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*Cover: Club members admire the view on*

*Yi Qu's Lake Blanche hike. Photo by Yi Qu.*

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# MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

## William McCarville

One of the great things about Wasatch Mountain Club activities is the wide range of diverse participants, each with varied interests and levels of ability. Some of my favorite parts of the trips and hikes I have been on have been meeting new and interesting people with a wide range of life experiences. Enjoying these conversations, discussions, or in some cases, friendly debates, often makes the miles go faster.

One of the club's highest priorities (right after everyone's physical safety) is to create an environment on our activities where everyone feels welcome and comfortable. This is especially important on longer or overnight trips. When a group of relative strangers is "stuck" together in the backcountry, on a long hike to a peak, or in a slot canyon, even the tiniest tensions, mistrust, or discomfort can reach a boiling point. I've certainly experienced how easily these tensions can reverberate through a whole group and turn an otherwise great trip into a frustrating - or outright unpleasant - experience. Building trust, understanding, and companionship among our membership and trip attendees is a huge component of making a trip not just pleasant, but extraordinary. After all, what we often look back on most fondly aren't the experiences we had, but the people we had them with.

Your trip leaders can't do this on their own, though. We need the involvement of every single person on a trip. What we ask of each participant is simple: Come with an open mind and a willingness to get to know people from diverse backgrounds, and show every other member the same respect you hope to be shown. Know, also, that your trip organizers and club leadership are always there to mediate any issues or disagreements that come up. If the need arises, activity directors, trustees, and myself personally, are all here for you to bring your concerns to as well.

Whatever type of trip you are attending with the club, and whatever your race, sexual orientation, religion, relationship status, political opinions, dietary predilections, favorite movies, or preference in pets, we want everyone to know that they are welcome on whatever trip they are attending, and are a valuable part of the club as a whole. Our diversity of backgrounds, opinions, interests, and skill levels is one of the strengths of the club, and each of us needs to do everything we can to ensure that we make the Wasatch Mountain Club an environment where that diversity can thrive.

So get out there, have fun, meet new people, and know that we will always be looking out for each member's best interests

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Check [www.wasatchmountainclub.org](http://www.wasatchmountainclub.org) for latest announcements

### WMC Position on Mountain Accord Blueprint

The board has developed a draft of the WMC position on the Blueprint for the Central Wasatch. Go here [WMC Comments on Mountain Accord](#) to read it. Comments are welcome.

The Mountain Accord involves both transportation improvements and proposed land exchange between the ski areas and Salt Lake City, Salt Lake County and the Forest Service is in the making and here is a link to the land trade details.

## Message from you Hiking Co-Directors

Welcome to Spring!

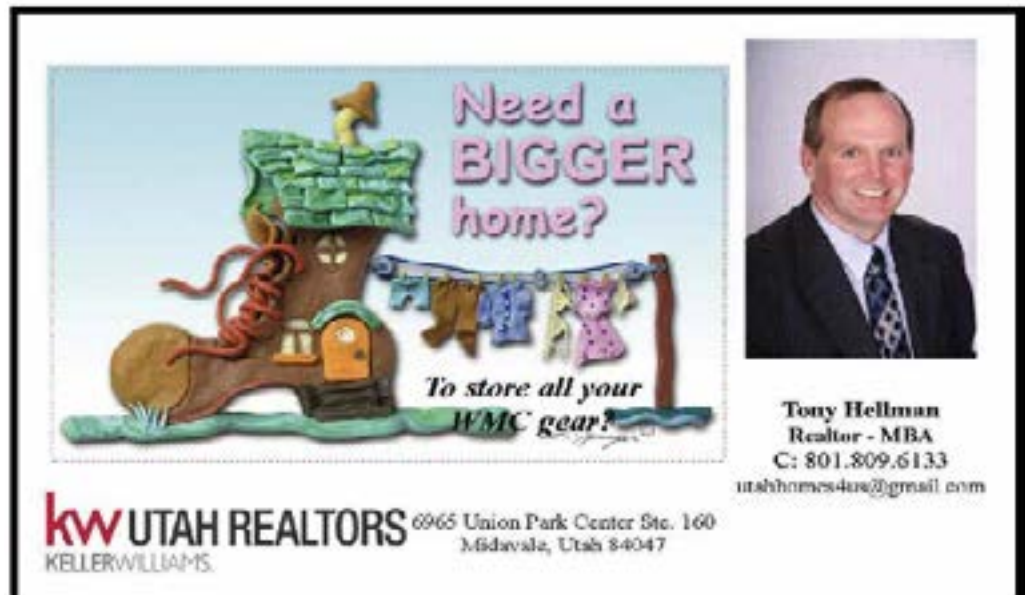
We have a few things for hikers:

1) May hikes!! Yes, it's that time again. May is a great time for those spring hikes. Check out the calendar and help us fill the schedule. Log in and post online, or send me an email and we'll post the activity for you. Just so you have one, I've attached a sign-up sheet.

2) Remember please to RSVP for the Hike Organizer Planning/Mentoring session next Thursday. Details are on the web calendar, and I've attached a proposed agenda. The success of this club is because of all our great organizers, so come join us at the Lodge for organizer info or just a refresher. Let us know you're coming so we can plan for food.

3) We had our annual pre-season meeting with the forest service. It's a time we use to go over trail issues, plans, priorities, and gather information the forest service would like us to relay to our members. We went over several things, but there was one thing Forest Service could really use this season that they thought a few folks in the WMC might be interested in. The forest service is considering two to four volunteer positions for the 2015 season. The volunteers would go through some basic forest service training, would be issued a volunteer uniform, and one volunteer would partner with a USFS ranger each Saturday and Sunday (20 weekends, 8 to 10 hours daily) to go out in pairs, hiking throughout the local wilderness areas, to check on wilderness areas, provide education to trail users, and look for problems / violations. It would be awesome if the WMC could help the Forest Service fill this need. Let me know if you're interested and we'll get you connected to the right people for more information.

That's about it for now. Hope to see many of you next week.  
Julie and Donn



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# WELCOMING NEWCOMERS

PHOTOS AND TRIP REPORT BY JULIE KILGORE

**O**n April 4, the WMC officially kicked off the hiking season with this season's first Beginner/Newcomer Hike. All club members are welcome, but these co-organized hikes are geared towards newcomers interested in learning about the club in a relaxed paced environment, or introducing people to hiking in general. While this group gathered at the designated meeting place, we were treated to a mountain goat up browsing up in the cliff bands above us. The hikers carpooled to the Bell Canyon Trailhead and headed up to the lower reservoir. We took the trail that circles the reservoir to an overlook with a view of what will someday be an extension of the Bonneville Shoreline Trail. The circled back around by way of a bridge to crosses the stream just before it tumbles into the reservoir.

Look for more Beginner and Newcomer hikes throughout the year!



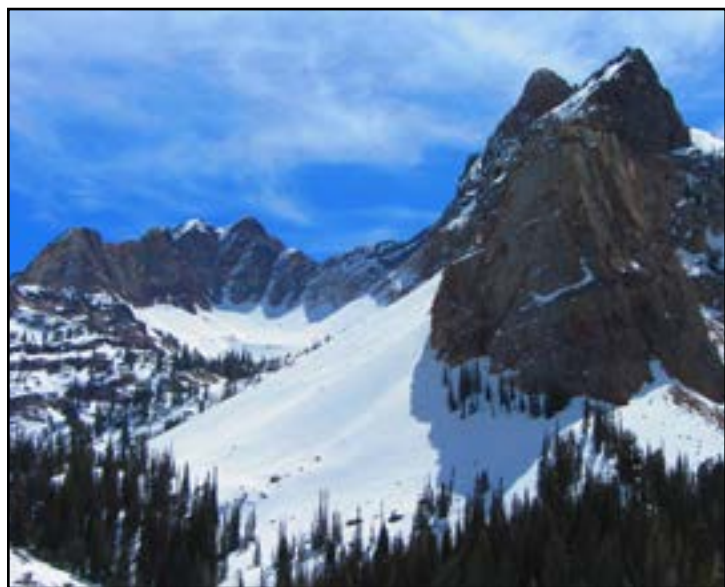
*Group at the overlook (top); Mountain goat (above left); At the bridge (above); At the lower reservoir (left)*

*All photos by Julie Kilgore.*



# IN PICTURES: LAKE BLANCHE

PHOTOS BY YI QU



Photos from the April 4, 2015  
hike to Lake Blanche in Twin Peaks  
Wilderness Area

*All photos by Yi Qu*





# HIKING STANISBURY ISLAND

Photos and Trip Report by Yi Qu



**S**tansbury Island doesn't have the best reputation for an outdoor experience, but with a little effort that takes you beyond the shooting pits, Stansbury Island is quite beautiful!

We started the hike in the shadows, taking care to stay outside the fence line and off private property. The goal was to get the hard work done and be on the ridge before the sun came over the mountain. We just barely made it! The total hiking time

was set at 5 to 6 hours, so once we hit the ridge, we went as far as time allowed. It was so quiet that we startled a family of coyotes that let us know that **THEY** knew we were there!!

We didn't quite make it to Castle Rocks (the island's high point) but that just gives us a reason to go back next spring and spend more time.

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*Photos by Yi Qu*  
*Nancy eyes optional stopping*  
*points (top left); the group all*  
*together (top right); Taking*  
*the ridgeline as far as it will go*  
*(left); View to the west from the*  
*ridgeline (above); Cassie has*  
*a great view of the mountain*  
*(right)*





# THE UPPER SAN JUAN

THE CLUB'S  
SELF-SUPPORTED  
PADDLING TRIP FROM  
SAND ISLAND TO  
MEXICAN HAT

Trip report by Wanda Gayle

**W**anda Gayle, Gretchen Siegler, and Steve Susswein launched from Sand Island in two IKs and a small cataraft. The river was running at 950 cfs and the weather was sunny and pleasant. But smiles turned to frowns when 25 to 30 mph winds developed around noon.

The group made it to lower Chinle Creek and set up camp just in time for a big gust to deposit sand and dirt in everything. But by 5 PM the wind departed so Gretchen and Wanda hiked into Chinle Canyon while a herd of curious mules watched. The canyon was cool, green, and peaceful

and the rock art and cliff dwellings impressive. The serene mood ended abruptly, though, when Gretchen came eyeball to eyeball with a red bull munching on leafy sprigs in a tamarisk grove.

Day two started as a frosty morning at Chinle Creek. When the sun got over the rim and warmed us up, we rigged for another day on the river. Everyone navigated the rapids—Four Foot, Eight Foot, and Ledges—with no trouble. Mysteriously, after Eight Foot rapids, Gretchen and Wanda heard a loud, low bark. A party of rafters had pulled out on the beach behind us so we thought

their dog made the sound. We went on to Mexican Hat camp for the night, de-rigged and set up camp in the warm afternoon sun.

Wanda and Gretchen hiked up the ridge for a view of the river, Mexican Hat Rock, Valley of the Gods, and glimpses of Monument Valley. We could look down on the other raft party at Pourover camp and Gretchen spotted a dog on the beach there. Back at camp we enjoyed dinner and a friendly visit, but as the temperature dropped precipitously in the darkening evening, everyone crawled into their tents under a star-speckled sky and a full moon.

Wanda woke up at 5 AM





*A lunar eclipse was in the works. It was a wonderful sight to witness and the perfect parting gift from the river grandmothers."*

to investigate a bright light shining through her tent. It turned out to be the moon but there was definitely something wrong with the picture. It turned out a lunar eclipse was in the works. It was a wonderful sight to witness and the perfect parting gift from the river grandmothers.

Day three begin with rigging our boats and the other river party floating by. Gretchen asked about the boating dog. The answer: We

don't have a dog! Hmmm....

With only a few river miles to go, our group leisurely ambled downriver to the Mexican Hat boat ramp. High cirrus clouds formed a stunning backdrop to swarming flocks of black geese twisting and turning in the blue sky. When they flew over the cliffs their white undersides reflected the colors of the rock.

Before we got off the river, some Chinese tourists with cam-

eras and telephoto lenses took a lot of photos as we floated by. By now those pictures of Wanda, Gretchen, and Steve are somewhere in China, looking like the hard and seasoned river rats who made it 27 miles down the San Juan River.

Respectfully submitted by Wanda Gayle

# FAINT TRAILS IN THE WASATCH

FTW 96. EMMA MINE, PART III, AND BAY CITY TUNNEL

BY CHARLES L. KELLER

**T**he name of the Bay City Tunnel suggests some connection with San Francisco, often known as the Bay City. And indeed there was. When the Bay City tunnel was recorded in the Little Cottonwood Mining District on 24 June 1872, at least ten of the fifteen incorporators were from San Francisco. Only one of the fifteen can be placed in Utah: John McDonald, who was the Mining Recorder at that time. It is not certain how this group of men came to enter the mining world of Little Cottonwood, but there are some possibilities. The same day they recorded the Bay City tunnel they also recorded the Pacific tunnel. The Bay City was located such that it would run very close to the Emma mine, while the Pacific tunnel, located some distance to the west, would run very close to Flagstaff mine. The Emma and Flagstaff mines were very much in the news and both were shipping large quantities of ore. It is possible the San Francisco people hoped to tap those ore bodies at depth, or other ore bodies nearby.

Whatever their intent, they immediately formed the Admiral Nelson Tunnel and Mining Company to take charge of both tunnels. Under the superintendency of Ed Carruthers, an Alta miner who in years following superintended a number of different mines in the district, both tunnels reached a length of about 65 feet by the end of the year.

Work slowed in 1873, so much so that by October of that year the Bay City tunnel had only reached 72 feet. However, during that year it changed hands. In June it was sold to Wm. H. Ashton, one of the incorporators of the company living tem-

porarily in St. Louis, presumably on a mission to sell the property. He did just that in August of the same year, selling it to the Emma Hill Tunnel & Mining Company of St. Louis. According to the deed for this transaction, the purchase price was five million dollars, although nothing like that amount changed hands. In many cases like this exorbitant amounts were claimed, possible to establish a large value for later transactions, like loans or mortgages; when the California company deeded the tunnel to William Ashton the value was set at only twenty thousand dollars.

The St. Louis company wasted no time getting its operations going. It sent William M. Tulley to be the superintendent and by the end of the year he had installed a boiler and air compressor at the portal, and had received an air driven Ingersoll drill to drive the tunnel, said to be the first use of this device west of the Missouri River. Before this time all work in the tunnel had been done with hand tools. Now, with the power drill, the miners were able to advance the tunnel face by twelve feet in a twenty-four hour day. In addition they enlarged the tunnel cross-section from four by six feet

Tunnels like this tended to be very expensive, having costs for equipment and operations with no income until an ore body might be struck. To cover its expenses the Emma Hill Tunnel company mortgaged its property in May of 1874 and placed it in the hands of a trustee. In April of the following year the company defaulted on its semiannual interest payments, so the trustee published a notice of sale, then sold the





*The horse tramway between Wasatch and Alta had its upper terminal at the Bay City tunnel, shown in this photograph. The tops of the Bay City buildings and snowsheds can be seen above the dump in the background. The multiple smokestacks at the left rise above the boiler room. Ore sacks are being loaded into the cars. (Alta Historical Society photo)*

property at public auction. The purchaser was an intermediary who immediately transferred it to the newly formed Bay City Tunnel and Mining Company. These activities in St. Louis had little effect at Alta, where the tunnel had a length of 1,200 feet by mid-1875. At the end of that year it was reported the tunnel had struck an ore body well below the deepest workings of the Emma mine. While this was followed by other reports and speculation, none of the reporters had been in the tunnel to see what was there. Superintendent Tully's miners continued working, but all oth-

ers were denied entrance or information. Nor was any ore shipped. This state of affairs continued throughout part of 1876, by which time the tunnel was idle. Near the end of that year it was leased to M.T. Patrick, superintendent of the Flagstaff mine, who intended to drive a drift from the tunnel to tap that mine at depth. However, the lease was taken in the name of the superintendent instead of the company, and the work in the drift ended a few months later when the Patrick failed to pay his miners.

Late in 1877 the American



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*This photo, taken about 1915, shows the Bay City tunnel waste rock dump and mine buildings in the lower left quadrant. It also shows the roads and other mines in the immediate vicinity. The Buffalo tunnel is at the dump next to the left border, the Centennial Emma mine is to the right of the Bay City and the Emma dump is directly above the Bay City. The original Grizzly Gulch road passes between the Bay City building and dump, then winds itself up toward the top of the photo, where it reaches its present day alignment. The straight road coming in from the lower left corner was the grade of the tramway between Wasatch and Alta, with its temius at the Bay City tunnel. The Grizzly Gulch stream runs along the right margin. (USGS photo)*

Emma Mining Company was incorporated to take over the Emma mine. As related in the previous article in this series, this company was formed by Trenor W. Park, who had a long standing interest in the Emma mine. He certainly recognized that during its brief history the Emma had suffered from lack of development to discover new ore reserves. To find such reserves now meant exploring at greater depth, and the Bay City tunnel was perfectly situated do that. Before the American Emma company was formed Park had sent an agent to Salt Lake City to explore such possibilities with Patrick, the man who held the lease on the tunnel. Shortly after the company was incorporated it leased the Bay City tunnel and under

the direction of supervisor George Cullins, began driving a drift to get below the bottom of the Emma mine's Attwood winze.

Coincidentally, this work was subcontracted to William M. Tully, the Bay City's former superintendent. When the drift arrived under its destination a 60 foot raise connected it to the lowest point of the Emma workings, simultaneously draining water from the Emma and allowing air to circulate through both mines. With this connection, work in the Emma mine was done through the Bay City tunnel. When the machinery and buildings at the mouth of the Emma tunnel were moved down to the Bay City tunnel in 1879, the



Emma name came down too, and thereafter reference to the Emma mine usually referred to the Bay City location.

The American Emma company remained in existence only four years before the Emma mine was returned to the former owners in England. During that time considerable work had been done in the Bay City tunnel, but most of it was done in the manner of development. Very little, if any, ore was shipped from the tunnel, although leasers working the Emma dump and mine shipped constantly, providing royalty income for the company.

The New Emma Silver Mining Company, Limited, was formed in January 1882, a re-registration of the old Emma Silver Mining Company, Limited. It took over the Emma property as well as the Bay City tunnel, still under lease. There was an air of optimism surrounding this event; the stockholders had unjustified faith that this time they would get rich. Unfortunately that was not their destiny. For thirteen years the British tried to work the Emma mine, never making a profit. Instead of receiving big dividends, the investors found themselves called upon repeatedly for funds to keep the company afloat. During that time the company was re-registered three times - in 1886, 1890 and 1895. Part of the problem was the difficult winters in the 1880 decade, with devastating snow avalanches, first attacking Alta city, but in 1884 completely wrecking the Emma works at the Bay City tunnel.

That one killed twelve people who had gone to the tunnel to spend the night, but were still in the boiler house when the slide struck. The company spent the following year rebuilding and replacing what had been destroyed.

In 1885 avalanches came down again, killing fourteen people in Alta, but only taking the smokestack off the Emma buildings. However the ever present danger effectively closed the mine during winter months.

Another part of the company's problem was expenditure of funds at the home office in London, each year contributing a sizeable amount to the total loss. After twelve unsuccessful years the company's directors decided to head in a different direction: investing in mines in Africa and Australia. They closed the Emma mine, but held it in hopes silver prices would increase and they could reopen it as a profitable venture. They did have an inexhaustible supply of optimism. This was the purpose of the 1895 reorganization. Another reorganization took place in 1900 with the intent to dispose of the American property and focus its efforts on other foreign mines.

However it was not until 1908 before the mine returned to Utah interests and became the property of the newly incorporated Old Emma Mines Company. This time the transfer involved considerably more than just the Emma mine because during the years of the New Emma Silver Mining Company, Limited, and its several reorganizations, other properties had been acquired. They included the Bay City tunnel, which was purchased from the Saint Louis company in 1887, and the Illinois tunnel, Cincinnati and three claims with the uninspiring names of No. 1, No. 2 and No. 3, all acquired in 1882. The British company had also acquired control of the Grizzly and Lavinia claims up in Grizzly Gulch by purchasing all but seventy shares of the capital stock of the Lavinia and Grizzly Consolidated Mining Company, then gaining title to the mines by court order after the parent company was dissolved. However, these two mines were sold in 1903 to become the basis of the Continental Alta group of the Continental Mines & Smelting Company, a big story in itself.

The continuing saga of the Emma mine and its influence at Alta will resume in the next article in this series..

..... © Faint Trails by Charles L. Keller .....

# Wasatch Mountain Club Activities Listings

<b>Date</b>	<b>Activity</b>
Jun 1 Mon – Jun 3 Wed	<b>Road Bike: Bear Lake Getaway – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Katie Kunz 801-272-0392 katieslack@xmission.com
Jun 1 Mon	<b>Family Friendly Draper Evening Hike - Burnham Loop Approach To Ghost Falls – ntd+ – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Draper Town Center UTA Trax parking lot (enter from 12300 South at about 1200 East). One train arrives as 5:49 and another at 6:04. Either will do. Then the group will carpool the trailhead with those of us already down south.  <i>Organizer:</i> Julie Kilgore 801-244-3323 jk@wasatch-environmental.com
Jun 2 Tue	<b>Evening Hike - Albion Basin – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at 6200 South Park & Ride (6500 Wasatch Boulevard) <i>Organizer:</i> Steve Wall 954-816-6241
Jun 3 Wed	<b>Mid-week Day Hike, Mill B North To Mt Raymond Loop – msd- – 9.0 mi Loop – 4200’ ascent – Moderate pace</b>  <i>Meet:</i> 7:00 am at Big Cottonwood Canyon Park & Ride <i>Organizer:</i> Dennis Goreham 801-550-5169 dgoreham@gmail.com
Jun 3 Wed	<b>Evening Hike - Big Cottonwood - Organizer’s Choice – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at 6200 South Park & Ride (6500 Wasatch Boulevard) <i>Organizer:</i> Knick Knickerbocker 801-891-2669
Jun 4 Thu	<b>Greater Wasatch Day Hike – mod+ – 8.0 mi Out &amp; Back – 3000’ ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Chris Proctor 801-485-1543 proctorgtr@aol.com
Jun 4 Thu	<b>Evening Hike - White Fir Pass – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Skyline High School - 3151 E Upland Dr (3760 S) <i>Organizer:</i> Nancy Martin 801-419-5554 nancycmartin@gmail.com
Jun 5 Fri – Jun 9 Tue	<b>Grande Ronde White Water Rafting – class II+</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Michael Budig 801-403-7677 mlbudig@gmail.com
Jun 6 Sat	<b>Rock Climb - Trad Gear Workshop – mod+</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> John Butler 801-718-4166 john@utahman.com
Jun 6 Sat – Jun 7 Sun	<b>Bike Touring - Slc Overnight Getaway, Affleck Park – mod – 78.0 mi Out &amp; Back – 2300’ ascent – Slow pace</b>  <i>Meet:</i> 10:00 am at Draper Frontrunner Station <i>Organizer:</i> Matt Davidson 801-706-0608 davidson801@comcast.net
Jun 6 Sat	<b>Hiking Trail Maintenance-national Trails Day – mod</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> David Andrenyak 801-582-6106 andrenyakda@aim.com
Jun 6 Sat	<b>Quaint Trails Hike – ntd – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 9:00 am at 6200 South Park & Ride (6500 Wasatch Boulevard) <i>Organizer:</i> Martin and Pat McGregor 801-255-0090 mdmcmgregor@q.com
Jun 7 Sun	<b>Butler Fork Loop Slow Pace Day Hike – mod – 8.0 mi Loop – 1800’ ascent – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 8:00 am at Big Cottonwood Canyon Park & Ride <i>Organizer:</i> David* Smith 801-572-0346 griz@xmission.com

Jun 7 Sun	<b>Slow-pace Loop Hike To Catherine's Pass – ntd+ – Loop – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 9:00 am at 6200 South Park & Ride (6500 Wasatch Boulevard) <i>Organizer:</i> Tom Silberstorf 801-255-2784
Jun 7 Sun	<b>Mt Olympus Day Hike – msd- – 6.3 mi Out &amp; Back – 4270' ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 8:00 am at Mt Olympus Trailhead lot <i>Organizer:</i> Donn Seeley 801-706-0815 donn@xmission.com
Jun 8 Mon	<b>Family Friendly Draper Evening Hike - Anne's Trail Toward Peak View – ntd+ – Slow pace</b> <i>Organizer:</i> Julie Kilgore 801-244-3323 jk@wasatch-environmental.com
Jun 9 Tue	<b>Evening Hike - The Living Room – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Directions to meeting place: Exit Foothill Blvd. at Wakara Way; go northeast to the stop at Chipeta Way; go straight, then turn southeast (right) on Colorow Drive. Park about 50 yards past the intersection with Tabby Lane. There will be a prompt 6:15 pm  <i>Organizer:</i> Yi Qu and Christine Miller 801-503-5252 or 385 229 0737
Jun 10 Wed	<b>Evening Hike - Millcreek - Organizer's Choice – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Skyline High School - 3151 E Upland Dr (3760 S) <i>Organizer:</i> Peter Goldman 801-856-5361
Jun 11 Thu	<b>Evening Hike - Broads Fork – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at 6200 South Park & Ride (6500 Wasatch Boulevard) <i>Organizer:</i> Terry Baker 801-904-2621
Jun 12 Fri – Jun 14 Sun	<b>White Water On The Sevier – class III – 10.0 mi</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Katrina Easton 970-683-8996 katrina.easton@gmail.com
Jun 13 Sat – Jun 14 Sun	<b>Rockcliff Overnighter Bike Touring – mod- – Out &amp; Back</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Cheryl Soshnik 435-649-9008 csoshnik@yahoo.com
Jun 13 Sat	<b>Faint Trails Hike - Scottish Chief Mine And Old Park City-brighton Road – ntd – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 9:00 am at 6200 South Park & Ride (6500 Wasatch Boulevard) <i>Organizer:</i> Charles & Allene Keller 801-467-3960
Jun 13 Sat	<b>Burch Hollow Day Hike – mod – 5.6 mi Out &amp; Back – 2120' ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 9:00 am at Skyline High School - 3151 E Upland Dr (3760 S) <i>Organizer:</i> Donn Seeley 801-706-0815 donn@xmission.com
Jun 14 Sun	<b>Road Bike: Afternoon Ride &amp; Social – ntd+ – 26.0 mi Out &amp; Back – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 4:00 pm at 3627 East Granite Bench Ln. in Sandy (exit off Little Cottonwood Canyon Rd.). Please note this address does NOT appear on Google maps. It shows up on Map Quest or Bing, and perhaps your GPS unit.  <i>Organizer:</i> Katie Kunz 801-272-0392 katieslack@xmission.com
Jun 14 Sun	<b>Honeycomb Canyon Loop Hike – mod – Loop – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 8:30 am at 6200 South Park & Ride (6500 Wasatch Boulevard) <i>Organizer:</i> Karen Perkins 801-272-2225 karenp@xmission.com
Jun 14 Sun	<b>Bst From Thousand Oaks To Mt Olympus Th Day Hike – ntd – 2.6 mi Shuttle – 500' ascent – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 9:00 am at Skyline High School - 3151 E Upland Dr (3760 S) <i>Organizer:</i> Donn Seeley 801-706-0815 donn@xmission.com
Jun 15 Mon	<b>Family Friendly Draper Evening Hike – ntd+ – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Draper Town Center UTA Trax parking lot (enter from 12300 South at about 1200 East). One train arrives as 5:49 and another at 6:04. Either will do. Then the group will carpool the trailhead with those of us already down south.  <i>Organizer:</i> Karen Grenko 801-420-0069



Jun 16 Tue	<b>Evening Hike - White Pine – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Little Cottonwood Canyon Park & Ride <i>Organizer:</i> Steve Wall 954-816-6241
Jun 17 Wed	<b>Evening Hike - Mill B North – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at 6200 South Park & Ride (6500 Wasatch Boulevard) <i>Organizer:</i> Keith Markley 207-344-9989
Jun 18 Thu	<b>Evening Hike - Burch Hollow Trail – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Skyline High School - 3151 E Upland Dr (3760 S) <i>Organizer:</i> Anne Polinsky 801-466-3806
Jun 19 Fri	<b>Sing-a-long &amp; Pot Luck Supper</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:30 pm at Judene Shelley 9847 S 2900 East <i>Organizer:</i> Judene Shelley, La Rae Bartholoma 978-223-0640, 801-277-4093 j.shelley@comcast.net; roosiebear@gmail.com
Jun 20 Sat	<b>Day Hike: Prince Of Wales Mine In, Pipeline Out. – ntd – 2.3 mi Loop – 1460' ascent – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 9:00 am at Little Cottonwood Canyon Park & Ride <i>Organizer:</i> Larry Nilssen 801-572-3964 mtns2live@yahoo.com
Jun 20 Sat	<b>Bells Canyon To The Upper Reservoir Day Hike – msd – 9.4 mi Out &amp; Back – 4270' ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 8:00 am at Bells Canyon trailhead, about 10245 South on Wasatch Blvd <i>Organizer:</i> Donn Seeley 801-706-0815 donn@xmission.com
Jun 21 Sun – Jun 27 Sat	<b>Bicycle Tour Of Colorado--road Bike</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Angela Vincent 801-281-3160 avince182@yahoo.com
Jun 21 Sun	<b>Day Hike - Summer Solstice - The Sundial – msd – 9.4 mi Out &amp; Back – 4000' ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Jim Kucera 801-263-1912 jameskucera@aol.com
Jun 21 Sun	<b>Day Hike Lambs Canyon Pass From Lambs Canyon Trail – ntd – 4.0 mi</b> <i>Meet:</i> 9:00 am at Skyline High School - 3151 E Upland Dr (3760 S) <i>Organizer:</i> Mark Jones 801-410-4163
Jun 22 Mon	<b>Family Friendly Draper Evening Hike - Red Rocks To Potato Hill – ntd+ – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Draper Town Center UTA Trax parking lot (enter from 12300 South at about 1200 East). One train arrives as 5:49 and another at 6:04. Either will do. Then the group will carpool the trailhead with those of us already down south.  <i>Organizer:</i> Julie Kilgore 801-244-3323 jk@wasatch-environmental.com
Jun 23 Tue	<b>Evening Hike - Salt Lake Overlook – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Skyline High School - 3151 E Upland Dr (3760 S) <i>Organizer:</i> Pam Miller 801-381-2669
Jun 24 Wed	<b>4th Of July White Water Rafting Planning Meeting – class I</b> <i>Meet:</i> 7:00 pm at Boat Shed - 4340 S 300 W <i>Organizer:</i> Rick Thompson gone2moab@hotmail.com
Jun 24 Wed	<b>Evening Hike - Little Cottonwood Trail – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Little Cottonwood Canyon Park & Ride <i>Organizer:</i> Keith Markley 207-344-9989
Jun 25 Thu	<b>Evening Hike - Red Pine – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Little Cottonwood Canyon Park & Ride <i>Organizer:</i> Peter Goldman 801-856-5361

Jun 25 Thu	<b>Greater Wasatch Day Hike – mod+ – 8.0 mi Out &amp; Back – 3000’ ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Chris Proctor 801-485-1543 proctorgtr@aol.com
Jun 27 Sat	<b>Rock Climb - Trad Saturday – mod+</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> John Butler 801-718-4166 john@utahman.com
Jun 27 Sat	<b>Slow-pace Hike Mill B – ntd+ – Out &amp; Back – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 9:00 am at 6200 South Park & Ride (6500 Wasatch Boulevard) <i>Organizer:</i> Tom Silberstorf 801-255-2784
Jun 27 Sat	<b>Day Hike - Box Elder Peak Via The North Route - American Fork Canyon – msd- – 9.0 mi – 4000’ ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Nancy Martin and Keith Markley 801-419-5554 or 207-344-9989 nancymartin@gmail.com
Jun 28 Sun	<b>Hike- Brighton/clayton Peak – mod – Out &amp; Back – 1900’ ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 8:45 am at 6200 South Park & Ride (6500 Wasatch Boulevard) <i>Organizer:</i> David Andrenyak 801-582-6106 andrenyakda@aim.com
Jun 28 Sun	<b>Kessler Peak Day Hike – mod+ – 5.0 mi Out &amp; Back – 3410’ ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 9:00 am at 6200 South Park & Ride (6500 Wasatch Boulevard) <i>Organizer:</i> Donn Seeley 801-706-0815 donn@xmission.com
Jun 29 Mon	<b>Family Friendly Draper Evening Hike – ntd+ – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Draper Town Center UTA Trax parking lot (enter from 12300 South at about 1200 East) <i>Organizer:</i> Karen Grenko 801-420-0069
Jun 30 Tue	<b>Evening Hike - Broads Fork – ntd</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at 6200 South Park & Ride (6500 Wasatch Boulevard) <i>Organizer:</i> Steve Wall 954-816-6241
Jul 2 Thu – Jul 5 Sun	<b>July 4th White Water Rafting Party – class III – 25.0 mi</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Rick Thompson gone2moab@hotmail.com
Jul 2 Thu – Jul 5 Sun	<b>Paddling Upper San Juan – class II</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Gretchen Siegler 801-661-5635 gsiegler@westminstercollege.edu
Jul 2 Thu – Jul 5 Sun	<b>Sawtooths Car Camp – mod+ – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Donn Seeley 801-706-0815 donn@xmission.com
Jul 2 Thu	<b>Greater Wasatch Day Hike – mod+ – 8.0 mi Out &amp; Back – 3000’ ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Chris Proctor 801-485-1543 proctorgtr@aol.com
Jul 9 Thu	<b>Greater Wasatch Day Hike – mod+ – 8.0 mi Out &amp; Back – 3000’ ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Chris Proctor 801-485-1543 proctorgtr@aol.com
Jul 10 Fri – Jul 13 Mon	<b>Grand Teton Hiking And Classical Music Car Camp – ntd+</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> John & Martha Veranth 801-278-5826 veranth@xmission.com

Jul 10 Fri – Jul 13 Mon	<b>Rock Climb - Lone Peak Cirque Multi-pitch – 12.0 mi – 6000’ ascent</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 am at Jacobs Ladder Trail Head <i>Carpool:</i> 5:30 am at By mutual agreement <i>Organizer:</i> Frank Nederhand 678-488-3228 franka.nederhand@gmail.com
Jul 11 Sat – Jul 12 Sun	<b>Road Bike: Huntington Canyon And Scofield Weekend Trip – mod+ – Out &amp; Back – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Robert Turner 801-560-3378 r46turner@gmail.com
Jul 17 Fri – Jul 19 Sun	<b>Rock Climb And Camp At Maple Canyon – mod+</b> <i>Meet:</i> 2:00 pm at Meeting at the campground. GPS Info. 39.55694, -111.68639 39°33’25”N, 111°41’11”W From Fountain Green, Utah, head south on West Side Road for 7 miles to Freedom Road in Freedom. Turn right onto Freedom Road and watch for Maple  <i>Organizer:</i> Kristin Thomas 617-733-1943 xtinthomas@gmail.com
Jul 17 Fri – Jul 19 Sun	<b>Canyoneering The Subway – mod+ – 9.5 mi</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Rick Thompson gone2moab@hotmail.com
Jul 18 Sat – Jul 26 Sun	<b>White Water Rafting--lower Salmon – class III</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Kelly Beumer 801-230-7967 kellybeumer@gmail.com
Jul 23 Thu	<b>Greater Wasatch Day Hike – mod+ – 8.0 mi Out &amp; Back – 3000’ ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Chris Proctor 801-485-1543 proctorgtr@aol.com
Jul 25 Sat	<b>Rock Climb - Trad Saturday – mod+</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> John Butler 801-718-4166 john@utahman.com
Jul 26 Sun – Aug 2 Sun	<b>White Water Rafting: Middle Fork Of The Salmon River – class IV- – 104.0 mi</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Anja Wadman 801-388-2214 anjawadman@gmail.com
Jul 30 Thu	<b>Greater Wasatch Day Hike – mod+ – 8.0 mi Out &amp; Back – 3000’ ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Chris Proctor 801-485-1543 proctorgtr@aol.com
Jul 31 Fri – Aug 3 Mon	<b>Kayak/canoe-leigh Lake, Grand Teton National Park – flat water</b> <i>Meet:</i> Disseminated via the Boating email list <i>Organizer:</i> Kathy Jones 801-518-4227 cooperdog1@comcast.net
Aug 14 Fri – Aug 19 Wed	<b>Rae Lakes High Sierra Backpack – mod+ – 50.0 mi Loop – 10000’ ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Michael* Budig mbudig@mail.com
Aug 15 Sat – Aug 22 Sat	<b>Ride Idaho--road Bike</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Angela Vincent 801-281-3160 avince182@yahoo.com
Aug 28 Fri – Sep 6 Sun	<b>Bike Touring--ride Across Colorado – msd – 380.0 mi Shuttle – 10000’ ascent – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Angela Vincent 801-281-3160 avince182@yahoo.com
Aug 28 Fri – Aug 30 Sun	<b>Parunaweap Backpack – mod+ – 20.0 mi Shuttle – 1600’ ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Rick Thompson gone2moab@hotmail.com



Sep 1 Tue – Sep 17 Thu	<b>White Water Rafting-alsek River Trip – class IV</b> <i>Meet:</i> Disseminated via the Boating email list <i>Organizer:</i> Chris 801-776-1031
Sep 3 Thu – Sep 7 Mon	<b>Backpacking Death Hollow – mod+ – 30.0 mi</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Rick Thompson gone2moab@hotmail.com
Sep 12 Sat – Sep 21 Mon	<b>Morocco Hike Trip And Sight Seeing – ntd – Out &amp; Back – Slow pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Mounia Collins 801-824-0564 mouniacollins@gmail.com
Sep 18 Fri – Sep 20 Sun	<b>Backpack The Zion Narrows – mod – 16.5 mi Shuttle</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Rick Thompson gone2moab@hotmail.com
Sep 24 Thu – Sep 30 Wed	<b>White Water Rafting- Canyonlands – class IV – 118.0 mi – 260' ascent</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Bob Cady 801-274-0250 rcady@xmission.com
Oct 1 Thu – Oct 24 Sat	<b>Nepal In The Fall. The Three Passes Trek – mod+ – 65.0 mi Loop – 10000' ascent – Moderate pace</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> Bob Norris 801-943-6039 bobnepal@comcast.net
Oct 3 Sat – Oct 27 Tue	<b>Grand Canyon Trip White Water Rafting – class IV+</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Steven Pace 801-363-8190 user031147@aol.com
Oct 9 Fri	<b>Sing-a-long &amp; Pot Luck Supper</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:30 pm at 1981 S 1500 West Woods Cross <i>Organizer:</i> Pam & Kevin Stalnaker, La Rae Bartholoma, Frank Bernard 801-425-9957, 801-277-4093 canoeam@yahoo.com; roosiebear@gmail.com; frankbernard55@earthlink.net
Oct 9 Fri – Oct 11 Sun	<b>Canyoneering 201 – mod+</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Rick Thompson gone2moab@hotmail.com
Oct 17 Sat	<b>Rappelling Class For Canyoneering – ntd+</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Rick Thompson gone2moab@hotmail.com
Oct 23 Fri – Oct 25 Sun	<b>Introduction To Technical Canyoneering – mod</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration Required <i>Organizer:</i> Rick Thompson gone2moab@hotmail.com
Oct 24 Sat	<b>Rock Climb - 43rd Annual Tradapalooza – mod+ – 300' ascent</b> <i>Meet:</i> Registration required <i>Organizer:</i> John Butler 801-718-4166 john@utahman.com
Oct 24 Sat	<b>Wmc Halloween Masquerade Party 2015 Social</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:00 pm at Wasatch Mountain Club Lodge at Brighton Ski Resort in Big Cottonwood Canyon <i>Organizer:</i> Craig Anderson 801-487-2352 canderson11238@gmail.com
Dec 4 Fri	<b>Christmas Sing-a-long &amp; Pot Luck Supper</b> <i>Meet:</i> 6:30 pm at 5904 Tolcate Woods Ln (2930 E) <i>Organizer:</i> La Rae & Bart Bartholoma, Frank Bernard 801-277-4093 roosiebear@gmail.com; frankbernard55@earthlink.net

# Wasatch Mountain Club Summer 2015 Boating Schedule

For the most up-to-date schedule, check [www.wasatchmountainclub.org](http://www.wasatchmountainclub.org)

2015 BOATING CALENDAR		AS OF March 4 2015			
TRIP DATES	TRIP LOCATION	CLASS	ORGANIZER	ORGANIZER CONTACT	
Mar 2-	Planning Party	0	Kelly Beumer	<a href="mailto:kellybeumer@gmail.com">kellybeumer@gmail.com</a>	
Mar 5-8	Black Canyon	I	Rick Thompson	<a href="mailto:gone2moab@hotmail.com">gone2moab@hotmail.com</a>	
April 2-4	San Juan SI-MH	2	Wanda Gayle	<a href="mailto:wgayle@sisna.com">wgayle@sisna.com</a>	
April 4-9	Dirty Devil/San Juan	I-II	Steve Pace	<a href="mailto:user031147@aol.com">user031147@aol.com</a>	
April 11	Boat Shed Opening	0	Bret Mathews	<a href="mailto:bretmaverick999@yahoo.com">bretmaverick999@yahoo.com</a>	
April 12-19	Labyrinth Canoe	I	Pam Stalnaker	<a href="mailto:canoepam@yahoo.com">canoepam@yahoo.com</a>	
April 18	Adventure Gear Fest	0		<a href="http://www.adventuregearexpo.com/">http://www.adventuregearexpo.com/</a>	
April 25	Utah Whitewater Gear Swap	0	Utah Whitewater Gear	<a href="#">7307 South State Street</a>	
May 8-10	Glen Canyon-Lees Ferry	1	Kathy Jones	<a href="mailto:cooperdog1@comcast.net">cooperdog1@comcast.net</a>	
May 9, 10	Swiftwater Rescue Fundamentals		U. Community Ed	<a href="https://umarket.utah.edu/um2/uucep/product.php?product=20&amp;storecookie=1">https://umarket.utah.edu/um2/uucep/product.php?product=20&amp;storecookie=1</a>	
May 15-17	Beginner Gray	II	Aymara Jimenez	<a href="mailto:saymaraj@gmail.com">saymaraj@gmail.com</a>	
May 15-26	Escalante (if there is water)	II+	Steve Pace	<a href="mailto:user031147@aol.com">user031147@aol.com</a>	
May 19	Desolation	II-III	Mark McKenzie	<a href="mailto:mdm571830@gmail.com">mdm571830@gmail.com</a>	
May 28-31	White River	I+	Martin/Kelly Beumer	<a href="mailto:kellybeumer@gmail.com">kellybeumer@gmail.com</a>	
May 31-June 7	Rogue River	III-IV	Cindy Crass/John Marino	<a href="mailto:dohenyrose27@gmail.com">dohenyrose27@gmail.com</a>	
June 5-9	Grande Ronde	II-III	Mike Budig	<a href="mailto:mlbudig@gmail.com">mlbudig@gmail.com</a>	
May -June	San Rafael 2 day (if there is water)	I	Steve Pace	<a href="mailto:user031147@aol.com">user031147@aol.com</a>	
May -June	Muddy Creek 5-6 day (if there is water)	I-III	Steve Pace	<a href="mailto:user031147@aol.com">user031147@aol.com</a>	
July 2-5	Payette	III	Rick Thompson	<a href="mailto:gone2moab@hotmail.com">gone2moab@hotmail.com</a>	
July 3-5	San Juan SI-MH	II	Gretchen Siegler	<a href="mailto:gsiegler@westminstercollege.edu">gsiegler@westminstercollege.edu</a>	
~July 18-25	Lower Salmon	IV	Kelly Beumer/Mike Budig	<a href="mailto:kellybeumer@gmail.com">kellybeumer@gmail.com</a>	
July 27--Aug 2	Middle Fork Salmon	IV	Anja Wadman	<a href="mailto:anjawadman@gmail.com">anjawadman@gmail.com</a>	



## Wanted: Board Members

The Wasatch Mountain Club Foundation is looking to fill 4 positions to serve on their board of directors for a 3-year term.

The objective of the board is to preserve the Lodge that was established by the Wasatch Mountain Club and entrusted to the Foundation in 2010. The foundation is a 501(c) 3 organization and uses the money from donations, fundraisers, and rentals to maintain and improve the building as needed. Positions are volunteer and will be filled before the end of 2014.

### Open Positions

**IT Director** (IT infrastructure is basic and needs only moderately experienced person)

**Lodge Rental Coordinator** (Tasked with taking and maintaining the reservations for the Lodge)

**Fundraising** (Someone who is willing to coordinate events large and small to raise the funds necessary to keep the Lodge running)

**Lodge Maintenance** (Willing to plan and lead project teams aimed at maintaining the Lodge)

Contact Robert Myers for more information or to apply

[RobertMyers47@gmail.com](mailto:RobertMyers47@gmail.com)



[www.WasatchMountainClubFoundation.Org](http://www.WasatchMountainClubFoundation.Org)

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