



THE INDIANAPOLIS HIKING CLUB
(Happiness - A Step at a Time)

SCHEDULE FOR JUNE AND JULY, 1977

(PLEASE: NO PETS ON HIKES)

- JUN 5 VERSAILLES STATE PARK - Allow about 2 hours driving time from Indianapolis. Take I-74 southeast to the Greensburg exit. Then follow U.S. #421 south to Versailles, and go east on U.S. 50 about 2 miles to the entrance to the State Park. There will be an entrance fee. Follow the park road up the steep hill to the main picnic parking area. Hike to start at 2:00 P.M. About 6 miles - some hilly and rugged - possibly down a creek bed. Leader: Bill Larrison (359 7538)
- JUN 12 RILEY TRAIL - Allow 1 hour driving time. Take I-70 east to S.R. #9, and turn north to Maxwell. Go 2 blocks north of Road 500-N on S.R. 9 to Maxwell Middle School parking lot. Hike to start at 9:30 A.M. SHARP!! due to need for a car shuttle. Bring trail lunch and water for 12 miles of moderate hiking. Be prepared to wade a stream and cross many fences on trail. A Trail fee of 50¢ or a package deal of patch and fee of \$1.75 will be collected. Leaders: Clifton Hoard (896 2129) and John Behrmann (545 0293)
- JUN 19 SHADES STATE PARK - Allow about 1-½ hour driving time. Take I-74 west to the Jamestown exit. Go into Jamestown and then follow #234 west to the Shades Park entrance. Assemble in the parking area near the picnic area at 2:15 P.M. for about 5 miles of moderate hiking. Admission charge to the Park. Leader: Harrison Feldman (251 0562)
- JUN 26 MCCORMICK'S CREEK STATE PARK - Allow 1-½ hours travel time. Take SR #67 south to Spencer. Turn east on SR #46 and go a couple of miles to the Park entrance. There will be an admission fee. Hike to start at 2:00 P.M. Assemble in the parking area near Canyon Inn. About 5 to 6 miles of moderate hiking. Leader: Odie Cassetty (244 9913)
- JUL 3 WHITE RIVER - CANAL - Meet at the parking lot over the canal in Broad Ripple on Westfield Blvd. just east of College Ave. Hike will begin at 2:00 P.M. 5 miles - easy. Leader: George MacLean (896 5769)
- JUL 10 ANNUAL HIKING CLUB PICNIC - (For members and their invited guests only)
PLACE: CONSERVATION BIRD DOG CLUB (Near Amo, Ind.) Directions: Take U.S. #40 West through Plainfield to Belleville (about 5 miles west of Plainfield). Continue on #40 west about 4 miles past Belleville to a Yellow Flasher Light. Turn north (right) and go about 2 miles to a "T" intersection. Turn left and go about 3 miles to Amo. In Amo turn right (north) and go across the railroad tracks and continue north about a mile to a fork where you turn left and continue about three fourths of a mile to the Conservation Club Grounds. Plan to arrive about 2:00 P.M. Bring food to contribute to our old-fashioned pitch-in dinner about 4:00 or 4:30 P.M. PLEASE USE ICE CHEST TO PROTECT YOUR FOOD FROM THE HEAT. Also bring your own table service and drinks. Bring your favorite outdoor games and perhaps a folding chair or two.
- JUL 17 RING OF TREES TRAIL - SOUTHWESTWAY PARK - Take U.S. 31 south to I-465 and then go west to Mann Road exit. Go south on Mann Road to Southwestway Park (about 4 miles) and assemble in the golf course parking lot. (NOTE: For those coming from the west on I-465 there is no exit for Mann Road. Those people should continue to SR #37 exit south and go south to Southport Road. Then turn right (west) across the river to Mann Road and then south to the golf course parking lot. Hike to start at 2:30 P.M. 5 miles of easy hiking. Leaders: Grace & Joe Breimeir (787 8002)
- JUL 24 SOUTHEASTWAY PARK - Go southeast on I-74 to the Pleasant View exit. Turn left at the "T" in town and go 1/2 mile to the parking lot of the bank. Hike to start at 2:00 P.M. About 5 miles - easy. Leaders: Alois & Dora Buehler (786 0380)

- JUL 31 BLATCHLEY NATURE STUDY CLUB WOODS - Take SR #37 north to Noblesville. Meet in Noblesville on the east side of the Court House at 1:45 P.M. We will hike from here to the Club Woods. About 5 miles - easy. Leader: Vic Knarr (773-3149)
- AUG 7 FALL CREEK - Go northeast on Fall Creek Parkway to Keystone Avenue. Park in the Town and Country shopping center parking area near Tuchman Cleaners. Hike to start at 2:00 P.M. 5 to 6 miles - easy. Leader: Harrison Feldman (251-0562)

Please welcome the following new members voted in on April 21, 1977 and on May 21, 1977.

4/21	Ed & Mary White	6525 So. Lawndale Ave.	46241	856 4689
4/21	Marylin & Ronald Peterson	12144 Briarway, So. Drive	46259	862 3554
5/21	Betty Karen	1224 Nicholas Road	46220	255 8976
5/21	Fred Whipple	9115 Bryant Court #3A	46250	842 2206

The club extends its sympathy to Gene Waltz, whose father passed away recently.

Frank Thompson had foot surgery recently. Hope he is able to get on the trail soon!

FUTURE EVENTS: The club has reserved rooms at NATURAL BRIDGE STATE PARK in Kentucky for the Labor Day Weekend. Reservation and details with the next bulletin

Also we have reserved Camp Riley in Bradford Woods for our joint meeting with the Louisville Hiking Club on October 8, 1977.

PLEASE SHARE CAR EXPENSES: For people who ride with others and desire to help out with the cost of gas, the suggested donation is 2-1/2¢ per mile from each rider if there are 1 or 2 passengers. And 2¢ per mile from each if there are 3 or more passengers.

For further information about the Indianapolis Hiking Club, the membership chairman is Win Pulsifer, 6364 Bryan Drive, Indianapolis, Ind. 46227. Applicants for membership in the club must be 18 or over, and have participated in at least 2 hikes. Application forms may be obtained from leaders on hikes, or from Win Pulsifer. Be sure that it is signed by a club member before turning it in.

SPECIAL NOTICE: We should be getting our name tags soon, after quite a long wait, because of family sickness in our supplier's family. If you don't receive yours soon, please let Bill Larrison know. (This is for all of you who have waited for several months.)