



The Indianapolis Hiking Club

Happiness - A Step at a Time

SCHEDULE FOR APRIL AND MAY 1986

PLEASE -- NO PETS ON HIKES

OUR 29TH YEAR OF SPONSORING OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES IN THE FORM OF HIKES AND OUTINGS

- X APR 8 (Tuesday) WHITERIVER PARKWAY - Each Tuesday in April, there will be a 4 & 8 mile self-guided hike, to begin at 5:45 PM. Park in the lot on White River Parkway, West Drive, just north of 30th street. (White River Parkway runs along the west side of White River) Leaders: Bob & Marge Begeman (359-4174).
- X APR 9 (Wednesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - Meet at 10:00 AM at the parking lot at the entrance off 56th street for an easy 6 to 8 mile hike. This hike will be repeated each Wednesday during April. Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439).
- X APR 12 (Saturday) CROSLY STATE FISH & WILDLIFE AREA - Take I-65 south to SR 46 east (Columbus exit) to SR 7 southeast through North Vernon. The fish & wildlife area is 5 miles south of North Vernon on SR 3. Allow 1-1/2 hours travel from I-465. Meet in the parking lot at 9:00 AM for hikes of approximately 9, 12, and 17 miles over gravel roads, trails, and some cross-country. There may be some wet and muddy areas. Bring trail lunch & water. Leader: Al Drehobl (898-3632).
- X APR 13 (Sunday) MUSCATATUCK NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE - Allow about 2 hours travel. Go south on I-65 to the US 50 East exit at Seymour. Go east on US 50 about 3 miles to the Muscatatuck entrance on the right. Assemble at the visitor center at 11:00 AM for hikes of 6, 11, or 15 miles. Those taking the longer hikes should bring trail lunch and water. Easy trails and roads. Leader: Bob Begeman (359-4174).
- X APR 15 (Tuesday) WHITE RIVER PARKWAY - See instructions for April 8
- X APR 16 (Wednesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for April 9
- APR 16 (Wednesday) WOMEN'S SOCIAL "GET-TOGETHER" Please refer to reservation form enclosed for those wishing to attend Beef and Boards Dinner Theater to see Carousel. Deadline for reservations is April 10, 1986
- X APR 19 & 20 (Saturday & Sunday) HEMLOCK CLIFFS BACKPACK - Allow approx. 3 hours travel. Meet at 10:00 AM for an easy backpack - 3 miles in and 3 miles out. A beautiful area with spring water and caverns, and hopefully spring wildflowers. Go south on SR 37 through Grantsburg to the Blue River (not marked). The bridge is a low concrete one, 1/2 mile south of Grantsburg. Turn right (west) on Union Chapel Road (may not be marked) the first road one mile south of the Blue River. Union Chapel Road will be just before the end of the new SR 37 road. If you get to I-64, turn around and go back north. Go 2.6 miles on the Union Chapel Road to a fork. Keep right on gravel road for 3.4 miles to second "Y". Hemlock Cliffs sign should be posted there. Keep right on small paved road to parking lot (old picnic area). Please call Bob or Marge Begeman for reservations for the backpack. DAYHIKERS welcome on Saturday with a minimum of 6 miles with longer options. Leaders: Bob & Marge Begeman (359-4174).
- X APR 19 (Saturday) WHITEWATER GORGE PARK - Meet at 9:00 AM for moderate hikes of 8 and 12 miles. Take I-70 east to Exit 151A (US 27 south) at Richmond, Ind. Turn right onto Waterfall Road. Proceed for about a mile and turn right into Whitewater Gorge - Springwood. Park in first parking area on left. Allow 1-1/2 - 2 hours travel. After the 8 mile gorge hike, Mabel Voyles will lead hikers around Earlham College. Bring lunch & Water for longer hike. Leaders: Frank & Wilma Thompson (241-7154).

- ✓ APR 20 (Sunday) CARMEL HIKE - Go north on US 31 (Meridian street) to 116th street and turn east, and go one block to Pennsylvania street. Turn left and park in the parking lot of the Meridian Park Office Complex for an easy hike of 7 miles starting at 1:00 PM. Leader: Jim Stern (844-3791).
- ✓ APR 22 (Tuesday) WHITE RIVER PARKWAY - See instructions for April 8.
- ✓ APR 23 (Wednesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for April 9.
- APR 23 (Wednesday) MEN'S SOCIAL GET-TOGETHER - Please refer to reservation form enclosed for those wishing to attend dinner and Golden Gloves finals.
- ✓ APR 26 (Saturday) PEA RIDGE - MORGAN MONROE - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Take SR 37 south to about 4 miles south of Martinsville. Turn left at the sign for Morgan-Monroe Forest. Go about 4 miles to the forest entrance. Turn left and drive to the fire tower parking lot. Meet at 9:00 AM for an 18 mile rugged hike. Bring trail lunch and water. Leader: Peggy Franzen (1-812-988-2461).
- NOTE: Ron Craig has reserved Draper's Cabin in Morgan-Monroe for those who want to stay over for Sunday's hike. This is a 19th century primitive cabin by reservation only. Please contact Ron Craig (255-6215) if you want a spot for either Friday night or Saturday night or both.
- APR 27 ✓ (Sunday) (A) POSSUM TROT WINERY - Follow directions for the April 26 hike. Meet at the fire tower at 9:00 AM for a moderate to rugged 18 mile hike. Bring trail lunch and water. Leader: Ron Craig (255-6215).
- ✓ (B) BUTLER UNIVERSITY AND TOWPATH - Meet at 2:00 PM in the parking lot east of the Library on Sunset avenue, just south of 46th street for easy hikes of 5 and 8 miles. Leader: Libby Moore (852-4717).
- ✓ (C) MARCH OF DIMES WALKATHON - Join the IHC team for the March of Dimes Walk America. The 25 kilometer (approx 16 miles) walk starts and finishes at the Indiana World War Memorial. Checkpoints along the route will have water, refreshments and restrooms. Each walker must obtain sponsors to pledge a set amount for each kilometer walked. (Suggested amount is 25¢). Anyone turning in \$50 or more by May 14 will earn a Walk America T-Shirt, and anyone earning \$100 or more will receive a commemorative Walk America Mug. Official registration will be at 8:30 AM the day of the walk. Walk to begin at 9:00 AM. Contact Bob Begeman (359-4174) no later than April 15th to sign up for the IHC team and receive your registration card. Mileage credit will be given for the walk, however the 10¢ hiking fee will not be collected for this particular event.
- ✓ APR 29 (Tuesday) WHITE RIVER PARKWAY - See instructions for April 8.
- ✓ APR 30 (Wednesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for April 9.
- ✓ MAY 3 (Saturday) ADVENTURE TRAIL - SOUTHERN ROUTE - WYANDOTTE WOODS - Take I-65 south to SR 311 south, then to I-265 and then I-64 west to the SR 135 exit at Corydon. Go south to SR 62 and go west to the sign for Wyandotte Woods. Meet at the campground "A" parking lot at 10:00 AM for hikes of 13 and 16 miles. There may be an admission fee. Bring trail lunch and water. For those wishing to stay overnight, modern camping is available at the campground. Primitive camping available nearby at the Stage Stop Campground on the Blue River. Motels are also in the area. Travel Time is 3 hours from I-465. Leader: Al Drehobl (898-3632).
- ✓ MAY 4 (Sunday) (A). ADVENTURE TRAIL - NORTHERN ROUTE - WYANDOTTE WOODS - Same directions as for May 3rd hike, except meet at the archery range. Hikes of 11 and 15 miles. Bring trail lunch and water. Leader: Al Drehobl (898-3632).
- ✓ (B). EAGLE CREEK PARK - Meet at 2:00 PM at the parking lot at the entrance off 56th street for an easy 5 to 6 mile hike. Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439).

- 4 MAY 6 (Tuesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - Assemble in the parking lot just inside the 56th street entrance for an easy hike of 5 miles starting at 10:00 AM. This hike will be repeated every Tuesday in May. Leader: Mary Pulsifer (784-1835).
- 4 MAY 7 (Wednesday) ELLENBERGER PARK - Meet at Ellenberger Park, 5400 East St. Clair, between 5:15 PM and 5:30 PM for a 4, 6, or 8 mile self-guided hike. This hike will be repeated each Wednesday in May. Leader: Ursula Breeding (359-8686).
- MAY 7 (Wednesday) WOMEN'S SOCIAL "GET TOGETHER". This includes dinner and/or roller skating. Please call Marge Begeman (359-4174) for details.
- MAY 8 (Thursday) GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND CLUB SOCIAL - (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, between Arlington and Shadeland. Go north on Kitley from 21st street to the second church on the right. There will be a short business meeting and a discussion of club activities. Dr. Ronald L. Banta, a podiatrist, will be the featured speaker discussing fitness.
- 4 MAY 10 (Saturday) OVERLOOK TRAIL - Allow 2-1/2 hours travel. Take I-65 south to Seymour exit (west). Go west on US 50 about 13 miles to Brownstown. Turn left on 250 and go 1.7 miles to the sign for the Overlook. Turn right and then almost immediately you will have to turn right again following the signs to No. 2 shelter house on the top of the ridge. Moderate hike of 8 to 9 miles will start at 10:30 AM. Bring lunch and water. Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439).
- 4 MAY 11 (Sunday) BROAD RIPPLE SURPRISE - Meet at 1:00 PM in the parking lot over the canal in Broad Ripple (on Westfield) just east of College for an easy 6 to 7 mile hike. Be prepared to cross 2 short railroad trestles. Leader: Jim Stern (844-3791).
- 4 MAY 13 (Tuesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for May 6
- 4 MAY 14 (Wednesday) ELLENBERGER PARK - See instructions for May 7
- MAY 14 (Wednesday) MEN'S SOCIAL GET-TOGETHER - This is for Indianapolis Indians baseball game and/or dinner. Please contact Jim Ernsting (876-9543) for details. (Note: 5:45 PM dinner to be at Olive Gardens, 5515 W. 38th St.)
- MAY 17 (Saturday) (A). STORY AND ENVIRONS - Woodland hike thru southern end of Brown County State Park and western edge of Nebo Ridge. This will be a rugged hike of 20 miles, with a 7 mile option, paced 2.5 to 3 miles per hour. Bring trail lunch and water. Take I-65 south to SR 46, then west to the entrance to Brown County State Park (admission fee). Go south through park, around Stahl Lake to the parking lot at the north end of the horsemen's camp. Meet at 9:00 AM. Alternate route: From SR 46, take SR 135 south approx. 10 miles to the entrance to the Horsemen's Camp and proceed north to the parking lot. Allow 2 hours travel time. Leader: Ron Craig (255-6215).
- 4 (B). UNION STATION - Meet at 9:15 AM at the front (north) entrance of Union Station for a guided tour of the station beginning at 9:30 AM. There will be no charge for the tour. Afterwards there will be a 2 mile hike downtown, ending at Union Station, where hikers will be free to experience the delights of the restored buildings at their leisure. Leader: Alberta Neill (634-7672).
- 4 MAY 18 (Sunday) SHADES STATE PARK - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Take I-74 west to Jamestown exit. Go through Jamestown and follow SR 234 west to the Park. (Fee). There will be a 5 to 6 mile hike at 9:00 AM and an 8 mile hike to begin at 1:00 PM. Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439).
- 4 MAY 20 (Tuesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for May 6
- 4 MAY 21 (Wednesday) ELLENBERGER PARK - See instructions for May 7

MAY 24, 25, and 26 (Saturday through Monday) MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND AT GNAWBONE CAMP. (This is for members and their invited guests only). The reservation supplement for the event is included with this mailing to the members. DAY HIKERS: If you want to come down and hike with us during the day, there is a \$1.00 daily service fee. Please notify Bill Larrison in advance if at all possible if you intend to day hike with us. We may be able to provide some meals for day hikers at regular camp prices. The tentative hike schedule for the weekend: 2:30 PM Saturday - 6 miles. 9:00 AM Sunday - 10 miles. 9:00 AM Monday - 6 to 7 miles. For more information please contact Bill Larrison (359-7538).

MAY 24, 25 and 26 (Saturday through Monday) LONG HIKERS SPECIAL - WHITEWATER BIKE ROUTE (NOTE: Meet at 7:00 AM each day for hikes of 19 miles on Saturday, 23 miles on Sunday, and 24 miles on Monday. Leader: Charles Brunette (542-1355).
(Saturday) Allow 2-1/4 hours travel. Take SR 52 to Rushville. Then SR 44 east to Liberty, and SR 101 south to Whitewater State Park. Meet on the entrance road to the park. 19 mile hike will be from Earlham to the park.
(Sunday) Meet in the same place as Saturday. 23 mile hike will be from the Park to Laurel, Indiana.
(Monday) Take US 52 west to SR 121 (2 miles east of Metamora), and go north on SR 121 to Laurel. Meet at the corner of Pearl and Washington in Laurel for 24 mile hike from Laurel to Liberty Park in Batesville.

MAY 26 (Monday) BROAD RIPPLE & MAROTT PARKS - Meet in the parking lot over the canal in Broad Ripple on Westfield Blvd., just east of College Ave., for a 7 mile hike beginning at 9:00 AM. Leader: Dorothy Field (253-7114).

MAY 27 (Tuesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for May 6

MAY 28 (Wednesday) ELLENBERGER PARK - See instructions for May 7

MAY 31 (Saturday) SOUTHERN HAMILTON COUNTY - Go north on Keystone Avenue to 126th street in Carmel. Go east on 126th for about 1-1/2 miles to Carmel/Clay Junior H.S. for an easy hike of 14 miles starting at 10:00 AM. Bring lunch and water. Leader: Jim Stern (844-3791).

JUN 1 (Sunday) MCCORMICK'S CREEK STATE PARK - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Take SR 67 south to Spencer. Turn east on SR 46 and go a few miles to the Park entrance. (Fee) Assemble in the parking area near the nature center at 1:00 PM for a moderate 8 to 10 mile hike. Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439).

JUN 3 (Tuesday) GARFIELD PARK - Each Tuesday in June there will be a 4 and 5 mile, self-guiding hike to begin at 5:45 PM. Park in the swimming pool parking lot at Garfield Park, at East Raymond and Pleasant Run Parkway. Leaders: Bob & Marge Begeman (359 4174)

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

2/20	Sai Y. Chang	8942 W. 81st St.	46278	293 0490
2/20	M. T. Feeney	4094 Rocking Chair Road, Greenwood, In.	46142	888 1735
2/20	Raymond H. Howell	RR 6, Box 429, Shelbyville, In.	46176	398 0279
2/20	Linda Lou Hudson	5335 Straw Hat Ct.	46227	786 1153
2/20	Marthene Kohnmeyer	2714 McLeay Dr.	46220	253 3801
2/20	Jo Ann J. Muirhead	5649 Crittenden	46220	255 1687
2/20	Lloyd & Donna Nolan	9110 Ben Hur St.	46234	293 4528
2/20	Dolores R. Ryan	124 Pine Tree Lane, Noblesville, In.	46060	773 2270
2/20	James F. Sanford	10611 E. 59th	46236	849 9852
3/27	Sue Heavrin	615 N. Gray	46201	631 7003
3/27	Grace A. Lundy	3737 N. Brentwood Ave.	46236	897 4555
3/27	Margaret Lundy	3737 N. Brentwood Ave.	46236	897 4555
3/27	Jerry Stolz	RR 1, Box 134, Pittsboro, In.	46167	745 4588

RE-INSTATEMENT

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