Kenosha Pass Picnic

Bike/Hike the Colorado Trail
September 29

Special Events

Kenosha Pass Hike and Picnic
Saturday September 29 - All Day

At last we have a special event for our honored contributors. Without you we could not exist. You are as important as the volunteer trail crews and volunteer maintenance groups. We are planning a hike on Saturday September 29 from the top of Kenosha Pass down to the Beaver Ponds (5.8 miles) and be picked up at the Beaver Ponds and brought back to Kenosha Pass campground. Here we will have a picnic with hamburgers, hot dogs, potato salad, beans and homemade ice cream. The cost of five dollars includes the transportation back to the pass and the picnic. We will have experts in flowers and birds along, talk about the geology and history of the area. It should be a fun morning. Be at Kenosha Pass by 9:45 A.M. (or earlier). It was! The autumn colors of South Park should be at their height. Please pre register so we will know how much ice cream to make! Registration elsewhere in the newsletter. Organizers: Gudy Gaskill (526-0809) and Charlotte Briber (756-0787).
CT Weekend Hike/Bike
SEPT 22-23

This is an overnight for the hardy... just hiking with a day pack. We will hike two VERY scenic days. Starting at Breckenridge, we will hike over the Tenmile Range to Copper Mountain. We are negotiating an overnight at a condo in Copper Mountain and then continue our hike from there on Sunday morning up Guller Creek, over Searle Pass, through the tundra on the newly built trail to Kokomo Pass and then drop down into Camp Hale. We will be picked up at Camp Hale and brought back to our cars at Copper Mountain. Condo is optional for those that have campers or wish to camp. Cost depends on condo price. W/ condo possibly $28 (5 meals). About 12 or 13 miles on Saturday and 16 miles on Sunday. Beautiful views. This is the height of the aspen season time and should be a wonderful time to hike. If you’re interested in attending, call Gudy (526-0809) or write the Colorado Trail Foundation, 548 Pine Song Trail, Golden CO 80401.

CLIP MAIL

I would like to go on the Kenosha Pass picnic hike/bike/ride. Cost $5. Sept. 29 Meet at 9:30 A.M.

I would like to go on the overnight difficult hike/bike/ride from Breckenridge to Camp Hale (35 miles). Overnight in Copper Mountain. Includes breakfast and dinner, dbl occ. $29 Sept. 22-23

I will hike, ride, bike (circle one).

Garage Search
CT PICKUP NEEDS A SET OF TIRES

The old Colorado Trail Pickup, a gift several years ago from MA BELL, is in need of a useable set of tires. Check your garage or storage area and see if you have an extra 135/75 size tire gathering dust. We could use up to four. Call us and we’ll arrange to have it (them) picked up. Colorado Springs call Merle: 599-4288, Fort Collins call Bob: 223-8641 and Denver call Gudy: 526-0809. THANKS

USDA/CTF

CT Hike/Bike/Ride

All District Rangers and Recreational Rangers from the eleven Districts involved with the Colorado Trail have been invited by Gary Cargill to join him, along with the CTF Foundation board members, on an overnight hike/bike/ride on the Colorado Trail. The CTF Foundation will host the dinner and breakfast for the group. This will be the first informal meeting of all of the districts, the Rocky Mountain Regional Director and the Foundation members. The Colorado Trail will be an ideal setting with its twinge of fall colors, its spectacular views, and carpets of Rocky Mountain and Artic gentians, for good dialogue and friendly relaxation.

WANTED & NEEDED

AN IBM COMPATIBLE COMPUTER

Publisher contracted

AMERICAN HIKING SOCIETY
ANNUAL MEETING
ESTES PARK OCT. 13-14

Bruce Ward, board member of the American Hiking Society, and Gudy Gaskill, former board member of AHS, have put together an exciting program for the hiker. Please check the enclosed brochure. The Estes Park setting is a super place to come for the weekend. Great meals and great company and, who knows, you might even learn some new facts. They have a large auction on Sat. night with loads of outdoor stuff donated from hundreds of manufactures. Bargains galore!

Tom Masterson will be the master of dance after the auction, into the wee hours of the night. Learn from John Fiedler, master Colorado Photographer about some shortcuts and tricks of the trade. Check on how to fix gourmet meals on the trail, or even how to pack a llama. Come hike with Gudy and crew and have your backpack transported. You’ll have to fix your own meals though. Come join us and show the American Hiking Society that we support trails and hikers! It would be fun to see a lot of you there. Remember, Oct. 12-14.

MAINTENANCE REPORTS NEEDED
CONTINENTAL DIVIDE LOGOS ARE UP

In the Creede District, the Continental Divide logos are now on trees and posts. If you’re hiking the CT, be aware that the CD trail runs along the Continental Divide on the Colorado Trail. Last week we had two people who ended up 25 miles out of their way when they were undecided when they saw a CD marker, and no CT marker. Knowing that they wanted to hike the CT trail, and NOT the CD trail, they hiked down the unmarked trail. Twenty five miles of logging roads later, they realized that they were lost. Just Beware!

LEADER RETREAT
WORK AND SOCIAL SESSION
Sunday September 3rd
Winter Park

Only four more trail crews to finish and then the season will be completed. So leaders, before you put all of your paper work away, your sleeping bag and hiking shoes, join us for a work-rap session in a beautiful Winter Park setting.

Fall coloring should still be at its height. We’ll have a hike/ride on a nearby trail, ride the chair lift to the top (if its still open) have a picnic on the deck and later sit in a hot tub. All this is planned for the 1990 summer leaders, because we think that you are very special and, secondly, we need your input to make 1991 even better! Plan on coming. Call 526-0809 and leave a message.

UPDATE STILL AVAILABLE

Official Guide Book to the Colorado Trail. The updates (ten pages) cost $1.50 postage included. To order write: B. Lipman, Book update, 26596 Columbine Glen Lane, Golden, Co. 80401

BEST SELLER AGAIN!!!

The Official Guide Book to the Colorado Trail, by Randy Jacobs, has once again made the Best Seller List in Colorado. Congratulations Randy, we all recognize and appreciate your attention to detail. Randy is now busy with another volunteer editing job for the Colorado Mountain Club. Randy is editing Bob Ormes’s "A Climbers Guide to the Fourteener." This necessitates researching routes up the high thirteeners and fourteeners in the Rockies. What a busman's holiday! We know that it will be another volunteer job that will be well done.
Go to the Mountains

RETURN ADDRESS

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mountains and renew your soul and body.

Go to the Mountains.

SPRING that made them and control them. Go to the

Gorge in the mountains gives a feeling of

REVERENCE for all the wild things and the Great

I would like to "adopt" a section of the Trail to maintain.

I would like to work on a Trail crew, please send me information

on trail functions, meetings and crews

as an agent of the Colorado Trail Foundation.

Please accept my annual contribution to the Colorado Trail Foundation

or A "Black & White Print" of the Colorado Trail

or MAKE A LIVING BY WHAT WE GET.

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