

INDIANAPOLIS HIKING CLUB

April, 1960

Sunday, April 3 -- Purdue University Campus

Meet at east side of State House at 10:00 A.M. and we will proceed to the Purdue campus. We will reassemble at the main entrance to the Union Building at 1:30 P.M., after everyone has had a chance to eat lunch. (Bring cold lunch or eat in nearby restaurant.) We will hike around the campus area and visit points of interest. We will make arrangements to have our evening meal in a good restaurant in that area. Leader: Walter Handy, ME 1-3230.

Sunday, April 10 -- Ravenswood Area

Meet at Broad Ripple Park auto lot at 2:00 P.M. From there we will proceed to 67th Street and N. Keystone, where the actual hiking will start. We hope to catch spring in full bloom and witness some very picturesque scenery in a hiking area new to the club. Don't miss this one. Leader: Mary Grosskopf, CL 5-3332.

Sunday, April 17 -- Lake Sullivan

Meet at 2:00 P.M. 30th Street and White River shelter. Enjoy your Easter Sunday afternoon hiking around the Lake Sullivan. The flowers and other foliage should be in full bloom by this time. Feed some of your superfluous Easter candy to the ducks. This will be a relaxing hike. Leader: Ruth Thomson, FL 7-1059.

Saturday and Sunday, April 23-24 -- McCormick's Creek Week End

If you have not made your reservation for our overnight hike at McCormick's Creek State Park, do so immediately, since the number of persons we can accommodate is limited. Campers will be assigned to cabins in groups of four to six, each group being responsible for working out meals and transportation arrangements. Bring along your own bedding and eating utensils. The spring overnight is something we always look forward to during the long winter months. Don't miss it. Those who find it impossible to stay overnight might be interested in coming out Sunday morning. If so, please contact hike leader so that we can make arrangements for transportation. Leader: Dave Weeden, ST 6-9583.

Sunday, May 1 -- Hike near Oolitic, Indiana

Meet at 10:00 A.M. at east side of State House. Proceed to Bloomington via Road 37, meeting again at the Monon Railroad Depot at 11:30 A.M. From the depot we will proceed to Oolitic and the hiking area. A cave trip is in store for those who feel up to it, while the less vigorous group will do their exploring above ground. Bring food for a noon lunch and water and food for an evening cookout. For further information contact Frances Ellison, ME 5 -0331.

Memorial Day Week End Camp, May 28-30 -- Happy Hollow Camp

For those who might have missed last month's bulletin, we are planning a three day week end at Sleepy Hollow Camp in Brown County. This will be a good opportunity to get away from the helter skelter of the city and enjoy a long week end of fishing, swimming, boating, hiking, eating and sleeping. The cost of reserving the camp will be Two Dollars per camper. Cooking will be done in a central dining hall, with the actual cost of the food pro-rated among the campers. Reservations should be sent as soon as possible to: Dave Weeden, 6330 Manker Road, Indianapolis 27, Indiana.

To: Mr. Walter Handy, 1234 N. Parker Avenue, Indianapolis 1, Indiana

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Sunday, May 1 -- Cave Trip (For members and invited guests)

Meet at 10:00 A.M. at east side of State House. Proceed to Bloomington by Road 37 or 67, meeting at the Bloomington bus station at 11:30 A.M. From there we shall go to Sullivan's Cave near Oolitic. Bring a cold lunch and food for an evening cook-out. Be sure to bring a flashlight with extra batteries, extra pair of old pants and shoes, old cap and gloves. For those not wishing to explore the "underworld" there will be an above ground hike in the vicinity of the cave. Leader: Chip Phillips, AT 3-7891.

Sunday, May 8 -- Spring Mill State Park

Meet at 10:00 A.M. at east side of State House. Proceed via Road 37 to the park, meeting at campgrounds at 12:00 noon. Bring food for a noon cook-out. There are many inviting trails to be explored, and the Pioneer Village is very quaint and interesting. You might wish to take home a bag of freshly ground corn meal. For those who would be interested in camping out overnight, contact the leader: Carl Hofer, ME 8-6208.

Wednesday, May 11 -- Business and Social Meeting (For members and invited guests)

Meet at 7:30 P.M. in Friendship Room, American Fletcher National Bank, 2829 N. Meridian. Following a short business meeting, members will show several of their best slides taken on our hikes. You may see yourself as others see you. Refreshments will be served. (Anyone having good slides to show at this meeting is asked to call Gertrude Noecker, FL 9-2572) Presiding officer: Bob Murray, ME 8-8615.

Sunday, May 15 -- Fall Creek Hike

Meet at Standard Life Insurance Company, 27th and Washington Blvd., at 2:00 P.M. We will hike along Fall Creek Boulevard to Keystone and return by way of Sutherland Avenue. No cook-out. Leaders: Maaike and Maryke Visser. For information call Frances Ellison, ME 5-0331.

Sunday, May 22 -- Mary Gray Bird Sanctuary

Meet at 10:00 A.M. at east side of State House and proceed to Rushville (US. 52), meeting on the north side of the Court House at 11:30 A.M. From there we will travel 12 miles east on Road 44 to the Bird Sanctuary. Bring food for a noon cook-out. This is a very beautiful spot this time of year, with many varieties of flowers in bloom. Bring your camera and color film. Leaders: Mrs. Lulu Ellison and family, ME 5-0331.

May 28-30 -- Three day weekend in Happy Hollow Camp, Brown County

Individual cabins will accommodate 6-8 persons. A cost of \$2.00 per person (\$1.00 per night) for use of the cabins. Food costs will be prorated among the campers and a single menu will be provided in the central dining hall. There will be swimming, boating, fishing, hiking, games square dancing and other activities. Be sure to make reservations by May 15th or before, by writing Dave Weeden, 6330 Manker Road, Indianapolis 27, Indiana, or calling ST 6-9583. Our host and leader for the week end is Bob Murray, ME 8-8615.

Sunday, June 5 -- Geist Reservoir

Meet at 1:00 P.M. at the east side of the State House. Proceed to Geist Reservoir where we will meet at the boathouse parking lot at 1:30 P.M. This will be a long hike, in response to many requests from some of our oldtimers who are interested in getting some of the cobwebs out of their systems. We will cover 8 to 10 miles and still get home in time for dinner. Leader: Dave Weeden, ST 6-9583.