



The Indianapolis Hiking Club

Happiness - A Step at a Time

SCHEDULE FOR DECEMBER 1991, and JANUARY 1992

(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

- DEC 1 (Sunday) NAVAL ARMORY HIKE - Meet in the parking lot on West 30th Street across White River from the Naval Armory at 12:00 Noon for a 4 or 8 mile hike. (F,PS,3)
Leader: Bob Corya (297-3926)
- DEC 2 (Monday) CHRISTMAS IN ZIONSVILLE - Meet at 6:00 PM in the parking lot south of the Friendly Tavern on Main Street in Zionsville. Take Zionsville Road to the parking lot for a 5 mile self-guided hike. To be repeated each Monday in December. (F,PS). Leader: Shameron Mueller (271-8185).
- DEC 3 (Tuesday) (A) FALL CREEK ETC - Meet in main parking lot of Windridge Center (Fall Creek Parkway near Emerson). Park near duck pond for a 6 mile hike to start at 9:30 AM. (F,PS,3). Leader: Dorothy Field (253-7114)
(B) IRVINGTON PLAZA - 1-1/2 miles west of I-465 on East Washington St. Meet at north end of parking lot at 5:30 PM for a 5 mile self-guided hike. Repeated each Tuesday. (F,PS). Leader: Rick Kinnaman (861-3979).
- DEC 4 (Wednesday) DOWNTOWN AT CHRISTMAS TIME - Meet at 6:00 PM at the northeast corner of O'Malia's at 320 N. New Jersey for a 5 mile self-guided hike. (F,PS). Repeated each Wednesday) Leader: Avis Shipman (247-9498).
- DEC 7 (Saturday) ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY - (For members and their invited guests).
PLACE: Christ Presbyterian Church, 4900 East 38th St. (One block west of Emerson) on north side of 38th. Park in rear and the meeting room is down the steps in the east portion of building. ARRIVAL TIME: 6:00 PM and the pitch-in buffet dinner will begin at 6:30 PM. Please bring one dish for each member in your party to contribute (Example - an entree, vegetable, salad, dessert, etc.). Also bring all your own table service (cups, plates, utensils, etc). Be sure to bring serving spoons for your food contribution. The Club will furnish beverages and cups and napkins. Our Christmas program will feature the Murat Shrine Banjo Band with music of the season, and probably some sing-along carols. Join with us for this festive occasion.
- DEC 8 (Sunday) (A) LOGANSPOUT-WABASH RIVER - From Kokomo go north on US 35 bypass west of Logansport. Turn east on US 24 toward town. Go 1/2 mile and park in the lot near Hook's Drug Store on north side of US 24. Allow 1-3/4 hours travel. Meet at 9:00 AM for a 15 mile road hike along the Wabash River & the city. Bring trail lunch and water. (F,PS,3). Leaders: Marge & Bob Begeman (359-4174).
(B) GARFIELD TO DOWNTOWN - Meet in the parking lot beside the swimming pool at Garfield Park (2450 Shelby) at 9:00 AM for easy 7 or 8 mile hike. Repeated again on December 15th. (F,PS,3). Leader: Estella Perkins (638-0697)

DEC 9 (Monday) CHRISTMAS IN ZIONSVILLE - See instructions for December 2nd.

DEC 10 (Tuesday) (A) FALL CREEK ETC - See instructions for December 3rd (A)
(B) IRVINGTON PLAZA - See instructions for December 3rd (B)

DEC 11 (Wednesday) (A) SULLIVAN MUSEUM - ZIONSVILLE - Meet in the Parlor of the Sullivan Museum, 225 W. Hawthorne St., at 2:45 PM for a guided tour viewing their Victorian exhibit "To the Season of Splendor" (donations appreciated). Following this there will be a 2 mile slow & easy hike around Zionsville. (F,PS,2.5). Leaders: Alberta Neill (634-7672) and Ruth Overpeck (356-0135).
(B) DOWNTOWN AT CHRISTMAS TIME - See instructions for December 4th.

DEC 12 (Thursday) INDIANA GOVERNMENT CENTER HIKE - Meet at State Capitol Rotunda on second floor at 11:45 AM for an easy 2 to 3 mile hike which will follow tunnels to parking garage, State Library, Old & New State Office Bldg. Be prepared for many stairways. At end of hike you may want to eat lunch at the new Morrison's Cafeteria at the Government Center. (F,PS,3). Leader: John Behrmann (462-7058)

DEC 14 (Saturday) (A) ATTERBURY FISH & WILDLIFE AREA - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Meet at 10:00 AM for approx 10 mile hike. Take US 31 south to Camp Atterbury's east entrance road (Stoplight and 2nd Junction Rd. 252). Turn west (right) and go 3 miles on paved road (Hospital Road) to School House Road. Turn north (right) and go 0.9 miles. Park at northwest corner of 31st St and School House Rd (F,HS,3). Leader: Dave Rockey
(B) EAGLE CREEK PARK - Meet near the Amphitheater at 9:30 AM (251-8189) for an easy 5 to 6 mile hike. (M,NS,3). Leader: Don Tipton (241-7953).

DEC 15 (Sunday) (A) GREENCASTLE/5 BRIDGE HIKE - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Take I-70 west to SR 231 exit. Go north to Greencastle. Turn right (east) at 231/240 junction Washington Street. Go 1/4 mile to Arlington, turn left (north), go 1/2 mile to National Guard Armory (401 N. Arlington) parking lot. Meet at 9:30 AM for 16 mile hike with a 9 mile option. Bring lunch & water. (M,HS/PS/3). Leader: Cass Cassity (745-4840).
(B) GARFIELD TO DOWNTOWN - See instructions for December 8th (B)

DEC 16 (Monday) CHRISTMAS IN ZIONSVILLE - See instructions for December 2nd.

(A)
DEC 17 (Tuesday) MORE OF BROADRIPPLE - Meet at parking lot over the canal at 9:30 AM for a 5 to 6 mile hike. (F,PS,3). Leader: Mary Lester (299-5194)
(B) IRVINGTON PLAZA - See instructions for December 3rd. (B)

DEC 18 (Wednesday) DOWNTOWN AT CHRISTMAS TIME - See instructions for December 4th.

DEC 21 (Saturday) (A) FERN HILLS NATURE PRESERVE - Allow 1 hour travel from west side of Indpls. Take US 40 west to Reelsville/Pleasant Gardens, about 8 miles west of US 231. Meet at the Reelsville Elementary School at 9:00 AM for a 12 to 15 mile road hike. One block south of US 40 look for the Reelsville Water Tower and turn left off US 40 at the road immediately before the Tower. Park at the School before the Tower. Will visit Fern Cliff Nature Preserve noted for many ferns & ravines. No trails in Preserve, will do some bushwhacking. (HS,NS,3-1/2). Leader: Al Drehobl (898-3632).
(B) CHRISTMAS IN GREENFIELD - See spectacular candle light display to celebrate the birth of Christ. Take I-70 east to SR 9 and turn right (south). Go south on SR 9 to the third stoplight. Turn right (west) to the parking lot on the right across the street from McDonald's. Allow 20 minutes from I-465 to SR 9. Meet at 6:00 PM for an easy hike of 5 to 6 miles. (F,HS,2.5). Leader: John Behrmann (462-7058)

DEC 22 (Sunday) (A) AROUND HENDRICKS COUNTY - Take US 40 west to Stilesville. Turn right on Morgan St and go 1 block to little park. Meet at 8:00 AM for 11 or 19 mile self-guided hike. Bring food and water. (F,HS). Leader: Dennis Taft (636-8829)

- DEC 22 (Sunday) (B) EAGLE CREEK - WEST - Meet at 12:00 Noon in parking lot just west of the Eagle Creek causeway on 56th St for a 5 mile hike. (M,NS/PS,2.5). Leader: Bob Corya (297-3926)
- DEC 23 (Monday) CHRISTMAS IN ZIONSVILLE - See instructions for December 2nd.
- EC 24 (Tuesday) (A) MORE OF BROADRIPPLE - See instructions for December 17th (A)
(B) IRVINGTON PLAZA - See instructions for December 3rd (B)
- DEC 25 (Wednesday) ELLENBERGER CHRISTMAS HIKE - Meet at 3:00 PM in the parking lot near the swimming pool at Ellenberger Park, 5400 block of East St. Clair and 800 North Ritter, for a 6 mile hike. (F,PS,3-3.5). Leaders: Marge & Bob Begeman (359-4174)
- DEC 28 (Saturday) (A) LITTLE MIAMI SCENIC TRAIL - PART I - See Dec 29th for balance of this 2 day hike as part of Rails to Trails Conservancy. Take I-74 east to I-275 east. Be careful not to go I-275 to Kentucky!! Go north on I-71 to SR 123 and proceed south to SR 22-3. Turn right and go 4 blocks to Center St. Turn right and park in the lot behind the depot at 9:00 AM for a CAR SHUTTLE. Hike 23 miles today and remainder tomorrow. For lodging reservation contact leader. Bring lunch & water. (F,HS,3.5). Leaders: Mary Lester (299-5194) and Tom Patterson (849-9528).
(B) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for December 14th (B)
- DEC 29 (Sunday) (A) LITTLE MIAMI SCENIC TRAIL - PART II - Allow 3 hours travel. Take I-74 east to I-275 east to Cincinnati. Go north on I-71 to SR 73 and proceed west to SR 42. Turn right and go north to Roxanna-New Burlington St. Turn right and go 0.8 mile to a gravel road opposite the Terra Fertilizer Co. Turn right and park along the road for a CAR SHUTTLE at 9:00 AM. for a 23 mile hike. Bring lunch & water. (F,HS,3.5). Leaders: Mary Lester (299-5194) and Tom Patterson (849-9528)
(B) SPEEDWAY LEVEE HIKE - Meet at the Marsh parking lot on Crawfordsville Rd at 2:30 PM for a 6 mile hike. (F,NS,2.5-3). Leader: J.C. Overton (856-8861).
- EC 30 (Monday) CHRISTMAS IN ZIONSVILLE - See instructions for December 2nd.
- DEC 31 (Tuesday) (A) MORE OF BROADRIPPLE - See instructions for December 17th (A)
(B) IRVINGTON PLAZA - See instructions for December 3rd (B)
- JAN 1 (Wednesday) (A) ELLENBERGER NEW YEAR'S HIKE - Meet at 7:15 AM in the parking lot near the swimming pool at Ellenberger Park, 5400 East St. Clair and 800 North Ritter for an easy 8 mile hike. (F,PS,3-3.5). Leaders: Marge & Bob Begeman (359-4174)
(B) SPEEDWAY NIGHTS - Meet in the northeast corner of Kohl's lot, 5600 Crawfordsville Rd. (Speedway Mall) at 6:00 PM for self-guided hikes of 4 or 6 miles. Repeated each Wed. (F,PS). Leader: Avis Shipman (247-9498)
- JAN 4 (Saturday) PLAINFIELD ROAD - Take I-70 west to the Plainfield exit. Turn right on SR 267 to first stoplight. Turn left (600-S) and go to the first stop sign (Center St). Turn right 1/4 mile to Hummel Park. Park at southwest corner near shelter house. Meet at 9:00 AM for 7 or 17 mile hike. (F,PS,3). Leader: Jim Cable (839-2178)
- JAN 5 (Sunday) GREENFIELD CARDINAL (N,S,E,W) POINTS HIKES - Allow 1/2 hour from I-465. Take I-70 east to SR 9. Turn right and drive 3 blocks to 200-N (stoplight). Turn left and go 7 blocks to 250-E. Turn right and go 1.7 miles to parking lot on the right. No restrooms there. Hike to start at 1:00 PM at the Riley Park swimming pool lot. 6 to 7 mile hike to be repeated each Sunday. (F,PS,3). Leader: John Behrmann (462-7058)
- JAN 6 (Monday) THE DEVONSHIRES - Meet at 6:00 PM in the Lakewood Village Shops lot at 71st and SR 37. Park near Mother Bear's Pizza (pizza afterward) for a 5 mile self-guided hike. Repeated each Monday. (F,PS). Leader: Michele Kestle (251-7157).

- JAN 7 (Tuesday) (A) BRADFORD WOODS - Take SR 67 southwest to about 8 miles past Gray's cafe-teria and turn right into Bradford Woods. Follow signs to the office which is up a one way steep hill. Meet at 10:00 AM for moderate hike of 5 to 6 miles. There is a camp fee of \$1.00 per person. To be repeated each Tuesday. (M,NS,2.5). Leaders: Bill Larrison (359-7538) and Jim Cable (839-2178).
(B) EVENING REJUVENATOR - Meet at east end of Hinkle Fieldhouse parking lot on Butler campus at 6:00 PM for a 5 mile self-guided hike. Repeated each Tuesday. (F,PS). Leader: Shameron Mueller (271-8185).
- JAN 8 (Wednesday) SPEEDWAY NIGHTS - See instructions for January 1st (B)
- JAN 11 (Saturday) (A) WESTWOOD COUNTRY CLUB - Meet at Westwood Country Club at 10:00 AM for an easy 5 to 6 mile hike. From 6200 West 10th (just east of I-465) go north on Vinewood 1/2 block to High School Road. Turn left and go north to the Club on High School Rd. Will cross an abandoned RR trestle. (F,NS/PS,2.5). Leader: Odie Cassetty
(B) MONON TRAIL - Meet in the canal parking lot at 62nd (244-9913) and College at 8:30 AM for a 17 mile hike with shorter options. We will hike down the Monon RR to Union Station. Return route to follow White River and Canal. (F,PS/HS/3). Leader: Tom Patterson (849-9528).
- JAN 12 (Sunday) (A) GREENFIELD CARDINAL POINTS - See instructions for January 5th.
(B) FALL CREEK/CANAL - Meet at 8:30 AM in parking lot north of State Capitol at Ohio & Capitol for a moderate 7 mile hike. (F,HS,3.5). Leader: Marge Begeman (359-4174)
- JAN 13 (Monday) THE DEVONSHIRES - See instructions for January 6th.
- JAN 14 (Tuesday) (A) BRADFORD WOODS - See instructions for January 7th (A)
(B) EVENING REJUVENATOR - See instructions for January 7th (B)
- JAN 15 (Wednesday) SPEEDWAY NIGHTS - See instructions for January 1st (B)
- JAN 18 (Saturday) (A) CROSLEY FISH & GAME PRESERVE - Take I-65 south to SR 46 east (Columbus exit) to SR 7 southeast through North Vernon to Vernon and approx 2 miles south on SR 3. Allow 1-3/4 hours travel from I-465. Meet in parking lot at 8:30 AM for hike of 15 miles. Some off trail & possibly wet & muddy. Bring lunch & water. (M,NS,3). Leader: Al Drehobl (898-3632)
(B) BEECH GROVE AMTRAK - Meet at Churchman Hill Plaza parking lot at the southeast corner of Emerson & Churchman in Beech Grove at 1:00 PM for a 6 mile hike. (F,PS,3). Leader: Hal Rynerson (1-987-7858).
- JAN 19 (Sunday) (A) GREENFIELD CARDINAL POINTS - See instructions for January 5th.
(B) OLIO ROAD - Go northwest on Pendleton Pike (SR67) to McCordsville. Turn north on 600-W and go approx. 3 miles to the bridge over Geist Reservoir. Before crossing the bridge, turn right and park at the sand & gravel company lot. Easy road hike of 9 miles to begin at 10:00 AM. (F,PS,3.5). Leader: Ron Craig (255-6215).
- JAN 20 (Monday) THE DEVONSHIRES - See instructions for January 6th.
- JAN 21 (Tuesday) (A) BRADFORD WOODS - See instructions for January 7th (A)
(B) EVENING REJUVENATOR - See instructions for January 7th (B)
- JAN 22 (Wednesday) SPEEDWAY NIGHTS - See instructions for January 1st (B)
- JAN 25 (Saturday) GLENDALÉ FISH & WILDLIFE AREA - To reach Glendale, go 10-1/2 miles southeast of Washington, IN. Take SR 257 south from US 50 to CR 500-S and turn left (east) to the village of Glendale. Go east on CR 600-S to the entrance on the right and meet in the parking area near the Visitor's Center at 9:00 AM for a 17 mile hike. Allow 3 hours travel. Bring lunch & water. (M,NS/PS,3). Leader: Nan Tate (577-1560 day & 485-4619 evening)

- JAN 26 (Sunday) (A) GREENFIELD CARDINAL POINTS - See instructions for January 5th
 (B) GEORGE ROGERS CLARK MEMORIAL HIKE - Allow 3-1/2 hours travel. Take SR 67 to Vincennes and meet at the Knox County Courthouse on 7th St at 9:00 AM for a 15 mile hike. Will visit George Rogers Clark National Historic Park, site of the British outpost of Fort Sackville, the Indiana Territorial Capitol and other historically significant locations. Car Shuttle will proceed hike(F,HS/PS,3). Leader: Tom Patterson (849-9528)
- JAN 27 (Monday) THE DEVONSHIRES - See instructions for January 6th.
- JAN 28 (Tuesday) (A) BRADFORD WOODS - See instructions for January 7th (A)
 (B) EVENING REJUVENATOR - See instructions for January 7th (B)
- JAN 29 (Wednesday) SPEEDWAY NIGHTS - See instructions for January 1st (B)

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

10/17	Hull, Cheri	502 Halstead Ct.	46214	271 4596
10/17	Miller, Joan	120 Rolling Hills Dr., Carmel, IN.	46032	844 3609
10/17	Pirl, Edwin D.	213 W. Highland, Marion, IN.	46952	1 664 4654
10/17	Townsend, Blanche	3500 W. Ethel Ave., Muncie, IN.	47304	1 284 0391
11/21	Eastwood, Rose C.	7005 Stillwater Lane #15	46268	299 6406
11/21	Jones, Vivian L.	3210 E. Dunley Ave.	46227	784 9797
11/21	Schneider, Pat & Virlee	3519 Luewan Dr.	46236	897 1591

RE-INSTATEMENT

Hill, Marge	9074 Dewberry Ct.	46260	872 0975
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THE MEMBERSHIP OFFICER, J.C. OVERTON, ANNOUNCES RECENT MILEAGE AWARDS:

Wilma Thompson	7500	Jill McFall	4000	Yvonne Cable	500	Tom Moynahan	400
Dennis Taft	5500	Genie Waltz	4000	Betty Glidewell	500	Alice Smith	400
Henry Moore	4500	Tom Bowers	3500	Richard Glidewell	500	Ann Woolman	300
Bert Roth	4500	Ben Shipman	3000	Phil Tunnah	500	Helen Ashby	100
Mary Lloyd	4000	James Cable	500	Jean Ballinger	400	Madeleine Jensen	100

RECUPERATING: Rick Kinnaman from knee surgery.
 Barbara Tipton from foot surgery.
 Mary Pulsifer from foot surgery.

CONSERVATION ALERT!! In July, the US Army Corps announced its decision to suspend further work on the pending environmental impact statement for the Patoka Partners resort development at the Tillery Hill S.R.A. The Hiking Club feels that this development should not be allowed. Your comments to this effect should be sent to:

US ARMY ENGINEER DISTRICT, LOUISVILLE. (Attn: CEORL-PD-R - Keith Hoss)
 P.O. BOX 59
 LOUISVILLE, KY. 40201-0059

(Copies to: Pat Ralston, Director, IDNR, 402 W. Washington St., Indpls, IN. 46204)

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, J.C. Overton, RR #1, Box 548, Camby, IN. 46113 (856-8861). Membership applicants must be at least 18 years old and have hiked in at least 2 hikes as a guest.

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