



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

(SCHEDULE FOR AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER, 1981)

(PLEASE - NO PETS ON HIKES)

- AUG 8-9 These hikes are in the same vicinity. Some people are planning to camp at the Park.
(SATURDAY) TIPPECANOE RIVER STATE PARK - Allow 3 hours for travel. Take US 31 north to Rochester. Go west on SR 14 to Winamac. Then go north on US 35 about 4½ miles to the Park entrance. (NOTE: The above directions are suggested since US 35 is closed south of Winamac, and SR 29 may also be closed). There will be an entrance fee. Continue in the Park about 1.5 miles to the picnic parking area. Assemble at 11:00 AM for an easy 8 to 10 mile hike. Lunch may be left in the car. Bring insect repellent. Leader: Jerry Smith (255-6012).
(SUNDAY) WINAMAC STATE FISH AND WILDLIFE AREA - Follow the directions above to the entrance to Tippecanoe River State Park, but continue north on US 35 for 0.7 mile to the entrance of the fish and wildlife area. Turn left at the entrance and go 1.5 miles to the ranger station parking area. Meet at 10:00 AM for an easy hike of 8 to 10 miles. Lunch may be left in the car. Be sure to bring drinking water since none is available at the fish and wildlife area. Insect repellent is advised. Leader: Jerry Smith (255-6012)
- AUG 15-16 These hikes are in the same area of the state. Some are planning to camp at the state forest. If you decide to join in the camping be sure to bring all the water you will need, since there is none in this primitive campground.
(SATURDAY) OWEN-PUTNAM STATE FOREST - Take SR 67 south to the junction with US 231. Turn right (north) and go 2.5 miles to Carp. Make a U-turn left back south onto the county road. (Follow the Owen-Putnam Primitive Camp signs.) Go 0.5 mile, turn right and go 3.3 miles west to one mile beyond the stop sign in Cuba. Turn right across a wooden bridge and continue straight ahead (north) for three miles, across three fords, to the primitive campground. Meet at 10:00 AM for a moderate 11 mile hike. Bring lunch and water. No water is available at the campground. Leaders: Bob and Marge Begeman (359-4174).
(SUNDAY) MCCORMICK'S CREEK STATE PARK - Take SR 67 south to Spencer. Turn east onto SR 46, and go a couple of miles to the park entrance. There will be an entrance fee. Assemble in the parking area near the swimming pool and the Redbud Shelter at 1:30 PM for a moderate hike of 5 to 6 miles. Leaders: Win & Mary Pulsifer (784-1835).
- AUG 23 MARY GRAY BIRD SANCTUARY - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel time. Take SR 52 southeast to Rushville, then east on SR 44 from Rushville about 11 miles to a small sign on the right for Mary Gray (WATCH CLOSELY FOR SIGN). Turn right on 525W and go south to a "T". Turn left and go a short distance to 450W. Turn right and go south about 2 miles to the entrance on the right. Assemble in the parking lot at 1:00 PM for 2 easy hikes, one of about 10 miles, and one of about 5 miles. Leader: Bill Larrison (359-7538).
- AUG 26 (WEDNESDAY) WHITEWATER CANAL STATE MEMORIAL - Allow 1-1/2 hours for travel. Take US 52 southeast to Metamora. Turn right, go into the town, and meet in the Memorial parking lot on Clayborne Street. There will be an easy three mile hike starting at 1:30 PM. Options following the hike include a ride on a horse-drawn canal boat (50¢) and a visit to the restored mill. Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439).
- AUG 30 HOLIDAY LAKE - Allow 1-1/2 hours driving time. Take I-74 west to the Jamestown exit. Take SR 234 west from Jamestown to SR 231. Go north on SR 231 for 2 miles. (From here you can follow small green Lake Holiday signs.). Turn left, go west through New Market, across SR 47, and go 1.4 miles further. Then turn right (north) and go 1 mile to the Lake Holiday office. Meet at 2:00 PM for 4 to 5 miles easy hike. Leader: Vic Knarr (773-3149)

- SEP 5, 6, and 7 LABOR DAY WEEKEND AT BURR OAK PARK - (For members and their invited guests only)
The reservation was previously mailed to the members. For any additional information please contact Bill Larrison (359-7538). PLEASE REMEMBER - THE PARK IS IN OHIO AND IS ON EASTERN DAYLIGHT TIME - (ONE HOUR AHEAD OF US). It is suggested that those of who have reservations, please plan to arrive about noon. The first hike will be about 2:00 PM Saturday.
- SEP 6 (SUNDAY) LOWER FALL CREEK - For those not going on the overnight, there will be an easy 5 mile hike starting at 2:00 PM. Meet at the Town & Country Shopping Center, near Tuchman Cleaners, 4401 North Keystone. Leader: Bob McConnell (898-4792).
- SEP 10 (THURSDAY EVENING) GENERAL ASSEMBLY, ELECTION OF OFFICERS. - (This is for members and their invited guests only). Meet at 7:30 PM in Fellowship Hall of the Covenant Presbyterian Church at 2305 N. Kitley. (Park in the rear and enter from the parking lot) DIRECTIONS: Kitley is 6500 east, midway between Arlington and Shadeland on 21st Street. Go north on Kitley from 21st to the second church on the right. There will be a short business meeting and the annual election of officers. The nominating committee is presenting the following slate of candidates for the club officers for the year beginning October 1, 1981. PRESIDENT: Frank Thompson. VICE-PRESIDENT: Hazel Morrison. SECRETARY: Shirley Plunkett. TREASURER: Gene Waltz. PATHFINDER: Marsha Hutchins. DIRECTORS: Tom Patterson, Jim Jones, Win Pulsifer, Bob McConnell.
The incoming President will announce his appointed officers.
Further nominations may be made from the floor if properly moved and seconded. All persons nominated from the floor must be present at the meeting.
After the election, the program for the evening will be presented by SCOTT GAALAAS, Physical Director for the East Side YMCA on the subject "THE GREATEST GIFT". Refreshments will be served.
- SEP 12 (SATURDAY) TRAIL WORK ON THE KNOBSTONE TRAIL - This is not a regular scheduled hike and no mileage will be kept track of. This is a volunteer program on the part of anybody in the club interested in doing construction work on the Knobstone Trail, and if you are interested please contact Pat Fox at 897 8247. Tools and instructions will be issued at the site, about 100 miles south of Indianapolis. In order to coordinate this with the Department of Natural Resources, it is very important that Pat Fox know by September 5th, the number of people involved from the Hiking Club.
- SEP 13 MADISON HISTORIC HIKE - Allow 2-1/2 hours for travel. Take I-74 southeast. Then take US 421 through Greensburg and south into downtown Madison. Go straight past the courthouse for one block to the parking lot at Jefferson and Second streets. Don't feed the meters since it is unnecessary to do so on Sundays. Meet at 10:00 AM. We'll do 6 to 7 miles on riverfront streets, and sidewalks, with stops at several historic sites. We're also planning to visit two homes, and there will be small admission charges at each. Bring a trail lunch and water. Leaders: Norm & Martha Herin
(812 273-5059)
- SEP 19 (SATURDAY) BLUE SPRINGS CAVERNS - Guest leader for this hike will be Robert (Bugs) Armstrong. Allow 2 hours driving time. Meet at the Blue Springs Caverns parking lot at 11:00 AM for easy road hikes of 7 and 10 miles. Take SR 37 south to the junction with US 50 (about 1-1/2 miles south of Bedford). Go west on US 50 approximately 1-1/2 miles to the turnoff for Blue Springs Caverns, and follow the signs to the cave. Bring a trail lunch. At the end of the hikes, hikers will be shuttled back to the parking lot in an army duck. Group rates will be available for those who wish to stay afterwards for a boat ride of about 45 minutes in and out of the cave. Leader: Bob Pedigo (783-4071).
- SEP 20 GLENDALE TO CIRCLE - There will be hikes of 9 miles and 18-19 miles. Those who wish to do the shorter hike meet at the parking lot on the north side of the Statehouse at 7:30 AM to be shuttled to Glendale. Those who want to take the longer hike, assemble at the Glendale Shopping Center in the lot on the east side of Rural at 8:00 AM. Bring trail lunch and water for picnic in University Park. Leader: Tom Patterson
(849-9528)

- SEP 23 (WEDNESDAY) ELLENBERGER PARK - Meet at 10:00 AM in the swimming pool - skating rink parking lot in the 5400 block of East St. Clair for an easy 4 mile hike. Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439).
- SEP 26 (SATURDAY) YELLOWWOOD TRAIL - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Go south on SR 135 to Beanblossom. Turn left on the blacktop road opposite SR 45. Go 2.7 miles to the first gravel road on the right (Bear Wallow Road). Turn right and drive 0.9 miles to the top of the hill. Assemble at Trail Headquarters at 7:00 AM for a car shuttle. BE ON TIME!!! There will be a registration fee. A patch is available for this rugged 20 mile hike. Bring trail lunch and water. Leader: Charles Brunette (542-7846).
- SEP 27 (SUNDAY) FOUR LAKES HIKE - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel time. Take SR 37 south to about 4 miles south of Martinsville. Turn left at the sign for Morgan-Monroe State Forest. Go about 4 miles to the forest entrance. Turn left into the forest, and then immediately turn right and go to the parking lot for Bryant Creek Lake. Bring trail lunch and water. Moderate to rugged hikes of 7 and 14-15 miles will start at 10:00 AM. Leaders: (Long Hike) Ed Chambers (244-4554) and Peggy Franzen (546-3185). (Short Hike). Bill Larrison (359-7538).
- OCT 3 & 4 There will be three events this weekend. The two day-hikes are in the southern part of the state. Some people are considering camping or staying at the Inn at Spring Mill State Park. Contact the Thompsons (241-7154) for more information.
- (A) (SATURDAY) LINCOLN STATE PARK & LINCOLN BOYHOOD NATIONAL MEMORIAL - Take SR 37 south to just below Bedford. Go west on US 50 to Loogootee. Take US 231 south to near Gentryville. Then go east on SR 162 to the National Memorial (on the north side of the road). Assemble in the Visitor Center parking area before 10:45 AM. We will watch a film on Lincoln's Indiana boyhood and then take an 8 mile moderate hike. Bring a trail lunch. There will be a 25¢ walk-in fee to the State Park. Leaders: Frank & Wilma Thompson (241-7154).
- (B) (SUNDAY) SPRING MILL STATE PARK - Take SR 37 south to Mitchell. Then east on SR 60 to the park entrance. There will be an entrance fee. Meet in the Pioneer Village parking lot at 1:30 PM for 6-7 miles of moderate hiking. Leader: Fred Eckstein (996-2597)
- (C) (SATURDAY AND SUNDAY) BACKPACK IN HOOSIER NATIONAL FOREST - Be sure to contact Libby Moore (852-4717) for reservations and information about this backpack. Allow 2-1/2 hours travel time. Take SR 37 south to Bloomington. Then follow SR 46 east to the intersection with SR 446. Turn right and go about 12 miles. About 1/2 mile past the Hardin Ridge sign you will come to Tower Road on the left. Turn left and go about a mile on Tower Road to the Horseman Camp. Meet there at 11:00 AM on Saturday.

PLEASE WELCOME THE FOLLOWING NEW MEMBERS VOTED IN AT RECENT BOARD MEETINGS:

6/18	Harriet Holdgrafer	8931 Wickham Road	46260	846 2087
7/16	Janet Hernly	4736 N. Kenwood	46208	255 4910
7/16	Judy Owens	3502 N. Mission Dr.	46224	
7/16	Margaret Jean Owens	5634 Whitcomb Terrace, Apt A	46224	243 6911

CHANGES OF ADDRESS:

Jerry Smith	5348 C Rue De Ville	46220	255 6012
Tom and Dee Mahorney	11517 Lakeshore, West Dr., Carmel, In.	46032	
Janice James	7511 Dornock Drive	46227	
Dorothy Scheller	5825 Primrose	46220	257 2830
Barbara Freisner	410 N. Euclid	46201	353 1677

The Club extends its sympathy to Robin Ott, whose father passed away in June, and to Karleen Huneck, whose father passed away several months ago.

We understand that Barbara Freisner broke her leg or ankle at Washington Square recently. She is wearing a cast, but hopes to be back hiking by fall.

THE CLUB IS HAPPY TO RECOGNIZE AWARDS FOR MILEAGE, AS THE PRINCIPLE ACTIVITY IS HIKING.

2000 miles	Bob Begeman, Frank Thompson, Wilma Thompson
1500 miles	Fred Eckstein
500 miles	Bob McConnell
400 miles	Jerry Smith
300 miles	June Pogue
200 miles	Janice James, Judy Niedenthal, Joanne Reid
100 miles	Linda Elliott, Ron Craig, Norm Herin, Martha Herin, Alice Brink, Shirley Overton, Dolores Koziol.

WEDDING BELLS - The club has received an invitation to the wedding of Bonnie Wolfer and David E. McVey on August 1st, at the Chapel at F E Warren Air Force Base, near Cheyenne, Wyoming. Congratulations to Bonnie and her bridegroom, and we wish them much happiness.

DUES FOR THE YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 1981. The board of directors of the Indianapolis Hiking Club has decided that because of rising cost of postage and other printing expenses it is necessary to increase the dues. The dues for next year will be as follows: SINGLE \$4.00 FAMILY \$6.50 (2 people) (\$2.50 for each additional person in the same household over 18 who wants to be a member)

FUTURE OVERNIGHTS: Our October outing will be the weekend of October 31st at Waycross Camp in Brown County just north of Trevlac.

The February winter overnight will be at Hueston Woods in Ohio. on February 13, 1982.

Details and reservation supplements will be mailed later.

If you want more information about the Indianapolis Hiking Club, contact the membership officer, Marge Begeman, 1111 North Audubon Road, Indianapolis, In. 46219 (359-4174). Applicants for membership must be at least 18 years old, and have hiked in at least 2 club hikes as a guest.

***** ONLY 10¢ A HIKE *****

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