



The Indianapolis Hiking Club

Happiness - A Step at a Time

SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER, 1986

PLEASE -- NO PETS ON HIKES

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

NOTE: The renewal dues notice is included with this mailing to the members. Please pay your dues promptly if you desire to stay on the active mailing list.

ELECTION RESULTS: At the general assembly on September 11, 1986, the following officers were elected for the year beginning October 1, 1986:

PRESIDENT - Al Drehobl, VICE-PRESIDENT - Win Pulsifer, PATHFINDER - Linda Elliott, SECRETARY - Ron Craig, TREASURER - Pat Eckstein
DIRECTORS - Jim Jones, Alice Roth, Mabel Voyles, Bill Flora.

The newly elected President, Al Drehobl, announced the following appointed officers: CONSERVATION - Bob Begeman, MEMBERSHIP - Dorothy Field, PUBLICATIONS - Bill Larrison, PUBLICITY - Jackie McKelfresh, SOCIAL-REFRESHMENTS - Gerry O-Reilly, SOCIAL-PROGRAMS - Jim Ernsting

JOINT SOCIAL: On November 6th, we are planning an evening at the Boggstown Inn and Cabaret. This is the headquarters for the Indiana Ragtime Association. The doors open at 6:00 PM and the entertainment starts at 7:00 PM. This is by reservation only, so if interested please contact Jim Ernsting (257-7146) for all the details, and look forward for a real evening of fun. The meals are from \$12.00 to about \$17.00 plus \$2.00 cover charge.

OCT 8 (Wednesday) A. EAGLE CREEK - Meet at 9:00 AM in the parking lot inside the 56th Street entrance for an easy 6 to 8 mile hike. Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439)
B. ELLENBERGER PARK - Meet at Ellenberger Park, 5400 block of East St. Clair street between 5:15 and 5:30 PM for a 4, 6, or 8 mile self-guided hike. Leader: Ursula Breeding (359-8686). To be repeated each Wednesday during October.

OCT 11 (Saturday) MORGAN-MONROE - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel time. Take SR 37 south to about 4 miles south of Martinsville. Turn left at the Morgan-Monroe Forest sign and go about 4 miles to the forest entrance. Turn left and meet at the fire tower for a moderate hike of about 10 miles. Meet at 10:00 AM and bring lunch and water. Leader: George Newhall (823-6534).

OCT 12 (Sunday) MERIDIAN-KESSLER NEIGHBORHOOD - Meet in the St. Joan of Arc school playground just off 42nd street between Central and College avenues at 11:45 AM. There will be a 15 minute pipe organ concert played by Norma Huber in the church before hikes of 6 and 12 miles. Leader: Jim Stern (844-3791).

OCT 13 (Monday - Columbus Day) YELLOWWOOD TRAIL - Allow 1-1/4 hours travel time. Go south on SR 135 to Beanblossom. Turn left on the blacktop road opposite SR 45. Go east 2.7 miles to the first gravel road on the right (Bear Wallow Road). Turn right and drive .9 mile to Bear Wallow Trail headquarters at the top of the hill. There will be a hiking fee. Bring trail lunch and water. Meet at 8:00 AM for a 12 mile moderate to rugged hike. Leader: Charlie Brunette (542-1355).

X OCT 15 (Wednesday) A. LINK OBSERVATORY - Take SR 67 south. Go past Gray's cafeteria on the right and continue about 5 miles further. Turn right at the Observatory sign and park in the parking lot. Hike will start at 2:00 PM. This will be a slow and moderate 3 mile hike, with some hills and small streams to cross. Look forward to beautiful fall scenery from the Observatory Hill. Leaders: Alberta Neill (634-7672) and Juanita Lauth (353-6525).

4 B. ELLENBERGER PARK - See instructions for October 8.

X OCT 18 (Saturday) CAMP PALAWOPEC - Allow over 1-1/2 hours from Indianapolis. Take SR 135 south to Nashville. Turn left at first traffic light, and take old SR 46 a couple of miles to Clay Lick Road. Turn left and go past the C.Y.O. camp to the entrance to Camp Palawopec on the right. There will be a \$1.00 fee. There will be a 6 to 8 mile hike beginning at 1:00 PM. Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439). (NOTE: You may want to make arrangements for an overnight stay in the area - see Sunday's hike).

X OCT 19 (Sunday) A. DINNER COOK-OUT HIKE AT CROOKED CREEK - Plan to bring steaks, hamburgers, etc. with your favorite cook-out side dishes and cook over an open fire. Carry your food in a day pack and cook it around 4:00 PM to enjoy dinner in the October Indiana woods. If you wish to bring a sandwich dinner instead of cooking, be prepared to wait while others cook. As we will start hiking at 11:00 AM, you might want to bring a light lunch. Meet at the Crooked Creek Lake parking lot for a 13 mile rugged hike. Allow 1-3/4 hours travel time. From Nashville, go west on SR 46 for 2.7 miles past the west entrance to Brown County State Park. Look for a group of buildings on the north side of highway (2 trailers, a log house, a small house and a white building). Just past these is a green road sign saying "Bloomington" and "Nashville". Turn south on a gravel road just opposite this area and go 2.7 miles to the Crooked Creek Lake parking area on the left. Leader: Bob Begeman (359-4174).

B. UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS NEIGHBORHOOD - Park at the far west end of the Marsh grocery parking lot at Hanna and Shelby Streets. Meet at 2:00 PM for a 4 to 5 mile hike. Leader: Ruth Schroeder (783-7543).

X OCT 21 (Tuesday) EAGLE CREEK - Meet at 10:00 AM in the parking lot inside the 56th street entrance for an easy 6 to 8 mile hike. Leader: Libby Moore (852-4717).

X OCT 22 (Wednesday) ELLENBERGER PARK - See instructions for October 8.

OCT 25 and 26 (Saturday & Sunday) MAMMOTH CAVE OVERNIGHT - (For members and their invited guests only). The reservation supplement for this event is being mailed to the members along with this schedule. Please consult it for information. DEADLINE: October 18th. This will probably sell out long before the deadline. If interested, be sure to get your reservation in at once. Our first hike will be around 2:00 PM on Saturday. For additional information contact Bill Larrison (359-7538).

X OCT 25 (Saturday) BEARS OF BLUE RIVER TRAIL - 20TH ANNIVERSARY HIKE - Advanced registration of \$2.60 must be received by John Behrmann on or before October 18, 1986. This includes the hike fee and a specially designed patch for the occasion. Also recognition for the youngest and oldest hikers with the awards and patches being distributed at 3:00 PM at WSVL. Take I-74 southeast 25 miles to SR 9. Turn left (north) on SR 9 and drive one block to Morristown Road. Turn right and go 1/2 mile to WSVL radio station on the right. Allow one hour driving time with the hike starting at 8:30 AM SHARP due to car shuttle. Bring trail lunch and liquid for a moderate 15 mile hike. Leader: John V. Behrmann, 5 Greenhills Ct, Greenfield, IN. 46140 (Phone 462-7058).

X OCT 26 (Sunday) EAGLE CREEK - Meet at 2:00 PM in the parking lot inside the 56th street entrance for a 5 to 6 mile hike. Leader: Libby Moore (852-4717).

- OCT 28 (Tuesday) CANAL HIKE - Meet in the lot on White River Parkway, West Drive, just north of 30th street at 9:00 AM for an easy 5 to 6 mile hike. Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439)
- OCT 31 (Friday) OVERNIGHT HALLOWEEN GHOST AND GOBLIN HIKE - Assemble at 8:00 PM in the State Capitol parking lot on West Ohio Street. Hikers must be prepared to hike 20 to 25 miles at a moderate pace until daybreak. Appropriate costumes are recommended. Leader: Tom Patterson (849-9528).
- NOV 1 (Saturday) GNAW BONE CAMP - Allow 1-1/2 hours driving time. Take SR 135 south to Nashville. Turn left on SR 46 and go a couple of miles past the North Entrance to Brown County State Park to where SR 135 turns south. Go south on 135 a couple of miles to the Gnow Bone Camp entrance on the left. There will be a camp fee of \$1.00. A hike of 6 to 7 miles to start at 9:00 AM and a hike of 6 to 7 miles will start at 1:00 PM. Those taking both hikes should bring lunch and water. Moderate to rugged. Leader: Bill Larrison (359-7538).
- NOV 2 (Sunday) A. KOKOMO HISTORIC HIKE - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel time. Go north on US 31. Take the by-pass in Kokomo - not the business route. Turn right at the McDonald's in Markland Mall onto SR 22 and 35. DO NOT TURN at the McDonald's on the south side of town. Go about 3 miles and watch for the Wildcat Reservoir sign at County Road 500E. Turn left (north) and go one mile to the Reservoir. Park on the left side of the road just before the Reservoir. Moderate hikes of 7 or 13 miles. A SHUTTLE WILL LEAVE PROMPTLY AT 9:00 AM - Don't be late. Bring trail lunch and water for the longer hike or plan to eat at a fast food stop. Leader: Robin Ott (1 453-0579)
- B. EAGLE CREEK - Meet at 1:00 PM in the parking lot inside the 56th street entrance for a 5 to 7 mile hike. Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439).
- NOV 4 (Tuesday) MORGAN-MONROE STATE FOREST - 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 and go about 4 miles to the forest entrance. Turn left and drive to the fire tower parking lot for a moderate hike of about 5 miles. This hike will be repeated each Tuesday during November. Hike to start at 9:30 AM. Leader: Bill Flora (898-0760)
- NOV 6 (Thursday) BOGGSTOWN INN & CABARET SOCIAL EVENING - Please refer to the first page of this schedule for the details. This is by reservation only. Please contact Jim Ernsting (257-7146) for more information.
- NOV 8 (Saturday) KNOBSTONE TRAIL - Meet at the Spurgeon Hollow Trailhead promptly at 9:30 AM for a car shuttle. There will be a moderate to rugged hike of 15 miles between Elk Creek and Spurgeon Hollow. Allow 2-1/2 hours travel time. Take I-65 south to the Seymour exit. Go west on US 50 through Brownstown. Take SR 135 south about 9.1 miles and turn left just after the Muscatatuck river bridge. Follow Delaney Park signs. Continue past Delaney Park and turn left at the sign for Spurgeon Hollow (A short distance from Delaney Park). Park near the lake. Bring a trail lunch and water. Leader: Al Drehobl (898-3632). (DO NOT BE LATE FOR SHUTTLE)
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- NOV 9 (Sunday) ACROSS THE STATE - PART 1 - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel time. Take I-70 west to SR 59. Turn north and go 4 miles to Brazil. Assemble at Junction of SR 59 and US 40 at 7:00 AM for car shuttle to Illinois State Line for a 29 to 30 mile road hike. Bring lunch and liquid. To hike a shorter distance you must contact the leader. Leader: Tom Patterson (849-9528).
- (B) MCCORMICK'S CREEK STATE PARK - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel time. Take SR 67 south to Spencer. Turn east on SR 46 a few miles to the Park entrance. Assemble in the parking lot near the nature center at 1:00 PM for a moderate 8 to 10 mile hike. Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439).

- NOV 11 (Tuesday) A. VETERANS DAY HIKE - Meet at 7:30 AM, Windridge Shopping Center at 5500 north Emerson Way, near the AFNB branch for a 16 mile self-guided road hike. Convenience stores are along the way for lunch. Leader: Charlie Brunette (542-1355)
B. MORGAN-MONROE STATE FOREST - See instructions for November 4th.
- NOV 13 (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. Take 21st to Kitley, go north to second church on the right. We will have a member of the Nature Conservancy speaking on one of their projects. Refreshments will be served.
- NOV 15 (Saturday) WHITEWATER STATE PARK - Allow 2-1/4 hours travel. Take US 52 to Rushville. Then SR 44 east to Liberty, and SR 101 south to the Park. Assemble in the beach parking lot at 10:00 AM for moderate to rugged hikes of 8 or 12 miles. Longer hikers should bring lunch and water. Leader: Fred Eckstein (996-2597).
- NOV 16 (Sunday) A. ACROSS THE STATE - PART 2 - Allow 1 hour travel time. Take US 40 west to Stilesville. Assemble near the Post Office at 7:00 AM for a car shuttle to Brazil for a 29 mile road hike. Trail lunch and liquid. To hike a shorter distance you must contact the leader. Leader: Tom Patterson (849-9528).
B. MUNICIPAL GARDENS CITY PARK - Meet at 2:00 PM in the second parking lot, which is north of the building at 1900 Lafayette Road, for a 4 to 5 mile slow and easy hike. Leaders: Juanita Lauth (353-6325). and Alberta Neill (634-7672).
- NOV 18 (Tuesday) MORGAN-MONROE STATE FOREST - See instructions for November 4th.
- NOV 22 (Saturday) RILEY TRAIL OF GREENFIELD - Hike will start promptly at 9:00 AM DUE TO CAR SHUTTLE. Take I-70 east to SR 9 and turn left to Maxwell. In Maxwell (one block north of 500 N on SR 9) park in the Maxwell Middle School lot on the left. Allow 1 hour driving time. Hikes of 6, 10, or 15 miles are available. Hikers on the 10 or 15 miles will have to pay a 50¢ trail fee, and should bring lunch and water. Be prepared to wade a stream overflow and cross several fences on the trail. A patch may be purchased. Leader: John V. Behrmann (462-7058).
- NOV 23 (Sunday) A. HIKE TO THE OHIO RIVER - PART 1 - Assemble at the State House at 7:00 AM for a shuttle. Hike will be 20 to 25 miles to Franklin. Leader: Tom Patterson (849-9528).
B. ZIONSVILLE HIKE - Allow 3/4 hour driving from downtown Indianapolis. Meet in Lions Park, north side of SR 334, just east of Main street for a hike starting at 1:30 PM. About 7 miles on sidewalks, streets, and dirt and stone paths. Leaders: Dorothy Field (253-7114) and Mabel Voyles (253-2355).
- NOV 25 (Tuesday) MORGAN-MONROE STATE FOREST - See instructions for November 4th.
- NOV 28 thru 30 (Friday thru Sunday) RED RIVER GORGE BACKPACK - This is a rugged backpack of 20 miles. Please call the leader, Ron Craig (255-6215) for reservations and the answer to questions concerning the area and equipment needed and transportation. Allow 4-1/2 hours travel from Indianapolis. Directions: From Lexington, Kentucky take I-64 east 15 miles to Winchester and exit on the Bert Combs Mountain Parkway. Follow the Parkway 34 miles to the Slade, KY. exit. Then take KY 15 east 4 miles to the Koomer Ridge Campground. Meet there at 12:30 PM for a shuttle to trailhead.
- NOV 29 (Saturday) RILEY TRAIL OF INDIANAPOLIS - Meet at the State House parking lot located on the south side of Ohio Street at 8:00 AM for a 20 mile moderate hike visiting the historical landmarks of the city. Bring trail lunch and liquid, or purchase lunch along the way. Leader: Tom Patterson (849-9528). Shorter hikes may be arranged by calling the leader. You will have to provide your own return transportation.

- NOV 30 (Sunday) A. GLENDAL TO GREENWOOD - There will be hikes of 10, 20, or 25 miles. Assemble on the east side of Rural street at 7:00 AM at the Glendale Shopping Center. Bring trail lunch and water. Hikers taking the shorter hikes should contact the leader. Leader: Tom Patterson (849-9528).
- 4 B. BUTLER & TOWPATH - Meet at 2:00 PM at the parking lot east of the library on Sunset avenue just south of 46th street for an easy hike of 5 to 8 miles. Leader: Libby Moore (852-4717).
- DEC 3 (Wednesday) UPPER FALL CREEK - Meet at Windridge Shopping Center (5500 N. Emerson) parking close to duck pond in front of stores (not in bank/office bldg lot). 5 to 6 miles on pavement and rough grass starts at 9:30 AM. Leader: Dorothy Field (253-7114)
- DEC 6 (Saturday) CHRISTMAS PARTY - (For members and their invited guests only)
PLACE: Covenant Presbyterian Church at 2305 N. Kitley. DIRECTIONS: Kitley is 6500 east between Arlington and Shadeland. Go north on Kitley from 21st street to the second church on the right (park in the rear and enter from the parking lot).
ARRIVAL TIME: 6:00 PM - Our old-fashioned pitch-in dinner to start at 6:30 PM. Bring food to contribute according to the size of your family group - enough for hearty appetites. Perhaps an entree, or maybe a covered dish, or a dessert, or rolls or bread and snacks. We will mix it all together on the buffet table. Bring your own plates and silverware. The club will furnish hot and cold drinks, cups, napkins, and tablecloths. Our entertainment for the evening will be a return engagement by the "SWEET ADELINES" who will present a program of music for the holiday season. Be ready for SANTA CLAUS who has promised to visit us again.
- DEC 7 (Sunday) BROAD RIPPLE - CANAL Meet at the parking lot over the canal in Broad Ripple just east of College avenue on Westfield Blvd. at 1:30 PM for an easy 5 mile hike. Leader: Nell Larrison (359-7538).

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

5/21	Bryan D. Glenn	5009 Gettysburg Dr., Kokomo, IN.	46902	1	453-2995
8/21	Vicki L. Grant	5928 E. 169 St., Noblesville, IN.	46060		773-7159
8/21	Linda R. Greene	115-1/2 S. Ritter	46219		357-8899
8/21	Vivian Parrish	2089 Suffolk L.	46260		876-6925
8/21	Louise Patterson	940 N. Chester	46201		356-4359
8/21	Dianne L. Phillips	305 South St., North Vernon, IN.	47265	812	346-3785
8/21	Richard & Diann Pickard	4893 E. 400 South, Kokomo, IN.	46902	1	453-5210
8/21	Bernadine Smith	1349 N. Audubon	46219		359-8010
8/21	Robert Jr. & Alice Stalcup	2552 Andy Drive	46229		897-1852
8/21	Deirdre A. Tanaka	1102 N. Layman Ave.	46219		359-1030
9/18	Mary N. Phillips	7415 Colony Circle	46260		253-2708
9/18	Kathy Antonides	1738 Cholla Terrace	46240		848-7301

RE-INSTATEMENTS

Billie Lloyd	1623 Norfolk St.	46224	241-3557
Carolyn Baker	9410 Benchview Dr., Apt C	46240	848-1846

THE MEMBERSHIP OFFICER, DOROTHY FIELD, HAS ANNOUNCED THE FOLLOWING MILEAGE AWARDS:

Cheryl Conwell	100	Charles Hodges	200	Olga Woolman	400
Pat Foreman	100	Mary Hodges	200	Margaret Flack	2000
Charles Hodges	100	Ray Howell	200	Tom Patterson	5500
Mary Hodges	100	Sandy DeLong	300	Marge Begeman	7000
Minnie Rapp	100	Paul Peirce	400	Joe Wilhelm	7500

CONGRATULATIONS: To Jill Harmon and Henry McFall who were married a couple of months ago. Should have been in last schedule, but somehow in the hurry of getting it out we overlooked this. Our best wishes.

IN MEMORIAM: Jessie Cassetty, a long time member, passed away recently. The club extends its sympathy to Wilma Thompson and Odie Cassetty at the death of their mother. Mary Partlow and Loradean Cassetty, two other children, were also former members of the club.

Martha Rogers, one of the charter members and founders of the club, passed away recently. Our sympathy to her relatives and friends.

UNDER THE WEATHER: Bill Murphy, first president of the club, suffered a stroke recently in Albuquerque. Our sincere wishes for his recovery.

PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

This president's column will be the last by your outgoing president. I write this column realizing both that I don't have to write the next column, and that I won't be guiding the club which has been a rewarding experience for me. During the year I set up several goals for my tenure, some were completed and some were not. They include:

1. I hoped to have achieved better communications on board activities through the president's column.
2. Committees made surveys of the needs of both younger and older club members and made the recommendations for action by the board.
3. A study of changes in the constitution regarding election procedures was made. The recommended changes were made but not voted by the General Assembly.
4. The Hiking Club Trail was started but not finished.
5. Combined social activities meetings were established. I need help for activities.
6. I personally arranged for the General Assembly programs for the year.
7. "A Hike Leaders Guide" is in the process by Dorothy Field.

I wish to thank my outgoing officers appointed and elected as well as the membership for their support and help with these activities, projects and surveys. With the new board's permission I intend to continue work on the Hiking Club Trail and Marge and I will continue to coordinate the social activities meetings.

I wish to stress the Mammoth Cave overnight in October. It will be a new experience for most of us in the club. The November 13 General Assembly will feature a member of the Nature Conservancy speaking on one of their projects. The newly elected officers are included elsewhere in this schedule

AUDITING COMMITTEE - The outgoing president, Bob Begeman, has announced the following auditing committee to audit the books of the club in preparation for the new fiscal year. AL DREHOBL, JIM ERNSTING, JACKIE McKELFRESH

THANKS FROM THE PATHFINDER: Linda Elliott is especially thankful for the help she has received from the many hike leaders during the past year. She is always looking for new leaders and new places to hike. If you can help, give her a call (634-1842)

SHARE RIDES AND EXPENSES The Indianapolis Hiking Club urges all members to form car pools where possible to share expenses. The current suggested donation for gas is 4¢ per mile from each if there are 1 or 2 passengers, and 3-1/2¢ per mile from each for 3 or more passengers.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE INDIANAPOLIS HIKING CLUB: The membership officer is Dorothy Field, 5724 Brockton Court, Apt 5, Indianapolis, IN 46220 (253-7114). Applicants for membership must be at least 18 years old, and have hiked in at least 2 hikes as a guest).