Upcoming Social Programs

Peakbaggers's social meetings are held at the Griffith Park Ranger Station Auditorium, 4730 Crystal Springs Drive.
The program follows the business portion of the meeting. Refreshments are provided (donations are requested to defray expenses). 7:30 P.M. Newcomers welcome.

May 8: Did you know that the Hot Springs List was created after the HPS List? Author David Bybee, keeper of the list, will present a slide show of many of the hot springs he explored and soaked in. Lists, maps, books available.

June 12: Frank and Ruth Dobos present a slide show about their recent trip to Hungary where they joined in the celebration of 1100 year anniversary of the founding of the nation of the Magyars.

Directions to the Griffith Park Ranger Station Auditorium

How to get to the Griffith Park Ranger Station Auditorium:
From the north: Exit the Golden State (5) Freeway at Western, turn right and proceed to Victory. Turn left on Victory (which becomes Riverside Drive) and cross over the 134 Freeway and turn left at Zoo Drive. Follow Zoo Drive past the LA Zoo parking area. Keep straight (name changes to Crystal Springs Dr) and turn left into the Ranger Station parking lot at the third stop sign.
From the east: Travelling west on the 134 Freeway stay in the far right lane as you approach the 5 Freeway. Exit at north Zoo Drive (sign says Gene Autry Western Heritage Museum). Turn right and follow N. Zoo Drive as it curves around, going over the 5 Freeway. As you approach the LA Zoo parking area you will encounter a stop sign. Go straight, across the parking lot. Turn left at Zoo Drive and proceed to the Ranger Station (third stop sign).
From the west: Exit the 134 Freeway at Forest Lawn Drive (Victory). Go right a short ways, then turn left at Zoo Drive. Turn left, then left again at a stop. Follow Zoo Drive past the LA Zoo parking area (name changes to Crystal Springs Dr) and turn left into the Ranger Station parking area. Alternative directions from north, east or west: Go south on the Golden State (5) Freeway. Exit at Los Feliz Blvd (west). Turn right on to Los Feliz, then right again at the first opportunity. Follow Crystal Springs Drive past one stop sign. In about ¼ mile more turn right into the Ranger Station parking lot.
Membership Report
By David F Eisenberg

Achievements

100 Peaks Emblem
948  John Dykstra  March 8, 1997  Old Mount Emma
949  Mars Bonfire  March 7, 1997  San Gorgonio Peak

200 Peaks Bar
341  Mark Hodgson  May 26, 1984  Apache Peak
342  Gabriele Rau  February 14, 1997  Black Mountain No. 6

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Note from THE LOOKOUT Editor:

THE LOOKOUT is published six times a year. The deadlines for submittal of articles are February 1 for the March-April issue; April 1 for the May-June issue; June 1 for the July-August issue; August 1 for the September-October issue; October 1 for the November-December issue; and December 1 for the following year’s January-February issue. The December 1 deadline is flexible because of the HPS election. Articles must be type-written and may be sent regular mail, faxed (310) 301-9642, or emailed to JFYGEM@aol.com. If you send photos and want them returned please state so and enclose a sase. Please indicate on the back of each photo what the photo is about and also your name. Articles may be edited for length and appropriateness. THE LOOKOUT is the property of the Hundred Peaks Section. All rights reserved.

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Important Dates

April 27  Date to reserve for Spring Fling
May 10-11  HPS Spring Fling
July 7  Deadline for submittal of trip write-ups for the November - February Schedule
October 4-5  Hundred Peaks Section 1997 Oktoberfest
THE VIEW FROM THE CHAIR
By Jim S. Fleming

Hello, fellow peak baggers! I have good news to report in regards to the recreation passes for the local National Forests (see "United States Forest Service Announces Recreation User Fees" in the March-April issue of THE LOOKOUT). At the March meeting of the HPS Management Committee, we were given a detailed presentation on the program by Jacqueline Leonard (Public Affairs Specialist) and Michael Rogers (Supervisor of the Angeles National Forest) of the United States Forest Service. After the presentation and questions, the HPS voted to become a vendor for the passes. We plan to purchase them in lots and make them available for trip participants at the rideshare points. The Forest Service is also making contact with various entities near the forests (such as gas stations, sporting goods stores, etc.) to establish other outlets. We will be working with the USFS in the coming months on the details and will keep you posted on developments.

The Annual Angeles Chapter Awards Banquet, held March 22 at Brookside Country Club in Pasadena, was a great evening. Several of our members were given awards for their efforts and achievements on behalf of the Sierra Club. Those honored included Tom Armbruster, who received the Phil Bernays Service Award (one of the Chapters highest honors); Bob Hicks and Bill T. Russell, each the recipient of a Lifelong Service Award (a new honor for senior members); and Louis Quirarte, who was honored with an Extraordinary Achievement Award as a member of the Angeles Chapter Political Committee. Recognition was also afforded Betty Snow in a Special Service Award. It was great to see so many of our members receiving much deserved recognition!

Don't forget that our annual Spring Fling is coming up soon -- get your reservations in before the April 27 deadline, if possible! Send your check to me (I'm the reservationist) at:

P.O. Box 98
Simi Valley, CA. 93062-0098

Also, anyone who wishes to volunteer to help out with the planning and/or execution of the weekend (May 10th and 11th at Foster Lodge in the Laguna Mountains of San Diego County) should contact myself or David Eisenberg. It promises to be a great time!

A reminder to the membership: any written requests to the Management Committee for additions to and/or deletions from the HPS Peaks List are due by the July 10 meeting! Also, we need to start thinking about running for the next Management Committee. See you on the trail!

Left to right: Charlotte Feitshans, David Eisenberg and Olivia Feitshans set up water station at the Los Angeles Marathon on March 2, 1997. Photo by Ann Kramer
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Hundred Peaks Membership Roster
Compiled by David F Eisenberg

Each May, THE LOOKOUT prints a list of active members. According to the HPS Bylaws, an active member must have a current subscription to the Lookout and be a Sierra Club Member. This list is only as good as the information I receive. If there is a correction to your name, address, or status, please use the Membership Form on the inside back page for corrections.

Explanation of Symbols:
(O), (I), (M), (E), (T):
The member's Leadership Rating
The member's highest Climbing Emblem
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The member's highest Leadership Emblem

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Spring Fling is almost here!
May 10-11

Don't forget that our annual Spring Fling at Foster Lodge in the Laguna Mountains in San Diego County is coming up soon – get your reservations in before the April 27 deadline, if possible! Send your check for $10 with a sase to reservationist

Jim Fleming
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This is a weekend of hiking, socializing, and a typical Hundred Peaks Section party. Remember, the HPS supplies turkey at the potluck dinner Saturday night. Volunteers are needed to help out with the planning and/or execution of the weekend. Please contact Jim Fleming or David Eisenberg. It promises to be a great time!
Current Trips Reports

San Rafael Mountain
February 15-16, 1997
By Wayne Norman

This was my third trip to the Big-Three Peaks area in Santa Barbara County. (I was climbing the peaks one peak per trip). The area is so beautiful that I can never feel pressured to climb all the peaks when I'm hiking here. Also by doing the peaks one per trip I have a great excuse to keep coming back.

Our group of three got a late start on Saturday, leaving Cachuma Saddle about noon. (The previous night was Valentine's evening after all.) On the drive to the trailhead, on Happy Canyon Road, California Poppy's were already blooming. (This should be a good year for wildflowers.)

This was the first hike of the year for two of the people on the trip so we took our time enjoying the very green foliage along the road/trail. The road is in excellent condition and is perfect for mountain biking, in fact we saw a number of them during our trip, all very polite and courteous. The weather on the Feb. 15-16 weekend was perfect. We had coastal clouds to protect us from the warm sun on the hike in. We arrived at Cold Springs to find it flowing quite well, but the ground around the picnic tables was very wet so we decided to camp on the road since we were the only people here. Dinner was a four course meal by candlelight. The same coastal clouds that had protected us from the sun also kept us warm at night. The temperature never dropped below freezing, and we were at 5500', in the dead of winter! I love California.

Next morning we set out to climb San Rafael Mountain (6593'). At the saddle between San Rafael and McKinley mountain, Lynelle decided not to do San Rafael, she was still feeling the hike in, so she climbed McKinley instead. Ruth and I went on to San Rafael, hiking through some snow on the north side of the ridge above the 6000' level. The snow was only on the trail, it had melted off all the foliage. We made the summit about an hour after leaving Cold Springs. The views were incredible. We could see the snow clad peaks of the Sierra to the east, to the south was San Nicholas Island, one of the Channel Islands, to the west was the Pacific Coast. It was a glorious morning. (By the way the peak needs a new register can, the existing one's bottom is rusted through.)

On the way out we met other backpackers coming in for the weekend. We also were passed by two female runners, one was 70 if she was a day, who were doing a day run of San Rafael Mountain. They passed us on the way up at about 11:30 just below Cold Springs and made it to the cars at 3 p.m., the same time we did! Great Trip to a Beautiful Area.

P.S. We didn't see a single tick the entire trip!

Cole Point, Mt Emma, Old Mt Emma
March 8, 1997
Leaders: Ray Soucy & Dianne Edwards
By Ray Soucy

I didn't remember seeing all three scheduled in a long time so I thought I'd have a go at them. And judging by the number of phone calls I received asking about the hike, I figured we would have a large turnout. Well, that's just what we had: twenty-one hardy souls hankerin' for an up-and-down firebreak hike I'm not sure all of us were prepared for quite as much as we got!). And one hiker, John Dykstra, would be getting his 100th peak today on Old Emma.

After a 7 am rendezvous at the La Cañada meeting place we car pooled to Mt. Emma Road at marker #396 and left some vehicles to set up a car shuttle. Then, it was back to the Angeles Forest Hwy trailhead around 8:45 to begin the hike to Cole Pt. This trailhead is described in the HPS write-up (#10J) but is not depicted on the HPS map (#SGT-4). It was shaping up to be a fine day, weather-wise, and Patty Klune took advantage of today's rather lengthy sign-in process to move some HPS merchandise, but by 9:00 we were on our way. The group was staying together nicely as we negotiated the 2-mile ridge route to Cole, and by now we all had a taste of what the rest of the day would be like on this roller-coaster of a route. It seemed that we were always coming around a

Well, the usual placating with goodies at breaks worked just fine and everybody shut up! And of course, the more hikers, the more variety of goodies to choose from! Quite a cast of characters, too. After a decent break atop Cole we got back on the roller coaster and hiked the firebreak connecting Cole to Mt. Emma. B-A-A-H! It was going to be a strange day...

We celebrated John Dykstra’s 100th peak when we reached the top of Old Mt. Emma and some of us reminisced about our own hundredth peak. One last ridge to deal with and we were back at marker 396 for the ride back to the Angeles Forest Hwy. Trailhead and the remaining cars. I’ll bet I wasn’t the only one with sore quads the next day, or so I’d like to think. Oh, well, good conditioning for next week’s Santiago-Modjeska foray…but that’ll be another story for another day!

Participants on today’s outing were Lee Zebold, Harvey Ganz, Dave Zalewski, John Morrison, Haven Fearn, Craig Wheeler, John Dykstra, Joe Young, Rick Breyt, Yasmine Sibulo, Leisha Gremlion, Kim LaPorte, Ann Kramer, Kathy Cheever, Jill Peterson, Janet Damen, Don Tidwell, Shane Smith and Patty Kline.

Santiago Peak, Modjeska Peak
March 15, 1997
Leaders: Ray Soucy & Harriet Edwards
By Ray Soucy

Symptoms: Frustrated, sick of job, tired of hubby/wife/significant other, need change of scenery, attitude adjustment, etc.

“Dr.” Ray’s prescription: Go take a hike - a long one, (and call me in the morning).

And I’ve got just the thing: a 22 mile, 5,000’ gain leg stretch to “Ol’ Saddleback,” as the only Orange Co. HPS peaks are collectively referred to.

Our group of ten met bright(?) and early (6:30 am) at the Tustin Ave meeting spot for a foggy ride to the Holy Jim trailhead. Hitting the trail at 8:10 we proceeded to the first of many stream crossings, then negotiated lots of switchbacks through chaparral and a few pre-Spring blossoms. The sun was shining brightly now as we worked our way towards Horse Springs, which we arrived at in about 2 hours, 15 minutes. The group was strong and making excellent progress, as indicated by the elapsed time of this 6-mi, 2,000’ gain leg. WTC leader (and fellow New Englander) Vid Walker suggested the short cut trail from Horse Springs to the Main Divide Truck Trail and this saved a considerable amount of time and distance compared to the road route. We enjoyed spectacular views of the nearby mountains as well as the distant San Jacinto and San Gorgonio ranges.

Santiago was attained in almost exactly 5 hours. Lunch was made somewhat less enjoyable by the annoying presence of hundreds of tiny black flies going for our exposed skin. We bade farewell to Quentin and Barbara who had to get back by 4 PM, and left the antennae and flies behind to find trail route to Modjeska. At the described bend in the road we hiked straight onto the overgrown old road and worked our way to the saddle between the two peaks, finding the trail paralleling the main road and were on top of Modjeska by around 3 PM. A group of hikers we met on the peak said “we’re getting out of here and leaving the flies for you!” How thoughtful.

The register “can” on Modjeska is, to date, the funniest I’ve ever seen on any peak I’ve climbed: it has what looks like a lid that screws on but don’t try to remove it -- you need the energy for the trip back! Turning it over reveals the real lid, a sort of plug that just taps into place labeled “open here”! Reminds me of Seinfeld’s crack on the sketch on Sat. Night Live a few years ago: “Who are the marketing geniuses who came up with this one?” I began looking for the hidden camera...

The map shows a road between the two peaks that, from Modjeska, appears to disappear in brush as it descends from Santiago. For the hike back, I wanted to find an easier route than the steep section that we came down in an effort to save energy. From the saddle between the two peaks one can easily find the beginning of
the old road as it slips into a sort of "brush tunnel" that made walking a lot easier, just an occasional need to duck down under the brush a bit. The group appreciated this very much and we were soon back to the Main Divide Road for the 8 mile downhill to the parking lot. We were back to the cars by 6:15 pm.

The participants were Harvey Ganz, Kathy Cheever, Vid Walker, Claire Crow, Jane Gibbons, Quentin & Barbara Wall and Charlie Koh.

Bobcat Thompson Celebrates His 50th Birthday on a Climb of Mt Gleason
March 29, 1997

(Below) Bobcat and Bob Kanne, who also celebrated his birthday this day; (upper right) Bobcat with special birthday cake; (lower right) some of Bobcat's friends who joined him for this special day.
UPCOMING HUNDRED PEAKS EVENTS
COMPILED BY DAVID F EISENBERG (MAY-JUNE) AND CHARLOTTE FEITSHANS (JULY-OCTOBER)

MAY 3 SAT
I: Cannel Pt (8314') from Fay Creek: Strenuous 10 mi, 5000' gain on remote route on trail. Very steep firebreak and xC to reach peak. Farthest N on HPS List in beautiful, wild area. Send sase early w cond, H&W phones to Leader: DIONE DUNBAR, Assistant: LARRY HOAK.

MAY 3 SAT
I: Mt Isip (8250') & Southern Ridge: Moderate, 10 mi 2500' gain to Mt Isip from the North, then visit the southern ridge. Well mannered dogs welcome. Do a little trail and CG clean-up. Bring warm clothes. Meet 7 am La Canada rideshare pt. Leader: BOB FREED. Assistant: DEAN WALRUFF.

MAY 7 WED
I: The Pinnacles (5737'), Mt Marie Louise (5607'): Meet 9:45 am at Rock Camp Forest Stn on Cal 173 N of Lake Arrowhead. Hike 6 mi rt with 1600' gain on trail and xC. Bring water, lunch, lug soles. Mandatory to call a leader week of trip. Leaders: WALT WHISMAN, JERRY KEATING, NANCY KEATING.

MAY 8 THU
Peakbagger's Social Meeting: Program: Did you know that the Hot Springs List was created after the HPS list? Author David Bybee, Keeper of the List, will present a slide show of many of the hot springs he explored and soaked in. Lists, maps, books available. Refreshments, socializing. Everyone welcome. 7:30 Griffith Park Ranger Sta Auditorium. 4730 Crystal Springs Dr.

MAY 10 SAT
O: Middle Pk (5883'), Cuyamaca Pk (LO) (6512'): Spring Fling trip in the Laguna Mtns in San Diego County. 2500' Gain, 8 mi rt. After the hike, join us at Foster Lodge (see writeup) Meet 8 am Foster Lodge or send sase to David. Leaders: DAVID EISENBERG, JIM FLEMING.

MAY 10-11 SAT-SUN
C: Spring Fling at Foster Lodge: Joyous spring party at the San Diego Chapter's Laguna Mtn. Lodge. Meet at the lodge or area on Sat and/or Sun for easy and moderate hikes. See HPS hikes in the current Schedule. Or enjoy just staying overnight at lodge in beautiful area. Potluck dinner w free turkey Sat evening and breakfast on the HPS. To reserve, send sase by Apr 27 for $10 to Reservationist: JIM FLEMING.

MAY 11 SUN
O: Stonewall Pk (5730'): Spring Fling trip in the Laguna Mtns in San Diego County. 1000' Gain, 3 mi rt. Join us at Foster Lodge (see writeup) and hike off the party calories on Stonewall. Meet 9 am Foster Lodge or send sase to David. Leader: DAVID EISENBERG, JIM FLEMING.

MAY 11 SUN
O: Oakzanita Pk (5054'): Beautiful hike after HPS San Diego Spring Fling Sat night bash, to clear your head and enjoy the views. 5 mi rt, 1000' gain on new trail. Bring lug soles, water and lunch. Meet at Foster Lodge 9:30 am. Call leaders for more information. Leaders: CHARLOTTE FEITSHANS, MIKE & DOTTIE SANDFORD.

MAY 10-11 SAT-SUN
I: San Rafael Mtn (6593'), McKinley Mtn (6200'), Santa Cruz Pk (5570'): Strenuous backpack 34 mi rt, 7700' gain to "Big 3" in Sta. Barbara Co. Sat, Pack to Cold Spring 7.5 mi, 2500' gain; dayhike first 2 peaks, 6 mi rt, 1500' gain. Sun, climb Santa Cruz, 13 mi rt, 3700' gain; pack out 7.5 mi. Send sase, H&W phone, rideshare info, con/experience to Leader: TOM HILL. Assistant: CARLETON SHAY

MAY 17 SAT
I: Monrovia Pk (5409'): Strenuous 10 mi rt, 5000' gain trek in the San Gabriels. Hike is mainly xC, w a bit of fire rd. Send sase, H & W phones, and recent experience to Leader: MIKE WILSON. Assistant: CHUCK SALE.

MAY 18 SUN
I: Antimony Pk (6848'), Eagle Rest Pk (6005'): Nice 14 mi 4000' gain loop up Antimony then xC down ridge to Eagle Rest, ret via Devils Kitchen Cyn. Very strong and well mannered dogs welcome. Send sase to Leader: BOB FREED. Assistant: JIM FLEMING.

MAY 22 THU
I: Round Mtn (5272'), Luna Mtn (5967'), Rattlesnake Mtn (6131'): 6 mi, 2000' gain. Three easy peaks in SB Mtns Hesperia with dirt road driving in between. Meet Pomona rideshare pt, 7am. Bring water, lunch, lug soles. Leaders: DIONE DUNBAR, FRANK GOODYKOONTZ.
May 24  Sat
O: Vetter Mtn (LO) (5908'); Little Tots Hike: Come join the Tots for an easy, exciting ½ mi adventure up this beautiful peak. After soaking in the sun and 360° view, we'll head down to a grand birthday party, Tot style of course. Meet 9 am at La Canada Ride Share Pt. Leaders: Nam Brown, Dotty Sandford.

May 24  Sat
O: Trail Building/Maintenance in local mountains: Call leaders for information on meeting time and location. Tools provided by club. Bring lunch, lugs, warm clothing, gloves. Rain cancels. Leader: Jim Fleming. Assistant: Charlie Jones.

May 30 - Jun 1  Fri-Sun
I: Madulce Pk (6536'), Big Pine Mtn (6800'), W. Big Pine Mtn (6490'), Samon Pk (6227'): Very strenuous 3 day, 8000' gain. 45 mi, incl. 25 mi backpack for experienced well-conditioned hikers only. Send sase w/recent experience to Leader: Carleton Shay. CoLeader: Frank Goodykoontz.

May 31-Jun 1  Sat-Sun  Joint Sponsorship: HPS-Sierra Sage
O: Sunday Pk (8295'), Bohna Pk (6800'): Leisurably back-pack on trail to bag peaks and enjoy mtn area in Sequoia National Forest. Sat, hike about 3 miles, 1100 feet of gain, to 1st peak and then camp with late afternoon free; Sunday, hike 2 miles, 500 feet gain, to 2nd peak, before returning about 2 miles downhill to cars (then shuttle). Send sase w H&W phones, ride share preference to Penelope. Leaders: Penelope May, Lena Hayashi.

May 31-Jun 1  Sat-Sun  Joint Sponsorship: HPS-Palos Verdes-South Bay
I: Heald Pk (6901'), Nicolls Pk (6070'): Sat 6 mi 3600' gain to Heald. Happy Hour and car camp. Sun 4 mi 2700' gain to Nicolls. (If both peaks Sat, 7.5 mi 4500' gain, then other peaks on Sun) Send sase, H&W phones, recent cond/expers, ride share info to Bob. Leaders: Bob Beach, Keith Martin.

Jun 1  Sun
O: Suicide Rock (7528'): Join us for 16th annual first Sun in June hike with Stag. 5 mi rt and 1700' gain on trail. Bring water, goodies to share. Easy hike suitable for beginners. San Jacinto Wilderness Area permit limits group size. Call Stag for info about meeting time and place & other info. Leaders: Joe Young, Stag Brown.

Jun 7  Sat
I: Cucamonga Pk (8859'), Etiwanda Pk (8662'): Moderate hike in beautiful wilderness area. 17 mi rt, 4400' gain. Bring 3 qts. water, lunch and lug soles. Meet 7am Mt Baldy ride share pt. Leaders: Pete Doggett, Charlotte Feitshans.

Jun 7  Sat
I: Mt Williamson (8214'), Pallett Mtn (7760'), Will Thrall Pk (7845'), Pleasant View Ridge (7983'): Strenuous 17 mi, 4700' gain. Long day, beautiful high ridge on trail and xc. Short car shuttle. Well conditioned hikers only. Meet 6 am La Canada Ride share pt w 10 essentials including water, lug soles, lunch, flashlight. Leaders: Diane Dunbar, Bobcat Thompson.

Jun 7-8  Sat-Sun

Jun 11  Wed  Joint Sponsorship: Local Hikes-HPS
O: Pacifico Mtn (7124'): 10 mi rt with 1700' gain. We start at Pinyon Flats, hike up the PCT W for 4 mi as it circles the N side of Pacifico. We leave the trail at 6800' to climb S to the peak. Meet at La Canada 9 am with water, lunch, boots. Leaders: Southern Courtney, Hugh Blanchard.

Jun 12  Thu
Peakbagger's Social Meeting: Program: After business meeting, trip reports and refreshments, Frank and Ruth Lee Dobos give a slide show about their trip to Hungary for the celebration of the 1100 year anniversary of the founding of the nation of the Magyars. Refreshments, socializing. Everyone welcome. 7:30 Griffith Park Ranger Station Auditorium. 4730 Crystal Springs Dr.

Jun 14  Sat
Waterman Mtn (8038'), Twin Pks (7761'): Strenuous 12 mi rt, 3400' gain hike on trail and dirt road in scenic part of San Gabriels. Send sase, recent experience, H & W phones to Leader: Maggie Wilson. Assistant: Chuck Sale.

Jun 14  Sat
JUN 14-15  
SAT-SUN  
JOINT SPONSORSHIP: HPs-Mt BALDY  
I: Pinyon Pk (6805'), Scodie Mtn (7294'). Join us for a moderate 2 days of hiking mostly off trail. 15 mi e of Weldon in Sequoia NF. We will hike about 7mi 2500' gain each day w carcamp Fri & Sat. Send sase w recent exper/cond rideshare h&w phones to Leader: FRANK GOODYKOONTZ. Co-Leader: CARLETON SHAY.

JUN 21  
SAT  
O: Mt Williamson (8214'): Introductory Hike. We will take a beautiful trail in the high San Gabriels. 1600' gain, 5 miles rt. Bring lunch, 2 qts water, lugs, moderate pace, newcomers welcome. Rain cancels Leaders: DAVID EISENBERG, RUTH LEE DOBOS, FRANK DOBOS.

JUN 21  
SAT  
JOINT SPONSORSHIP: HPs-K9 COMMITTEE  
O: Sugarloaf Mtn (9952'): Experience high country beauty of the San Bernardino Mtns with your four-footed friends. 6 mi rt, 1400' gain. Bring well-conditioned dogs, leash, lunch, lugsoles, water for you and pet. (Doggie boots are also advised.) Meet 8:30 am Pomona rideshare pt. Leaders: CHARLOTTE FEIShANS, TERRY AUSTIN.

JUN 21  
SAT  
JOINT SPONSORSHIP: HPs-Mt BALDY  
I: Hines Pk (6716'), Topatopa Bluff (6367'), Chief Pk (5560'): Moderate 12 mi 3000' gain hike on road/trail. Some steep rough xc in Ventura County ENE of Ojai. Permit/4WD on Nordolf Ridge limits trip size. Send sase early w vehicle & rideshare h&w phones, recent experience to Leader: FRANK GOODYKOONTZ. Co-Leader: DIANE DUNBAR.

JUN 21-22  
SAT-SUN  
I: San Jacinto Wilderness Backpack: Jean Pk (10670'), Marion Mtn (10362'), Folly Pk (10480'), San Jacinto Pk (10804'), Cornell Pk (9750'): Sat, steep and strenuous 5 mi, 3600' gain backpack from Fern Basin to Little Round Valley Cpgd, climb Jean and Marion. Sat nit potluck salad. Sun climb Folly, San Jacinto and poss. Cornell, then out to Humbar Park. Approx 23 mi, 6000' gain. Car Shuttle. Grp size ltd. Lots of XC. Send sase early w cond. exper. to Leader: DARRELL LEE. Assistant: BARRY HOLCHIN.

JUN 28  
SAT  
I: Cornell Pk (9750'), San Jacinto Pk (10804'), Folly Pk (10480'), Jean Pk (10670'), Marion Mtn (10362'): Strenuous 14 mi rt, 5000' gain w some xc on 5 pk's above Palm Springs Tram. (Tram fee $15 approx 10-15% off w AAA, AARP or company mem card) Group size limited. Send sase, h&w phones, cond/exp. to Leader: BOB FREED. Assistant: JIM FLEMING.

JUN 28  
SAT  
O: Winston Pk (7502'), Akawie Pk (7283'): Hike these easy peaks with us in the Angeles National Forest, 5 mi rt, 900' gain. Highway cleanup, tailgate party after. HPS supplies the goodies. Meet 8 am at the La Canada rideshare point. Bring lunch, water, lug sole boots. Rain cancels. Leaders: FRANK AND RUTH LEE DOBOS.

JUL 9  
WED  
HUNDRED PEAKS- LOCAL HIKES  
O: Twin Peaks (7761'): On the strenuous side 11.2 mi w 2700' gain from Buckhorn and back. Do part or the whole thing! Meet 8 am La Canada rideshare pt. Have food, water, lug boots. LEADERS: HUGH BLANCHARD, SOUTHERN COURTNEY.

JUL 10  
THU  
Peckbaggers' Social Mtg: George Duffy, Wilderness Program Manager will give a presentation on fire, vegetation and wildlife, air and water quality, endangered species and many other stimulating topics. Refreshments, socializing. Everyone welcome. 7:30 pm, Griffith Park Rgr Sth Aud, 4730 Crystal Springs Dr.

JUL 12  
SAT  
O: Introductory hike to Mt. Gleason (6520'): Easy introductory hike to splendid of the Angeles Natl Forest. 5 mi rt, 1000' gain hike via PCT. Spectacular views and cool shade help us escape the LA summer heat. Bring lunch, 2 qts water, trail snacks. Meet 9 am La Canada rideshare pt. LEADERS: DAVID EISENBERG, ANN KRAMER.

JUL 12  
SAT  
O: Mt. Williamson (8214') Adopt-a-Highway cleanup: Climb beautiful peak with great views of Mojave Desert, 5 mi rt, 1500' gain, then clean Hwy adopted by HPS. Goodies provided for those participating in cleanup. Bring lunch, lugs, water. Meet 9:00 am La Canada rideshare pt. LEADER: JIM FLEMING. ASST: MICHAEL SANDFORD.

JUL 12  
SAT  
HUNDRED PEAKS-MT BALDY  
I: Eagle Crag (5077'): Strenuous, on trl, road and XC hiking San Diego Co, 13 mi SE of Temecula in Agua Tibia Wilderness. 18 mi rt, 3500' gain. Send sase with recent conditioning, H&W phones, carpool into to LEADER: DIANE DUNBAR. CO-LDR: FRANK GOODYKOONTZ.
JUL 12  SAT
O: San Guillermo Mtn (6602'), Thorn Pt (LO) (6935'): Join us for this lovely moderate hike in Ventura Co. 10 mi rt, 3000' gain. Bring 2 qts water, lunch. Meet 8:00 am Sylmar rideshare pt. LEADERS: PETER DOGGETT & VIRGIL POPESCU.

JUL 12  SAT  HUNDRED PEAKS-RIO HONDO
O: Suicide Rock (7528'): Easy paced 8 mi rt, 1900' gain hike to enjoy views of dense forests, rugged granite cliffs and idyllwild. Bring lugs, lunch and 2 qts water. Meet 7 am Diamond Bar Park-n-Ride lot, or 9 am at trailhead. LEADERS: GABRIELE RAU, GORDON LINDBERG.

JUL 13  SUN
O: Anderson Pk (10,840'), Shields Pk (10,680'): Very long, strenuous, beautiful hike on seldom-led trails in S. Gorgonio Wilderness (21 mi rt, 7000’ gain loop. Ltd to 15 by permit; $5.00 Use Fee likely). Send sase w/H&W phones, experience to LEADER: ASHER WAXMAN. ASST: BETH EPSTEIN.

JUL 19  SAT
I: Ten Thousand Foot Rdg (10,064'), Lake Pk (10,161'), Grinnell Mtn (10,284'): 12 miles rt, 2900' gain, cross-country/trail loop. Should have wildflowers. Bring water, lugs, lunch. Wilderness permit limits group size. Send sase to LEADER: LUCELLA FICKLE, CO-LDR: DIANE DUNBAR.

JUL 19  SAT  HUNDRED PEAKS-MT BALDY
O: Wright Mtn (8505'), Pine Mtn (9648'), Mt Dawson (9575'): Moderately strenuous 9 mi rt, 2300' gain w/some steep exposed terrain. Bring 3 qts water, lug soles, hat, sunscreen. Meet 7 am Pomona rideshare pt. LEADERS: HAVEN FEARN, FRANK GOODYKOONTZ.

JUL 19  SAT
O: Mt. San Antonio (10,084'): 7 mi, 3900' gain, strenuous hike past ski hut, back via the Notch. Bring lug soles, lunch, 2 qts water a must. No beginners. Meet 8 am Mt. Baldy rideshare pt. LEADERS: DON WESTLAND, MARY MCMANNES.

JUL 20  SUN
I: Drury Pk (10,160') Exploratory: Strenuous outing involves 4000' gain and 14 mi rt and explores a peak for possible addition to HPS list. Loop hike mostly on trails in San Jacinto Wilderness visits spectacular country. Bring lug soles, lunch and lots of water. Call leaders for info. LEADER: JOE YOUNG. ASST: BOB MICHAEL (805)963-5614

JUL 23  WED  HUNDRED PEAKS- LOCAL HIKES
O: Kratka Ridge (7515'), Waterman Mtn (8038'): 6 mi scenic hike over peaks from Vista to Cloudburst Summit, 1900' gain/1700' loss. 3 mi car shuttle. Less strenuous options. Meet 8:30 am La Canada rideshare pt. Bring water, lunch, lug sole boots, jacket. LEADERS: BILL HOGSHED, RICHARD SCHAMBERG.

JUL 26  SAT
I: 5th Annual Mt. Waterman Rendezvous: Kratka Ridge (7515') to Waterman Mtn (8038'): Moderate 6 mi rt, 1900' gain on trail and steep XC in rugged forested area. Lug soles reqd. Bring water, lunch, hors d'oeuvres to share with groups on top. Meet 7 am La Canada rideshare pt. LEADER: DIANE DUNBAR. ASST: FRANK GOODYKOONTZ.

JUL 26  SAT
O: 5th Annual Mt. Waterman Rendezvous: Waterman Mtn (8038'): Come to the gathering of the 100 peakers on top of this beautiful mtn. Meet other climbers and socialize. Rain postpones. Meet 9:30 am La Canada rideshare pt with lunch, water, lug soles, goodies to share. LEADERS: FRANK & RUTH LEE DOBOS, DAVID EISENBERG.

JUL 26  SAT
O: 5th Annual Mt. Waterman Rendezvous: Twin Peaks (7761') to Waterman Mtn (8038'): Strenuous 14 mi rt, 3500' gain via slippery trail on steep ridge. Meet 6 am La Canada rideshare pt with lunch, water, lug soles, goodies to share. LEADER: JIM FLEMING. ASST: PATTY KLINE.

JUL 26  SAT
O: 5th Annual Mt. Waterman Rendezvous: Waterman Mtn (8038'): Loop hike aprx 8 mi rt. Gradual 2 mi, 900' gain to Cloudburst Summit, 500' gain up to Winston Pk (7502'), take in Mr. Akawie (7283), then trust leader to find Rendezvous 1000' above. Return will be quick/fun. Meet 8 am La Canada rideshare pt. Bring food/drink to share. LEADERS: SOUTHERN COURTNEY, RICHARD SCHAMBERG.
JUL 26  SAT
I: 5th Annual Mr. Waterman Rendezvous: Waterman Mtn (8038’): Moderately-paced 10 mi rt, 2500’ gain Pathfinder rte. Meet 8 am La Canada rideshare pt. Bring water, lug soles, goodies to share on top and adventurous spirit. LEADERS: BOB THOMPSON, STAG BROWN.

JUL 27  SUN
I: 百丈峰-LTC
I: Beginning Navigation Clinic in Mt. Lowe (5603’) area: Easy 5 mi rt, 600’ gain climb on trail and XC w/emphasis on learning/practicing map/compass use. Not a checkoff. Beginners encouraged. For details, send early sase to LEADER: DIANE DUNBAR. ASST: DON CREIGHTON.

JUL 27  SUN
I: San Bernardino East Pk (10,691’), San BernardinoPk (10,649’), Anderson Pk (10,840’), Shields Pk (10,680’): Very strenuous outing involves 5500’ gain and over 20 mi rt. Loop hike mostly on trails in San Bernardino Wilderness visits spectacular country. Bring lug soles, lunch, flashlight and lots of water. Call leaders for info. LEADER: JOE YOUNG ASST: PATSY KLINE.

AUG 2  SAT
I: HUNDRED PEAKS-MT BALDY
O: Reyes Pk (7514’), Haddock Mtn (7431’): Moderate 9 mi rt, 1000’ gain hike near Ojai in Ventura Co area of Los Padres NF. Meet 7 am Woodland Hills rideshare pt. Brink water, lug soles, food and sunscreen. LEADERS: HAVEN FEAR, FRANK GOODYKOONTZ.

AUG 2  SAT
O: Pine Mtn #1 (9648’), Dawson Pk (9575’), Wright Mtn (8505’): Fun 7 mi rt, 1700’ gain among “Other Devils Backbone” to bag Pine & Dawson. Grab Wright 1 mi rt, 200’ gain before heading home. Meet at Pomona rideshare pt 6 am. Bring lug soles, water, lunch & essentials. LEADER: MAGGIE WILSON. ASST: CHUCK SALE.

AUG 3  SUN
I: Cucamonga Pk (8859’), Etiwanda Pk (8662’): Strenuous outing involves 4100’ gain and 16 mi rt on trails in Angeles Forest. Wilderness permit req. Bring lug soles, lunch, and lots of water. Meet 7:30 am Pomona rideshare pt. LEADER: JOE YOUNG ASST: STAG BROWN.

AUG 9  SAT
I: HUNDRED PEAKS-MT BALDY
O: Combs Pk (6193’), Palomar High Pt (LO) (6140’) Hot Springs Mtn (LO)(6533’), Boucher Hill (5438’): Join us for easy hikes, total about 8 mi rt, 1800’ gain. Take all day with long dirt rd driving between pks; high clearance vehicles preferred. Centered about 40 mi SE of Temecula near Warner Springs in San Diego Co. Meet 6 am Pomona rideshare pt. Bring water, lunch, lug soles, money for private prpt and ride. LEADER: DIANE DUNBAR. CO-LEADER: JOE YOUNG.

AUG 9  SAT
O: Mt. Baden Powell (9399’): Slow paced 8 mi rt, 2800’ gain hike to this old favorite; clean air, shade and good views! Bring lugs, lunch, 2 qts water. Meet 7:30 am Diamond Bar Park-n-Ride lot or 9 am at trailhead. LEADERS: GABRIELE RAU, BOB WHEATLEY.

AUG 9  SAT
O: Vetter Mtn (5908’), Mt. Mooney (5840’), Mt. Sally (5408’), Adopt-a-Highway clean up: Ascend 3 peaks in Charlton Flat area totalling 5 mi rt, 1400’ gain and clean hwy section adopted by HPS. Goodies provided for those participating in cleanup. Bring lunch, lugs, water. Meet 8:30 am La Canada rideshare pt. LEADERS: CARLTON SHAY, JIM FLEMING.

AUG 13  WED
I: HUNDRED PEAKS-LOCAL HIKES
O: Dawson to Islip Saddle Hike: Moderate 9 mi rt, 1700’ gain covers Throop (9138’), Hawkins (8850’) & Islip (8250’). Meet 8 am La Canada rideshare pt. Bring water, food, lug soles. LEADERS: SOUTHERN COURTNEY, RICHARD SCHAMBERG.

AUG 14  THU
Peabaggers’ Social Mtg: Murray Zichinsky will show slides and talk about trekking in exotic Nepal. Refreshments, socializing. Everyone welcome. 7:30 pm, Griffith Park Ranger Station Auditorium, 4730 Crystal Springs Dr.

AUG 17  SUN
I: HUNDRED PEAKS- K-9 COMM
O: Winston Pk (7502’), Winston Ridge (7003’): Escape the heat and come to the higher elevations of local San Gabriel Mtns on moderate 5 mi rt, 1000’ gain hike on trail with your poohx pals. Bring water, lunch, leash, lug soles. Meet 8 am La Canada rideshare pt. LEADERS: CHARLOTTE FEITSHANS, ANN STEWART.
AUG 23-24 SAT-SUN  HUNDRED PEAKS-MT BALDY
I: Lilly Rock (8000'), Suicide Rock (7528'), Castle Rocks (8600'), Black Mtn #1 (7772'), Indian Mtn (5790'), Ranger Pk (5081'): Join us for moderately strenuous 2 days of hiking/some steep and loose off-trail near Idyllwild.  We will hike about 12 mi rt, 4200' gain Sat; 8 mi rt, 2500' gain Sun with carcamp and dt rd driving.  Send sase with recent conditioning and experience, carpool info, H&W phones to LEADER: FRANK GOODYKOONTZ.  CO-LEADER: HAVEN FEARN.

SEP 6  SAT
O: Mt. Pinos (8831'), Sawmill Mtn (8818'), Grouse Mtn (8650'): 8 mi rt, 1800' gain-loss, moderate late summer hike in the cool mountain air of Los Padres NF.  Meet 7:00 am Sylmar rideshare pt.  Be prepared to pay entry fee for NF.  Bring lunch, snacks, water for a long day; wear lugs.  Rain cancels.  LEADERS: FRANK & RUTH LEE DOBOS.

SEP 7  SUN
I: San Rafael Peak (6665'): Moderately-paced 10 mi rt, 2000' gain to peak near Frazier Park.  No beginners. Check-out hike for leader (will she make it?) Send sase, H&W phones, vehicle info to LEADER: MAURA RAFFENSPERGER.  CO-LEADER: DIANE DUNBAR.

SEP 10  WED  HUNDRED PEAKS-LOCAL HIKES
O: Middle Hawkins (8505'), So Hawkins (7783'): An 8 mi rt hike starting just below Windy with 1800' gain. We won't forget Sadie!  Meet at La Canada rideshare pt 9:00 am with food and water.  LEADERS: SANDRA JOHNSON, SOUTHERN COURTNEY.

SEP 11  THU
Peakbaggers' Social Mtg: Adam Burk will show slides and talk about his trip to Sidney and outback Australia.  Refreshments, socializing.  Everyone welcome.  7:30 pm.  Griffith Park Rgr Stn Aud.  4730 Crystal Springs Dr.

SEP 13  SAT
O: San Gabriel Pk (6161'), Mt. Disappointment (5960') Moonlight Hike: Join us for climbs with terrific views of stars and city lights: 5 mi rt, 1500' gain moderate hike.  Bring moon munchies to share at starlight soiree, lugs, warm clothing.  Meet 7 pm La Canada rideshare pt.  CO-LEADERS: STAG BROWN, BOB THOMPSON, JIM FLEMING.

SEP 13,14 SAT-SUN
I: Sorrell Pk (7704'), Weldon Pk (6360'), Bald Eagle Pk (6181'), Piute LO (8326'), Lightner Pk (6430'): Sat 9 mi rt, 2200' XC gain, moderate.  Sun 5 mi rt, 1100' XC gain, easy.  Much dirt road driving in So Sierras/primitive carcamp.  High clearance vehicles reqd.  Meet 7:30 am Denny's Rest next to Sylmar rideshare pt.  LEADERS: CARLETON SHAY, DIANE DUNBAR.

SEP 20  SAT  HUNDRED PEAKS-K9 COMM
O: Throop Pk (9138') from Dawson Saddle: Help usher in the full weather w/moderate 3 mi rt, 1200' gain hike on trl in high country of San Gabriels.  Bring water for you and K9, lunch, leash.  Meet 9 am La Canada rideshare pt.  LEADERS: CHARLOTTE FEITSHANS, ANN STEWART.

SEPT 20  SAT
I: 10,000 Ridge (10,094'), Lake Pk (10,161'), Grinnell Mtn (10,284'): Strenuous, but worth it, 14 mi rt, 3300' gain hike to 3 pks in San Gorgonio Wilderness.  Send sase, recent exper., H&W phones, rideshare info to LEADER: MAGGIE WILSON.  ASST: CHUCK SALE.

SEP 21  SUN
I: San Gorgonio (11,499'), Jepson (11,205'), Charlton (10,806') Dobbs (10,459'): Vigorous hike from Vivian Creek. 16 mi rt, 6000' gain.  Trail-less descent from Dobbs.  Send sase to Ray with day and night phones. Limited to 15 strong hikers.  LEADERS: RAY RILEY & DON CROLEY.

SEP 24  WED  HUNDRED PEAKS-LOCAL HIKES
O: Mt. Islip (8250'), Middle Hawkins (8505'): Moderately paced scenic hike on mostly good trails; 10 mi rt, 2500' gain from Islip Saddle.  Meet 8 am La Canada rideshare pt.  Bring 2 qts water, lunch, lug sole boots, jacket.  LEADERS: MARVIN BROWN, JANET BARTEL.

SEP 27  SAT
I: The Pinnacles (5737'), Mt. Marie Louise (5507'): 2 pks west of Lake Arrowhead.  Moderate 6 mi rt cross country, 1600' gain.  Meet 7 am Pomona rideshare pt.  Bring water, lunch, lugs.  LEADERS: CATHY REYNOLDS, FRANK GOODYKOONTZ.
SEP 27
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OCT 4
SAT
O: Thunder Mtn (8587'), Telegraph Pk (8985') Timber Mtn (8303') Oktoberfest hike: Beautiful high country hike of 12.5 mi rt, 3500' gain; then party hearty at Harwood Lodge for Oktoberfest. Bring lunch, lugs, water, high spirits. Meet 7:30 am Mt. Baldy rideshare pt. LEADER: JIM FLEMING. ASST: CHARLOTTE FEITSHANS.

OCT 4
SAT
O: Mt. San Antonio (10,064'): 7 mi, 3900' gain, strenuous hike past ski hut, back via the Notch and beeline to Oktoberfest. Bring lug soles, lunch, 2 qts water a must. No beginners. Meet 8 am Mt. Baldy rideshare pt. LEADERS: DON WESTLAND, MARY McMANNES.

OCT 4-5
SAT-SUN
HUNDRED PEAKS-HARWOOD
C: Oktoberfest Annual Celebration: Enjoy wknd of hiking, traditional German food, live entertainment, Sat eve dinner, beer, wine, non-alcoholic drinks; sing, dance. Sun continental bkfst, more hikes. Sleeping bags req'd. Limited, reserve early. Send sase. $25 (ck to HPS) to RESERV: FRANK DOBOS. OVERSEERS: TOM & JUDY BOLEN.

OCT 5
SUN
O: Sunset Pk (5796'): Easy post-Oktoberfest hike on way home. 5 mi rt, 1500' gain. Meet 9 am Harwood Lodge or about 9:30 am Cow Canyon Saddle. Bring lunch, lugs, water. LEADERS: DAVID EISENBERG, RUTH LEE DOBOS.

OCT 8
WED
HUNDRED PEAKS-LOCAL HIKES
O: Kratka Ridge (7515'), Mt. Waterman (8038'): Moderate 6 mi rt, 1900' gain with some steep parts. Funs ups and downs make for a good hike. Meet 9 am La Canada rideshare pt with food, water, lug sole boots and cheer. LEADERS: HUGH BLANCHARD, SOUTHERN COURTNEY.

OCT 9
THU
Peak baggers' Social Mtg: Carleton Shay, Hundred Peaks Past Chair, longtime member and multiple list finisher, will show slides of his memorable trip to Turkey. Refreshments, socializing. Everyone welcome. 7:30 pm, Griffith Park Rgr Stn Aud, 4730 Crystal Springs Dr.

OCT 11
SAT
O: Tahquitz (8828'), Red Tahquitz (8720+) and South Peak (7840+): Long day hike to climb 3 pks in San Jacinto Wilderness. 16+ miles, 4500' gain. Permit limits group size. Send sase to LEADER: WAYNE NORMAN. ASSTS: ERICK & LUELLA FICKLE.

OCT 11
SAT
HUNDRED PEAKS-MT BALDY
I: Round Mtn (5262'), Luna Mtn (5967'), Rattlesnake Mtn (6131'): 3 easy peaks in SB Mtns above Hesperia w/dirt driving between. 6 mi rt, 2000' gain. Meet 7 am Pomona rideshare pt. Bring water, lunch, lugs. LEADERS: DIANE DUNBAR, FRANK GOODYKOONTZ.

OCT 11-12
SAT-SUN
I: Nicolls Pk (6070'), Lightner Pk (6430'): Climb these peaks in the So. Sierras. Sat 4 mi rt, 2700' gain; Sun 3 mi rt, 500' gain. Come for both or just one day. Spend the night in nearby campground. Bring food, drink, proper clothing. Rain cancels. Call leaders for info: FRANK & RUTH LEE DOBOS.

OCT 11-13
SAT-MON
I: The High Three: San Antonio (10,064'), San Jacinto (10,804') and San Gorgonio (11,499'): Bag the highpoints of LA, Riverside and San Bernadino Counties on this whirlwind tour of So Calif's major mtn ranges. Much miles each day. 4-6000' gain. We'll car camp and climb as many auxiliary summits as time allows. Send sase with H&W phones, rideshare into and conditioning to LEADER: PETE YAMAGATA. ASST: TBA

OCT 12
SUN
HUNDRED PEAKS-ICS
I: Throop Pk (9138'), Mt Hawkins (8850'), Copter Ridge (7499'): Moderately-paced 10-12 mi, 2800' gain (1400' gain on return) on trail & easy ridges. Be prepared for possible cool weather. Bring 2 qts water & lunch. Meet 7:30 am La Canada rideshare pt. LEADER: ANN KRAMER. ASST: ASHER WAXMAN
OCT 18 SAT HUNDRED PEAKS- K9 COMM
O: Thorn Pt (LO) (6835'): 8 mi rt, 2000' gain on scenic trl. Approx 10 mi dirt rd driving each way with 3 stream crossings and bad section near trlhd best negotiated by high clearance 4WD. Well-conditioned dogs welcome. Meet 7:30 am Sylmar rideshare pt. LEADERS: CARLETON SHAY, CHARLOTTE FEITSHANS.

OCT 18 SAT
O: Heart Bar Pk (8332'), Onyx Pk (9113'): Peak climbing in the Big Bear Lake area celebrating leader's birthday; 7 mi rt, 1800' gain, great views on top. 220 mi rt driving. Meet 7 am Pomona rideshare pt. Bring water, lunch, lug soles. LEADERS: FRANK & RUTH LEE DOBOS, DIANE DUNBAR.

OCT 25 SAT
I: Rock Pk (5280'), Cahuilla Mtn (5635'): Easy slow-paced hike to these 2 fine desert divide peaks. 10 mi rt, 2000' gain. Beginners welcome. Send sase or email to LEADER: DAVID EISENBERG. CO-LEADER: LUella FICKLE.

OCT 25 SAT
O: Winston Ridge (7003'), Winston Pk (7502') (optional): Ken Jones, avid HPSer from Seattle who started the list while living in LA will finish it on Winston Ridge. Help us celebrate this accomplishment. Bring water. Meet 8 am La Canada rideshare pt. LEADERS: CARLETON SHAY, PATTY KLINE.

Note: The Hundred Peaks Section is the sponsor of the event unless another entity is shown.

Diane Dunbar en route to Queen Mountain on her cross-country training hike, February 8, 1997. See Diane's trip write-up in the March-April issue of THE LOOKOUT. Photo by Ann Kramer.
The Abandoned Trails of Echo Mountain
By Paul R. Ayers, Scenic Mt Lowe Historical Committee

1. Rubio Right of way: This trail was the Mt. Lowe Railway's right-of-way from Roca to the Rubio Pavilion. The present day trail starts at the corner of Rubio Vista Road and Pleasantridge Drive (a location historically known as "Roca") and runs just under ½ mile to the pavilion site. Along the way there are ties, stone retaining walls and other artifacts of the railway. The trail is washed out in several places.

2. Incline Trail: This trail originated with the construction of rough paths to reach work sites during the building of the Incline. Once the Incline had opened, hikers who couldn't afford the fare used the Incline stringers as a "stairway" to Echo and the paths fell into disrepair. The only portion of the Incline where this did not hold true was the Macphearson Trestle where cuts in the rock adjacent to the trestle site indicate the retention of a prudent detour around it. The practice of "walking the ties" continued after the demise of the railway up until the time of the Pinecrest fire of 1979 during which most of the remaining wooden parts of the Incline were consumed. Since that time, most of the travel on the Incline site has been by "scramble" taking the "straight up" approach favored by the inexperienced cross country hiker. As of 1995, a primitive switch-back trail has been restored from Rubio Canyon up to the Passing Track and the junction with the up-canyon portion of the Old Echo Mountain Trail.

3. Old Echo Mountain Trail: The Old Echo Mountain Trail was the oldest of the trails built by Professor Lowe and is the original route to Echo Mountain. The path was constructed in 1892 as a means for mule trains to carry materials to the head of the great Incline. Following the completion of the Incline in 1893, the trail was retained for recreational use until its abandonment in the 1930's.

The trail began just beyond the mouth of Rubio Canyon, meeting the railway approximately 100 feet below Roca. The trail generally followed the top of the ridge that forms the west wall of Rubio Canyon until the point where the ridge dead ends into Echo Mountain, near the point that the present day Sam Merrill Trail makes its eastern most switchback, just below the SCE towers.

From there, the Trail continued along the east side of Echo Mountain, encountering the Incline at its dead center, the Passing Track, and continuing onto the hog-back that descends from the site of the chalet. Here the Chalet Trail and the Throne Trail were encountered. The Echo Mountain Trail continued up the west wall of Rubio Canyon, ultimately arriving in the oak forest that runs for about a half mile directly below the present-day picnic tables on Echo Mountain.

Here another trail was encountered, the Short-cut. Continuing on from this junction, the Old Echo Mountain emerged from the oak forest, traversed several rocky out-croppings and finally terminated at a junction with the Castle Canyon Trail about a quarter mile from Echo Mountain.

The decline of the trail began with the destruction of the Echo Mountain hotels; following the burning of the chalet in 1905, Echo Mountain became little more than a way station on the way to Alpine Tavern. Following landslides in the 30's which destroyed the trail down canyon from the passing track, the path was abandoned and has since been supplanted by the Sam Merrill as the means of ascending Echo Mountain.

4. Throne Trail: The Throne is a rocky spur jutting out at the end of the ridge which descends from the chalet site down to Rubio Canyon. Go sit on the outcropping and you will understand how the promontory got its name. Across from the throne is a spectacular three part in season waterfall provisional named "Robinson Falls" after the premier author of the San Gabriels, John W. Robinson.

A well worn grade to the throne indicates that this was an established stopping point for hikers traversing the Old Echo Mountain Trail. The Old Echo Trail had not been blazed as of the time of this report; the grade, however, can be found on the north, or up-canyon side of the spur. Note that there
is no trail down from the Throne Into Rubio Canyon and that the slopes around the feature are quite treacherous.

5. Chalet Trail: The Old Echo Mountain Trail ascended to Echo Mountain by a series of switchbacks going up the hog back that terminates in the Throne. This trail is now called the Chalet Trail.

6. Shortcut Trail: The shortcut Trail ran in a direct line from the pre-1905 carhouse and machine shop down through the present location of the picnic tables, to an intersection with the Old Echo Mountain Trail in the midst of the oak forest on the Rubio side of Echo Mountain. The trail appears in the earliest photographs of Echo Mountain and reflects the nineteenth century approach to hiking, i.e., the best trail follows a straight line. The trail has been kept alive throughout the years by people desiring a quick trip from the top of Echo down into the pleasant shady bottom of upper Rubio Canyon. The trail is very steep; gloves and good shoes are required.
REGGER BOX
By Jim Adler

Five new missing or deficient registers were reported and four registers were reported replaced or found.

Reports were received from George Wysup, Gabriel Rau, Ray Soucy, Jane Gibbons, Elmer Omohundro, and Pete Yamagata.

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If you are climbing any of the above peaks, please consider bringing a new register can and book. If you discover a peak which needs a new register can, please let me know by mail addressed to Jim Adler, 530 S. Alandale Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90036-4525, or telephone at (213) 931-5844 or e-mail at J Adler LA @aol.com. Also, please advise if you have replaced any of the missing or deficient registers or discover that any of the above reports are erroneous or out of date. (Since register books and pencils are so easy to carry all the time, peaks where only books or pencils are needed are not listed.)

Minutes of the Management Committee Meeting of January 9, 1997
Carleton Shay’s Home

Present: Jim Fleming (Chair), Charlotte Feisthans, Vice-Chair (Outings), John Southworth (Secretary), Dave Jensen (Treasurer), Maggie Wilson (Council Rep), Cathy Reynolds (Programs), Carleton Shay (THE LOOKOUT mailer), Southern Courtney (HPS Conservation Chair), Frank Dobos (outgoing programs chair), Joe Young (THE LOOKOUT editor/historian), Ruth Dobos (Past Chair). The meeting was called to order at 7:15 PM by Ruth Dobos.

I. Announcements: Ruth announced that Bill T. Russell passed away on January 8, 1997. Funeral arrangements and memorial hike arrangements are pending.

II. Approval of the minutes: Consideration of the minutes of the December 12 meeting were postponed until the next meeting.

III. Old business: Arrangements for the banquet on January 25, 1997 and the status of raffle prizes were discussed.

IV. New business:
A. The several members of the outgoing Management Committee described their duties for the benefit of the incoming Management Committee.

B. The Chair nominated and the Committee approved the following Committee Chairs and positions: Southern Courtney (Conservation), David Eisenberg (Membership and Webmaster), Jim Fleming (Adopt-a-trail, Adopt-a-highway and Peak naming), Carleton Shay (THE LOOKOUT mailer), Joe Young (THE LOOKOUT editor and Historian). The Chair will consult with the other Committee chairs to determine if they wish to continue in their positions and will report at the next meeting.

C. The Angeles Chapter’s annual Management Volunteer Training Workshop is scheduled for Saturday, February 1, 1997. Members who attended previous Workshops recommended it highly. The cost is $5.00 for the first seventy five (75) attendees and $10.00 thereafter. The Committee approved reimbursing the cost for Management Committee members and Committee Chairs who attend.

V. Reports:
A. Membership: The Committee reviewed the Membership Committee Report attached to these minutes. There were four (4) achievements this month. The Committee approved them.

VI. Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 9:15 pm.
Minutes of the Management Committee Meeting of February 13, 1997
Griffith Park Ranger Station Auditorium

Present: Jim Fleming (Chair), Charlotte Feitshans, Vice-Chair (Outings), John Southworth (Secretary), Dave Jensen (Treasurer), Maggie Wilson (Council Rep), Cathy Reynolds (Programs), Ruth Dobos (Past Chair), David Eisenberg (Membership Chair), Patty Kline (Merchandiser), Bob Thompson (Peak Guide Mailing), Carleton Shay (THE LOOKOUT editor/historian).

The meeting was called to order at 6:35 PM.

I. Announcements
   A. The deadline for the upcoming July - November Angeles Chapter Schedule is March 10, 1997. It is recommended that Okoberfest information be placed in the advanced schedule.
   B. The Angeles Chapter Schedule will be distributed to all members at no extra charge commencing with the March - June issue.
   C. The Angeles Chapter Banquet will be held March 22, 1997 at the Brookside Country Club in Pasadena. The deadline for group reservations, at $25 per ticket, is March 14, 1997.
   D. The Los Angeles Marathon will be run March 2, 1997. Bob Thompson will participate in the bicycle section.
   E. Eco Expo will be held March 21 - March 23 at the Los Angeles Convention Center.
   F. Ruth Dobos spoke on behalf of the HPS at the recent memorial for Bill T. Russell.
   G. David Eisenberg will be the new Editor of the Angeles Chapter Schedule of Activities commencing with the upcoming November - February issue. Deadline dates for Schedule submissions will be strictly enforced.
   H. The Southern Sierran will have a new Editor commencing with the May 1997 issue. This may result in changes in the deadline dates.

II. Approval of Minutes: The minutes of the meeting of December 12, 1996 were approved as modified. The minutes of the meeting of January 9, 1997 were approved.

III. Approval of the agenda: The agenda was approved.

IV. Old Business:
   A. The Chair nominated and the Committee approved the following Committee Chairs and positions: Charlie Knapke (Chair), Frank Goodykoontz, Alan Coles (Mountain Records); Bob Thompson (Peak Guide Mailing); Patty Kline (Merchandiser); David Eisenberg (Membership).
   B. There were 914 tickets sold for the HPS Banquet and 93 attendees. Ticket revenue was $2,200; raffle ticket revenue was $199; expenses were approximately $2,040 resulting in a profit of approximately $433.
   C. The Committee reviewed the new Peak List, discussed the use of UTM coordinates and approved the Peak List as presented.
   D. David Eisenberg was a presenter at the Management Volunteer Training Workshop.
   E. Joe Young reported that the was unable to locate a reasonably priced site in the Frazer Park area for an Oktoberfest. Frank Dobos has reserved the Harwood Lodge for 1997.

V. New Business:
   A. Joe Young reported that the three (3) year test of user fees in the Angeles, Cleveland, Los Padres and San Bernardino National Forests is scheduled to begin in mid May. Annual passes (valid in all 4 forests) will cost $30; day passes $5. The Forest Service would like groups like the HPS to act as dispensers of the passes and is offering discount prices of $27 per annual pass and $4 per day pass. The Chair reported that the Adopt-a-highway program is exempt from the pass requirement. A Forest Service representative would be willing to make a presentation to the HPS concerning the pass program.
   B. David Eisenberg recommended the printing of five thousand brochures to advertise the HPS. The cost is approximately $90 per thousand brochures after set-up costs. He stated that last year the FRIPS money generated by the brochures covered their cost. The Chapter will distribute brochures to new Chapter members. The Committee approved the printing recommendation.
   C. David Eisenberg requested volunteers to staff the booth at Eco Expo. He advised that the HPS will receive the FRIPS money for members gained when it provides the staff.

VI. Reports
   A. Vice Chair (Outings): A Leaders meeting will be held at Charlotte Feitshans' home on February 20. An announcement will be mailed to approximately 200 leaders.
   B. Council Rep: Treasurer: The Committee reviewed and approved the report distributed to the members.
   C. Adopt-A-Highway: The Chair requested that trips be submitted for the upcoming Schedule.
   D. Merchandise: (1) The supply of HPS patches (last ordered 1979) is low. The Committee approved ordering 200 patches at a cost of approximately $300. (2) Discussion of ordering new HPS caps was deferred until the next meeting.
   E. Past Chair: The Temescal Canyon Center, where the memorial to Bill T. Russell was held, is now charging $5 per car for parking. The DPS provided passes for the memorial based on a contribution in the Center of $200. The DPS has suggested, and the Committee approved, that the HPS make a contribution of $100 to the Center.

VII. Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 pm.