege, Cherie	1339
Seeman, Mike	1294
Smith, Phil	1277
Brafford, Tish	1246
Starzyk, Jo Anne	1217
Wright, Ed	1178

1168
1165
1156
1138
1134
1067
1040
780
777
759
757
743

724
719
708
696
690
681
670
662
659
647
646
601

Spreckelmeyer, Ella	590
Evans, Edeltraud	580
Layman, Mary Ann	580
Edmondson, Penny	580
Evans, Richard	580
Hutchins, Marsha	577
Johnson, Mary K	577
Bacon, Karen	544
Dick, Priscilla	542
Lawler, Pat	540
Ray, Theresa	523
Layman, Bob	523
Crooks, Harold	518
Uliana, Ann	516
Uliana, Anthony	496
Turner, Charles	495

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Friedenberg, Betsy	485
Maurer, Donna	481
Radke, Carol	480
Lester, Mary	472
Johnson, Marty	469
Roesch, Terry	462
Edmondson, Jeff	458
Hudson-Burch, Emily	451
Lyghtel, John	447
Wright, Linda	446
Maas, Judith	445
West, Bernard	440
Feeney, Rose	440
Bradley, Marilyn	438
Larson, Carol	429
Kestle, Lee	427

Hoffmann, Ricki Jo	427
Jones, Chris	426
Parker, Mick	421
Coons, Phil	418
Baker, Vicki	417
Green, Jerry	414
Braun, Marge	399
Griffin, Jim	397
Povinelli, Narcisso	395
Hackenberg, Bob	384
Hackenberg, Olga	384
Gehring, Anna	382
Bymaster, Rita	369
Sergi, June	367
Chastain, Donna	366
Loser, Ruth Ann	366

MEMBERSHIP MILEAGE RECORD For the year ending September 30, 2016 plus accumulated mileage since October 1, 1967

Member Name	Hikes	Miles	Total
Abbot, Tony	1	7	857
Abner, Cheryl	18	102	1255
Abner, Steven	19	107	477
Aitchison, Kathy	12	47	787
Akerhielm, Rob	10	78	254
Alden, Susan	23	130	574
Alexander, Diane	0	0	127
Amick, Larry	8	40	60
Amick, Teresa	8	40	60
Anderson, Megan	9	44	49
Antle, Patty	0	0	41
Applegate, Joanne	133	696	13396
Applegate, Marti	8	51	4402
Arie, Denise	35	168	168
Auberry, Amy	27	143	538
Avakian, Armen	63	314	4211
Babineau, Pat	51	253	2249
Bacon, Dick	110	646	3370
Bacon, Karen	81	544	3428
Bacone, John	23	143	323
Bailey, Wilma	72	254	1559
Baker, Ruth	11	57	549
Baker, Vicki	84	417	860
Ballinger, Jean	70	314	10853
Barnes, Deb	31	177	668
Barnes, Steve	1	5	5

Member Name

Hikes Miles Total

Bator, Claire	0	0	417
Behling, Gay	10	30	1520
Bennett, Dick	6	30	77
Benson, Tracy	0	0	2508
Beuke, Mary Ann	57	314	5035
Bishop. Marilyn Durst	1	6	24
Bohner, Lee	11	111	1205
Bowden, Joy	14	61	838
Bowman, Elizabeth	2	7	21
Boyd, Bill	10	66	1376
Bradley, Marilyn	85	438	1811
Brafford, Tish	205	1246	17891
Braun, Kathy	38	211	8839
Braun, Marge	48	399	8141
Braun, Rick	142	1168	11232
Braun, Tim	39	222	5165
Breitwieser, David	1	6	233
Breitwieser, Maren	1	6	374
Brewer, Jeff	1	8	14
Brewer, Peggy	2	13	36
Brewster, Jeff	4	22	32
Brewster, Kathi	12	73	107
Bridge, Catherine	0	0	2024
Bridge, John	0	0	260
Brothers, Madonna	0	0	0
Broxton, Andrea	1	5	18

Bruss, Mary	118	708	5934
Brutkiewicz, Sue	90	601	1377
Bryant, Linda	11	66	128
Buedel, Bud	22	148	3183
Buedel, Pat	30	186	3099
Burch, Charlie	8	36	521
Burke, Brian	0	0	2232
Burke, Donna	0	0	2302
Burroughs, Bob	3	15	380
Burroughs, Rita	0	0	148
Burrow, Sandy	7	38	49
Burton, Carol	3	18	38
Burton, Marti	130	681	3084
Bushfield, Karen	0	0	472
Byers, Rick	0	0	754
Bymaster, Frank	49	360	8072
Bymaster, Rita	39	369	10094
Calvano, Linda	0	0	3
Cannavo, Sue	0	0	369
Canull, Carole	11	60	617
Cassetty, Otis	0	0	2021
Cassetty, Phyllis	0	0	823
Chaney, Angie	0	0	93
	50	291	2025
Chappell, Paula	62	366	13949
Chastain, Donna	02	0	29
Chavez, Susan	0	0	29
Chavez, Tony		-	
Christensen, Peggy	0 52	0 265	564
Clark, Claudia	53	265	3298
Clark, Ron	48	240	3288
Clayton, Diane	27	121	453
Clisham, Barb	16	96	463
Cloe, Alan	31	126	223
Cohen, Janet	121	670	8357
Cohen, Mervyn	115	647	2183
Colby, Jack	0	0	56
Collins, Michael	0	0	189
Conwell, Cheryl	53	248	11072
Coons, Phil	92	418	1213
Copher, Janet	2	10	33
Copher, Mark	6	33	62
Corya, Bob	8	29	10251
Corya, Marian	4	14	2044
Cozad, Dave	0	0	526
Cozad, Thea	0	0	526
Craig, Denise	0	0	193

Craig, Doba	0	0	3
Craig, Ron	0	0	6160
Crawford, Linda	25	95	556
Crooks, Harold	110	518	1584
Crowder, Glee	479	3042	37993
Curtiss, Catherine	35	227	6324
Curtiss, David	0	0	77
Curtiss, Dianne	0	0	77
Dadel, Martin	118	724	11147
Daly, Carolyn	37	209	242
Dansker, Anita	3	15	446
Daugherty, Jamie	14	100	135
Davis, Darlisa	2	11	31
Davis, Jim	0	0	191
Davis, Sylvia	67	352	3748
Deal, Clara	6	45	95
Dearing, Rose	4	45 17	1385
Dennison, Karen	0	0	1303
Dennison, Stephen	0	0	5
Derbin, Carol	0	0	23
	10	50	2587
Dewees, Kathy	101	542	3381
Dick, Priscilla			
Dietz, Dick	8	38	465
Dietz, Vicki	4	18	180
Dillingham, Dorcas	6	29	37
Dlugosz, Patty	0	0	712
Dodson, Phyllis	0	0	77
Dollens, Diane	5	21	48
Doty, Karen	3	20	1329
Dowling, Bill	33	195	3096
Doyle, Beverly	0	0	136
Doyle, Judy	0	0	233
Duckworth, Lee	21	103	7092
Duncan, Amy	1	5	105
Dzyak, Alice	0	0	82
Easton, Mabel	0	0	11351
Eaton, Patrick	0	0	264
Eckstein, Pat	0	0	1528
Edmondson, Jeff	59	458	10499
Edmondson, Penny	103	580	4557
Elliott, Linda	0	0	2250
Elliott, Melina	0	0	5
Elsner, Rena	53	276	8258
Evans, Daymon W	25	141	8956
Evans, Edeltraud	101	580	4741
Evans, Richard	101	580	4741

Faller Kaith	2	10	52
Faller, Keith	2	18	52
Faller, Sarah	2	18	52
Feeney, Rose	57	440	664
Fillenwarth, Joyce	3	15	20
Fine, Carol	40	219	1221
Fine, Gary	40	221	653
Fischer, Maribeth Zay	32	186	1934
Flatt, Tom	34	204	216
Force, Linda	12	62	95
Foster, Paula	0	0	530
Foutch, Letty	4	22	156
Freije, Theresa	1	7	4377
Friedenberg, Betsy	80	485	3449
Frye, Lynda	0	0	870
Gaebler, John	186	1040	6301
Gaebler, Sue	7	37	312
Gambrel, Charlotte	4	24	36
Gartner, Carole	21	116	2229
Gartner, Donald	0	0	97
Gattuso, Jim	0	0	133
Gehring, Anna	70	382	12599
Gilbert, Ellen	4	24	595
Glidewell, Lloyd Richard	6	18	4976
Gluschenko, Charlotte	0	0	501
Good, Ric	2	13	35
Gormley, Anne	0	0	17
Gray, Stacy	4	31	624
Green, Jerry	76	414	3042
Green, Ron	0	0	111
Grew, Debbie	24	159	225
Griffin, Anna	20	98	5319
Griffin, Jim	75	397	15505
Griffin, Linda B	16	96	545
Griffitts, Joan	13	86	7310
Gullett, Victor	0	0	601
Gullett, Vija	0	0	2138
Gunale, Swati	0	0	1909
Hackenberg, Bob	69	384	4692
Hackenberg, Olga	69	384	4910
Halik, Bill	15	89	1476
Hamilton, Sharon	0	0	51
Hammond, Roger	11	60	222
Hancock, Dottie	0	00	307
Haney, Maureen	0	0	825
Hansen, Judie	14	70	70

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Hanson, Tammy	12	69	88
Hardin, Dennis	55	239	346
Harlan, Carol	4	7	1186
Harms, Cathy	32	172	796
Hartwell, Joe	0	0	87
Hartwell, Kathie	0	0	321
Hawkins, Susan	2	7	15
Hayes, Don	134	662	5898
Heid, Beverly	0	0	18
Heid, Bob	0	0	2083
Heighway, Anne	46	242	2866
Helms, Maggie	1	6	118
Helton, Cindy	9	56	81
Hickman, Carolyn	14	67	82
Higdon, Ron	7	42	4089
Hilaire, Jane	3	13	7128
Hildwein, Nancy	0	0	349
Hill, Geertje	0	0	20
Hilton, Mary	0	0	322
Himes, Russ	32	158	327
Hinds, Curtis	436	2648	6566
Hoffmann, Ricki Jo	94	427	21462
Hollett, Peggy	0	0	378
Hollett, Tom	13	49	18049
Hollowell, Julie	2	14	451
Hough, Kathy	28	145	5195
Hough, Larry	0	0	300
Howe, David	0	0	44
Howe, Therese	0	0	111
Howell, Raymond	24	132	3130
Huber, Monica	19	105	125
Hudson, Mary P.	0	0	264
Hudson-Burch, Emily	89	451	8111
Huesing, Bernie	7	22	147
Huesing, Nancy	0	0	8
Huizinga, Suzanne	0	0	49
Huneck, Karleen	2	9	5178
Hutchins, Marsha	129	577	16047
Hyland, Karen	9	48	1396
Ireland, Pat	0	40	0
James, Janice	0	0	748
Jarvis, Elizabeth	0	0	132
Joachim, Rachel	10	33	4458
Johnson, Marty	91	469	2392
Johnson, Mary K	109	577	2392
Johnson, Steve	109	90	879
Johnson, Steve	10	90	0/9

Jolly, Jessie	9	44	500
Jones, Chris	52	426	442
Jones, James	39	184	3768
Jones, JoAnn	1	4	490
Jones, John	2	8	991
Jones, Kirk	0	0	30
Jordan, Emely	1	4	405
Jordan, Tom	0	0	3808
Kafoure, Tom	3	17	1751
Kahl, Larry	0	0	1744
Kapostasy, Tom	0	0	3388
Keller, Cecilia	56	300	5698
Keller, Joe	33	182	2078
Kelley, Connie	1	4	162
Kendall, James	16	101	365
Kenny, Laura	5	29	46
Kestle, Lee	88	427	5807
Kestle, Michele	128	777	21358
Keutzer, Debbie	11	73	102
Khalil, Mike	282	2026	6440
Killian, Larita	0	0	38
Killion, Sarah	0	0	29
Killion, Tim	13	75	344
Kincaid, David	313	1713	21498
King, Jackie	72	360	1658
King, Mary Anne	0	0	0
Kinnaman, Rick	209	1382	27795
Kinney, Ashley	0	0	904
Kirchhoff, Steve	57	296	423
Kirst, Herbert	0	0	20
Kleber, Sandra	58	312	1420
Klusman, Sharon	13	61	1472
Klusman, Steve	10	48	1279
Kohlmeyer, Marthene	47	201	7059
Kollmeyer, David M.	10	54	460
Kothe, Judy	3	18	1442
Kothe, Kristin	1	4	272
Koziol, Dolores	0	0	860
Kraatz, Linda	1	6	46
Kriz, Bob	58	237	3390
Kumcu, Emine	1	237	11
LaBonte, Jerry	5	27	38
LaBonte, Paula	5	27	38
	0	27	30
Lacy, Janet		161	
Ladd, Mary	31		5226
Ladd, Tom	6	30	272

LaFlower, Petra	7	40	75
Lang, Mary	181	1165	13553
Larmore, Nancy	1	3	3750
Larrison, Nell	0	0	9324
Larson, Carol	77	429	6857
Lavagnino, Ed	16	425 64	3134
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Lavagnino, Peggy	104	540	11058
Lawler, Pat			45
Lay, Kathy	6	30	
Layman, Bob	98	523	10025
Layman, Mary Ann	109	580	12744
Lester, Mary	82	472	24456
Lewis, Judi	1	15	955
Lewis, Ned	30	148	449
Lindley, George	0	0	137
Lindsay, Doug	0	0	0
Litten, Julie	106	1156	13242
Loehr, Mary Anne	2	10	95
Long, Susie	28	149	219
Loser, Ruth Ann	62	366	6084
Lybrook, Polly	16	184	830
Lyghtel, John	83	447	7509
Lyghtel, Kathy	16	65	3869
Lyle, Charlotte	28	179	5012
Maas, Judith	80	445	2000
MacDonald, Tena	31	166	492
Maki Kapostasy, Sue	0	0	265
Mannan, Golam	7	46	2047
Mannan, Susan	0	0	455
Mansouri, Soheila	2	14	239
Maschino, Beth	41	196	2345
Mathew, Tammy	13	65	82
Maurer, Donna	62	481	7192
Mayfield, Cathy	8	52	1246
McBride, Judy	0	0	6
McClure, Sylvia	32	184	243
McCord, Christine	0	0	0
McCoy, Tom	3	13	47
McFall, Jill	182	1134	32688
McFarland, Reba	42	252	3343
McGlothlin, Linda	42	252	276
McKay, Hank	0	202	2222
McLaughlin, Sandy	37	202	3233
McLinn, Diana E	0	0	0
McNeely, Barbie	7	39	3555
McNeely, Susanne	70	343	4026

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Mejaski, Joe	2	13	70
Mendez, Michael	0	0	383
Merold, John	1	6	32
Merrion, Duke	7	34	678
Merrion, Sandy	7	34	659
Meyer, Elizabeth	23	114	562
Michael, John	0	0	939
Michael, Richard	6	59	730
Miller, Barb	21	84	268
Miltz, Jenny	5	25	49
Mitzel, Carolyn	28	145	2372
Moor, Marilyn	8	101	118
Moore, Emily	0	0	21
Moore, John	7	90	3436
Moore, Paula	0	0	1342
Moore, Ronald	0	0	1357
Moore, Rozalind	0	0	1858
Morlock, Helen	0	0	193
Mueller, Shameron	0	0	2163
Murray, Mary Kay	0	0	0
Mutzl, Ellen	40	255	10008
Mutzl, Ron	42	313	12149
Neal, Lucy	30	196	12960
Nicola, Uschi	62	323	1574
Niedenthal, Susan	0	0	195
Nitz, Christine	2	11	847
Nitz, Lothar	20	97	1202
Norton. Paul	0	0	10
O'Brien, Dave	0	0	36
O'Brien, Lynn	0	0	64
O'Connor, Bonnie	0	0	1776
O'Grady, Peg	1	6	12
Oldfather, Dale	10	49	54
Oldfather, Helen	10	51	86
O'Malia, Cindy	3	15	47
Oomkes, Yvonne	41	202	559
Overman, Jim	0	0	139
Overman, Monica	0	0	112
Overton, Shirley	5	17	6053
Ovlyakuliev, Ata	5	29	155
Owen, Martina	49	248	331
Ozbun, Donna	51	205	3617
Parker, Mick	45	421	2293
Parnell, Elizabeth	8	49	233
Parnell, Katheryn	13	58	890
Paxson, Karen	9	66	1663
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Pearcy, Neal	42	171	568
Pearson, Anita	3	15	986
Peck, Carla	1	6	115
Pennes , David	0	0	86
Peyton, Donna	133	743	2353
Pike, Judy	15	76	165
Pogue, June	26	133	10339
Pogue, Russ	20	103	4694
	52		1279
Polk, Anne		261	
Polk, Ted	1	4	21
Povinelli, Anthony	0	0	1279
Povinelli, Frank	35	137	223
Povinelli, Narcisso	74	395	6417
Pratt, Gary	4	20	163
Price, Phill	41	223	274
Prosser, Loring	12	44	913
Quarto, Jackie Lee	6	15	4791
Quarto, Tom	6	20	1752
Radke, Carol	133	480	8882
Ramey, Kae	163	1138	8581
Ray, Theresa	50	523	1224
Reardon, Mary Carol	0	0	0
Reichl, Doug	0	0	60
Reinhold, Chris	0	0	63
Reinhold, Michelle	0	0	2946
Rench, Jim	50	321	3673
Richardson, Cindy	11	61	1297
Richardson, Laurel	0	0	34
Ritchie, Jerry	15	66	393
Roberts, Allan	264	1935	36105
Roberts, Jeff	2	9	831
Roberts, Susan	22	129	4141
Roberts, Tish	37	245	1178
Robinson, Elizabeth	17	57	1087
Robinson, Gary	0	0	51
Robinson, Jim	16	55	1786
Robinson, Judy	29	147	934
Robinson, Sue	0	0	51
Roesch, Terry	75	462	5827
Roesch, Tom	69	363	3737
Rogers, Kathy	2	10	372
Rosing, Debra	13	75	81
Rothenberger, Susan	3	15	15
Rucker, Lillian	5	27	921
Sandman, Sally	41	172	1758
Schappa, Kathy	11	68	79

Cabanna Milia	11	60	70
Schappa, Mike	11	68	79
Schimmelpfennig, Hal	0	0	671
Schlechte, John	39	209	225
Schlechte, Konnie	37	195	211
Schneider, Janet	13	95	133
Schneider, Virlee	4	23	1117
Schroeder, Cindy	3	13	36
Schubert, Kristina	1	5	13
Schultz, Michael	12	144	707
Schuster, Donna	57	331	931
Scull, Nick	0	0	1156
Seach, Esta	0	0	21
Sebree, Ken	0	0	222
Sebree, Nancy	0	0	187
Seeman, Cherie	71	362	1635
Seeman, Mike	227	1294	4986
Selby, Janet	0	0	304
Selby, Ron	0	0	35
Sergi, June	72	367	6007
Sexson, Richard	0	0	554
Sharp, Wayne R	13	72	80
Sherow, Douglas	1	6	462
Shipman, Mike	0	0	17
Shipman, Nancy	0	0	17
Shookman, Betty	70	168	6025
Short, Phil	43	199	9570
Shoufler, Barb	113	690	8392
Shoufler, Jim	120	757	9448
Showley, Lori	17	113	360
Sievers, Larry	8	51	554
Sievers, Susan	48	289	2395
Singh, Sukhbir	0	0	7318
Singh, Umi	0	0	11
Slaughter, Charlotte	3	10	3542
Slaughter, Phil	1	2	7342
Smith, Katy	125	759	4517
Smith, Kaye	0	0	1047
Smith, Phil	211	1277	3930
Smolecki, Cheryl	28	163	4408
Snyder, Leslie	8	39	102
Snyder, Will	0	0	268
Spaans, Barbara	0	0	82
Spreckelmeyer, Ella	114	590	1867
Stapp, Lisa	0	0	128
Starzyk, Jo Anne	198	1217	4149
Stegerman, Louise	17	106	700

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Stephens, Denny	0	0	19
Stephens, Macie	0	0	5748
Sterne, Art	1	5	880
Stevens, Jan	0	0	1805
Stockelman, Tom	0	0	77
Strite, Barb	50	238	1157
Sullivan, Diana	0	0	61
Sumner, Sandy	0	0	70
Swander, Jan	6	52	924
Taht, Christine	0	0	116
Tanaka, Deirdre	0	0	0
Tarr, Steve	6	36	89
Tate, Nanette	58	338	8562
Tharpe, Cathy	7	85	98
Theobald, Jon S.	0	0	32
Theobald, Pat	0	0	2808
Thomas, Cathy	10	52	740
Thomas, Gary	0	0	31
Thurston, Joe	11	60	366
Thurston, Lynn	52	294	5189
Tilden, Marsha	0	0	17
Timberman, Judy	0	0	1746
Tollefson, Brad	4	23	3207
Tollefson, Susan	6	34	1559
Torrence, Judy	46	321	3517
Touch-Werner, Jeren	11	64	259
Travison, Linda	0	0	56
Trice, Debora	4	20	30
Triplett, John	57	286	1339
Tumey, Gloria	7	39	1591
Turner, Charles	60	495	4141
Turner, Sandy	10	43	43
Uliana, Ann	94	516	3632
Uliana, Anthony	91	496	3801
Underwood, Dick	49	229	7290
VanDeMark, Sheryl	28	219	760
Viernes, Caroline	3	18	35
Viernes, John	1	6	23
Voege, Cherie	253	1339	23922
Voege, Richard	26	112	4671
Voehringer, Scott	6	35	40
Vonnegut, Richard	5	24	2006
Vorndran, Angie	0	0	10
Wagoner, Betty	2	7	282
Waller, Patty	0	0	61
Ward, Avis Shipman	0	0	11576
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Wilson, Allen	29	143	223
Wilson, Shirley	17	89	173
Wise, Danny	3	17	17
Wise, Kathie	3	17	17
Wissel, Jan	0	0	13
Witcher, Debbie	0	0	196
Wooden, Reba	0	0	8048
Wright, Ed	197	1178	19365
Wright, Elaine	61	331	7776
Wright, Linda	82	446	6270
Wyss, Rory	116	719	7827
Yager, Kathleen	14	81	406
Zappia, Linda	1	13	5229
Zauner, Mag	4	7	597
Zimmerman, Karen	51	316	2400
Zimmerman, Larry	7	39	915

Listed below are the new members who were voted into the Club this year:

Member Name

Hikes Miles Total Joined

Member Name

Hikes Miles Total Joined

Barnes, Steve	0	5	5	Oct
Burton, Carol	3	18	38	Oct
Gambrel, Charlotte	4	24	36	Oct
Hickman, Carolyn	14	67	82	Oct
Lindsay, Doug	0	0	0	Oct
Reardon, Mary Carol	0	0	0	Oct
Watson, Michael	39	253	259	Oct
Wise, Danny	3	17	17	Oct
Wise, Kathie	3	17	17	Oct
Arie, Denise	35	168	168	Nov
Broxton, Andrea	0	5	18	Nov
Burrow, Sandy	7	38	49	Nov
Fillenwarth, Joyce	3	15	20	Nov
Flatt, Tom	34	204	216	Nov
Hawkins, Susan	2	7	15	Nov
Huber, Monica	19	105	125	Nov
Jones, Chris	52	426	442	Nov
McGlothlin, Linda	49	270	276	Nov
Swander, Jan	6	52	924	Nov
Voehringer, Scott	6	35	40	Nov
Kraatz, Linda	0	6	46	Dec
Rothenberger, Susan	3	15	15	Dec
Moor, Marilyn	8	101	118	Jan
Rosing, Debra	13	75	81	Jan
Schlechte, John	39	209	225	Jan
Schlechte, Konnie	37	195	211	Jan
Sharp, Wayne R	13	72	80	Jan
Viernes, Caroline	3	18	35	Jan

Viernes, John	0	6	23	Jan
Anderson, Megan	9	44	49	Feb
Hanson, Tammy	12	69	88	Feb
LaBonte, Jerry	5	27	38	Feb
LaBonte, Paula	5	27	38	Feb
Lay, Kathy	6	30	45	Feb
O'Grady, Peg	0	6	12	Feb
Oldfather, Dale	10	49	54	Feb
Dillingham, Dorcas	6	29	37	Mar
Elliott, Melina	0	0	5	Mar
Bishop. Marilyn Durst	0	6	24	Apr
Curtiss, David	0	0	77	Apr
Curtiss, Dianne	0	0	77	Apr
Daugherty, Jamie	14	100	135	Apr
Howe, David	0	0	44	Apr
Howe, Therese	0	0	111	Apr
Murray, Mary Kay	0	0	0	Apr
Pike, Judy	15	76	165	Apr
Shipman, Mike	0	0	17	Apr
Shipman, Nancy	0	0	17	Apr
Davis, Darlisa	2	11	31	May
Force, Linda	12	62	95	May
Hansen, Judie	14	70	70	May
Trice, Debora	4	20	30	May
Turner, Sandy	10	43	43	May
Brewer, Jeff	0	8	14	Jun
Brewer, Peggy	2	13	36	Jun
Grew, Debbie	24	159	225	Jun

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Kenny, Laura	5	29	46	Jun
Schappa, Kathy	11	68	79	Jun
Schappa, Mike	11	68	79	Jun
Seach, Esta	0	0	21	Jun
Tarr, Steve	6	36	89	Jun
Brewster, Jeff	4	22	32	Jul
Brewster, Kathi	12	73	107	Jul
Huesing, Bernie	7	22	147	Jul
Miltz, Jenny	5	25	49	Jul

Mathew, Tammy	13	65	82	Jul
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Good, Ric	2	13	35	Aug
Helton, Cindy	9	56	81	Sep
Hill, Geertje	0	0	20	Sep
Kumcu, Emine	0	6	11	Sep
LaFlower, Petra	7	40	75	Sep
Merold, John	0	6	32	Sep
O'Malia, Cindy	3	15	47	Sep

Listed below are children (under the age of 18) who hiked:

Name

Hikes Miles Total

Alley, Tristen	1	12	12
Atherton, Brandon	1	5	5
Bender, Matthew	1	2	2
Burton, Petra	2	11	22
Burton, Sasha	5	27	38
Chamberlain, Evan	1	5	27
Cohen, Finn	1	5	5
Cohen, Teagan	1	5	5
Dave, Sneha	1	10	10
Gorney, Zach	2	10	18
Griffitts-Cohen, Sophie	1	12	12
Heid, Chantz	1	5	78
Jordan, Jenna	2	6	15
Jordan, Jilian Michele	1	2	12
Jordan, Spencer	1	2	2

Krelic, Faye	1	6	6
Krelic, Milla	1	6	6
Lawler, Thad	1	4	4
Lee, Karinne	1	8	10
Lee, Micah	3	28	54
Litten, Madyn	1	7	117
Lory, Josiah	1	4	4
Miles, Kennedee	1	2	5
Rayapureddi, Avani	1	2	2
Rayapureddi, Indira	1	2	2
Riester, Joe	1	5	5
Rode, Savannah	1	3	3
Shragal, Camden	1	5	19
Shragal, Casey	2	11	37
Wilson, Joshua	2	11	38

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