

# The Rambler

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## Wasatch Mountain Club

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# CLUB ACTIVITIES JANUARY 1983

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Sat. Jan 1 New Years Day	GREEN BASIN SNOWSHOE TOUR. Work off your previous night's hangover and then come to Ann's house for another one. Meet at the geology sign at 10 AM. (Participants in all New Years Day's tours welcome afterwards. No others, please, as the house is not large enough.) Ann McDonald, 277-5433.
Sat. Jan 1	SNAKE CREEK PASS FROM BRIGHTON (NTD). Meet leader Don Gray, 485-5170 at 10 AM at the Geology Sign. Bring your camera for a fine shot of Timp.
Sun. Jan 2	WHITE PINE CANYON (MoD). Leader needed; call Norm Fish at 359-5565.
Sun. Jan 2	WOLVERINE PEAK VIA TWIN LAKES PASS (MsD). Meet leader Dave Morris, 359-6274 at 9 AM at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon. Pieps and shovels are required.
Sat. Jan 8	AVALANCHE COURSE. The annual avalanche course will begin on Saturday at 8:00 AM in the auditorium of the Zion Lutheran Church, 1070 Foothill Blvd. (rear entrance). The morning session will consist of slides, movies, and lectures. We will adjourn for lunch and meet again in the afternoon at some snowy location to practice rescue techniques. (Skis and snowshoes will not be required.) A \$2.00 donation from the participants (\$3.00 for non-members) for the ski touring fund would be appreciated. Copies of some of the Forest Service avalanche publications will be on sale. The course is open to the public.
Sun. Jan 9	DOG LAKE FROM BRIGHTON (NTD). Marilyn Tueller will greet you at the mouth of Big Cottonwood at 10 AM.
Sun. Jan 9	STRAWBERRY PEAK (MoD). This tour starts from Daniel's Pass near Heber. Meet at parking lot east of Wendy's on 13th East and Simpson Avenue, 7 AM. Leader, Ferdinand de Souza, 582-6260.
Sun. Jan 9	UP SILVER FORK DOWN DAYS FORK (MSD). Leader Lorrie Webb, 566-0868
Sun. Jan 9	SILVER FORK SNOW SHOE TOUR. Meet leader, Vickie Stone (who has never been on snowshoes before) at the geology sign at 9 AM. $(364-5590)$

Cover Photo: Lone Peak by Joan Degiongio

- Sun. Jan 9
- SKI SOCIAL. The first apres ski party of the year will be hosted by Keith Johnson. Dinner and drinks will be served at a nominal price starting at 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM at 2636 Stringham Ave., Foothill Place, Bldg. A, #207. (Enter from Foothill Blvd., second building on left, enter Northside most Eastern door.) Call Keith 485-9667 for further information.
- Sat. Jan 15
- ICE CLIMBING SEMINAR. This one day session will aim to teach the fundamentals and safety aspects of the vertical world of technical ice climbing. Instructor for the course will be Joe Hall, helped out by his veteran assistants and other experts. No previous knowledge is required, but technical rock climbing experience would be very useful. Special equipment will be required (crampons, drooped pick ice ax, helmet, harness, and carabiners), but these can be rented from local sports shops or borrowed. The class will be held in Provo Canyon. All climbs will be top-roped. Advance as well as beginning climbing practice will be available. Call Joe Hall at 561-4029 to register and to ask about equipment. REGISTRATION PRIOR TO THE CLASS IS MANDATORY.
- Sat. Jan 15
- BEARTRAP FORK SNOWSHOE TOUR. This can be easy, or you can go all the way to the ridge which is a little harder. Joyce Sohler will lead the way, 487-3536. Meet at the geology sign at 9 AM.
- Sat. Jan 15
- SCOTT'S PASS W/VARIATIONS, MOD. Leader Karl Lagerbeg, 581-9826. Meet at 9 AM at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon.
- Sat. Jan 15
- HOYT'S PEAK, MSD. Meet leader George Swanson, 466-3003 at the K-Mart on Parley's Way at 8 AM. Pieps and shovels required.
- Sun. Jan 16
- MILL D TO DESOLATION LAKE, MOD. Meet leader Chuck Ranney, 583-1092 at 9 AM at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon.
- Sun. Jan 16
- CARDIFF, NTD. Meet leader Steve Summers, 484-9022 at 8:30 AM at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon.
- Sat. Jan 22
- CATHERINE PASS FROM BRIGHTON, MOD. The old river-runner, Bob Everson, 485-8998 will try this one on skis. Meet at the geology sign at the mouth of Big Cottonwood at 9:30.
- Sat. Jan 22
- AREA NORTH OF MAJESTIC LIFT, BRIGHTON, NTD. Charlie Keller, 467-3960 will explore this one in an NTD way. Meet at the geology sign at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon at 9:30.
- Sun. Jan 23
- LAKE BLANCHE, MSD. An old favorite led by the old man of the mountains, Alexis Kelner, 359-5387. Meet at the 7-11 at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon at 7:30. Call the leader for equipment requirements.
- Sun. Jan 23
- WHITE PINE CANYON, PARK CITY, MOD. Ski up to the White Pine Hilton and if you don't like the accommodations, build an igloo with the leader Bob Wright, 1-649-4194. Hot tub and ski social afterwards at his house.

- RED PINE SNOWSHOE TOUR. Red Pine is about 3 miles, but well Sun. Jan 23 worth it. Trudi Healy will lead this one. Meet at the geology sign at 9 AM.
- Sun. Jan 23 SKI SOCIAL. Given by Bob Wright. Dinner and drinks at a nominal price starting at 6:00 PM (note earlier time) to 9:00 PM at 222 Holiday Curve, Park City. This is in the Park West Village across from Park West. Call Bob, 649-4194 for further information.
- Sat. Jan 29 NEFFS CANYON SNOWSHOE TOUR. Meet at the Bagel Nosh on Foothill Blvd. at 39th South at 9:00 AM. Sheri Pater may lead from the rear, 278-6661.
- Sat. Jan 29 LEADERS CHOICE, MSD. Call leader Andy White, 484-5158 for details.
- Sat. Jan 29 MINERAL FORK, MOD. Karl Lagerberg, 581-9826 will lead this one. Meet at the geology sign at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon at 9:00.
- Sun, Jan 30 BACKSIDE OF ALPINE LOOP, MOD. Beautiful views of Timpanogas. Leaders, Charlie and Emily Hall, 277-1555. Meet at State Street and 7200 South in Collett's parking lot at 8:00 AM.
- WILLOW LAKE, NTD. Meet leader, Harry Kimbrough, 263-2937 at Sun. Jan 30 9:00 AM at the geology sign at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon.
- NOMINATIONS BANQUET AT THE HILTON INN. THE SOCIAL EVENT OF THE "YEAR" for WMC will be held this year at the Hilton Inn in the banquet rooms above Sophie Garcia's Restaurant, 154 West 600 South. The social hour will begin at 7:00 PM with a great dinner to follow at 8:00 PM. Since this is our nomination banquet, the Board of Directors for the 1983-84 year will be introduced (nominations will be accepted from the floor), awards will be presented, toasts may or may not be offered and a great time will be shared by those who attend. You may stay and work off your dinner (and drinks) and dance to the music of Chris Dokas which will start after the dinner "business" is finished.

Bring your own "beverage" or you may purchase in the lobby. All set-ups are included in the price of the dinner which is \$14.50. RESERVATIONS are required in the form of a check which must be received no later than February 3rd. Make it payable to the Wasatch Mountain Club and send it to Pat Peebles, 961 East 5650 South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84121. If more information is needed, call Pat at 266-7257.

WHITE PINE - LITTLE COTTONWOOD, MOD. Leader, Dick Leining, 583-1616 will take you as far as you want to go. Meet at the geology sign at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon at 8:30 AM.

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Sat. Feb 5	SNAKE CREEK PASS, NTD. Meet leader Marilyn Tueller, 467-8814 at the geology sign at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon at 9:30 AM.
Sat. Feb 5	HOMESTEAD SNOWSHOE TOUR. This trip will be in two sections. The first group, lead by Sue Gardner, will leave at 9 AM from the geology sign and snowshoe from the lodge in Brighton over to the Homestead in Heber. This is a long trip, so you must be in good shape and register with Sue. The second group will drive to Heber and meet the first group (hopefully). They will meet at the Bagel Nosh at 10 AM, car pool to Heber, snowshoe on the golf course, swim in the hot pools, eat dinner and drive group 1 home. Group 2 must also register. Sue can be reached at 533-8185.
Sun. Feb 6	MAYBIRD GULCH, MSD. Leader Gale Dick will meet at 9:00 AM at the geology sign at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon. Call leader at 359-5764 for equipment requirements.
Sun. Feb 6	DOWNHILL NORDIC PRACTICE AT ALTA. Meet Terry Rollins, 467-5088 at 8:00 AM at the geology sign at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon. Remember, this is not a lesson.
Sat. Feb 12	UPPER EMIGRATION CANYON, MOD. Explore a new area with Ellen Christensen, 261-3317. Meet at the entrance to Hogle Zoo at 9:00 AM.
Sat. Feb 12	LEADERS CHOICE, MSD. Call Mike Treshow at 467-8814 for details.
Sun. Feb 13	GRIZZLEY GULCH, NTD. One of the few places left for a NTD without a chair lift in the way. Meet leader, Bob Woody at the geology sign at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon at 9:00 AM.
Sun. Feb 13	REYNOLDS PEAK, MOD. A good chance to practice telemarks in powder. Meet leader Peter Hansen at 9:00 AM at the geology sign.
Sun. Feb 13	SKI SOCIAL. Given by Pat Peebles. Dinner and drinks at a nominal price starting at 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM at 961 East 5650 South. Call Pat 266-7257 for more information.
Sat. Feb 19	UINTA EXPLORATORY TOUR, MOD. Call leader, Mike Hendrickson, 942-1476 for details.
Sat. Feb 19	GREENS BASIN, NTD. Hank Winauer will show the way. Meet at 9:30 at the geology sign at the mouth of Big Cottonwood Canyon.
Presidents Day Weekend-Feb 19-21	BRYCE CANYON SNOWSHOE WEEKEND. We will leave Friday for Ruby's Inn where we have reserved four rooms (16 people at \$7.00 per night) for Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights. This is a beautiful time of the year to visit Bryce, and it is possible to make several different trips, both down in the canyon or around the rim. Bring your lunches. Other meals must be purchased (no food in rooms). A \$20.00 deposit will reserve your place and must be with leader, Marin Sands, 487-3454 by February 1. To those who asked for Yellowstone, our applopies, Bryce was just easier to negotiate.

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Sun. Feb 20	WOLVERINE CIRQUE, MOD. Beautiful alpine setting for some Nordic practice. Meet John Moellmer, 467-7519 at the geology sign at 9:00 AM.
Sun. Feb 20	BUTLER FORK TO ALEXANDER BASIN, MSD. A tour with the Caldwells up Butler Fork and perhaps Mt. Raymond with the return via Alexander Basin. Call 942-6065 for details.
Mon. Feb 21	PRESIDENTS DAY - DAYS FORK, MOD. Meet Paul Rubinfeld, 467-2615 at the geology sign at 9:00 AM.
Sun. Feb 27	SKI SOCIAL. Given by Billie Lium. Dinner and drinks at a nominal price starting at 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM at 4329 Shirley Lane. Call Billie, 278-5438 for more information.

Sun. Mar 27 SKI SOCIAL. Given by Sally Kosmider. Dinner and drinks at nominal price starting at 6:00 PM (note earlier time) to 9:00 PM at 726 South 6th East #B, basement. Call Sally at 364-1392 for more

information.

SKI SOCIAL. Given by Alexis and Karla Kelner, Dinner and drinks at nominal price starting at 7:00 (note later time) to 10:00 PM at 1201 - 1st Avenue. Call them at 359-5387 for more information.

Sun. Mar 13

#### OGDEN AREA OUTINGS By Chuck Reichmuth (1-621-3834)

For those WMC members living in the greater Ogden area, an dothers, who are interested, the following is a schedule of outings planned by the Ogden Group Sierra Club for January. These outings are open to public participation.

#### Jan. 1983

Sun. Jan 9

CROSS-COUNTRY SKI TOUR: Excellent tour for recent graduates of Lawrence's clinic. Maples area of Snow Basin. Meet at the Ogden High School stadium parking lot, 9:30 AM. Bring lunch.

Sat. Jan 22

WILDLIFE X-C SKI TOUR: A ski tour specifically designed to observe active winter birds and animals. Led by a knowledgeable Wildlife Resources officer. Quiet children are encouraged. Croyden/Devil's Slide area. Moderate tour. Meet at Ogden High School stadium parking lot, 9:30 AM. Bring lunch.



Photo by Art Whitehead

#### ANNUAL WMC AVALANCHE COURSE

8:00 AM, Saturday, January 8, 1983 Zion Lutheran Church, 1070 Foothill Blvd. (rear entrance) Open to the Public \$3.00 donation requested (\$2.00 WMC members)



The morning session of this annual course will include film and discussion about predicting and avoiding avalanche dangers, safe route selection, and proper victim and rescuer courses of action.

The afternoon session will convene at a time and snowy location to be announced at the morning session and will

concentrate on practice of rescue techniques, both with probes and electronic transceivers.

Ski or snowshoes are not needed, but warm boots and gators are a must as we will be walking in snow.

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## NOMINATION BANQUENT



THE HILTON INN



154 W. 600 S.

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 5, 1983

7:00 P.M. SOCIAL 8:00 P.M. DINNER 9:00 P.M. DANCING



\$14.50 PER PERSON WITH SET-UPS RSVP BY FEBRUARY 3, 1983

MORE INFO CALL PAT PEEBLES 266-7257



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## MEMBERSHIP LIST

JANUARY 1983

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#### NOMINATIONS 1983 By Ilka Allers-Olsen

The Nominating Committee is pleased to announce the names of members who have agreed to run for the Board of Directors:

President: Lew Hitchner or Pat Peebles Secretary: Janet Friend or Sam Allen

Treasurer: Terry Rollins
Rafting: Kerry Amerman

Conservation: Pete Hovingh and Mike Budig

Entertainment: Keith Johnson
Membership: Irene Schilling
Hiking: Norm Fish

Lodge: Alexis Kelner and Sherie Pater

Mountaineering: John Veranth
Ski Touring Steve Summers
Kayaking: Debbie Carlson
Publications: Karrie Galloway
Trustee: Mike Treshow

Although the committee contacted many members regarding these nominations; it recognizes that there may still be well-qualified individuals who it inadvertently missed, but who wish to run.

Nominations remain open until the Nomination's Banquet on February 5, 1983. Anyone interested in running may contact Ilka Allers-Olsen at 272-6305, or they may be nominated from the floor at the banquet.

Members who are interested in serving their club, but who are unable to consider a director's position at this time, may wish to volunteer to help newly elected directors by serving on committees or leading activities. Please contact the respective directors after the elections in March if interested.

The committee wishes to take this opportunity to thank the following directors who have chosen not to run for re-election for their many hours of dedicated work and their excellent leadership:

President: Mike Treshow
Entertainment: Pat Peebles
Membership: Betsy Minden
John Veranth

Mountaineering: Lew Hitchner
Publications: Allen Olsen an

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Trustee: O'Dell Peterson

This year's Nominating Committee consisted of Ilka Allers-Olsen, Kerry Amerman, Milt Hollander and Oscar Robison.



### WMC BULLETIN BOARD

## MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR'S NOTE By Betsy Minden

#### Please remember:

- 1. Applications for membership  $\underline{\text{MUST}}$  be signed by trip leaders. A proxy will not be accepted.
- 2. Notify the Membership Director of any changes of name, address, and telephone number. The U.S. Post Office may or may not forward your Rambler.
- 3. Membership renewals will be sent out in March.

#### NOTE FROM THE SNOWSHOE COORDINATOR

Many of the WMC snowshoe trips are suitable for beginner X-country skiers and are often slower than beginner ski trips. If you would like to join us, please call the leader to make sure that the trip you would like to go on is suitable.

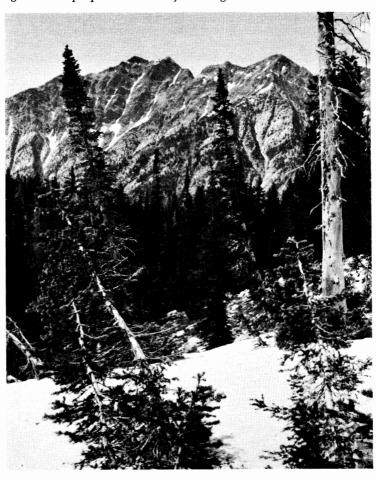
#### S'PLORE

X-Country Skiing for Handicapped Folks
Needs Your Donation of
X-Country Skiis, Poles, Boots &
Wool Clothing
Please call Patti at 363-7130

## NOTES FROM THE ENTERTAINMENT DIRECTOR By Pat Peebles

The Thanksgiving Dinner at the Lodge was shared by 25 people besides an excellent dinner the comradery was great!! My special thanks to Barbara Richards for coordinating the meal.

RE: SKI SOCIALS. You get good food and drink at a very nominal price thanks to the hours of work in the kitchen and the hospitality of your host(ess). Sometimes guests forget to PAY for their dinner and/or drinks. This is your hosts loss not the WMC loss. They cover all expenses out of their pockets and charge us just to get their expenses back. There will be two socials each month during January, February, and March. Please check the Rambler for starting times as they vary for each social and please remember this is a Sunday evening and most people have Monday morning commitments!



Twins from Red Pine by Norm Fish

## CONSERVATION NOTES By Peter Hovingh

There are many conservation and environmental issues and, about as many organizations involved with these issues. In the frontiers of the West the issues are often different than in the long-settled East. Likewise, the knowledge of the natural systems is less known in the West than in the East.

Many of the issues involve land and land management. Arid lands cannot be treated the same way as rain-forest lands. One of the best means to protect lands is the Wilderness Classification. To help achieve more lands into the National Wilderness Preservation Areas, the Wasatch Mountain Club has contributed to Utah Wilderness Association.

In the arid west water issues are the basis of many political actions. We have passed the era of large dam constructions on major streams. We have now entered into the era where water is gradually pumped from the stream - leaving the potential of not having any stream left. Likewise, with peaking power being increased at the large dams, the stream bed may oscillate between a dry bed and a flooded bed. To assist in the preservation of streams, the Wasatch Mountain Club contributes to the Intermountain Water Alliance.

Often events can occur and there is no understanding as to a cause. A certain species of bird can decline greatly in numbers. Yet its habitat and food supply seems assured. Only recently has the realization been made that many migratory birds spend most of their time (8 months out of the year) in the tropics. The destruction of the tropics can lead to greatly reduced numbers of species in the North. Nature Conservancy is greatly interested in examining the habitat requirements of tropical ecosystems and in preserving these ecosystems. The Wasatch Mountain Club contributes to this organization.

This coming winter a lecture series on the Great Basin will occur in the Chemistry Building at the University of Utah campus. The series is sponsored in part by the Wasatch Mountain Club and organized by the Utah Museum of Natural History. The lecture series should be of interest to all members of the Wasatch Mountain Club who enjoy the Great Basin. It might change the course of a hike from an overlook in which a vista of 100 miles can be seen to an underlook of a lizard or a blooming sagebrush. The more we understand our environment, the more enjoyable the environment becomes, but --- the less tolerable one becomes of the gigantic (or even little) impacts!

### FEDERATION OF WESTERN OUTDOOR CLUBS ANNUAL MEETING By Barbara Richards, Delegate

The annual FWOC meeting was held at Evergreen State College, Olympia, Washington from August 27th to August 29th, 1982. The 22 delegates in attandance represented forty-two outdoor clubs and a total membership of 400,000 persons.

The FWOC is a conservation-oriented coalition of outdoor clubs whose purpose is to retain, expand and protect wilderness, the environment, and plant and animal life therein. The Wasatch Mt. Club was a charter member when the Federation was established in 1932 and is rejoining the FWOC after several years of non-membership.

During the meetings we heard speakers from the eight western states represented in FWOC. The presentations were geared to conservation issues of concern in these states.

My most compelling observation was that the majority of conservation workers at this meeting were senior club members. I found them intelligent, articulate, and concerned. My recommendations are that the WMC, 1) offer some activities geared to our older club members' interests and abilities, and 2) that we make use of these people who because of their mature realization of the benefits of conservation are willing to devote some of their time to the type of concerns which will benefit future generations.

#### GREAT BASIN LECTURE SERIES

The Utah Museum of Natural History is pleased to sponsor a series of lectures focusing on the Great Basin. This area in which we live is one of the most unique environments in the world. Very few individuals recognize or understand the complexities of this landscape. With increasing social, economic and political pressures being placed on the Great BAsin Region, we believe it is critical that the public have every opportunity to become informed. If we are to develop a sense of place, we must begin at home - in the Great Basin.

TIME: Monday Evenings, 7:30 PM

PLACE: 103 Henry Eyring Building (Chemistry)

COST: \$1.00 per lecture (13) or \$10.00 for Series (UMNH Members - Series

Price \$8.00)

CO-SPONSERS: Utah Nature Study Society

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"GEOLOGIC HISTORY OF THE GREAT BASIN", William Lee Stokes, Ph.D. Geology; University of Utah Faculty

January 10, 1983

"EARLY PEOPLES OF THE GREAT BASIN", David B. Madsen, Ph.D. Anthropology; Utah State Archeologist

January 17, 1983

"THE CLIMATOLOGY OF THE GREAT BASIN", David B. Madsen, Ph.D. Anthropology; Utah State Archeologist

January 24, 1983

"ICE AGE LAKES & GLACIERS OF THE GREAT BASIN", Donald B. Currey, Ph.D. Geography & Paleogeography; University of Utah Faculty

January 31, 1983

"PLANTS OF THE GREAT BASIN", Leroy Wullestein, Ph.D., Biology; University of Utah Faculty

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#### February 7, 1983

"FISHES OF THE GREAT BASIN", Gerald R. Smith, Ph.D., Biology; University of Michigan Faculty

#### February 14, 1983

"LIZARD ECOLOGY OF THE GREAT BASIN", Orlando Cuellar, Ph.D. Biology; University of Utah Faculty

#### February 21, 1983

"THÉ PELICANS OF GREAT SALT LAKE", Edwin Rawley, M.S. Wildlife Science, Wildlife Planner for Utah Division of Wildlife Resources

#### February 28, 1983

"MAMMALS OF THE GREAT BASIN", Norman Negus, Ph.D., Biology; University of Utah Faculty

#### March 7, 1983

"THE GREAT SALE LAKE ECOSYSTEM: A PHOTOGRAPHIC PERSPECTIVE", John Telford, Photographer, Teacher, Environmentalist; University of Utah

#### March 14, 1983

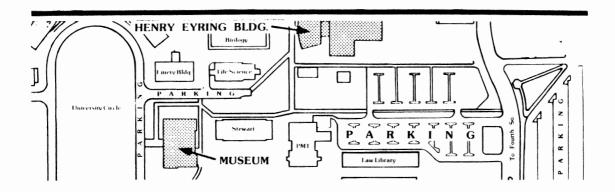
"THE NORTHWESTERN SHOSHONE: LOST TPIBE OF THE GREAT BASIN", Brigham D. Madsen, Ph.D. History, University of Utah Faculty

#### March 21, 1983

"CONTEMPORARY ISSUES FACING THE GREAT BASIN", Genevieve Atwood; Director Utah Geological & Mineral Survey

#### March 28, 1983

"THE GREAT BASIN BIOREGION: HOMELAND AND HEARTLAND", Florence R. Krall, Ph.D. Education; University of Utah Faculty



## TRIP Talk talk talk talk

## Gourmet Snow Shoe Tour to Lake Mary "Can You Stomach This?" by Neil Hinckley

Delicious, sumptuous, haute cuisine are insufficient superlatives to describe the partable, delectable, eatables shared by the "hungry twenty-one" who participated in the Gourmet Snow Shoe Tour to Lake Mary on November 21st. What better motivation do you need to strap on snow shoes at the Brighton parking lot and go on the leisurely trek, knowing a delightful gastronomic adventure awaited you at the lake site. Cantankerous bindings, deep powder snow, and a lack of expertise could not deter meophytes such as myself from reaching our intended savory goal; thanks to the patient encouragement and assistance offered bv the experienced members of the group.

Once at the lake site everyone put their ravenous appetites to rest by generously contributing to the inventive buffet. Among their delicious entrees were: fat German sausages steeped in spicy mustard or rolled in garlic pastry; three choices of marinated mushrooms; stuffed olive and balls; various cheeses crackers; hot, thick, Mexican chile; succulent fruit, and bean salads; thick, rich chocolate fondue; light, flaky french pastries; jumbo oatmeal cookies, and rich cheesecake smothered in berries. All this enhanced by an appropriate selection of wines, moca, and hot coffee laced with Amaretto, all of which had their collective mellowing effect. delightful repast easily rated four stars and would have teased the palate of a French connoisseur.

The weather cooperated by allowing the sun to shine and chase away the early morning chill, only to bring a cool, nippy afternoon breeze; reminding the reluctant overfed that it was time to police the area and return to the parking lot with a contented feeling that we had shared in one of WMC's traditional activities.

A special thanks to Ann McDonald and Joy Ray who organized and lead the outing and another "K,do" to Art Whitehead for recording the feast on film. A Bromoselzer, Anti-acid offering to: Marin Sands, Bruck Hopkins, Charles Cavanah, Irene Schilling, Hardy Schremm, Larry Hoskins, Pat Peebles, Will Lachani, Larry Ball, Dana Murphrey, Robert Kineng, Leslee Woods, Robert Royelski, Kermit Earle, Jerry Powelson, Sherie Pater, Mike Treshow, Marilyn Quetller, may your delictable recipes reign supreme at future WMC bashes.

## Scott's Pass and the Ski Patrol Scramble by Jeff Robinson

Fourteen of us headed up Big Cottonwood Canyon on a sunshiny November 20th. We were greeted by about eight inches of new snow, and began cutting fresh tracks up the mountain. A snowshoe rabbit and a porcupine watched us puffing up the trail. Soon everyone had tucked their coat into their packs and beads of perspiration were to be seen.

Near the pass we encountered some tracks. Someone had beaten us to the top. At last we reached the pass and rounded the last corner. We were looking

forward to tracking up the powder in the bowl there, which later in the year will become down hiller's territory. To our chagrin all that was there was the remains of a fresh avalanche, Milt Hollander and Terry Rollins. On seeing us they proudly proclaimed to have stabilized the slope just for us. Milt and Terry had come up another way, beaten us to the top, looked at the slope, and decided it was moderately stable. Milt had turned his way down the slope without mishap. Terry started to follow, had fallen, and set off the slide. Luckily he was just on the edge, and was not buried at all. In fact he said he rather enjoyed being swept down the mountain. As it carried him about fifty feet he was watching the main part of the slide and the associated sympathetic releases. The slide had been a soft slab a foot to two feet deep at the fracture line. It was about seventy five yards wide and had run out into the flats for a couple hundred Milt exclaimed he had never wrecked so much powder so fast.

Terry and Milt were hiking back up to the ridge to ski the remaining little patch of virgin snow and the rest of the club members were settling down for lunch when the still air was cut by the sound of a snow cat. The cat roared right up to the pass and two patrolmen jumped from

the cat and began shouting had anyone seen the slide, and was anyone buried? They were assured everyone was all right and they rather angrily questioned Milt and Terry. Pretty soon more ski patrolmen started arriving. it seems the resort had fired up the Jupiter lift, which was not yet open and the whole ski patrol had mobilized to rescue buried souls in the slide. In all about a dozen ski patrol members arrived by skiing down the ridge from the lift. We WMCers sat off to the side eating lunch and criticizing the patrolmen's ski technique as they arrived one by one. As each new patrolman arrived, Terry and Milt had to repeat their story. Finally the head of the patrol arrived and told Milt and Terry they had to come back to the resort to sign waivers, reports and release forms. waved as they disappeared down the valley flanked by the patrolmen. show and our lunch were over so we packed up and had a nice cruise back to the cars as clouds moved in. members were Trudy Healy, Dennis Zwang, Mike Hendrickson, Jim Mullen, Jim Watts, Michale Budig, Paul Rubinfeld, Hand Winawer, John Riley, Don Birestone, Chuck Ranney, Karl Lagerberg, Jeff Robinson and Bill Monnie.



### Wasatch Mountain Club

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP/REINSTATEMENT and RAMBLER SUBSCRIPTION QUALIFICATION FORM

	NAME:	PARTNER'S NAME	
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