



The Indianapolis Hiking Club

Happiness - A Step at a Time

SCHEDULE FOR APRIL AND MAY, 1991

(PLEASE -- NO PETS ON HIKES)

(34 YEARS OF SPONSORING OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES IN THE FORM OF HIKES AND OUTINGS)

HIKE RATING SYSTEM - Shown in parenthesis at end of each hike.

<u>TERRAIN</u>		<u>SURFACE</u>	<u>SPEED</u>
H	(Hilly) Continuously	NS (Natural) Primarily Soft	Walking Speed
M	(Mixed) Hilly & Flat	HS (Hard) Packed Dirt or Gravel	in MPH not
F	(Flat) Few Hills	PS (Paved) Concrete or blacktop	including breaks

CHANGE OF PATHFINDER - Pat Foreman has resigned as Pathfinder. She is planning to hike the Appalachian trail this summer, and we hope in future bulletins to report her progress. President Tom Patterson, under authority of Article V, Section 1, of the Constitution has appointed Al Dreihobl as Pathfinder for the remaining term of office.

HALF PRICE DUES: Notice to all leaders, officers, and members that applications for membership received after April 1st should be accompanied by one half the yearly dues, plus entrance fee and tag amount.

- APR 1 (Monday) EVENING REJUVENATOR - Meet at the east end of the Hinkle Field House parking lot on the Butler campus at 6:00 PM for a 5 mile self-guided hike. To be repeated each Monday in April. (F,PS). Leader: Sham Mueller (271-8185).
- APR 2 (Tuesday) (A) EAGLE CREEK PARK - Meet at 9:30 AM at the Amphitheater in Eagle Creek Park for a 5 to 7 mile hike. (M,NS,2.5-3). Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439). To be repeated each Tuesday in April
(B) FALL CREEK CORRIDOR - Meet at 5:30 PM each Tuesday in April. Park in the lot at 5024/5034 E. 56th Street for an easy 6 mile self-guided hike on the paved foot trail along Fall Creek. (F,PS). Leaders: Bob & Marge Begeman (359-4174)
- APR 3 (Wednesday) SPEEDWAY EXPRESS - Meet at 6:00 PM in the Bank One parking lot at the corner of Lynhurst and 16th Streets for a 5 mile self-guided hike. To be repeated each Wednesday in April. (F,PS). Leader: Avis Shipman (247-9498)
- APR 6 (Saturday) (A) MAROTT & HOLIDAY PARKS - Meet in the canal parking lot, Broad Ripple, near the intersection of Westfield Blvd. and N. College Ave. for a 7 mile hike to start at 9:00 AM. (F,PS/NS,3). Leader: Dorothy Field (253-7114).
(B) FALL CREEK GORGE TO PORTLAND ARCH - Meet at 9:00 AM at the Portland Arch Nature Preserve for an 18 mile hike from the Fall Creek Gorge Nature Preserve to Portland Arch, with hiking in the Preserves. Take I-74 west to US 41 north exit. Go north approx. 6-1/2 miles to the County Road 650 North. Watch for Portland Arch sign. Turn left (west) approx. 5-1/2 miles to Fountain and the Portland Arch. Park in the first lot. Allow 1-3/4 hours travel from I-465. BE PROMPT FOR CAR SHUTTLE. Bring lunch & water. (M,NS/PS,3). Leader: Karleen Huneck (1 453-4270)
- APR 7 (Sunday) CARMEL WALK - Meet at the Mohawk Trail Elementary School. Go north on Keystone to 126th St. Turn east 6 blocks to the school on the north side of 126th. Meet at 1:00 PM for an 8 mile hike. (F,PS,3). Leader: Tom Bowers (846-5362)
- APR 8 (Monday) EVENING REJUVENATOR - See instructions for Apr 1.
- APR 9 (Tuesday) (A) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for Apr 2 (A)
(B) FALL CREEK CORRIDOR - See instructions for Apr 2 (B)

APR 10 (Wednesday) SPEEDWAY EXPRESS - See instructions for Apr 3rd.

APR 13 (Saturday) (A) MCCORMICK'S CREEK PARK - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Take SR 67 south to Spencer, then east on SR 46 to the Park (fee). Meet in the parking lot near the Nature Center at 2:00 PM for a moderate hike of 6 to 8 miles. (M,NS,2.5).
Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439)

(B) WALNUT CREEK NORTH - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Take US 36 west to Bainbridge. Turn left at the stop light and go approx. 4 blocks to the Grade School parking lot. Meet at 9:00 AM for a 15 mile hike (shorter options available). Three covered bridges and Nature Preserve. Bring lunch & water. (M,HS,NS,3-3.5).
Two miles will be rugged. Leader: Cass Cassity (745-4840).

APR 14 (Sunday) (A) CASTLETON SPECIAL - Meet at Cub Foods in the north parking lot just east of Allisonville Road and north of I-465 for a 7 mile hike to start at 1:00 PM. (F,PS,2.5-3). Leader: Jim Stern (575-0718)

(B) BLOOMFIELD BRICK HIKE - Meet at 9:00 AM for a 16 mile road hike. Bring lunch & water. Meet at the west side of the Bloomfield Courthouse in the center of town. Take SR 67 to US 231 at Spencer. Follow US 231 to Bloomfield. Approx 2 hours travel. (F,HS,3). Leader: Bob Begeman (359-4174).

APR 15 (Monday) EVENING REJUVENATOR - See instructions for Apr 1st.

APR 16 (Tuesday) (A) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for Apr 2nd (A)

(B) FALL CREEK CORRIDOR - See instructions for Apr 2nd (B)

APR 17 (Wednesday) (A) EITELJORG MUSEUM & RIVER PROMENADE - Meet at 12:45 PM in the Theater to the left of the Museum entrance (500 West Washington St.) for a guided tour to begin at 1:00 PM. (Fee - Adults \$3.00, Children \$2.50 -- If 15 or more in the group, the fee is only \$2.00). The tour will be followed by a visit to the 1870 Pump House which is on the National Register of Historic Places, a stroll on the River Walk Promenade, and a 2 to 3 mile slow & easy hike along the National Highway. Our guide through the museum will be our own Jane Ford. (F,HS,2.5). Leaders: Alberta Neill (634-7672) and Wilma Thompson (241-7154).

(B) SPEEDWAY EXPRESS - See instructions for Apr 3rd.

APR 20 (Saturday) (A) KNOB LAKE - JACKSON FOREST - Allow 2 hours travel. Take I-65 south to US 50 West exit at Seymour. West on US 50 to Brownstown. Turn left on SR 250 about 3 miles to Jackson Forest entrance on the LEFT. Meet in the parking lot beyond the lake at 10:00 AM for moderate to rugged hikes of 5 and 13 to 14 miles. Many steep hills on the trails through this beautiful forest. Bring lunch & water. (H,NS,3).
Leader: Bill Larrison (359-7538).

(B) PLAINFIELD FRIENDS - Meet at 9:00 AM in the Plainfield Plaza Shopping Center lot for a 6 or 9 mile hike. Park near the large Plaza sign. Location is at the intersection of new SR 267 and US 40 West. (F,PS,3). Leaders: Don & Barbara Tipton (241-7953).

APR 21 (Sunday) (A) STARVE HOLLOW - Take I 65 south to US 50 west exit at Seymour, then west through Brownstown to SR 135 south. Go south to Vallonia and follow signs to Starve Hollow. Meet at 9:00 AM at the Swimming pool parking lot for a 15 mile moderate to rugged hike. Bring lunch & water. Those wishing to stay overnight following Saturday's Jackson hike, motels & camping are available in the area. (H,NS,3).
Leader: Al Dreho1 (898-3632).

(B) NAVAL ARMORY HIKE - Meet in the parking lot on West 30th street across from the Naval Armory at 12:00 Noon for a 4 or 8 mile hike. (F,PS,3). Leader: Bob Corya (297-3926).

APR 22 (Monday) EVENING REJUVENATOR - See instructions for Apr 1st.

APR 23 (Tuesday) (A) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for Apr 2nd (A)

(B) FALL CREEK CORRIDOR - See instructions for Apr 2nd (B)

- APR 24 (Wednesday) (A) ANDERSON FALLS - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Take I-65 south to US 31 south (Taylorsville exit) to SR 46, then east to intersection of SR 9. Or take I-74 east to SR 9 exit at Shelbyville, then south to SR 46. Go east on SR 46 a short distance to County Road 925 E. Turn right (Anderson Falls sign on right) and follow this road which turns left and becomes 200 N. Go on to 1140 E (Anderson Falls sign high on the pole on left). Turn left 1140 E and go 0.2 mile to parking lot on left. 5 to 6 mile hike to start at 10:00 AM. (M,HS,2.5). Leaders: Ruth Schroeder (888-4170) and Mary Kidwell (852-2439).
- (B) SPEEDWAY EXPRESS - See instructions for Apr 3rd.
- APR 27 (Saturday) WHITEWATER GORGE & EARLHAM COLLEGE - Take I-70 east to Richmond exit at US 27 south (also called Chester Blvd). Go south to 2nd stop light (Waterfall Blvd). Turn right and go 1/2 mile to entrance to Springwood Park. Meet at 9:30 AM for hikes of 8 or 11 miles. Park near public restrooms. Bring lunch & water. (F,HS,2.5-3). Leaders: Mabel Easton (783-9784) and Louise Crandall (251-7890).
- APR 28 (Sunday) BLATCHLEY NATURE STUDY CLUB WOODS - Take SR 37 north and SR 32 west to Noblesville. Meet on east side of Courthouse at 2:00 PM for an easy 6 mile hike visiting the Club woods. (F,NS/PS,2.5). Leader: Vic Knarr (773-3149).
- APR 29 (Monday) EVENING REJUVENATOR - See instructions for Apr 1st.
- APR 30 (Tuesday) (A) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for Apr 2nd (A)
(B) FALL CREEK CORRIDOR - See instructions for Apr 2nd (B)
- MAY 1 (Wednesday) FARLEY FLING - Meet in parking lot behind Fulton Junior High School at 10th & Girls School Road about 1 mile west of I-465 at 6:00 PM for a 5 mile self-guided hike. To be repeated each Wednesday in May. (F,PS). Leader: Avis Shipman (247-9498)
- MAY 4 (Saturday) - AROUND YELLOWWOOD LAKE - Allow 2 hours travel. Take SR 135 south to Nashville. Go west on SR 46 about 6 miles to sign for Yellowwood Forest. Turn right and follow road to the bridge which you cross and then turn left. Follow this road to the Visitors Center. Meet at 10:00 AM for a 13 to 14 mile hike around the lake. Bring lunch & water. (M,NS,3). Leader: Bill Larrison (359-7538).
- MAY 5 (Sunday) (A) TURKEY RUN STATE PARK - Allow 2 hours travel. Take I-74 west to the Jamestown exit. Follow SR 234 West to SR 47. Turn left and go about 14 miles to the Park (fee). Park in the Inn parking lot for a moderate 6 to 7 mile hike to start at 2:00 PM. (M,NS,2.5). Leader: Bill Larrison (359-7538).
(B) COVERED BRIDGE TRAIL - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Take US 36 west through Danville to SR 59. Turn left and go 2.8 miles to the Cecil Harden sign (325-S). Turn left 1.7 miles and left again at the 2nd Cecil Harden sign. Park at the lot at the top of the hill for a 22 mile hike to begin at 8:00 AM. Bring lunch & water. (M,NS/PS,3). Leader: Mary Lester (299-5194).
- MAY 6 (Monday) THE DEVONSHIRES - Meet at 6:00 PM in the Lakewood Village Shops at 71st and SR 37. Park near Mother Bear's (pizza afterward) for a 5 mile self-guided hike. To be repeated each Monday in May. (F,PS). Leader: Michele Kestle (251-7157).
- MAY 7 (Tuesday) (A) EAGLE CREEK PARK - WEST - Park in the lot just west of the causeway on 56th street at 9:00 AM for a 5 to 6 mile hike. Bring water. To be repeated each Tuesday in May. (M,NS,2.5). Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439).
(B) SPEEDWAY AREA - Meet at 5:30 PM in the Marsh Parking lot 5900 Crawfordsville Road for a 6 mile self-guided hike. To be repeated each Tuesday in May. (F,PS). Leader: Wilma Thompson (241-7154).

- MAY 8 (Wednesday) FARLEY FLING - See instructions for May 1st.
- MAY 9 (Thursday) GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND CLUB SOCIAL - (For members and their invited guests). Meet at 7:30 PM in the Social Hall of the Christ Presbyterian Church at 4900 East 38th Street (one block west of Emerson on north side). Park in the rear and the meeting room is down the steps in East portion of building. A short business meeting will be followed by the evening's program. Mike Martin of the Division of Trails & Streams of the D.N.R. will give us a talk about the Knobstone Trail - current and future plans. The Club will be doing maintenance on this trail on May 11th.
- MAY 11 (Saturday) (A) DANVILLE ELLIS PARK - Meet in Ellis Park at 9:00 AM for 6 or 9 mile hike. Ellis Park is on US 36 across the road from Hardee's on Danville's east side. Park near the basketball court. (F,PS,3). Leaders: Don & Barbara Tipton (241-7953).
(B) KNOBSTONE TRAIL MAINTENANCE - The Club urges members to help out in maintenance on this rugged cross country trail in southern Indiana. Meet at 9:30 AM at the Elk Creek Trailhead. Allow 2 hours travel. Go south on I-65 to SR 56 (Scottsburg exit). West on SR 56 8.3 miles to sign for Elk Creek area. (This is several miles past the sign for the town of Leota). Turn left and go a couple of miles to the lake. Bring lunch & water. Wear suitable work clothes and gloves. DNR will furnish tools and supervision under the direction of Mike Martin. You may want to bring some of your own tools such as pruning shears or saw. Plan to put in about 6 hours of rewarding labor, as you help others to enjoy this Indiana trail. Call Bill Larrison (359-7538) for additional information.
- MAY 12 (Sunday) MARY GRAY BIRD SANCTUARY - Allow 2 hours travel. Take US 52 south to Rushville, then east on SR 44 about 11 miles to a sign for Mary Gray. Turn right on 525-W and go to a "T". Turn left and go a short distance to the first road to the right. Turn right and go a couple of miles to the entrance to Mary Gray on the right. (Watch closely as the entrance is where the road turns sharply to the left). Meet at 10:30 AM for an 8 mile hike with shorter options. Bring water. (F,NS,2.5-3). Leader: Bill Larrison (359-7538).
- MAY 13 (Monday) THE DEVONSHIRES - See instructions for May 6th.
- MAY 14 (Tuesday) (A) EAGLE CREEK PARK - WEST - See instructions for May 7th (A)
(B) SPEEDWAY AREA - See instructions for May 7th (B)
- MAY 15 (Wednesday) FARLEY FLING - See instructions for May 1st.
- MAY 18 (Saturday) (A) MADISON IN BLOOM - Take I-65 south to 2nd Columbus exit. Go east on SR 46 to SR 7 south to Madison and park at the Court House. A 7 mile hike to start at 10:00 AM. Allow 2 hours travel. (F,PS,2.5-3). Leader: Jim Stern (575-0718).
(B) OLDENBURG - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Take I-74 southeast to SR 229 north and go 2.6 miles to Oldenburg. 66 miles from I-465. Park at the corner of Rudolf Strasse (Pearl street) and Wasserstrasse (Water street) located behind the Church. Meet at 3:00 PM for a 12 mile hike to Enochsburg and return. Eat dinner at the Fireside Inn (home of King Chick). After dinner return to Oldenburg and walk around town. There is a historical marker for the Oldenburg Monastery behind the church. (F,PS,3). Leader: John V. Behrmann (462-7058).
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- MAY 19 (Sunday) (A) FISHERS SURPRISE - Meet at the Marsh Supermarket at 116th and Allisonville at 1:00 PM for a 7 mile hike. (F,PS,2.5-3). Leader: Jim Stern (575-0718).
(B) ARLINGTON-HOMER-MANILLA - Allow 1-1/4 hours travel from I-465. Take US 52 east to Arlington. Meet at 8:00 AM for a 17 mile hike. Park on west side of the Posey Twp school on the right as you come into town. Bring lunch & water. (F,PS,3). Leader: Rick Kinnaman (861-3979).
- MAY 20 (Monday) THE DEVONSHIRES - See instructions for May 6th.
- MAY 21 (Tuesday) (A) EAGLE CREEK PARK - WEST - See instructions for May 7th (A)
(B) SPEEDWAY AREA - See instructions for May 7th (B)

MAY 22 (Wednesday) FARLEY FLING - See instructions for May 1st

MAY 24 (Friday) 500 MILE MINI-MARATHON RUN/HIKE - Meet from 8:00 AM to 8:30 AM under the Ayres Clock at the corner of Washington and Meridian to sign up for Club mileage. NOTE: This self-guided hike starts at 9:00 AM. The 13 mile route will go from the Circle to the Motor Speedway. Hikers are to furnish their own transportation back from the finish. The participants must reach the entrance onto the track by 12:00 noon. The course will close at that time and you will not be allowed on the track. If you arrive after 12:00, enter the track infield by the 16th street underpass. All participants will receive 13 miles credit if they finish by going around the track or 11 miles if they go into the infield via the underpass. Please call the leader if you earn 11 miles rather than 13. (F,PS). Leader: Marge Begeman (359-4174).

MAY 25,26,27 (Sat,Sun,& Mon). GNAW BONE CAMP - MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND - (For members and their invited guests). The reservation supplement is included with this mailing to the members. Please consult it for details. Day hikers are welcome to come down and hike. There is a daily fee of \$2.00. Please call Bill Larrison in advance. For additional information call Bill Larrison (359-7538). DEADLINE FOR WEEKEND OVERNIGHT RESERVATIONS: May 17, 1991.

MAY 25,26,27 BACKPACK ON THE KNOBSTONE - DELANEY LOOP - Contact A.T. Mulberry for participation in this event no later than one day before it starts. Take I-65 south to the Seymour (US 50 west) exit. West on US 50 through Brownstown to SR 135. Turn left (south) and go about 9.1 miles on SR 135, and turn left just after the Muscatatuck River bridge. Follow signs to Delaney Park (fee). Backpack will be approx. 20 miles with different campsites each day. Leader: A.T. Mulberry (291-9979)

MAY 26 (Sunday) ALL OVER DOWNTOWN - Meet at 1:00 PM at O'Malia's east parking lot at 320 N. New Jersey for a 7 mile hike with shorter options. (F,PS,2.5-3). Leader: Jim Stern (575-0718)

MAY 27 (Monday) THE DEVONSHIRES - See instructions for May 6th.

MAY 28 (Tuesday) (A) EAGLE CREEK PARK - WEST - See instructions for May 7th (A)
(B) SPEEDWAY AREA - See instructions for May 7th (B)

MAY 29 (Wednesday) FARLEY FLING - See instructions for May 1st

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

Feb 21	Jahn, Daniel H.	9049 Autumn Woods Dr., 2-B	46250	842 0855
Feb 21	McFarland, Reba	219 Noble St., Greenwood, IN.	46142	888 9035
Mar 21	Cress, Tina	P.O. Box 47186	46247	788 7162
Mar 21	Harmon, Peg	3324 S. Dixon Ln. #228, Kokomo, IN.	46902	1 453 4019
Mar 21	Jenks, Nancy	626 E. New York St.	46202	634 8745
Mar 21	Jensen, Madeleine	8126 River Bay Dr., E.	46240	849 0638
Mar 21	Moorman, Beth	1825 N. Layman Ave.	46218	353 1569

RE-INSTATEMENT

Crawford, Phyllis	4919 N. Meridian St.	46208	255 4900
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CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Green, Ron	2157-D Shoreland Dr.	46229	897 4658
Chandler, Karen	611 N. Park #511	46204	636 8829

OBITUARY - Edward Arrowsmith passed away February 28th, and services were held in Carmel on March 4th. The Club extends its deepest sympathy to his wife, Sarah, and to his daughter, Lynne Bennett, and to other members of his family.

Estella Perkins lost her mother recently, and Howard Beal's father passed away also. The Club extends its sympathy to members of the families and to Estella and Howard.

UNDER THE WEATHER - A.T. Mulberry's wife, Georgetta, was in the hospital recently and is currently undergoing treatments.

Bob Corya had surgery and is recuperating now. Should be hiking soon.

Gary Gibson also had surgery and is home now undergoing treatment. Has gone back to work recently

Dora Buehler was in the hospital, but is now back at the home, and is recuperating there.

THE MEMBERSHIP OFFICER, KAREN CHANDLER, ANNOUNCES THE FOLLOWING MILEAGE AWARDS:

Joe Wilhelm	12500	Rick Kinnaman	1500	Don Reid	500	Rachel Joachim	200
Dorothy Field	2500	Cheryl Conwell	1500	Michelle Kestle	400	Elizabeth Mendenhall	200
Ben Shipman	2500	Ray Howell	1000	Diane Carroll	400	Tom Moynahan	200
Mary Lester	2000	J.C. Overton	1000	Miles Shookman	300	Phil Tunnah	200
Nanette Tate	2000	Michelle Kestle	500	Rickey Hacker	200		

ADVANCE NOTICE: STEAM TRAIN EXCURSION - The mighty Norfolk & Western locomotive No. 611, the engine which powered the crack Powhatan Arrow in the 1940's and 1950's from Cincinnati to Norfolk, VA. will leave Cincinnati for Knoxville, TN. on Saturday morning June 8th. It will return to Cincinnati on Sunday evening. Jim Stern will have the cost and motel information within the next two weeks. If interested, see or call Jim about all the details. (575-0718).

FUTURE CLUB EVENTS: Hiking Club picnic - July 20th at Eagle Creek Park
Fall Overnight - Abe Martin Lodge in Brown Co. Nov. 15th and 16th. 1991
Winter Overnight - Canyon Inn, McCormicks Creek Feb. 14th & 15th, 1992

SAVE THE PLANET!! PLEASE RECYCLE: Indy Recycling, 6933 E. 42nd St., now accepts Polystyrene; the dreaded No. 6 of plastics which includes Clamshell hamburger containers, egg cartons and meat trays. Steel beverage cans; aluminum cans; clear, green and brown glass, plastic pop bottles, steel food cans, plastic milk jugs, newspapers can be easily recycled. Watch for the plastics stamped with 1, 2, and 6. Call 251-0614 or 577-1560 for sharing recycling information.

THANKS, NANETTE TATE, Conservation Officer

The Indianapolis Hiking Club is supporting the Hoosier Environmental Council in urging the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers use alternative #3 in the Environmental Impact Statement as the permanent decision for Tillery Hill near the Patoka Reservoir. Enclosed with the mailing of this schedule to our members is a form letter which can be mailed in support of this alternative. We urge all members to carefully consider this letter, and if in support, please mail at once. For more information about the various proposals for Tillery Hill, please contact Nanette Tate, and she will see that you get a complete analysis of Tillery Hill.

SHARE RIDES AND EXPENSES: The Club urges members to form car pools to share expenses. Current suggested donation for gas is 3-1/2¢ per mile from each for 1 or 2 passengers, and 3¢ per mile from each for 3 or more passengers.

INDIANAPOLIS HIKING CLUB INFORMATION: Contact the membership officer, Karen Chandler, 611 N. Park #511, Indianapolis, IN. 46204 (636-8829) for information. Membership applicants must be at least 18 years old, and have hikes on at least 2 hikes as a guest.
