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TRIP SCHEDULE

- JUNE 30 BRIGHTON LODGE - LOAF TRIP
- JULY 1 SATURDAY NIGHT - PARTY - PARTY - PARTY -
 SUNDAY MORNING - SLEEP LATE - MAYBE BREAKFAST AT
 10:00, MAYBE 11:00 - WHO KNOWS - WHO CARES?
 SUNDAY AFTERNOON - SUN BATHING, NON-VIGOROUS PING-
 PONG AND WALKS NOT OVER ONE-HALF MILE IN LENGTH
 WILL BE ENCOURAGED.
 SUNDAY DINNER - EXCELLENT, OF COURSE.
 LEADER: LOLA ASPELIN EM 4-9349
 MAKE RESERVATION BY 5:00 P.M. FRIDAY, EARLIER IF
 POSSIBLE EM 3-7150
 COSTS: SATURDAY PARTY 75¢ BREAKFAST 75¢
 OVER NIGHT 50¢ DINNER \$1.00
 NON-MEMBERS 50¢ EXTRA
- JULY 5 ROCK CLIMBING - AT PETE'S ROCK 6:00 P.M.
 THE AMBITIOUS ONES HAVE HAD THEIR TWIN CLIMBS AT
 STORM MOUNTAIN DURING JUNE. DURING JULY THE CLIMB-
 ING (?) WILL BE AT PETE'S ROCK, TO GIVE THE OTHER
 97% OF THE MEMBERSHIP A CHANCE.
 IN CHARGE: HAROLD GOODRO AND BUD TEMPLE
- JULY 8 WHITE PINE - RED PINE - PFIEFFERHORN
 THE PEAK IS THE SAME AS INDICATED IN THE JUNE
 RAMBLER, BUT THE ROUTE IS DIFFERENT AND MUCH
 EASIER - THEY SAY.
 LEADER: CAINE ALDER WILL HAVE TO LEAD IT HIMSELF,
 IF HE CAN'T FIND SOMEONE ELSE.
 MEET: AT MOUTH OF LITTLE COTTONWOOD CANYON (FORK
 IN THE ROAD) AT 7:00 A.M.
 PLEASE BE ON TIME.
 REGISTER BY 5:00 P.M. FRIDAY, JULY 6 EM 3-7150
- JULY 7 BRIGHTON LODGE - OPEN FOR MEMBERS AND GUESTS
 8 HOST: MAX EGLY EL 5-6524
 SEE ANNOUNCEMENT AT END OF SCHEDULE.
- JULY 12 ROCK CLIMBING - AT PETE'S ROCK 6:00 P.M.
 CLIMBS OF ALL SORTS FROM 50 INCHES TO 50 FEET.
- JULY 13 MOON LAKE - A TRIP TO THE UINTAS
 15 WE LEAVE FRIDAY EVENING TO SPEND TWO COOL NIGHTS
 IN THE MOUNTAINS.
 WATCH FOR SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.
 LEADER: CARL BAUER

JULY 14 BRIGHTON LODGE - OPEN FOR MEMBERS AND GUESTS

15 HOSTESS: NADENE DORTON EM 3-1927

JULY 19 ROCK CLIMBING - AT PETE'S ROCK - 6:00 P.M.

THERE IS MORE TIME FOR CLIMBING IF YOU COME AT 6:00,
BUT 6:30 OR 7:00 WILL BE O.K. COME TO CLIMB, OR TO
TALK AND WATCH THE SUNSET.

JULY 21 BRIGHTON LODGE - OPEN FOR MEMBERS AND GUESTS.

22 THERE IS NO SCHEDULED TRIP THIS WEEK-END. COME TO
THE LODGE AND STAY OVER FOR THE PARTY MONDAY NIGHT.
HOSTESS: CLARE SUNDWALL EL 5-1190

JULY 23 BRIGHTON LODGE - WESTERN PARTY

24 CELEBRATE PIONEER DAY IN PROPER FASHION

----- SQUARE DANCING -----

----- THE BAR WILL BE OPEN -----

LEADER: DON PEARSON CR 7-4612

COST: MONDAY EVENING PARTY AND LIGHT REGRESHMENTS 75¢

OVER NIGHT: 50¢

TUESDAY BREAKFAST 75¢ NON-MEMBERS 50¢

TUESDAY DINNER \$1.00 EXTRA

REGISTER BEFORE NOON SATURDAY, JULY 21 EM 3-7150

JULY 26 ROCK CLIMBING - AT PETE'S ROCK - 6:00 P.M.

JULY 29 MT. SUPERIOR - FROM ALTA

WE HAVE SEEN MT. SUPERIOR FROM COLLINS GULCH MANY A
TIME; NOW LET'S INSPECT COLLINS AND GERMANIA FROM
MT. SUPERIOR

LEADER: CAINE ALDER CR 7-6349

TIME: MEET AT 7:00 A.M. AT THE ALTA LODGE

START ON THE TRAIL AT 7:10 A.M.

REGISTER BY 5:00 P.M. FRIDAY, JULY 27 EM 3-7150

JULY 28 BRIGHTON LODGE - OPEN FOR MEMBERS AND GUESTS

29 HOSTS: BARNEY AND HELEN LEE CR 7-4651

NEXT MONTH

AUG. 5 WIND RIVER MOUNTAINS - THE FORTUNATE ONES WITH TIME AND
TO 12 WITH RESERVATIONS AND PREPARATIONS GOING BACK TO LAST
SPRING, WILL BE AT ISLAND LAKE OR ON THE NEARBY PEAKS.

AUG. 4 BRIGHTON LODGE - OPEN FOR MEMBERS AND GUESTS

5 HOSTESSES: COLEEN COX AND VERA VAN TONGEL
ON SUNDAY WALK UP MT. MILLICENT WITH BUD TEMPLE
MEET AT THE LODGE AT 11:00 OR 11:30 A.M.

BRIGHTON LODGE

THE WMC LODGE AT BRIGHTON WILL BE OPEN FOR USE OF MEMBERS AND GUESTS ON ALL WEEK-ENDS IN JULY. NO RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED; COME ANY TIME AFTER 6:00 P.M. SATURDAY TO SPEND THE NIGHT OR ON SUNDAY JUST TO RELAX AWHILE.

THERE WILL BE NO SPECIAL PROGRAM AND NO MEALS, EXCEPT BREAKFAST SUNDAY WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR THOSE WHO DO MAKE PRIOR RESERVATION. THE MEMBERS IN CHARGE ON THE SEVERAL WEEK-ENDS ARE LISTED IN THE SCHEDULE.

COST:	OVER NIGHT	75¢
	BREAKFAST	75¢
	SUNDAY	FREE
	NON-MEMBERS	50¢ ADDITIONAL CHARGE

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NEW MEMBERS

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COCK-EYED VERSION OF THE TWIN PEAKS SLIDE

BY DELBERT

THIRTEEN LUCKY CLUBBERS ENJOYED TEH BEST (HAD COKE BEEN THERE, IT WOULD HAVE BEEN THE "MOST FABULOUS") HIKE OF THE YEAR, SUNDAY, 3 JUNE. WE FEEL COMPASSION FOR THE REST OF YOU.

AFTER WAITING A MINUTE AND FORTY-SECONDS FOR LEADER KURT, WE STARTED LEADERLESS AT APPROXIMATELY 5:28:20 A.M., WHILE ERSATZ LEADER CAINE WAITED PATIENTLY FOR THE GANG AT KNUDSON'S CORNER, DOWN THE CANYON. THAT PROVES THAT ALMOST EVERYONE READS AUSTIN'S "RAMBLER."

PETE LEAD THE WAY AND SET A GOOD STEADY PACE IN THE COOL OF THE MORNING THROUGH THE TALL PINE. AT THE FORD THE CREEK WAS JUMPING COLD AND CLEAR. WE SPLASHED ACROSS, SOME WITH BOOTS ON, SOME WITH THEM OFF.

PETE AVOIDED THE SWAMPS AND THE WORST THICKETS AS WE WORKED OUR WAY THROUGH THE WILD FLOWERS ON OUR WAY TO THE SNOW FIELDS. DIRECTOR CAINE, HAVING TIRED OF WAITING AT KNUDSON'S CORNER, CAUGHT UP WITH US ON THE SNOW AND LED US TO THE TOP. CAINE SET A SLOW STEADY PACE UP THE STEEPENING SNOWFIELD TO THE SADDLE. HE AVOIDED THE SOFT SPOTS AND MADE A GOOD TRAIL.

CLIMBING A PEAK IN THE SPRING WHEN ONE CAN GET GOOD FOOTING IN THE SOFTENING SURFACE OF THE HARD SNOW IS MUCH EASIER AND MORE FUN THAN IT WOULD BE LATER IN THE SUMMER ON BROKEN ROCK UNDER THE HOT SUN.

THERE WAS A SHARP BREEZE ON THE RIDGE, A LITTLE RAIN AND WET SNOW WHILST WE WERE GOING UP THE ROCKS ALONG THE RIDGE TO THE PEAK. THE DRIBBLING STOPPED AND THE SKY STARTED TO CLEAR AS WE REACHED THE TOP. THE CAMERA TOTERS TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THE RUGGED BEAUTY TO THE SOUTH AND THE VIEW OF THE VALLEY, AND THEN WE ATE LUNCH, SHELTERED BY THE ROCKS FROM THE SHARP BREEZE. MOST OF THE LADS MADE BOTH TWINS; WE LAZY ONES WERE CONTENT WITH BYT ONE.

THE GOING DOWN WAS THE DESSERT OF THE TRIP, AND REAL SLICK! C-O-O-L, TOO, IN SPOTS - THE SPOTS WE SAT UPON. THOSE WITH THE SLICKEST BOTTOMS AND THE MOST MASS HAD THE FASTEST RIDES. IT

WAS THE BEST AND MOST SLIDING ANY OF US COULD REMEMBER. RIGHT HERE WAS ANOTHER ADVANTAGE OF CLIMBING IN THE SPRING: ONE DOESN'T WALK DOWN.

HOW ABOUT LONE PEAK IN THE SPRING?

ON THE WAY DOWN THE MOUNTAIN WE GUZZLED GENEROUSLY FROM THE MANY ICY GUSHERS. HAND ME THE JUG! IT MAKES ME THIRSTY TO THINK OF IT!

CAINE KEPT OUR FEET OUT OF THE CREEK ON THE RETURN CROSSING: HE PUT A POLE ACROSS AND STRUNG A ROPE.

WE FINISHED VARIOUSLY FROM 1:30 TO 2:30 P.M. AND ALL WENT DOWN TO SMITH'S, WHERE PETE TREATED THE GANG WITH ICE CREAM AND BEER. YOU SHOULD A BEEN THERE!

HEADING THE LIST OF OUR FRIENDS WHO DID NOT MAKE THE TRIP (WE MISSED EVERYONE OF YOU) WAS OUR LEADER, KURT.

THE JOLLY GOOD FELLOWS: JANET R., CAINE, FRED KUIPERS (A VISITOR FROM THE NETHERLANDS), DICK BELL AND LITTLE DICK, MACK, PETE, RONNIE, DENNIS, RUSS, TOM CHAMBERLAIN, GENE AND DELBERT.

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KESSLER PEAK - JUNE 10, 1956

BY DORDE WRIGHT

ON THIS PERFECT DAY WITH EVEN A SLIGHT GALE TO BLOW AWAY THE FLIES, WE FOUND A MAXIMUM VIEW - EQUAL TO THAT FROM A MAJOR PEAK - WITH A MINIMUM EFFORT. EVEN US STRAGGLERS REACHED THE TOP IN 2 1/2 HOURS. LET NO ONE THINK THIS WAS NOT A COMPLETE HIKE, HOWEVER. IT FEATURED THE USUAL DEER TRAILS, SIDE HILLS, ROCK SCRAMBLING, RIDGE RUNNING, AND SLIPPERY SNOW PUSSY-FOOTING; EXCEPT FOR LEE STEORTS, WHO BOUNDED DOWN.

TRUE TO MOUNTAIN CLUB TRADITION, EVERYONE WANDERED UP AND DOWN HIS OWN WAY, BUT IT WAS SO EASY NO ONE GOT LOST -EVEN THE DETERMINED TRAIL-LOSERS. THERE WERE TWO PEAKS.

MOST PEOPLE IN THE PREVAILING CASUAL SPIRIT DID NOT PRESS ON TO THE SECOND, WHICH ROSE AT LEAST TEN FEET HIGHER. HOWEVER, SOME INTREPID FEW CONQUERED BOTH.

JEANNE AND WESTON LEE WITH RARE TRUE MOUNTAINEERING SPIRIT MADE STRAIGHT FOR THE HIGHER PEAK, AND DAUNTLESS KURT ROSENFELD NOT ONLY CLIMBED BOTH, BUT ASCENDED THE FIRST ONE TWICE MERELY TO KEEP THE LATECOMERS COMPANY.

OTHER SUNDAY STROLLERS: O'DELL PETERSEN, AUSTIN WAHRHAFTIG, RUBY ELLEDGE, HAL CUTLER, GENE HIGGENBOTHAM, PAUL KNOWLTON, CAINE ALDER, DOROTHY SIMKINS AND BOB AND DORDE WRIGHT.

BRIGHTON LODGE - WORK TRIP

JUNE 16-17

THE PUBLISHING DIRECTOR HAD STATED IN THE RAMBLER:
"SATURDAY - A BIT OF A PARTY; SUNDAY - A BIT OF WORK."

THE LODGE DIRECTOR DISAGREED: HE WORKED ALL THE TIME.

THE RESULTS MUST BE SEEN TO BE APPRECIATED. THOSE WHO
COME TO THE PARTY ON JUNE 30 WILL FIND SPARKLING PAINT
IN THE KITCHEN, CLEAN DRAPES, A FRONT PORCH FREE OF
SNOW, AND ONE LARGE TRUCKLOAD LESS OF MISCELLANEOUS
JUNK ABOUT. THIS LAST INCLUDED:

ONE OLD KITCHEN STOVE
TWO OLD HOT WATER TANKS
THREE GROSS EMPTY CANS, LARGELY BEER
FOUR HUNDREDWEIGHT OF CLINKERS AND
ASHES
AND OTHER ITEMS TOO NUMEROUS TO
MENTION.

WE DID NOT NEED TO FIX THE WATER SUPPLY. IT WAS
WORKING.

HELPING MAX EGLY WERE JOAN BYERLINE, LOLA ASPELIN,
VERA VAN TONGEL, COLEEN COX, BARNEY AND HELEN LEE,
WALTER AND BILLY ELSASSER, GLEN GREEN, DON, JEAN
AND DEAN PEARSON, CLARE SUNDWALL, RUBY ELLEDGE,
DENNIS MCSHARRY AND AUSTIN WAHRHAFTIG.