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WMC Purpose

(Article II of the WMC Constitution)

The purpose shall be to promote the physical and spiritual well being of its members and others by outdoor activities: to unite the energy, interests and knowledge of students, explorers and lovers of the mountains, deserts and rivers of Utah; to collect and disseminate information regarding the Rocky Mountains in behalf of science, literature and art; to explore and picture the scenic wonders of this and surrounding states; and to foster awareness of our natural areas including their plants, animal and bird life.

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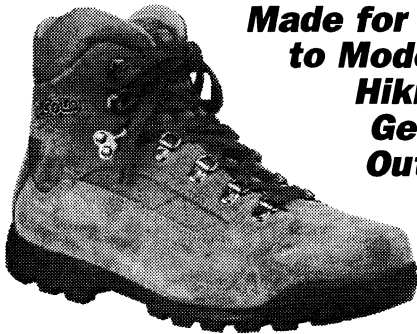
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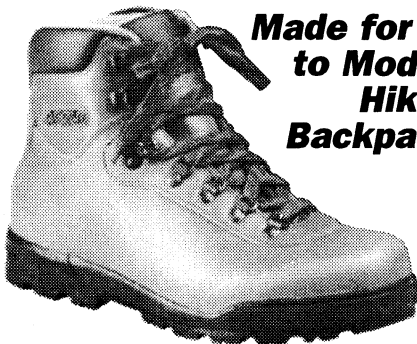
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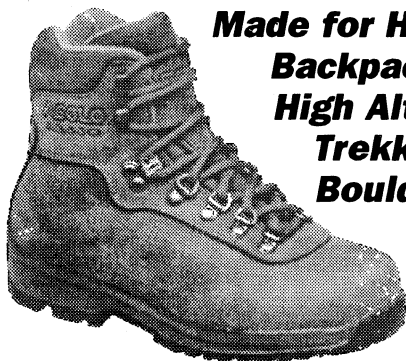
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TENNIS NETWORK

We are a group of WMC members that play tennis regularly. Our levels range from 2.5 - 4.0. If you are interested in playing, please contact Jeri at 561-3777.

WMC OFFICIAL HIKING MAPS

Copies of the official WMC Map, "Hiking The Wasatch" are available to WMC members at a discount. The map retails for \$10 but members can obtain copies for \$8.50 including sales tax. The Club also profits from these sales. The maps are available at the WMC office during office hours and on many WMC activities.

REI CLINICS

All clinics are held at REI, located at 3285 E. 3300 S. in Salt Lake City. for additional information, please call (801) 486-2100

REI TRAILS DAY PROJECTS. June 1, 1996. Salt Lake City REI and the Salt Lake City Ranger will reroute the pipeline trail. In Provo/Orem area work will be done on the Rock Canyon Trailhead, with REI, Provo Parks and Recreation and the US Forest Service.

Backpacking Basics. Tuesday June 4, 1996 7pm. An excellent course for those who have always wanted to backpack, but lacked the experience and knowledge to do it safely. Conducted by Karen Schroyer, REI's backpacking lead and Jim Melo.

Jordan River Race. Thursday, June 13, 1996 at 6pm. REI'S 6th annual Jordan River Race will run from approximately 1700 S. to Riverside Park in Salt Lake City. Racers must be at least 12 yrs. old and pre-registration at REI is encouraged.

Bicycling 101. Tuesday, June 18, 1996. Elliott Mott, author of *Cycling Possibilities*, will cover rules of the road, ride etiquette, equipment, clothing, tools, shifting and spinning, pre-ride prep and flat tire repair.

Call of the Wild: How to Survive and Enjoy the Wilderness Experience. Friday, June 21 at 7pm. David Scott and Dr. Forgey will discuss a Canadian wilderness adventure and the lessons learned
Enhanced Wilderness Medicine Workshop. Saturday June 22, 1996 12Noon-6pm. William F. Forgey, MD and David Scott will conduct this 5 hr. workshop on handling soft-tissue and orthopedic injuries, bites, stings and infectious disease, high altitude illness, hypothermia and basic survival tips for outdoor activities.

WASATCH MOUNTAIN CLUB ACTIVITIES

Only activities approved by the appropriate WMC director can be listed in the Club activities section of *The Rambler*. Send your proposed activity for approval to the hiking, boating, skiing, etc., director for inclusion in their activity schedule. Those activities sent directly to *The Rambler* without approval will not be published.

*** Participation in any WMC activity can be dangerous. It is **your** responsibility to evaluate your own preparedness and ability to safely participate in any activity.

*** On ski tours requiring avalanche transceivers, be advised that this season, only beacons compatible with the new international frequency standard (457 kHz) will be accepted on WMC ski tours.

+++ On bike rides and climbs, helmets must be worn.

ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

MAY 30 THURS THURSDAY NIGHT HIKE: Meet at Big Cottonwood Parking Lot. Thursday night hikes leave promptly at 6:30 p.m. and are limited to club members only.

JUNE 1 SAT HIKE: BROADS FORK TO MEADOW (MOD 4.3) Organizer Karen Perkins (272-2225) leads this hike in Big Cottonwood Canyon to one of her favorite views in the Wasatch. Meet Karen at the Big Cottonwood Parking Lot at 9 a.m.

JUNE 1 SAT HIKE: LONE PEAK VIA ALPINE (EXT 13) Organizer Tom Walsh (969-5842) will take a northerly approach going via both Hamongogs. We will summit on the south peak facing directly into Question Mark wall. Call Tom to register and for details.

JUNE 1 SAT HIKE: BOUNTIFUL PEAK (MSD) Mad Man Of The Mountains, Burt Balzer (299-0246) leads this all day trek in Davis County. Meet Burt at the Centerville Albertsons southeast corner parking lot at 7:30 a.m. Any questions, give the "mad man" a ring.

JUNE 1 SAT HIKE: GRANDEUR PEAK VIA CHURCH FORK (MOD 5.4) Larene Miller (278-8758) leads this hike to a favorite Wasatch Front destination. Meet at Skyline High east lot at 9 a.m.

JUNE 1 SAT HIKE: MT. RAYMOND (MSD) Organizer Louise Rausch (583-3305) is hoping for a great turnout on this popular hike. As of publishing time Louise is not sure of the exact route. Give Louise a call for more info. and to preregister.

Jun 1 Sat BIKE: ROAD/MTN ALPINE LOOP (MOD). Kermit Earle (467-9690) will organize this spectacularly scenic ride up American Fork Canyon, and down Provo Canyon. The ride will consist of 43 miles with climbing. We will have lunch at Sundance; you can buy or bring your own. Meet Kermit at the 5300S/I-15 Park & Ride (SW side of freeway), at 8:30AM to carpool to the starting point. Helmets required.

JUNE 2 SUN HIKE: DOUGHNUT FALLS FAMILY HIKE (NTD 1.4) Sarah and David Rumbellow (581-9650 562-7439) say this is an excellent hike for children. Meet at Big Cottonwood lot at 9:30 a.m. Any questions? Call Dave or Sarah.

JUNE 2 SUN HIKE: LAKE BLANCHE (NTD 3.7) The waterfalls in Mill B South should be at their peak for this WMC classic. Call Organizer Cindy Buchman (944-1713) to register. Limit is 14.

JUNE 2 SUN HIKE: THE BEATOUT (EXT) Bored? Tired of the same old Sunday hike? Foot Odor? Walt Haas (534-1262) has the cure. Walt leads this classic WMC Super hike for the Chronically Challenged. Dawn till dusk hiking, scrambling, glissadeing, and exposure. Ice ax is required along with excellent physical conditioning (and dementia?). Limit is 13, call Walt to register.

June 2, Sunday at 3 p.m. SOCIAL: PIANO CONCERT/GARDEN PARTY Come celebrate classical music & learn about the Gina Bachauer International Piano Competition. We will be treated to the piano artistry of David Brooks. Please bring either a special hors d'oeuvre or sumptuous dessert to share. It will be an afternoon of sundresses, floppy hats, and sandals. You can stroll barefoot through the grass or lounge with lemonade by the creek. Call Camille @ 272-4552 for more details.

June 2 Sun BIKE: ROAD TINTIC MOUNTAIN LOOP (MSD). Yes folks, this looks like an annual thing with Sam Kingston. This ride is 100 miles of backroads west of Payson, through Genola, Goshen, Mona, Nephi, Eureka, and the historic Tintic mining district. There will be about 2600 feet of climbing involved, so please, **ABLE AND PREPARED RIDERS ONLY!** Meet Sam (355-8043) at the 7200S Park & Ride at 8AM sharp, or at 9AM at the Payson Park & Ride (adjacent to Main St McDonald's). Helmets required.

June 2 Sun BIKE: ROAD/MTN JEREMY TO JORDANELLE (MOD). If Sam's century is too much for you, Ralph and Donna Fisher have an alternative. They plan to ride from the new Jeremy Ranch School (can be seen from I-80, Jeremy Ranch exit), out to and around the Jordanelle Reservoir. About 50 miles of rolling terrain will

be covered, plus a moderate climb overlooking the reservoir itself. Carpool from the Parley's K-Mart on your own at 9AM to meet Ralph and Donna (649-0183) at 10AM, at the school. Helmets required.

JUNE 3 MON BOATING: WORK PARTY, delores. Meet at the boating shed 7 pm for plans and preparation for the Ruby/Horsethief Canyon trip (see explanation below). Call Eileen Gidley (255-4336) for a map if you need to know how to get to the Boat Shed.

JUNE 4 TUE TUESDAY NIGHT HIKE: DESOLATION TRAIL TO SALT LAKE OVERLOOK Leisure hike for new and prospective members. Approximately 4 miles, elevation gain of 1250 ft. Meet at Skyline High parking lot at 6:15 p.m., hike departs promptly at 6:30 p.m.. Contact organizer Christene Allred (262-2647) with any questions.

JUNE 4 TUES HIKE: DESOLATION TRAIL TO THE SALT LAKE OVERLOOK leisure hike for new and prospective members. Approximately 4 miles, elevation gain 1250ft. Meet at 6:15 PM at Skyline High parking lot. Leave for hike promptly at 6:30 PM. Organizer Christene Allred 262-2647.

JUNE 4 TUES MOUNTAIN BIKE: TUESDAY NIGHT RIDE (MOD+) : PIPELINE MILL CREEK CANYON. Meet Tim Boschert (298-1814) in front of the Einstein Bros.'s Bagels at 3800 So. at 6:00 pm for a late afternoon ride on the steep, deep and exposed pipeline section. Dinner afterwards?

JUNE 5 WED WMC BOARD MEETING. ALL WMC members are welcome to attend the monthly meeting of the Governing Board. The meeting will be held on the first Wednesday of June at 7:00pm at the WMC office, 1390 S. 1100 E.. No pre board social is planned this month.

JUN 5 WED CLIMBING- GATE BUTTRESS- 6:00 at the parking lot 1 mile up Little Cottonwood cyn. Call Sam Albano (486 4787) if you have questions. **HELMETS MUST BE WORN**

JUNE 5 WEDS WEDNESDAY NIGHT HIKE: Wednesday night hikes are leisurely and open to members and nonmembers. Meet at Skyline High parking lot. Hike leaves promptly at 6:30 p.m.

June 5 Wed BIKE: ROAD/MTN MILLCREEK CANYON (MOD). Meet Jim Z. (484-8271) for the assault on the canyon. Meet at Skyline High (3251E 3760S) at 6PM, to ride to the gate, or as far as you can go. Helmets required.

June 5, Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. SOCIAL: MOVIE NIGHT Meet Lou (553-8107) at the Sugarhouse pizza place for pizza scarfing before watching one of 10 movies. Afterwards, get a dose of caffeine and conversation at Maxi Java. Co-listed with Sierra Singles.

JUNE 6 THURS THURSDAY NIGHT HIKE: Meet at Big Cottonwood Park n Ride. Thursday night hikes leave promptly at 6:30 p.m. and are limited to club members only.

June 7to9 FRI-SUN BOATING: DELORES RIVER II. Regrettably the Delores River is unrunnable. The trip destination will be **Ruby/Horsethief Canyon** on the Colorado River. The trip will be the same length and promises beautiful vistas and calm water. Call Eileen Gidley (255-4336) for more information.

JUNE 7 to 9 FRI NITE-SUN CARCAMP: SAN RAFAEL SWELL Organizer Patrick McEwen (571-5033) invites families with children on this trip. Pat is looking at either the Devil's Canyon or Goblin Valley areas and has a "secret canyon" in mind that even Steve Allen does not know about. Call Pat to preregister.

JUNE 8 SAT HIKE: STRAWBERRY BOWL VIA BEUS TRAIL (MSD) This trip is colisted with the Sierra Club. Trip organizer Dan Schroeder (393-4603-home, 626-6048-work) will visit the future site of the Snowbasin mid-mountain restaurant. Bring a lunch and meet at the top of 46th St. in Ogden at 8:30 a.m. Call Dan for details.

JUNE 8 SAT HIKE: BELLS CANYON (MOD) Organizer Cassie Badowsky (278-5153) leads this wilderness hike to a crown jewel of the Wasatch.

JUNE 8 SAT HIKE: MOUNT EVERGREEN (NTD 3.0) Want great views of Brighton and Solitude? Join Roger Lester (363-5417) on this wonderful peak between the two ski areas. Meet Roger 9 a.m. at Big Cottonwood Canyon Park n Ride.

JUNE 8 SAT HIKE: WHITE PINE CANYON (MOD 5.5) Join Peter Campbell (966-6032) and other spirited folk for a jaunt to this popular destination. Meet Peter 9 a.m. at Little Cottonwood Canyon Park n Ride.

JUNE 8 to 9 SAT-SUN CARCAMP: ORGANIZERS CHOICE Destination will depend on snow levels. Call organizer Aaron Jones (467-3532) to register.

June 8, Saturday at 6 p.m. SOCIAL: WE'RE DOING IT AGAIN - YARD PARTY/BARBECUE Having such a great crowd last year, we want to se y'all again! Celebrate the coming of summer with Russ & Linda Pack for an evening of good food and socializing. The grills will be fired up & waiting for you to bring your favorite food item to grill, a dish to share (enough for 6 to 8) and the beverage(s) of your choice. Location: 1996 E. 10980 S., Sandy. (As you head east on 10600 S., turn right at 2000 E., then right at 10980 S.). If you have questions, please call the Packs (572-5653).

JUNE 8 SAT ROAD & MOUNTAIN BIKE: RIDE/PLANNING SOCIAL (NTD & MOD) Join fellow road and mountain bike riders on both NTD and MOD

rides around the Mountain Dell area and Corner Canyon. Meet at 2:00 pm at the home of Russ and Linda Pack, 1996 E 10980 So. Sandy. A planning meeting will follow the rides to discuss future summer events and rides. Call Frank Bernard at 533-9219 for more info.

June 8 Sat BIKE: ROAD/MTN BIG MOUNTAIN (MOD+). Jim Piani (272-3921) will organize this ride up Emigration Canyon, down the backside, and up to the Big Mountain summit. This out and back ride will be 32 miles long with about 3200 feet of climbing. Meet him at 9AM at Sunnyside Park (1730E Sunnyside 840S). Helmets required.

June 8 Sat BIKE: ROAD/MTN LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD (MOD). Bonneville Bicycle Touring is sponsoring this metric century (65 miles) for women only, around beautiful Cache Valley. Call the BBTC Hotline (534-4451) for details.

JUNE 9 SUN HIKE: THE PFEIFERHORN (MSD 10.0) So you didn't get enough of this mountain on May 19, eh? Organizer Mohammed Abdallah (466-9016) says "hey dude you can always come back for more!" Call Mohammed to preregister. An ice ax for glissadeing and nerves of steel (for whatever) are required.

JUNE 9 SUN HIKE: HEAD OF MILLCREEK CANYON (NTD 3.4) Join Pat Kottcamp (467-7231) for this easy paced hike to the 8,930 ft. Pass overlooking Wolf Mountain Ski Area. Meet Pat 9 a.m. at Skyline High parking lot.

JUNE 9 SUN HIKE: SHANGRI LA (NTD) Shangri La in the Wasatch? Where is it? You will have to call Wes Groesbeck (485-0280) to find out. Wes is inviting a limited number of lucky souls to find this gem.

JUNE 9 SUN HIKE: MOUNT AIRE (MOD 4.6) John Battalio (487-6605) plans to take a leisurely pace up this Wasatch classic. Come and smell the roses with him. Meet John 9 a.m. at Skyline High parking lot.

JUNE 9 SUN HIKE: LOOKOUT PK. VIA KILLYON'S CANYON (MOD 6.0) Kerri "Don't Leave The Trail" Adams (532-6630) leads this early summer classic. Meet Kerri at exit of This Is The Place state park (across from northeast corner of the Hogle Zoo parking lot).

JUNE 9 SUN HIKE: WILDER CAT! WILDCAT RIDGE VIA NORTH FACE OF OLYMPUS (EXT) Been there, done that! No way hombre. This is a new hike. Expect scrambling and exposure along with more scrambling and exposure followed by a descent into Neffs Canyon. An ice ax is required. This will be a very long day but you get bragging rights along with the blisters. Limited to 8, call organizer John Mason (278-2535) to register.

JUNE 9 SUN MOUNTAIN BIKE: MUELLER PARK (MOD) Join Rick Kirkland on a 14 mile single track adventure. Billed as one of the premier rides in Utah, with 1800' gain and a wild downhill on the backside. Meet at the Bountiful Kmart, I-15 north exit 318 at 9:00 am. Call Rick at 486-0909 for more details.

June 9 Sun BIKE: ROAD/MTN BIG BAD WOLF (MOD). This is the second half of the weekend program in Cache Valley: a metric century (65 miles) for men only. Typically, the men support the women's ride on Saturday and vice-versa for Sunday. However, support participation is not required to ride. Call the BBTC Hotline for details (534-4451).

June 10 MON BOATING: WORK PARTY FOR SALMON RIVER TRIP. Meet Ed Christy at the Boating Shed at 7 pm to work the details for the trip.

JUNE 11 TUE TUESDAY NIGHT HIKE: GREENS BASIN VIA DAYS FORK Leisure hike for new and prospective members. Approximately 4 miles, elevation gain of 1050 ft. Meet at Big Cottonwood park & ride at 6:15 p.m., hike departs promptly at 6:30 p.m.. Contact organizer Larene Miller (278-8758) with any questions.

June 11 Tues Hike: Greens Basin via Days Fork leisure hike for new and prospective members. Approximately 4 miles, elevation gain 1050ft. Meet at 6:15 PM at the Big Cottonwood Park & Ride. Leave for hike promptly at 6:30 PM. Organizer Larene Miller 278-8758.

JUNE 11 TUES MOUNTAIN BIKE: TUESDAY NIGHT RIDE (MOD+) Ride the trails of Park City. Meet at the parking lot adjacent to the Wasatch Brew Pub at the top of Main Street at 6:00 pm. Call the WMC mailbox at 363-7150 or Tim Boschert at 298-1814 h, 299-5710 w for info.

JUN 12 WED CLIMBING- Little Cottonwood Canyon - 6:00 at the parking lot 1 mile up Little Cottonwood Canyon, organizers' choice climb. Call Sam Albano (486 4787) if you have questions. **HELMETS MUST BE WORN.**

JUNE 12 WEDS WEDNESDAY NIGHT HIKE: Wednesday night hikes are leisurely and open to members and nonmembers. Meet at Skyline High parking lot. Hike leaves promptly at 6:30 p.m.

JUNE 12 WED MOUNTAIN BIKE: WEDNESDAY BEGINNER CLINIC/ RIDE (NTD). Tim Boschert (298-1814) will organize an introductory how-to mountain bike ride on the Shoreline Trail. Tim will discuss bike and rider preparation and handling skills. Meet at the Red Butte Gardens parking area ready to go at 6:00pm.

June 12 Wed BIKE: ROAD/MTN MILLCREEK CANYON (MOD). Meet Lily Schumann (263-3971) for a ride up Millcreek Canyon. We will leave from Skyline

High (3251E 3760S) at 6:30PM, to ride to the gate, or as far as you can go. Helmets required.

June 12, Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. SOCIAL: MOVIE NIGHT Join tonight's host, Robert (544-0605), at the pizza place in Sugarhouse. Co-listed with Sierra Singles.

JUNE 13 THURS THURSDAY NIGHT HIKE: Meet at Skyline High Parking Lot. Thursday night hikes leave promptly at 6:30 p.m. and are limited to club members only.

JUNE 14 to 17 FRI. NITE-MON CARCAMP: ORGANIZERS CHOICE CAR CAMP Tom Munn (533-0819) has not decided where to go but promises it will be worth it. Those who do not desire to spend the entire time on this trip are welcome. Call Tom for registration and other information.

June 14to23 Tues-Thurs BOATING: LOCHSA IV. This trip is for advanced boaters only. Expect cold water and bad weather. Other Idaho and Montana Rivers may be explored on this trip. Rafting is possible if a qualified crew is assembled. Join Randy Klein (943-5755) for an exciting and different trip.

June 15to20 BOATING: MAIN SALMON IV. Ed Christy (568-7005) will organize this trip and will screen applicants for whitewater experience. This trip is full as of this writing, however call Ed in case there is a cancellation if you want to go.

JUNE 15 SAT HIKE: CATHERINES PASS VIA ALBION BASIN (NTD 2.6) Richard Clark (882-2763) leads this leisurely hike. Meet Rich 9:30 a.m. at Little Cottonwood Canyon parking lot.

JUNE 15 SAT HIKE: MT. VAN COTT - DRY CREEK DIVIDE (MOD) Join Scott Berry (583-6618, 363-5650) on this adventurous seldom done route on the Van Cott/Dry Creek ridge. Expect no trail and some bushwhacking, expect no mercy, but mostly expect fun. Meet Scott 8 a.m. at upper U of U Medical Center parking lot (n. End).

JUNE 15 SAT HIKE: KESSLER PEAK (MSD 6.3) John Lodefink (250-1198) leads this hike. Meet John at Big Cottonwood Canyon Park n Ride at 8 a.m.

JUNE 15 to 16 SAT-SUN BACKPACK: ORGANIZERS CHOICE IN THE UINTAS Rob Rogalski (272-2365) hopes for not much snow. Call Rob to preregister.

JUNE 15 SAT MOUNTAIN BIKE: CEDAR FORT TRAIL EXPLORATION (MOD+). Join Curtis Camp on an exploratory ride near Cedar Fort, UT. He has heard that a myriad of single track exists in the area and needs you to ride with him. Expect to find a 12 mile race track loop with high speed sections. Meet 8:00 am at the 7200

So. I-15 Park-n-Ride lot to carpool for the trip south. Call Curtis at 963-1471.

June 15 Sat BIKE: ROAD/MTN TRAPPER'S LOOP (MOD+). Join Lily Schumann (263-3971) for this scenic ride from Mountain Green in Weber Canyon to the Huntsville monastery via Trapper's Loop Highway. This is a 35 mile ride with significant climbing, a short loop around PinewiewValley, and a possible lunch at the Shooting Star Saloon (Utah's oldest). Meet Lily at 9AM at the SW corner Capitol parking lot to carpool, or at 10AM at the Old Farm Market in Mountain Green (Mountain Green exit off I-84 in Weber Canyon).

JUNE 16 SUN HIKE: LITTLE COTTONWOOD CANYON MOUTH TRAIL (NTD) Join Jack Earnhart (942-2511) on a new hike for the club from the mouth of Little Cottonwood Canyon along the beautiful creek. This hike is especially good for beginners. Meet Jack 9 a.m. at Little Cottonwood Canyon parking lot.

JUNE 16 SUN HIKE: NEFF'S CANYON TO THE BIG COTTONWOOD CANYON OVERLOOK (MOD 7.5) Pat Kottcamp (467-7231) leads this hike overlooking Big Cottonwood Canyon. Pat thinks this is one of the neater views he's seen in the Wasatch. You will have to preregister with Pat for this hike. It is in a wilderness area and limited to 14 people.

JUNE 16 SUN HIKE: GRANDVIEW PEAK (MSD) The name says it all. Come and see just how good it is. Join Jerry Hatch (583-8047) on this hike to a remote corner of the Wasatch and you won't regret it. Call Jerry to preregister for this hike.

JUNE 16 SUN MOUNTAIN BIKE: MONKS HOLLOW (MOD+). Audrey Rindfleisch will organize this ride. Meet at 9:00 am at the 7200 So. I-15 Park-n-Ride lot to carpool for the trip south. Call the WMC mailbox at 363-7150 for more info.

June 16 Sun BIKE: ROAD/MTN UTAH LAKE TO BRIDAL VEIL FALLS (NTD). Moe Kupaei (572-4037) will organize this gentle out and back ride of 27 miles, with some unpaved, but packed surfaces. The destination offers quite a reward. Meet Moe at 8:15AM at the 12300S Park & Ride to carpool, or at Utah Lake (I-15 exit 268-call for exact location) at 9:00AM. Helmets required.

JUNE 18 TUE TUESDAY NIGHT HIKE: BROADS FORK TO THE STREAM Leisure hike for new and prospective members. Approximately 3 miles, elevation gain of 1300 ft. Meet at Big Cottonwood park & ride at 6:15 p.m., hike departs promptly at 6:30 p.m.. Contact organizer Linda Kosky (943-1871) with any questions.

June 18 Tues Hike: Broads Fork to the Stream leisure hike for new and prospective members. Approximately 3 miles, elevation gain 1300 ft. Meet at 6:15 PM at the Big

Cottonwood Park & Ride. Leave for hike promptly at 6:30 PM. Organizer Linda Kosky 943-1871.

JUNE 18 TUES ROAD & MOUNTAIN BIKE: EAST CANYON (MOD). Meet near the UDOT maintenance plaza on the north side of the I-80 Mountain Dell Exit #134. Road and mountain bike rides will be organizer for the evening. Après ride festivities at Cromptons in Emigration Canyon. Call the WMC mailbox at 363-7150 for more info.

JUN 19 WED CLIMBING- GATE BUTTRESS- 6:00 at the parking lot 1 mile up Little Cottonwood cyn. Call Sam Albano (486 4787) if you have questions. **HELMETS MUST BE WORN.**

JUNE 19 WEDS WEDNESDAY NIGHT HIKE: Wednesday night hikes are leisurely and open to members and nonmembers. Meet at Big Cottonwood Park n Ride. Hike leaves promptly at 6:30 p.m.

JUNE 20 THURS THURSDAY NIGHT HIKE: Meet at Big Cottonwood Park n Ride. Thursday night hikes leave promptly at 6:30 p.m. and are limited to club members only.

JUNE 21 FRI HIKE: SUMMER SOLSTICE SKYLINE HIKE (MSD) This trip is colisted with the Sierra Club. Hike North Ogden Pass with Dan Schroeder (393-4603 - home, 626-6048 - work). Meet Dan 8:00 a.m. at NE corner of Ogden High School parking lot or 8:20 a.m. at the trailhead.

JUNE 22 to 23 SAT & SUN MOUNTAIN BIKE: PARK CITY PEDAL FEST (NTD & MOD). Tours, clinics and exhibitions, BBQ and BUD Light/Cannondale Cup Race. Registration forms at First Security Bank and Bike shops or call P.C. Chamber at 800-453-1360 / 649-6100.

JUNE 22 SAT HIKE: THE PIPELINE TRAIL (MOD) Randy Long (943-0244) leads this hike and invites along any adolescent children. This is an easy hike with only about a 1,000 ft. Elevation gain. The distance is about 7 miles but we will need plenty of cars for shuttling. Meet Randy 9 a.m. at Skyline High parking lot. Bring food, water, and rain gear.

JUNE 22 SAT HIKE: LAMBS CANYON PASS VIA ELBOW FORK (NTD 3.4) Join Bill Habel (486-2567) on this pleasant jaunt to the Millcreek - Lambs Canyon Divide. Enjoy unique views of Gobblers Knob, Mt. Raymond, and much more. Meet Bill 9 a.m. at Skyline High parking lot.

JUNE 22 SAT HIKE: WHITE PINE LAKE (MOD 6.0) Raymond Duda (272-4601) leads this hike to a man-made but beautiful lake tucked under the big cliffs of White Baldy. Meet Ray 9 a.m. at Little Cottonwood Canyon parking lot.

JUNE 22 SAT HIKE: WILDCAT RIDGE (EXT 16.0) If you think you are up to the challenge you can join Steven Carr (261-5787) on one of the hardest hikes in the Wasatch. Along the way you will cross the summits of four major peaks, ascend 6,200 vertical feet and hopefully be down before it is dark! No wonder it's done on one of the longest days of the year. Call Steven to register for this wilderness area hike. Limited to 14.

JUNE 22 to 23 SAT-SUN CARCAMP: MAPLE CANYON, WEST OF MORONI Organizer Bill Loggins (944-1134) opens this carcamp to families with children. Bill says this is a great canyon with elevations ranging from 7,500 to 9,000 ft. There is southern Utah type scenery, an arch, an amphiheater, and a narrows section. Call Bill to register.

JUNE 22 SAT ROAD & MOUNTAIN BIKE: BEGINNER RIDE PROVO RIVER PARKWAY (ELE). Liz Cordova is going to organize a causal paced ride along the pathway adjacent to the Provo River. Kids are welcome on this ride. Bring a picnic lunch for after the ride. Expect a 5 mile each-way ride, depending on the group. Bring plenty of water and sunscreen. Meet Liz at 9:00 am at the I-15 Draper Exit (12300 So.) Call her at 943-1871 for more info.

June 22 Sat BIKE: ROAD LOGAN-RICHMOND-CORNISH LOOP (MOD). This is a scenic 55-miler out of Logan with no significant climbing. This is a classic backroads ride, well worth the drive to Logan! Carpool on your own from the SW corner parking lot of the Capitol at 8AM, or meet Susan Snyder (393-2594) at 9:45 in Logan at the Woodruff Elementary School, 615S 1000W. Please be timely, NO MOUNTAIN BIKES, helmets required.

June 22, Saturday at 6:30 p.m. SOCIAL: ROCK & ROLL DANCE Remember the great music of the Beatles?...Aretha Franklin?...The Music Explosion??? Dig out those bell bottoms, love beads, dancin' shoes and wind your way up the WMC lodge for a great evening of food and dancing to your favorite R&R music of the fabulous 60's. Potluck at 6:30, bring enough food for 6 to 8 and beverage of your choice. Plates and utensils provided. Dancing starts at 8:00 p.m. Cover charge: \$5/members, \$7/non-members. Remember to bring a flashlight for the way down & suitable shoes if the path is wet. Car pooling is recommended. If interested, meet at the Big Cottonwood Canyon Park and Ride at 6:15 or 7:30. For further information contact Dave Miller (1-801-451-7675), Patti O'Keefe (973-7984) or Frank Bernard (533-9219).

JUNE 23 SUN HIKE: ELBOW FORK TO TERRACES TRAIL (NTD 1.8) Eleanor Goodall (486-7809) leads this wonderful hike through the pine forests on the N. Side of Millcreek Canyon. A nice, cool, easy hike for one and all. This is a wilderness area so hike is limited to 14 participants. Call Eleanor to register.

JUNE 23 SUN HIKE: AVENUE TWINS VIA PERRY'S HOLLOW (NTD 2.4) Richard Zeamer (355-3751) leads this leisurely hike which meets 2 p.m. at 11th ave. Park parking lot.

JUNE 23 SUN HIKE: RED PINE CANYON (MOD 4.5) Carol Anderson (485-0877) leads this wilderness area hike. Limited to 14 participants so call Carol to preregister.

JUNE 23 SUN HIKE: DESERET PEAK (MSD 7.6) Trip organizer James Frese (1-801-882-5222) leads this hike to remote Deseret Peak where you can watch nerve gas burn (from a safe distance). This hike goes to a wilderness area and is limited to 14 participants. Call Jim to register.

JUNE 23 SUN HIKE: TWIN PEAKS (EXT 12.9) So watching nerve gas burn isn't exciting eh? This hike is guaranteed to get you breathing heavily. Clarence Cardwell (487-1456) takes you into a wilderness area. Limited to 14 participants so call Clarence to register.

June 23 Sun BIKE: ROAD/MTN COALVILLE-CHALK CREEK (MOD). Barb and Karoosh Komeyli (485-2692) will lead this beautifully scenic ride up gentle and quiet Chalk Creek Canyon. You will climb 1500 feet, but over a long grade of 23 miles. Just before turning around you will cross into the corner of Wyoming. Bring a picnic lunch. Meet at the Parley's K-Mart at 9AM to carpool, or at 10AM at the Summit County Courthouse in Coalville. Helmets required.

JUNE 24 MON HIKING COMMITTEE MEETING AND BARBECUE: So you've always wondered what its like to organize a hike? What makes us different from you? Why can't you be one of the few, the proud, the crazy? Well maybe you can. Hiking Director Brad Yates (583-1205) hosts this hiking committee meeting at 409 S. University St. in Salt Lake City. Meeting starts at 7:30. Arrive at 6:30 for a barbecue and genteel conversation. Call Brad with any questions. See ya there!

JUNE 25 TUE TUESDAY NIGHT HIKE: WILLOW LAKE - BIG COTTONWOOD CANYON Leisure hike for new and prospective members. Approximately 2 miles, elevation gain of 420 ft. Meet at Big Cottonwood park & ride at 6:15 p.m., hike departs promptly at 6:30 p.m.. Contact organizer Julie Jones (278-4753) with any questions.

June 25 Tues Hike: Willow Lake in Big Cottonwood Canyon leisure hike for new and prospective members. Approximately 2 miles, elevation gain 420 ft. Meet at 6:15 PM at the Big Cottonwood Park & Ride. Leave for hike promptly at 6:30 PM. Organizer Julie Jones 278-4753.

JUNE 25 TUES MOUNTAIN BIKE: TUESDAY NIGHT RIDE (MOD+) Ride the trails of Park City. Meet at the parking lot adjacent to the Wasatch Brew Pub at the top of Main Street at 6:00 pm. Call the WMC mailbox at 363-7150 or Tim Boschert at 298-1814 h , 299-5710 w for info.

June 26to29 BOATING: GREEN RIVER, GATES OF LADORE. Carole Crossen (533-0608) is organizing this trip to this beautiful canyon. Children may accompany this trip depending on space. Please call Carole for more information.

JUN 26 WED CLIMBING- NARCOLEPSEY WALL- 6:00 pm at the Storm Mntn trail parking area (just outside the picnic ground in Big Cottonwood Cnyn) to walk up to the quartzite area south of the highway. Call Sam Albano (486 4787) if you have questions. HELMETS MUST BE WORN.

JUNE 26 WEDS WEDNESDAY NIGHT HIKE: Wednesday night hikes are leisurely and open to members and nonmembers. Meet at Skyline High parking lot. Hike leaves promptly at 6:30 p.m.

JUNE 26 Wed MOUNTAIN BIKE: WEDNESDAY BEGINNER CLINIC/ DOG LAKE: Mill Creek Canyon. (NTD+) Meet Tim Boschert (298-1814) in front of the Einstein Bros.'s Bagels at 3800 So. at 5:45 pm to carpool up Mill Creek Canyon. He will organize a causal pace ride on the Big Water Trail up to Dog Lake. Tim will discuss bike and rider preparation and handling skills. This trail has a little of everything on it.

JUNE 27 THURS: THURSDAY NIGHT HIKE Meet at Skyline High Parking Lot. Thursday night hikes leave promptly at 6:30 p.m. and are limited to club members only. Bring food, water, and a warm jacket.

June 27 THUR BOATING: PAYETTE WORK PARTY. Meet at the Boat Shed at 7 pm for the planning of the 4th of July Payette Weekend.

June 28, Friday SOCIAL: DINNER DANCE Dance fanatic, Joan, has a power evening in store for us. So call her at 484-1503 to join in the action. Co-listed with Sierra Singles.

JUNE 29to 30 SAT & SUN ROAD & MOUNTAIN BIKE: WASATCH MOUNTAIN ST. PARK (MOD). The Bonneville Bicycle Touring Club will sponsor road and mountain bike rides about the State Park area. Call BBTC at 534-4451 and call the WMC Mountain Bike mailbox at (363-7150) to get details about carpool meeting time and place info.

JUNE 29 to 30 SAT-SUN CARCAMP: RAFT RIVER MOUNTAINS Organizer Randy Long (943-0244) invites adolescent children on this carcamp to a truly remote area. Call Randy to preregister.

June 29 to July 2 Sat-Tues Linda Palmer is planning to leave early for Bob Wright's Durango trip. Meet her in Crested Butte on June 29 through July 2. Then join Bob's group on July 3rd. She has a condo for up to 8 in C.B. during the Fat Tire Festival. If interested or just want to talk to Linda, call her at (408) 241-1129. Rick Kirkland (486-0909) can also forward names to her.

JUNE 29 SAT HIKE: MT. AIRE (MOD 4.5) Trip organizer Martin Clemans (968-1252) leads this hike to a popular WMC destination. Meet Martin 9 a.m. at the Skyline High parking lot.

JUNE 29 SAT FAMILY HIKE: LAKE MARY (NTD 1.5) Here's one the whole family can enjoy. Dallas Chopping (292-6298) leads this family values hike which meets at the Big Cottonwood Park n Ride at 10 a.m.

JUNE 29 SAT HIKE: BEN LOMOND PK. VIA NORTH OGDEN PASS (MOD) Dogs are welcome on this hike. Since Gerri will be out of town there will be a party at Brian's after the hike. However, dogs who drink too much and become obnoxious will be asked to leave. Meet Brian Barkey (801-394-6047) at Fred Meyer on 12th St. in Ogden at 8 a.m. Take the 12th St. exit, head east past Wall St. and you will see Fred Meyer on the left.

JUNE 29 SAT HIKE: WHITE PINE TO RED PINE (MSD) Trip organizer Phil Fikken (583-8499) requests that you call to register for this hike. Phil plans on crossing the ridge dividing these two beautiful side canyons of Little Cottonwood with a possible stop at Pk. 10718.

June 29 Sat BIKE: ROAD/MTN KAMAS-MIDWAY (MOD). Kathy Hoenig (486-8525) will organize us on this lovely 50 mile out-and-back ride, with a lunch stop in Midway. There will be moderate climbing involved to get around Jordanelle Reservoir (1400 feet total), but the views are great! Meet Kathy at 9AM at the Parley's K-Mart to carpool, or at 10AM at Kamas Park (100E 100S). Helmets required.

JUNE 30 SUN HIKE: TIMPANOGOS VIA SUNDANCE AND THE SOUTH RIDGE (MSD+) It's that time of year again when the snow clears just enough for ye of stout legs and iron lungs to truly test your mettle. Brad Yates (who else?) leads this challenging skirmish with mountain goats and thin air. Call Brad at 583-1205 to register.

JUNE 30 SUN HIKE: PIONEER TRAIL (NTD) Leslie Whitehead and Dave Vance (328-9364) plan a leisurely hike over historic Pioneer Trail on Big Mountain. Meet 10 a.m. at Parley's Kmart, southeast corner of lot

JUNE 30 SUN HIKE: BROADS FORK TO THE MEADOW (MOD 5.0) Holly Smith (272-5358) will lead this hike to one of the most beautiful meadows in the

Wasatch. This is a wilderness area so call Holly to register. Limited to 13 participants.

JUNE 30 SUN HIKE: DESOLATION LAKE (NTD 3.5) Brian Rumph (531-6338) leads this hike which meets at Big Cottonwood Park n Ride at 9 a.m.

JUNE 30 SUN FAMILY HIKE: FARMINGTON CANYON (NTD) Gail Kobayashi (295-4690) leads this family hike to a rarely visited location in Davis County. Meet Gail at Albertsons in Centerville at 9 a.m. Take I-15 Centerville exit to Parrish Lane.

June 30 Sun BIKE: ROAD/MTN GOSHEN CANYON (MOD). Bill Walton will take us to the countryside for this 46 miler out of Payson (about 60 miles south of Salt Lake). No significant climbing is involved as we circle Mona Reservoir and witness the incredible 11,877' Mt. Nebo in the background. Bring a picnic lunch as the availability of food along the route is not known. Meet Bill (969-8948) at 8AM at the 7200S Park & Ride, or at 10AM at Payson Park (100E 200S). Helmets required.

July 2 Tues Hike: Big Water to Dog Lake. Leisure hike especially for new and prospective members. Distance is approximately 4 miles. Meet at Skyline High parking lot, east side at 6:15pm. Hike departs promptly at 6:30pm. Trip organizer Louise Rausch 583-3305.

JULY 2 TUES MOUNTAIN BIKE: TUESDAY NIGHT RIDE (MOD+) Ride the trails of Park City. Meet at the parking lot adjacent to the Wasatch Brew Pub at the top of Main Street at 6:00 pm. Call the WMC mailbox at 363-7150 or Tim Boschert at 298-1814 h, 299-5710 w for info.

JUL 3 WED CLIMBING- THE REEF- Come and cut your hands on the petrified coral of this outcrop on the west ridge of Granduer Peak. Hard but fun top roping, bolted, and traditional routes. Bring your tape and band-aids, and a headlamp for a dark descent. Meet at 6:00 pm at 3100+- Teton drive (3715 E). Call Sam Albano (486-4787) if you have questions. **HELMETS ARE REQUIRED.**

JULY 3 WEDS WEDNESDAY NIGHT HIKE: Wednesday night hikes are leisurely and open to members and nonmembers. Meet at Big Cottonwood Park n Ride. Hike leaves promptly at 6:30 p.m.

July 3 to 7 Wed-Sun Mountain and or Road Bike and Choo Choo VI, Durango, Co. This ride has been so popular that it has become an annual affair. We will drive to the United Campground, Durango Co. on Wed. July 3 in the afternoon, arriving Wednesday night. On Thursday, July 4th, roadies will take the 8:30 am train to Silverton, and bike over Molas Divide and Coalbank Hill, 50 miles back to Durango (2387 feet up, 5205 feet downhill or if you are ambitious, you can bike from Durango to Silverton). Mountain bikers will take an interesting and challenging ride led by Durango local Julie Compton. On

Friday, July 5th, roadies will drive to Silverton, bike over 12,000 foot Red Mountain Pass (1685 foot climb, on down to Ouray (3302 foot descent) where there are beautiful and soothing hot springs, and camp. Mountain bikers will do another Durango area ride with Julie, then drive to Ouray. Then on Saturday, July 6th, ride and hang out in Ouray. A trip to Telluride is a Possibility. There are Fantastic mountain bike trails in the Ouray area. Drive home on Sunday PM. We will stay in camp grounds and do group cooking. Mostly downhill and a tailwind. You can do shortened versions of some of the days if you want to. This is probably one of the most scenic areas anywhere. Sag wagon is provided. Total cost of the train ride, food, camping, and sag wagon is approximately \$100.00. It will be less for those who do not take the train. We will have an organizational meeting and barbecue at Bob Wright's house, 3886 Holiday Curve, Park City, on Sunday., June 9th at 6:30 pm. Bring something to barbecue and pot luck dish. Call Bob Wright, 649-4194 by Friday, May 31st to register for the trip or for details. We are limiting the trip to 25 people. :\$50.00 deposit needs to be in before June 1st. Balance is due at the organizational meeting. Mail to Bob Wright, 3886 Holiday Curve, Park City, UT 84060.

JULY 3 to 7 WEDS-SUN BACKPACK: RUBY CREST TRAIL, RUBY MOUNTAINS NEVADA

Famed Great Basin trip organizer Donn Seeley (273- 7955) will lead his last trip for us before departing to the east coast. If you've never been on a trip with Donn before, this is your last chance. Call Donn to register.

July 4to7 BOATING: PAYETTE II to IV. Join Gary Stout (801-373-6449) trip organizer for this fun 4th of July weekend trip. We'll be camping at Hot Springs Camp Ground and picking various river runs on the Payette for each day. Gary hopes to get at least one or two paddle boat teams together to make this trip. A barbecue is planned for the evening of the 4th. Join this trip for a great Independence Day Weekend.

JULY 4 to 7 THURS-SUN BACKPACK: UINTAS BACKPACK, UPPER UINTA RIVER VIA FOX LAKE Trip organizer John Veranth (278-5826) plans a leisurely 5 mile backpack in with day hikes in between. Call John to register and obtain information.

JULY 4 THURS HIKE: OPEN HIKE We will decide where we're going once we get there. Meet 9 a.m. at Skyline High parking lot to discuss your hiking preference.

JUL 6 SAT CLIMBING - ORGANIZER'S CHOICE - Call Sam Albano (486-4787) to find out the mystery location. **HELMETS ARE REQUIRED.**

JULY 6 SAT HIKE: SALT LAKE OVERLOOK (NTD) Joane Thalmann (969-5504) leads this leisurely hike. Meet Joan 9 a.m. at Skyline High parking lot.

JULY 6 SAT MOUNTAIN BIKE: DOG LAKE / DESOLATION LAKE/ Mill Creek Canyon (MSD+). Join Tim Boschert on the now classic ridge top loop in upper Mill Creek Canyon. Expect a 14 mile loop with over 2,000 feet of gain and descent. Tim wants a manageable group of 12 call him at 298-1814 (h) or 299-5710 (w) to get on the list.

JULY 7 SUN HIKE: RED, WHITE, AND SILVER (MSD+) Hiking Director Brad Yates (yep its the Brad Yates 583-1205) plans an ascent of White Baldy via Deer Creek over to Red Baldy descending via Silver Glance and Silver Lake. An ice axe may be required. Call Brad to register.

July 9 Tues Hike: Mule Hollow to the Mine leisure hike for new and prospective members. Approximately 3 miles, 1400 ft elevation gain. Meet at Big Cottonwood Park & Ride 6:15 PM. Leave for hike promptly at 6:30 PM. Organizer Eileen Gidley 255-4336.

JULY 9 TUES MOUNTAIN BIKE: TUESDAY NIGHT RIDE (MOD+) Ride the trails of Park City. Meet at the parking lot adjacent to the Wasatch Brew Pub at the top of Main Street at 6:00 pm. Call the WMC mailbox at 363-7150 or Tim Boschert at 298-1814 h , 299-5710 w for info.

JUL 10 WED CLIMBING- STORM MOUNTAIN- 6:00 pm- Meet at the boulder in the middle of the Storm Mnt picnic ground parking lot (Big Cottonwood cyn). Last year we could walk in for free if we didn't touch a table or play on the monkey bars, but we may be required to pay \$4.00 per car or \$2.00 per person this year. Call Sam Albano (486 4787) if you have questions. **HELMETS ARE REQUIRED.**

JULY 10 WEDS WEDNESDAY NIGHT HIKE: Wednesday night hikes are leisurely and open to members and nonmembers. Meet at Skyline High parking lot. Hike leaves promptly at 6:30 p.m.

JULY 10 WED MOUNTAIN BIKE: WEDNESDAY BEGINNER CLINIC/ RIDE (NTD). Tim Boschert (298-1814) will lead an introductory how-to mountain bike ride on the Shoreline Trail. Tim will discuss bike and rider preparation and handling skills. Meet at the Red Butte Gardens parking area ready to go at 6:00pm.

JULY 11 THURS THURSDAY NIGHT HIKE: Meet at Big Cottonwood Park n Ride. Thursday night hikes leave promptly at 6:30 p.m. and are limited to club members only. Bring food, water, and a warm jacket.

July 11, Thursday SOCIAL: TWILIGHT CONCERTS AT THE GALLIVAN CENTER If you attended last year's series of concerts, you know what a treat you're in store for this year. The Gallivan Center (36 E. 200 S.), together with the SLC Arts Council, is presenting live musical performances every Thursday from July 11th through August 22nd. So get the picnic basket,

blanket and lounge chair out to join your WMC friends in OUR special WMC spot every Thursday from 6:30 p.m. Concert begins at 8 p.m. ??? call Lori (583-8133).

JULY 12 to 15 FRI EVE. - MON EVE. CARCAMP: MT SNEFFELS, SAN JUAN MOUNTAINS (ADVANCED) Trip organizers Chris Biltoft and Mary Fleming (359-5645) lead this ambitious carcamp to the spectacular San Juan Mountains near Ouray, Colorado. Trip is limited to 10 people plus the organizers so call to register before 9 in the evenings. This trip will require high clearance vehicles (4 wheel drive is preferred). Ice axes may be needed. Bring a swim suit for a possible dip in Ouray Hot Springs.

JULY 12 to 14 FRI EVE. - SUN CARCAMP: BOULDER MOUNTAIN Trip organizer Gibbs Smith (1-801-544-0129) leads this trip which is open to hiking aged children able to hold up well on the trail. Call Gibbs to register and obtain information.

JULY 13 to 14 SAT - SUN BACKPACK: ORGANIZERS CHOICE, UINTAS (MOD) Trip organizer Mike Hendrickson (942-1476) leads this backpack to a wilderness area. Limit is 13, call Mike for information and to register.

July 13, Saturday at 7:30 p.m. SOCIAL: COFFEE HOUSE AT THE WMC LODGE Folk songs and poetry in the mountains. Bring your own refreshments; coffee will be provided. Contact Guy Benson (582-5856) immediately if you wish to perform. **FREE COFFEE** supplied by the Coffee Garden, or you may bring your own beverage of choice. Please bring your own mug for the coffee, and a lawn/beach chair if you want a place to sit. Some soft drinks will be available for purchase. Children are welcome at this event. Cover charge: \$3/single, \$5/couple, \$1/child. Call Frank Bernard (533-9219) for questions.

July 16 Tues Hike: Lake Mary, Martha and Catherine leisure hike for new and prospective members. Approximately 4 miles, 1200 ft elevation gain. Meet at Big Cottonwood Park & Ride at 6:15 PM. Leave for hike promptly at 6:30 PM. Organizer Barbara Jacobsen 943-3715.

JUL 17 WED CLIMBING- THE REEF- Come and cut your hands on the petrified coral of this outcrop on the west ridge of Granduer Peak. Hard but fun top roping, bolted, and traditional routes. Bring your tape and bandaids, and a headlamp for a dark descent. Meet at 6:00 pm at 3100+- Teton drive (3715 E). Call Sam Albano (486-4787) if you have questions. **HELMETS ARE REQUIRED.**

July 18to22 BOATING: SAN JUAN II. Ursula Jochmann (484-9820) will lead this family trip down this beautiful river. Again space may be limited. Children must be 10 years old and accompanied by parents. This

trip will need oar and paddle boat support by experienced persons.

July 20to21 BOATING ON THE PAYETTE. A trip for all adult boaters. This will be a combined trip with the Utah White Water Club. A stationery camp will be set up near Rod Hux's cabin. Don't forget your swimsuit for the hot tub. Janis Huber 486-2345 will coordinate this luxury "weekender." Call Janis to organize the car pools.

JUL 20 SAT CLIMBING - ORGANIZER'S CHOICE - Call Sam Albano (486-4787) to find out the mystery location. **HELMETS ARE REQUIRED.**

July 22 MON BOATING WORK PARTY FOR SPLIT MOUNTAIN. Join Zig Sondelski at 7 pm at the boat shed to plan the trip.

July 23 Tues Hike: Lake Solitude leisure hike for new and prospective members. Approximately 3 miles, 300 ft elevation gain. Meet at Big Cottonwood Park & Ride at 6:15 PM. Leave for hike promptly at 6:30 PM. Organizer Robert Jensen 968-1358.

July 23 TUE BOATING: WORK PARTY for the Mike Dege, Janice Gill (571-7684) Westwater trip. Meet at the Boating Shed at 7 pm to set up and plan for the trip.

JUL 24 WED CLIMBING- LISA FALLS- 4 miles up Little Cottonwood and 100 yards up the trail leads to cool climbing on the hottest evening. Be there by 6:00. Call Sam Albano (486-4787) if you have questions. **HELMETS ARE REQUIRED.**

July 26to28 BOATING: GREEN RIVER, SPLIT MOUNTAIN III. Trip Organizer Zig Zondelski (801-292-8332) will be looking for experienced oar and paddle boat support. Teenagers, 12 and over with their parents, may accompany this trip through exciting whitewater. Participation depends on boats and spaces. This trip will work from a stationary camp and run the river on both the 27th and 28th. Departure for the put in will be on the 26th. Hard boaters are of course welcome on this trip as well.

July 26to28 FRI NITE-SUN BOATING: WESTWATER CANYON IV This will be a two day trip with an overnight stay on the river. We will leave Salt Lake on Friday evening. As an added bonus, there will be a full moon. This will be a small trip so call trip organizers Mike Dege and Janice Gill (571-7684) soon to register.

July 27, Saturday at 6:30 p.m. SOCIAL: OLD FASHIONED YARD PARTY/BARBECUE Camille Pierce has generously offered her home and spacious yard at 2052 East Arbor Lane (5000 South) for this fun summer activity. If you have a volley ball net, volley ball, or an ice cream maker, please contact Camille (272-4552). Guitars and singers encouraged. This will be potluck and a

barbecue will be available. Watch the July Rambler for further info. and parking information.

JUL 31 WED CLIMBING-S CURVE-Meet at the S-Curve parking lot in Big Cottonwood by 6:00 to be included in a rope team. Call Sam Albano (486-4787) if you have questions. **HELMETS ARE REQUIRED.**

July 31 TUES HIKE: Bowman Fork to White Fir Pass leisure hike for new and prospective members. Approximately 3 miles, 1260 ft elevation gain. Meet at Skyline High at 6:15 PM. Leave for hike promptly at 6:30 PM. Organizer Bill Hughes 523-0790.

AUGUST 3 to 4 SAT - SUN CARCAMP: LOGAN CANYON Trip organizer Joanne Miller (1-801-649-5996) plans moderate day hikes on this trip possibly to Mt. Naomi. The Logan Canyon highway will be widened soon, so see this beautiful road before it gets ruined. This trip will probably leave Friday night but the main activity starts Saturday morning. Tell Joanne your preference when you call to register.

AUGUST 9 to 11 FRI EVE - SUN CARCAMP: SKULL VALLEY PERSEID METEOR WATCH Trip organizer Bob Graves (943-5755) leads this trip to watch the Perseid Meteor Shower. Skull Valley is off I-80 about halfway between Grantsville and the Salt Flats. We will camp at Horseshoe Noel on Friday and somewhere else on Saturday. There will be hiking during the daytime and stargazing at night. A star chart and binoculars will come in very handy if you have them. Call Bob to register for this trip after July 1.

August 10 to 11 BOATING: SNAKE RIVER, ALPINE CANYON II/III. Join Randy Klein (943-5755) for this fun weekend trip. Some children may go depending on space.

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Sailboard for sale. An Elete Fun Board in good condition \$400 or best offer. Call Carol Milliken at 801-882-4108
Back inflation SCUBA buoyancy compensator for sale. SCUBA Pro brand in good condition. \$195. Carol Milliken at 801-882-4108

A great trip to Fiji has spaces available. Will be six days of SCUBA diving in a beautiful location. August 8-16. Call Carol Milliken at 801-882-4108 for more information.

For Sale: Tuntur Olympic weight bench \$150. In great shape, almost new, hardly used. Also, detachable bike rack for sedan type cars \$35. call Laila 265-8490.

Free to Good Home: Tua Sports Edition downhill skis, size 150cm, no bindings. Great for a beginner or fast growing teenager. Call Susan 801 645-8589.

Raft wanted. Needs to be self bailing. Call Sue 801 572-3284.

For the past five years, the Mountain Club has been participating in a joint venture with the US Forest Service to educate boy scouts and their leaders in minimum impact camping and other backcountry skills (clothing, equipment, trip planning, and non-destructive activities). Various Club volunteers and Forest Service personnel have given presentations and staffed booths at scouting activities.

Our most recent efforts have concentrated on a video project that was three years in the making. Thanks to the many hours donated by Norm Fish, Club member and owner of "Historical Video Productions", our video, titled "Backcountry Skills", is now ready for scout troops to purchase or borrow from the Great Salt Lake Council Service Center.

Other videos already existed that discussed minimum impact camping techniques, the most notable being "Soft Paths" by the folks at the National Outdoor Leadership School. We developed a companion video that discusses the clothing, equipment, trip planning, and non-destructive activities aspects of backcountry use. Our theory is that if a group is warm, dry, well fed, and well rested, they are less likely to become frustrated and camp where they shouldn't, build fires where they shouldn't, etc.

The lead person for the Forest Service was Nancy Krebs of the Salt Lake Ranger District, and for the Boy Scouts, Troop 688 participated in the filming of the video.

DIRECTORS MESSAGES

From the Bicycling Director

by Rick Kirkland

Are you thinking about joining us on a club ride? Please do! Let me offer a few suggestions that may help you be prepared when you do:

Start off with an easier ride rated "(EL)", known as elementary which is usually less than 15 miles or, "(NTD)": not too difficult, more challenging than an EL yet, less than 40 miles and fairly flat.

Generally, the ride rating scale is as follows:

(NTD)= less than 40 miles and fairly flat

(MOD)=40-70 miles, flat to rolling terrain

(MSD)=more than 70 miles with some climbing

Note: Significant climbing increases the rating; for example, a ride of less than 40 miles with some major hills would be rated moderate (MOD).

Arrive at the starting point early to get your equipment in order, ready to roll promptly at the designated time. That includes tires properly inflated, mechanical adjustments complete, snacks and layers of clothing packed, etc.

Please ride with the group as much as you can. Don't worry if you fall behind, as your trip organizer will inventory the group periodically to prevent any significant separation of riders.

Please don't ride two or more abreast unless there is no traffic. Help other cyclists avoid vehicle encounters by calling "CAR UP" or "CAR BACK". Riders behind you will appreciate your warnings when you point down to potholes, glass, and other road hazards.

All riders must wear a helmet while riding. It is official Club policy to deny participation to anyone without a helmet.

Most of all . . . ENJOY!!!!!!

Rick Kirkland 486-0909

FROM THE MOUNTAIN BIKING COORDINATOR

by Tim Boschert

Our "official" mountain bike season started in April. Already a few hardy riders have shown for the listed rides. Meanwhile, if the good weather holds out and you feel like a need to burn the legs, check the WMC mountain bike mailbox at (363-7150) for the latest on ride information or call me at home/work with any questions. Home 298-1814, Work 299-5710.

This riding season is going to be great! I envision incorporating all kinds of rides for all WMC members. Lets plan rides for everybody, beginner to advanced. How about rides for the whole family, the famed Tuesday night rides, beginner clinic/rides on Wednesday, and weekend getaway adventures. But, I need your help to enlist and organize rides for your fellow WMC riders. Call me to schedule a ride you want to organize trips for any and all ability levels.

Check the activity listing for rides that interest you. Each listing should identify the trip difficulty, trip description, meeting time and place and ride trip organizer. Don't be afraid to suggest or host an après-ride event! Remember, mountain biking is for social animals also.

The rating system to estimate WMC mountain bike trip difficulty is:

NTD: Less than 10 miles round trip, less than 700 feet of elevation gain, and no significant technical aspects. Little or no mountain biking experience needed. Gradual climbs and descents. Relaxed learning and social pace. Example: Shoreline Trail, City Creek Canyon, Dog Lake, and Little Cottonwood Canyon Wagon Road.

MOD: Up to 16 miles round trip and up to 2,800 feet of elevation gain. Long, gradual or short, steep climbs and descents. Rider should be able to maneuver over moderate obstacles such as rocks, small logs, water bars, sandy sections and streams/bridges. Some walking/bike carrying might be necessary. Competitive but relaxed pace. Trail slugs need not apply. Examples: Mueller Park and Telemark Park, most Park City area trails.

MSD: Typically more than 12 miles long round trip and more than 2500 feet of elevation gain. Extended portions over rough terrain, requiring excellent physical condition and expert riding skills. Strenuous and competitive pace. Examples: Dog Lake-Desolation Lake, Wasatch Crest Trail.

Whether you are on a NTD or MSD rider it is important to BE PREPARED! Anything can happen on the trail. Know where you are going, inform someone where you are riding, with whom you are riding and when you expect to return. Bring essentials: water, water, water, a snack, light jacket (weather dependent), and a repair-break down kit. Experience on the trail has built my repair-break down kit: spare tubes, patch kit, tire levers, CO2 pump, allen wrenches, crescent wrench, chain tool, and quarter for phone call. Some first aid materials is also very smart. A HELMET and EYE PROTECTION are required for all WMC rides.

All WMC trips follow low-impact biking guidelines adapted from the International Mountain Biking Association (IMBA):

1. Ride only on mountain bike trails or jeep roads. Respect trail closures.
2. Avoid riding on ground that is rain-soaked and easily scarred, avoid skidding, and stay on trails.
3. Ride under control.
4. Yield right-of-way to other trail users (Horses and Hikers).
Uphill riders have right-of-way!
Horses have right-of-way! When horses approach, calmly stop and dismount. Address the rider and ask them for instructions. They should know how their horse may react. Let them see you, talk calmly to them and wait off trail until they pass.
5. Plan Ahead. Choose rides so that they match your ability level. Know your equipment condition. Be as self-sufficient as possible.

From The Conservation Director

The Wasatch Mountain Club consists of many members who also belong to other organizations. These include Save Our Canyons, Audubon Society as well as many others. We share goals with fellow clubs along the Wasatch Front and are bound together by our love of the natural world that lies at our doorstep. Hunters, fishers, bikers, skiers, naturalists: we have much in common with them, if we are not one of them.

Alliances with others in areas of shared interests can forge powerful combinations. Coalitions that unite to achieve a jointly shared vision can positively affect the outcome in our political world. The first step is to know what is important to others and hold that up to our needs.

Currently our membership with the Utah Wilderness Coalition (UWC) keeps us up to date on issues surrounding wild lands in our state. There are organizations whose interests can be more local and specific, and not directly involved in the wilderness issues. I invite WMC members who are active in other clubs to keep us informed of important happenings and to let us know if we can support a worthy cause. The Rambler can run short issues oriented articles that are informative in nature, but are not political. Let us hear from you soon!

Did you know...

Both Alta and Brighton areas are planning additional facility, lift and run changes? The opportunity for your comments on the scoping documents has passed. We hope to keep you better informed on these processes in the future so that you can add your ideas on your mountains.

We need WMC members who are interested in following the public land issues along the Wasatch Front. A bi-weekly summary of all Federal-State-Local issues is available. The issues are clearly identified. What is needed is commentary on the proposed actions and activities. This accomplishes two things. First it allows us to get our view across on what is important to us. Secondly, if we were willing to go to litigation over the issue, we must have established a standing by commenting on it during specific periods defined by law. Without this standing we will have no recourse.

From the Boating Director

The boating program announces the following trips for the boating season. This list may be augmented in the future, as more trips are setup or late permits acquired.

| RIVER | DATES | TRIP ORGANIZER | PHONE | CLASS |
|--|---------------|-----------------|--------------|-------|
| RUBY/HORSE* | JUNE 7-9 2 | EILEEN GIDLEY | 255-4336 | |
| MAIN SALMON | JUNE 16-20 | ED CHRISTY | 568-7005 | 3/4 |
| LOCHSA | JUNE 15-23 | RANDY KLEIN | 943-5755 | 4 |
| Boating experience required for the Main Salmon | | | | |
| LADORE CNYN | JUNE 26-29 | CAROLE CROSSEN | 533-0608 | 3 |
| PAYETTE | JULY 4-7 | GARY STOUT | 801-373-6449 | 2/4 |
| SAN JUAN | JULY 18-23 | URSULA JOCHMANN | 484-9820 | 2 |
| Family Trip, children with parents 10 yrs and older. | | | | |
| PAYETTE | JULY 20-21 | JANIS HUBER | 486-2345 | 2/4 |
| SPLIT MT | JULY 26-28 | ZIG SONDELSKI | 292-8332 | 3 |

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|--|------------|---------------|----------|-----|
| Limited number of children, 12 yrs & up with parents | | | | |
| ALPINE CNYN | AUG 10-11 | RANDY KLEIN | 943-5755 | 2/3 |
| LOCHSA | AUG 17-21 | ED CHRISTY | 568-7005 | 4 |
| WESTWATER | SEPT 14-15 | GEORGE YURICH | 546-2665 | 4 |
| WESTWATER | SEPT 21-22 | GEORGE YURICH | 546-2665 | 4 |
| WESTWATER | OCT 5 | DONNA KRAMMER | 272-0418 | 4 |

WATCH THIS SPACE FOR ADDITIONAL TRIPS

*Changed trip due to low water levels

The above dates reflect the put in and take out dates only. The trip organizer should be contacted for the dates and times of the departure and expected return.

Dangerous rivers conditions may alter the above schedule.

Help! The July family trips needs oar boat and paddle boat captains. If you can help call Ursula Jochman (484-9820) or Cathy Hunn at (801-882-6529).

Oar boats, paddle boat captains, and trip organizers are always in demand for every trip. Without these, our boating program cannot survive, particularly the fun multi day trips. If you can fill one of these needs please call the trip organizers. **The boating program depends on participation!**

Sign up for trips early. This includes sending a deposit to the trip organizer. Lists and fees are often required by the BLM three weeks in advance of the trip. Advanced sign-ups help to get the trip underway.

New equipment: A 13 foot Riken paddle boat, a "cookpartner" outfitters cook stove with stand, minimum fire pan, new throw ropes, a aluminum non stick griddle, and for the "Deso" trip...a new groover (I'll bet you can't wait). Comments on the new equipment are welcome, other suggestions also, all Carol Milliken at 882-4108.

Trips to Southern Utah may be changed due to low river flow levels. Please check with the trip organizers for changes. Help or suggestions for alternate trips will be much appreciated.

COORDINATORS NEEDED: The canoeing coordinator would like to be replaced by a more eager participant, if you're interested call Carol Milliken at 882-4108. Also anyone interested in working as the equipment coordinator please let me know.

MASTER THE ART - KNOW YOUR ABILITY

By the Mountain Bike Coordinator - Tim Boschert

Learn to walk and you master the art of staying upright on your feet. Learn to ride a bike and you master the art of two wheeled balance. Learn to mountain bike and you continually strive to master the art of staying alive! Mountain biking has the potential to be a blood sport. Injuries must be assumed when mountain biking. Scar comparison sessions over après ride brew is not fun anymore. How can such a fast growing and assuming leisure sport be an injury sport as well? Biking is a contact sport - you will make contact with mother earth. There is no other way about it - bruising and blood letting are a part of riding the trails. No one is immune from taking the fall, because new and seasoned riders often fail to contemplate their current limit of riding skills.

Every other time I go mountain bike riding I have a good fall. Why? Usually I am tired and lactose laden. But, mostly because I am pushing myself into a situation which causes a new limit to be breached. Reaching the top of a climb without stopping and high speed descents are addicting. Yes, I'm constantly pushing the limit to climb better or the limit of adhesion on a descent. Not like I want to fall, it can happen, but I am still learning the art of the limit of my riding skills. I have been riding off-road for over nine years now. Each season I've improved my riding endurance and skills. Every time I hop on the bike I end up striving to improve on the last ride. Nothing is wrong with that.

So what comprises limits of mountain biking? I consider the limits as endurance, bike handling and communication. An endurance limit is reached when you cannot "hang" with the group you are riding with. The warning bell sounds when you can't breathe and everything looks upside down (because you are on your back gasping for air). Conditioning, cross-

training and ride-ride-ride will help build endurance. Bike handling skills are reached when you can't negotiate the trail ahead with the same finesse as the majority of the group. Mental attitude and aggressiveness along with ride-ride-ride it again till you get it right, enhances skill building and finesse. Try riding with more seasoned riders - maybe they will share their experiences with you. Communication is fast becoming a major plus on my list of ride importance. Talk to riders in the group and find out their endurance, skills, preparedness, trails ridden, and knowledge of equipment. Ask about the ride - the type of terrain, length of ride, altitude gain/loss, and exposure. Also, communicate on the ride. Tell people what you are doing. How you are doing and feeling. Communicate with yourself before and after a ride. Assess the ride level in the Rambler (ELE, NTD, MOD & MSD) and know where you fit in. It is ok to push yourself and learn, but use logic and assume safety for all by picking the ride level that matches your ability. If in doubt, call the ride organizer or myself and communicate. Get to know your limits and enjoy riding.

Mountain biking is as much a mental effort as it is physical. Do you have to think to walk? I hope not. With mountain biking you push your self to a physical limit over and over again to build strength and endurance. Mentally you hone your balance and awareness with practice. The exertion of mountain biking increases your awareness of body control and function on the machine. Millions of operations are being conducted throughout your body and transmitted to the machine. It has to become an extension of you or you lose control. Scan the trail, find the line, push and pull the bars, feather the brakes, pump the legs, fill the lungs, listen to your heart, change the grip, shift, and stay on the pedals. You push yourself to control the bike. The struggle becomes greater as a ride goes on. Physically and mentally you win when you make it back alive.

SPECIAL THANKS

A SPECIAL THANKS TO RAINI CUNNINGHAM FOR HER GENEROSITY IN OFFERING AND SUPPLYING US WITH THE BEAUTIFUL HISPANIC TERRA COTTA FIGURES AND WOVEN BLANKETS WE USED TO DECORATE FOR OUR CINCO DE MAYO CELEBRATION ON JUNE 4TH. THE HENDRICKSEN CLUBHOUSE LOOKED WONDERFUL. NOW THAT WE HAVE HAD A CHANCE TO SEE THESE BEAUTIFUL ITEMS, WE CAN SEE THEM AND MEET RAINI AT HER SHOP "LITTLE BAJA" AT 8610 SO. STATE IN SANDY/567-1255. MANY THANKS, RAINI.



TRIP TALKS

AMERICAN FORK CANYON SNOWSHOE TOURS

by Christel Sysak

I just returned from a wonderful snowshoeing trip and while my memory is still fresh from this experience, I would like to share this with other members of the WMC, and to stress what a wonderful job our Snowshoeing Coordinator, Russ Pack did.

This trip was the culminating tour of a trilogy of exploratory first time visits to the American Fork Canyon area led by Russ. Some of us were able to do two trips, Cassie was lucky enough to do all three.

This last trip (March 2nd) was a loop from American Fork Canyon's Pine Hollow to Tibble Fork/Mill Canyon and was really the best of all three. We started out by leaving some cars at Tibble Fork Reservoir and then drove four miles to our starting point, the Pine Hollow trailhead. We utilized a portion of Pine Hollow, crossing some beautiful meadows and eventually climbing about 1600ft to a ridge line with Mt. Timpanogos in sight all the time. The weather could not have been better, blue skies, no wind and a delightful temperature. Just right to have a long lunch at one of the highest points along the Great Western Trail that traverses the ridge dividing the Provo River drainage and the American Fork drainage. Vince of course entertained us with his delightful jokes and gave us lessons on how to jodel.

A total of five hours snowshoeing and covering about seven miles was just the way everybody had planned to spend a beautiful Saturday on the mountains. This was really a well planned trip and a big "thank you" from us all, Russ.

Participants included Christel Sysak, Frank Bernard, Gretchen Siegler, Cathy Hunn, Knick Knickerbocker, Cassie Badowsky, Denise Apperson, Jerry Hatch, Vince Desimone, George Pontefract, Teddy Liin, Monte Young (we saw him only at lunch) and Russ Pack our organizer.



WE HIKED, WE DID GROUP PORTRAITS, WE SEARCHED FOR CEPHALOPODS

triptalk submitted by Don Droubay

It all began at 2:00pm on April 14th with signing of liability release, a group photo and the exciting disclosure that we may come into contact with Cephalopods. Within 40 yards of the cars we were ascending the foothills under the direction of geo-marinologist, Richard Zeamer. Five minutes into the hike there was a recovery break as we looked from above the University of Utah hospital to Ensign Peak. As Richard's story progressed, images were vivid in our minds of Brigham Young dictating, from that peak, the grid order of the Salt Lake street system and the names of North Temple, South Temple and Main Street.

The next rest stop was 50 yards further up the hill. We found out that we were standing on the beachhead of Lake Bonneville. We could see the shelf along the mountains that circle the valley. The lake flowed into the Snake River to the North until 30,000 years ago when a change in the earth's tilt caused a drying of the climate.

We then went for a 200 yard stretch before stopping to view the U of U golf course which used to be part of the Fort Douglas Country Club golf course. The country club lost its lease from the US Army about 30 years ago and the University hospital now occupies several of the holes.

As we approached our destination, VanCott Peak, a discussion ensued about how it got its name. One suggestion was that an early settler was honored by the naming of this peak. An opposing suggestion was that it was named after the university dorms which obtained their

name from the vans that delivered the original cots which furnished the rooms.

Upon reaching the Van Cott summit, it was pointed out that no Cephalopods had been located. Richard Zeamer assured the group that when we returned to the bottom, they would be there. Four group photos, from various angles, were then taken.

The successful return to the bottom of the hill was acknowledged with two final group photos, and the outing ended with an hour of sorting through rocks near the parking lot, in search of the elusive 550 million year old Cephalopod fossils. No positive identification was made.

In summary, the outing was like temporarily being in another world with a new and beautiful perspective of the Great Salt Lake Valley and its protective mountains, being clothed with the freshly emerged grasses, flowers, and plants. It was an inspiration to all.

Those participating in this hike: Organizer Richard Zeamer, Yenta Kaufman, Judy O'Rourke, Ronald thole, Abe Muslim, Louise Tonin, Roger Tonin, Marc Bodson, Don Droubay, and Cassie Badowsky.



COMING ATTRACTIONS

June 11, 1996, East African Safari and Kilimanjaro Climb The ninth Westminster College East African Safari, led by Drs. Barry Quinn and Robert Warnock, Dept. of Biology will depart 11 June 1996. The 16-day trip will explore some of the major game parks and reserves of Kenya and Tanzania, including the Serengeti and Ngorongoro Crater, considered one of the 7 wonders of the natural world. Of interest to WMC members will be a non-technical climb of Africa's highest peak, Mt. Kilimanjaro,, at 19320 feet, in lieu of the Kenyan game parks. Cost of the trip is \$4750 and includes all air and land transport from Salt Lake City, first class hotels and lodges, park entrance fees, guides and porters for the Kilimanjaro climb, and most meals. An optional 4-day extension to explore the major Egyptian archeological sites will be available for \$1750. For a brochure or further information, call Barry Quinn at 488-4191 (office) or 272-7097 (home).

July 20-21 Bear Lake Century Help Bob Wright celebrate his birthday by riding a century at Bear Lake. This takes 2 laps around the lake on a good paved road. We will drive to Bear Lake and camp at the KOA in Garden City on Saturday. Sailing and swimming are planned for Saturday PM. On Sunday, we will do a 50 mile clockwise and a 50 mile counterclockwise circumnavigation of the lake. This is a flat ride with the lake handy to cool off in. Call Bob at 649-4194 by July 14 to register.

August 18-25 UTAH CENTENNIAL BICYCLE TOUR. 8 day supported road tour from St. George to Logan. Will meander through many of the rural scenic byways and hamlets of Utah, with camping each evening. Total distance will be about 550 miles, averaging 60 miles per day. The cost of \$200 will cover registration, sag/support

August 1996 Noatak River. One of the last free-running rivers in North America. Activities also include hiking rarely seen tributaries in the heart of the Brooks Range, wildlife viewing with animals such as Dall sheep, Arctic foxes, grizzly and black bear and many birds. Trip coincides with Central Arctic Caribou herd's autumn migration south. Also Midas Creek and its gold?! Scenery is remote and stunning. For more information call David Minix 967-3864.

September 26-29, 1996 GRAND CANYON RIM TO RIM Reservations have been obtained for the above dates for a Rim to Rim trip. The thought is for a North rim to South rim hike, with a one or two night stay at Phantom Ranch. Transportation considerations would be a shuttle service for pick-up at the South rim or charter of a bus for drop-off at the North rim and pick-up at the South rim. Participation is limited to 9-16 individuals. Cost would be a minimum of \$150.00. Anyone interested, please call Linda Kosky at 943-1871. Call soon as a deposit must be made shortly to hold the reservations.

Please Complete Both Sides

Wasatch Mountain Club

New Member/Reinstatement of Previous Members Application

Do Not Use this Form for Regular Annual Membership Renewal

Please read carefully and fill out completely.

Name(s) _____
(First) (Last)

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Check phone number ☐ Residence: _____ Other ☐ Do not print my name/phone in membership list.
to print in Rambler Options: ☐ Do not list my name in lists given to Board
membership list: ☐ Work: _____ approved conservation/wilderness organizations.
e-mail: _____

I am applying for:

Check one:

☐ New Membership ☐ Single Birth date(s) _____
(Please complete activity section.)
☐ Reinstatement ☐ Couple _____
☐ Student (30 years or younger)

Remit: \$35.00 for single membership (\$30.00 dues, plus \$5.00 application fee)
\$50.00 for couple membership (\$45.00 dues, plus \$5.00 application fee)
\$20.00 for student membership (\$15.00 dues, plus \$5.00 application fee)

Enclosed is \$_____ for one year's dues and application fee. Checks/money orders only. Make checks payable to **Wasatch Mountain Club**. Do you wish to receive the Rambler (the Club publication)? ☐ Yes ☐ No
(Subscription price is NOT deductible from the dues.)

Activity Section

You must complete two Club activities (other than socials) to be considered for membership. The activity dates must have been within one year of the application.

| <u>Qualifying Activity</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>Signature of Recommending Leader</u> |
|----------------------------|-------------|---|
| 1. _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 2. _____ | _____ | _____ |

I found out about the WMC from _____

Mail application and check to: Membership Director
Wasatch Mountain Club
888 South 200 East, Suite 207
Salt Lake City, UT 84111-4220

Leave Blank—For Office Use Only

Receipt/Check # _____ Amount Received \$ _____ Date Received _____ By _____

Board approval date _____

WASATCH MOUNTAIN CLUB (WMC)

Applicant Agreement, Acknowledgment of Risk, and Release from Liability

VOLUNTARY PARTICIPATION: I acknowledge that my participation in any WMC activity is voluntary. No one is forcing me to participate.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK: I am aware that WMC activities involve risks, and could result in injury, illness, death, and damage or loss of property. These dangers include but are not limited to: the hazards of traveling in remote areas without medical services or care, the forces of nature, the inherent dangers involved in participation in sports, wilderness travel, and social activities, and the negligent actions of other persons or agencies. I understand that all activities should be considered "exploratory", with the possibility of unexpected conditions and route variations. The WMC is not, nor does it provide, a professional guiding service. In order to partake in the enjoyment and excitement of WMC activities, I am willing to accept the risk and uncertainty involved as being an integral part of the activity. I acknowledge this risk, and assume full responsibility for any and all risks of injury, illness, death, or damage and loss to my property.

I verify this statement by placing my initials here: _____

PREPARATION: I understand that it is my responsibility to evaluate the difficulty of any activity I participate in, and decide whether I am prepared by having the experience, skill, knowledge, equipment, and the physical and emotional stamina to safely participate.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND PROMISE NOT TO SUE: I agree that I, my heirs, and personal or legal representatives hereby do release and hold harmless from all liability, and promise not to bring any suit or claim against, the Wasatch Mountain Club, its leaders, directors, agents or representatives for any injury, illness, death, or damage and loss to property resulting from my participation in any WMC activity even if they negligently caused the injury or damage.

LEGAL FEES: Should it become necessary for WMC, or someone on their behalf, to incur attorney's fees and costs to enforce this agreement, I agree to pay WMC reasonable costs and fees thereby expended, or for which liability is incurred.

INSURANCE: I certify that I have sufficient insurance to cover any bodily injury or property damage that I may incur while participating in any WMC activity. If I have no such insurance, I certify that I am capable of paying for all such expenses and liabilities.

My signature below indicates that I have read this entire document, understand it completely, understand that it affects my legal rights, and agree to be bound by its terms. I am at least 18 years old.

Signature _____ Print name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Date _____

WITNESS: I certify that _____ has alleged to me that he/she has read and understands this document.

Witness signature _____ Print name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Date _____

ACTIVITY SURVEY

WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEAD?

All of the Club's activity leaders are volunteers. You can be a leader too—just check off the activities you want to lead, and we'll give you a call. Help your Club and have fun too!

- Hiking:** ☐ easy day hike ☐ moderate day hike ☐ advanced day hike ☐ car camp
 ☐ backback
- Boating:** ☐ trip leader ☐ instruction ☐ equipment ☐ sailing
- Skiing:** ☐ NTD tour ☐ MOD tour ☐ MSD tour ☐ out of town trip
- Climbing:** ☐ Wasatch climb ☐ out of town trip ☐ winter mountaineering
- Bicycling:** ☐ road bike tour ☐ mountain bike tour ☐ camping tour
- Other outings:** ☐ snowshoe tour ☐ caving ☐ other

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SUPPORT?

The Club also depends on volunteers for all the rest of its work. Some of this work is critical to the day-to-day functioning of the Club; some of it is important to our community; some of it is just fun. You can let us know how you'll help by checking off activities below.

- Conservation:** ☐ air and water quality issues ☐ trailhead access ☐ wilderness
 ☐ telephone tree ☐ trail clearing
- Socials:** ☐ social host ☐ Party assistance ☐ lodge host
- Rambler:** ☐ word processing ☐ mailing ☐ advertising ☐ computer support
- Lodge:** ☐ general lodge repair ☐ skilled lodge work
- Information:** ☐ public relations ☐ membership help ☐ recruiting ☐ instruction

Would you like to participate on an activities committee? Which one?

Is there a special trip or activity you would like to lead?

What phone numbers can we use to reach you?

THE WASATCH MOUNTAIN CLUB

Membership applicants must participate in at least two Club outdoor or service activities. Yearly dues are \$30 single, \$45 couple, \$15 student, \$5 application and reinstatement fee.

GOVERNING BOARD 1995-96

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(under entertainment director)

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| In-Line Skating | | Dave Vance |
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| Adopt-A-Highway | 583-9611 | Carl Warberg |
| Webmaster | 966-6041 | Tony Ackerman |

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| | 943-0244 | Randy Long |

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| Lodge User Rep | 568-1764 | Gary Myers |
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(under conservation director)

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| Trails Issues | 364-5729 | Chris Biltoft |
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(wilderness issues coordinators)

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| S. Rafael Swell | 943-5520 | Will McCarvill |
| Kaiparowits Plat. | 647-0205 | Rich Osborne |
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