



1993 - 1994
April 1932 to March 1994

BUSHWACK BULLETIN

UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, all hikes leave from FISHER PLAZA, [ENTRANCE TO THE STATE LIBRARY] behind the State Capitol Building. Should Fisher Plaza be closed, the alternate meeting site will be the parking island in front of the former Greyhound Bus Terminal on 7th St. Five additional minutes will be allowed at the alternate site.

If you ride with someone, you should give the driver 4¢ times the highway mileage shown, to help defray the price of gas.

WE LEAVE, PROMPTLY, AT THE TIME SHOWN.

NO PETS ALLOWED

CODES FOR THE HIKES ARE SHOWN ON PAGE 7

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| November 28 | 9:00 A.M. | ↑ <u>APPALACHIAN TRAIL, MYSTERY TOWER HIKE</u> | 10 miles |
| | | D+ / Bring lunch & water.
Leader: Bob Keyes, 763-7743 | [70 miles hwy] |
| December 4
Saturday | 7:00 P.M. | <u>ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY & COVERED DISH SUPPER</u>
At the Senior Citizens' Center, 122 Geary St., New Cumberland.
Bring along some slides and pictures, especially of the past years hikes, or a special trip. DETAILS ON PAGE 4.
BRING YOUR FAVORITE DISH, or call Thyra Sperry, 258-5261 or Jeff Buehler, 657-8281, for food ideas. | |
| December 5 | 9:00 A.M. | <u>CLARKS VALLEY POWERLINE CIRCLE HIKE</u> | 10 miles |
| | | D+ / Bring lunch & water. Very rocky terrain.
Leader: Gail Guers, 232-0387. | [25 miles hwy] |
| December 12 | 9:00 A.M. | § <u>KINGS GAP CIRCLE HIKE</u> | 6 miles |
| | | B+ / Bring lunch & water.
Leaders: Ron Baker, 264-4584 & Janet Eshelman, 774-1318. | [60 miles hwy] |
| December 15
Wednesday | 9:00 A.M. | <u>SHORT HIKE</u> | 4--5 miles |
| | | A / Meet at Harrisburg East Mall, Light Pole #1.
Lunch in a restaurant. Call leader for details.
Leader: Louise Sis, 774-0196. | |
| December 19 | 5:45 P.M. | <u>MORAVIAN STAR HIKE</u> | 4--5 miles |
| | | A / Meet at Rt 322 and Mushroom Hill Rd, under the Festival Food Store Sign. Joint hike with Lancaster Hiking Club.
Leaders: Dave Tareko, and Clarence Fredlund, 564-1447 | [80 miles hwy] |

December 26 10:00 A.M. DAY AFTER CHRISTMAS HIKE - HIKERS CHOICE
 Chose your leader;
 Where you want to hike: and How far you want to go!

January 1 10:00 A.M. NEW YEARS DAY HIKE 7 miles
 Saturday B / State Hospital Grounds and Wildwood Lake County Park.
 Bring lunch & water. Meet at the lower parking lot at Wild-
 Wood Lake, on Industrial Road, next to the I-81 Overpass.
 Leader: Clarence Fredlund, 564-1447 [0 miles hwy]

January 2 9:00 A.M. RAUSCH GAP CIRCLE HIKE 9 miles
 C+ / Bring lunch & water.
 Leader: Bob Keyes, 763-7743 [70 miles hwy]

January 9 10:00 A.M. ROCKY RIDGE RAMBLE 8 miles
 C+ / Easy trail; few short climbs. Bring lunch & water.
 Leader: Susanne Stambaugh, 564-2335. [60 miles hwy]

January 11 6:15 P.M. BOARD MEETING
 Tuesday 7:30 P.M. PROGRAM MEETING FOR THE ENTIRE MEMBERSHIP
 Join us in planning the Spring hikes for the Mar-Apr-May
 Quarter. Meet at the West Shore Senior Citizens' Center,
 122 Geary St., New Cumberland, PA.
PROGRAM: WILDERNESS EMERGENCY UPDATE, by our own
 Dr. Randolph Greber.

January 12 9:00 A.M. SHORT HIKE 4--5 miles
 Wednesday A / Meet at the Harrisburg East Mall, Light Post #1.
 Lunch in a restaurant. Call leader for details.
 Leader: Clarence Fredlund, 564-1447.

January 16 9:00 A.M. APPALACHIAN TRAIL IN THE CUMBERLAND VALLEY 9.5 miles
 ↑ YELLOW BREECHES CREEK TO THE CONODOGUINET CREEK.
 C / Bring lunch & water.
 Leader: Frank Bohn, 234-5169. [50 miles hwy]

January 23 9:00 A.M. APPALACHIAN TRAIL - PETERS MOUNTAIN 10 miles
 ↑ ROUTE 225 TO ROUTE 325
 D / Bring lunch & water. Come out and hike our Club's
 Section of the A.T. in winter--and take a look at our new
 shelter.
 Leaders: Jeff Buehler & Phil Day, 657-8281. [30 miles hwy]

January 30 9:00 A.M. TUMBLING RUN CIRCLE HIKE 8 miles
 C+ / Bring lunch & water.
 Leader: Bob Keyes, 763-7743 [70 miles hwy]

February 6 9:00 A.M. CLARKS VALLEY CIRCLE HIKE 12 miles
 E+ / Bring lunch & water.
 Leaders: Gail Guers, 232-0387 & David Whitmoyer, 234-5342. [30 miles hwy]

February 13 1:00 P.M. GIFFORD PINCHOT STATE PARK HIKE 5 miles
 S B / Bring snacks & water.
 P Leader: Clarence Fredlund, 564-1447. [40 miles hwy]

February 17 9:00 A.M. SHORT HIKE 4--5 miles
 Thursday A / Meet at Camp Hill Shopping Mall, near the Theaters.
 Lunch in a restaurant. Call leader for details.
 Leader: Louise Sis, 774-0196

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| February 20 | 1:00 P.M. | <u>FRANKLINTOWN CIRCLE HIKE</u> | 6--7 miles |
| | | B+ / Bring snacks & water. | |
| | | Leader: Bob Keyes, 763-7743. | [50 miles hwy] |
| February 27 | 9:00 A.M. | ↑ <u>APPALACHIAN TRAIL - ROUTE 850 LOOP HIKE</u> | 9 miles |
| | | C+ / Bring lunch & water. | |
| | | Leader Susanne Stambaugh, 564-2335. | [30 miles hwy] |
| March 6 | 8:30 A.M. | ↑ <u>APPALACHIAN TRAIL - COVE MOUNTAIN.</u> | 9 miles |
| | | <u>ROUTE 850 TO DUNCANNON</u> | |
| | | C+ / Bring lunch & water. | |
| | | Leader: Tom Yoder, 697-4666 | |
| | | Co-Leader: Jeff Buehler, 657-8281. | [40 miles hwy] |

FROM THE PRESIDENT

A SHELTER IS BUILT ON PETERS MOUNTAIN

Moving a shelter, 20' x 20' in hundreds of pieces, including tools and water, up the mountain to the shelter site was no easy task. We were able to drive trucks up the Victoria Trail on the north side of the mountain, to the junction with the Appalachian Trail. From there, up a short steep hill, over rocks that stood straight up, all materials had to be hauled 7/10 of a mile (it seemed like three miles) by wheelbarrow, or strong back and arms.

Our wonderful volunteer haulers—club members, relatives, and friends—as well as hikers passing through—stretched their muscles to the utmost capacity, toting every shape and size of lumber, cement, etc., that we have ever seen, to the shelter site. Tons of materials were hosed (we could have used a few) across an equal number of rocks; holes were dug; cement was mixed; and fifteen concrete support footers were prepared as a foundation.

We would like to applaud all of the volunteers who helped to haul in materials. If I have missed anyone, please, tell me. We appreciate everyone who joined us in this effort. This was back-breaking and muscle building activity, as well as darn hard work. It has been a great experience!

We can't thank you enough for a job well done.

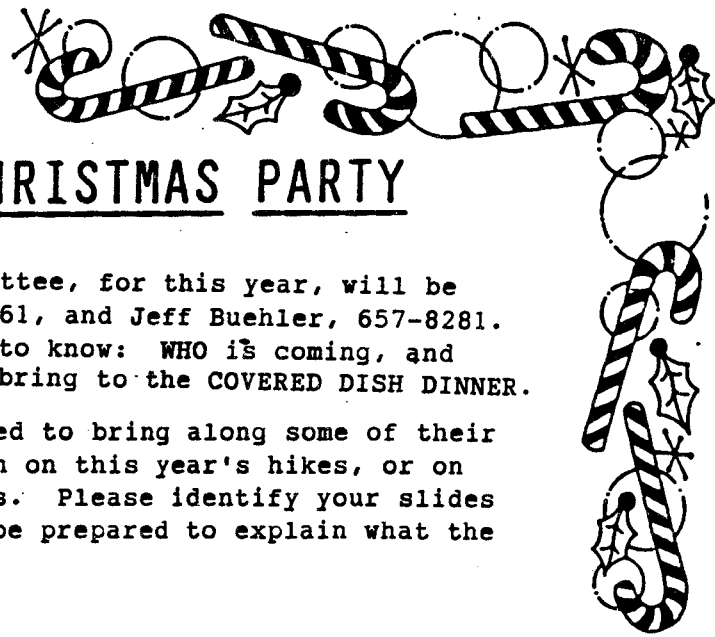
We want to especially thank the Mid-Atlantic Crew—Fred, Bob and Michelle, as well as the volunteers from New York, Maryland & England—and Karen Lutz.

OUR VOLUNTEERS

These are our members and friends who helped move materials to the construction site:

Don Barber	Judy Kutz
Svea Kreiken Bohm	Ron Kutz
Frank Bohn	John Lenahan
Nancy Budd	Carl Lorence
Jeff Buehler	Don MacDougall
Carl Donmoyer	Dick Martin
Bruce Dunlavy	Ed Mashos
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Mark Holobough	Stan Rudisell
Katie Jones	Tom Scully
Bob Keck	Michael Sheehan
Bradley Keen	Jodi Sieber
Bob Keyes	Louise Sis
Jaime Kohn	Rick Sis
John Kohn	Thyra Sperry
Joe Krajsik	Susanne Stambaugh
Joyce Kunkel	Karen Stilp
Rick Kushner	Carol Witzeman
	Tom Yoder

Thyra Sperry



ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Party Committee, for this year, will be Thyra Sperry, 258-5261, and Jeff Buehler, 657-8281. The Committee needs to know: WHO is coming, and WHAT they intend to bring to the COVERED DISH DINNER.

Members are asked to bring along some of their favorite slides taken on this year's hikes, or on this year's vacations. Please identify your slides with your name, and be prepared to explain what the slide is about.

NEW MEMBERS

Please, join us in welcoming these new members:

Donald Barber	1144 Lone Eagle Rd	Coatesville PA 19320	215-486-0389
Maura Karen Binford	4111 Spring Valley Rd - #C-6	Harrisburg PA 17109-5009	657-5312
Frances M Brandt	154 N Hanover St	Carlisle PA 17013	258-5917
Lewis & Kelly Bucher	7 Roller Dr	Steelton PA 17113	939-4513
Krista L Cessna	1075-C Michigan Dr	Harrisburg PA 17111	564-0207
Vicky L Fox	460 Arlington Rd	Camp Hill PA 17011	731-8868
Ray Garrison	94 Linton Hill Rd	Duncannon PA 17020	834-4375
Ivy L Gates	2093 Ashbury Dr	Harrisburg PA 17112	787-5453
Rodman L Gensler	9 E Lauman St	Mt Holly Springs PA 17065	486-5341
Gloria & Daniel Grabenstein	4618 Abbingdon Dr	Harrisburg PA 17109-1601	652-1607
David S Heller	1104 Yverdon Dr - Apt C3	Camp Hill PA 17011	763-7546
Ronald & Mary Hohman	1010 Church St	Landisville PA 17538	898-0861
Judy Holland	11 Pheasant Ct	Mechanicsburg, PA 17055	796-9649
Mark Holmgren	759 Martin Ln	Harrisburg PA 17111-5030	566-0856
Elizabeth James	3515 Hillcrest Rd	Harrisburg PA 17109-2034	545-3836
Robert Kitchen	317 N Baltimore Ave - Apt 3	Mt Holly Springs PA 17065	486-8318
Mr & Mrs Jonathan Leak & Fam	17 Kelly Dr	Carlisle PA 17013-9001	697-4953
Edward Mashas	133 N East St - #3	Carlisle PA 17013	245-9388
Vincent F Mitchell	781 Lancaster Ave	Enola PA 17025	732-0402
Susan Moser	3205 N Front St - Apt A-1	Harrisburg PA 17110	232-0753
Andy Ohrman	P O Box 409	Middletown PA 17057-0409	944-9845
Vickie Lynn Osman	5130 Erbs Bridge Rd	Mechanicsburg PA 17055	730-0404
Edward W Paul	618 Carol St	New Cumberland PA 17070	774-5846
Suzanne L Parthemore	324 Fifth St	New Cumberland PA 17070	774-0949
John C Pennington	3825 Sullivan St	Mechanicsburg PA 17055-2176	732-1861
Gail Riegler	7711 Avondale Ter	Harrisburg PA 17112	652-8406
Betty L Schaeffer	2041 Whitehall St	Harrisburg PA 17103	233-3520
Al & Kathleen Schartner	304 N Baltimore St	Dillsburg PA 17019-1216	432-3671
Jean Schopf	744 E Madison St	Lancaster PA 17602	293-9260
Daniel D Scott	2718 Keystone Dr	Harrisburg PA 17112	541-0709
Barb & Fritz Sears	5 Dogwood Dr	Mt Holly Springs PA 17065	486-5738
Peggy Sygrignoli	94 Linton Hill Rd	Duncannon PA 17020	834-4375
John Shankweiler	P O Box 579	New Cumberland PA 17070-0579	774-8832
Dorothy Spizzirri	P O Box 579	New Cumberland PA 17070-0579	774.883
Charles E Stoops II	11-B Richland Ln - Apt 206	Camp Hill PA 17011-2845	730-0493
Edward & Timothy Stutzman	50 Hardot Rd	Dauphin PA 17018	921-8632
Diane Waldron	30-A E Main St	Hummelstown PA 17036-1615	566-8902
Thomas O Yoder II	108 E Shady Ln	Enola PA 17025	697-4666

TRAIL BLAZES



INDIAN PEG

Years ago, when I was a boy, we would hike the mountains around Ledigh's Station and Brandtsville, parking by the bend in the Yellow Breeches Creek, where a huge buttonwood tree stood. Sometimes, we would bear left, on what is now Indian Peg Road, going up a small ravine, past a site where Indian Peg's cabin was said to have been.

The site was a small rectangle, perhaps 10 x 20 feet, which was simply a depression in the ground, about 8 or 10 inches deep. Whether the site still exists, I cannot say, for I have not visited the area in more than forty years.

Who was this Indian Peg, and what is the story behind her cabin?

In the early 1800's, Adam Baish married Mary Wonders, and they settled on a farm up against the mountain, near Beavertown in York County. They were a young couple with a large family, and Mary could use some help.

To her surprise, an elderly Indian woman showed up one day, offering to work for food. And Mary welcomed the help.

This elderly Indian woman, whose name was Peg, lived in a cabin on the other side of the mountain, and earned her subsistence by working for the settlers.

Then iron was discovered in the area where Peg lived, and the land was soon claimed by a man who wanted to mine the ore. To him, Peg was a squatter.

About the time the eldest Baish boy, John, was in his teens, Peg went to market in Carlisle, and came home to find her home destroyed. She took to the mountains, weeping and wailing.

Her wails were heard by Mary Baish, who dispatched Johnny to locate Peg. Using a lantern, Johnny followed the wails, located Peg, and took her back to the Baish's. They took Peg in, and Adam built her another cabin on his mountain land, on the York County side. Her Peg resided until her death. We think she was buried near this cabin site, or perhaps, in the Franklin Cemetery, where the Baish's attended church.

Ralph H Kinter

This story was passed on to me, years ago by Adam Baish Heiges, grandson of Adam & Mary Baish, and my great-uncle, who in 1930 was in his eighties.

LOOKING TO THE FUTURE

ANNUAL BANQUET

Our Annual Banquet and Election of Officers will be held at the Gigante Restaurant, 112 Saint John's Church Road, Camp Hill, PA, on Saturday March 19, 1994. Details will appear in the next BUSHWACK BULLETIN.

BRYCE CANYON NATIONAL PARK & ZION NATIONAL PARK

A one week trip to Bryce Canyon and Zion National Parks is being planned for late May or early June of 1994. We will stay at cabins or in "Mom & Pop" type motels.

Two organizational meetings will be held in the Hershey Room of the Hershey Public Library, at 7:15 PM, on the following dates:

Thursday, January 13, 1994

Wednesday, February 16, 1994.

All interested club members are invited to come and bring along their ideas. If you can't attend either meeting, call Bonnie Booth, at 533-3566, and pass along your input.



NEW 2000 MILER

Congratulations to Susanne Stambaugh, who recently completed the 2,000 miles plus Appalachian Trail. At the last Quarterly Meeting, Susanne was recognized for this feat. Susanne thanks all of the Club members who shared the joy and pain of her "End-to-end AT adventures.

A CAUTIONARY NOTE

This is HUNTING SEASON, so if you hike anywhere during the week, exercise the utmost caution.

Deer season extends from Nov 29 to Dec 11, 1993, for antlered deer; from Dec 13 to 15, 1993, for antlerless deer; and from Dec 27, 1993, to Jan 22, 1994, in deer damage areas.

Also, from Dec 27, 1993, to Jan 22, 1994, certain small game may be hunted.

THE ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP LIST

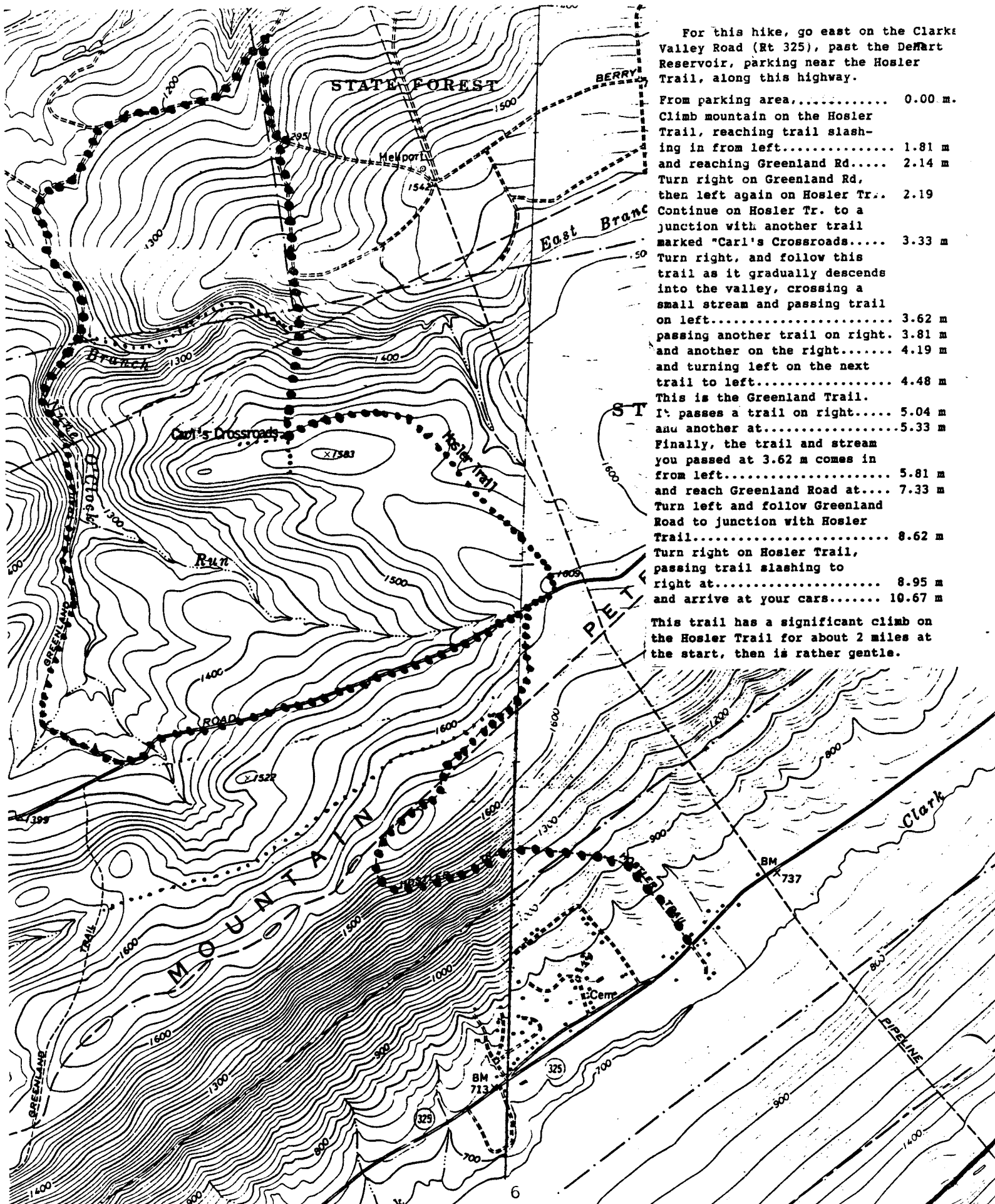
The ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP LIST comes out each August 1, and lists the membership of record as of July 1, of that year. The interim period is used by the Treasurer and the Editor in comparing and verifying the current members.

New members who join just prior to July 1, may appear in the current Membership listing. Otherwise, all new members first appear on our Quarterly New Member List in the BUSHWACK BULLETIN.

OUR FAVORITE HIKES - No. 27 -- NINE O'CLOCK RUN CIRCLE HIKE

PART TWO OF TWO.

Suggested by Bob Keyes



For this hike, go east on the Clarke Valley Road (Rt 325), past the DeFart Reservoir, parking near the Hosler Trail, along this highway.

- From parking area..... 0.00 m.
- Climb mountain on the Hosler Trail, reaching trail slashing in from left..... 1.81 m
- and reaching Greenland Rd..... 2.14 m
- Turn right on Greenland Rd, then left again on Hosler Tr.. 2.19
- Continue on Hosler Tr. to a junction with another trail marked "Carl's Crossroads..... 3.33 m
- Turn right, and follow this trail as it gradually descends into the valley, crossing a small stream and passing trail on left..... 3.62 m
- passing another trail on right. 3.81 m
- and another on the right..... 4.19 m
- and turning left on the next trail to left..... 4.48 m
- This is the Greenland Trail.
- It passes a trail on right..... 5.04 m
- and another at..... 5.33 m
- Finally, the trail and stream you passed at 3.62 m comes in from left..... 5.81 m
- and reach Greenland Road at.... 7.33 m
- Turn left and follow Greenland Road to junction with Hosler Trail..... 8.62 m
- Turn right on Hosler Trail, passing trail slashing to right at..... 8.95 m
- and arrive at your cars..... 10.67 m

This trail has a significant climb on the Hosler Trail for about 2 miles at the start, then is rather gentle.

HIKING CODES

- A - Easy - Hikes up to six miles, with very little hill climbing. [Excellent for beginners.]
- B - Fairly easy - Hikes up to six miles, with some climbing. [Good for beginners.]
- B+ - Moderate - Hikes up to six miles, with more difficult climbs.
- C - Moderate - Hikes of 7 to 9 miles, with very little climbing.
- C+ - Strenuous - Hikes of 7 to 9 miles, with several significant climbs.
- D - Strenuous - Hikes of 10 to 12 miles, with very little climbing.
- D+ - Very strenuous - Hikes of 10 to 12 miles, with several significant climbs.
- E - Difficult - Hikes of over 12 miles.
- E+ - Very difficult - Hikes of over 12 miles on very rugged terrain.

In addition, the leader(s) should describe the pace and footing, where this is essential, such as: Easy with a moderate or fast pace; or, Easy with nature study stops; or, Good footpath; or, Rocky and rough, etc.

SMOKING GUIDELINES

The S.A.T.C. prefers that hikers refrain from the use of tobacco products during club activities. Smokers are responsible for damage to the forests. Pack out all waste materials.

DEADLINE FOR THE NEXT : JANUARY 22, 1994
BUSHWACK BULLETIN
Articles should arrive before the schedule!

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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OR RENEWAL

Date _____ Amount enclosed \$ _____ . _____

- This is a new membership; One sponsor is required.
- This is my renewal of membership.
- Address correction only.

- Please send me the following:
- Club patch \$2.00
 - Pennsylvania Trails \$7.00
 - PA Appalachian Trail Guide . . . \$5.00
 - Set of PA Appalachian Trail Maps \$5.00
- All prices include postage & handling.

Membership dues are \$5.00 per year for individuals; \$7.50 for joint memberships at the same address. Life memberships are 25 times the regular membership fees.

I would, also, like to contribute \$_____ to help build the privy, and to help support the shelter maintenance and the Club's trail system. I understand any donations over and above my dues, made to this Club, are fully tax deductible to the extent provided by law.

Make all checks payable to:

THE SUSQUEHANNA APPALACHIAN TRAIL CLUB, or simply S.A.T.C.

Name [in full] _____
 Street Address _____
 Post Office _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ - _____
 Telephone(s) _____
 Occupation _____

Signature of Sponsor _____ [Required of new members only]

Applications and check should be sent to: CLARENCE V. FREDLUND, TREASURER
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