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PLAN NOW TO ATTEND THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
TENNESSEE TRAILS ASSOCIATION, 15-17 Oct. 1982
Lakeshore Assembly, Eva, TN (next to Nathan
Bedford Forrest State Park). Send in the en-
closed registration form today! An interesting
program is planned. Bring the family and join
your friends in West Tennessee!!!

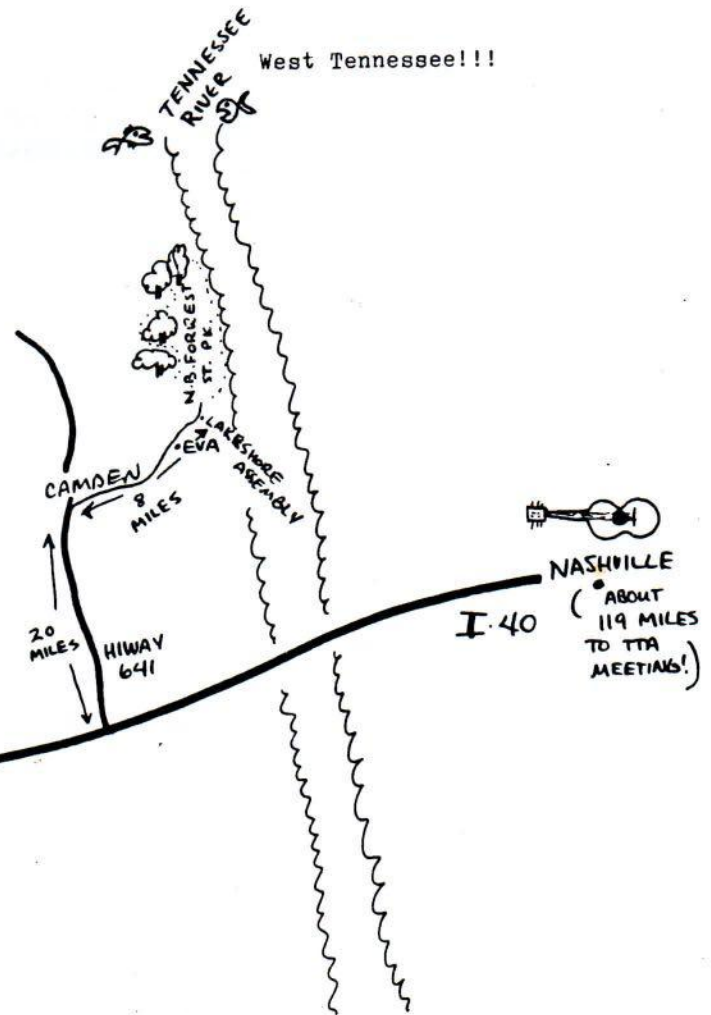


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to Camden. (20 miles)

Go to the FIRST TRAFFIC SIGNAL
in Camden and TURN RIGHT.

Go to downtown Camden, to
the courtsquare and go half-
way around the square (moon
the square)

LAKE SHORE ASSEMBLY is eight
miles from the courtsquare,
entrance on the right.



PROGRAM FOR ANNUAL MEETING

Friday 15 October

- 2 p.m. - Registration begins
- 3 p.m. - Easy hike on Laurel Trail. Nathan Bedford Forrest S.P.
- 6 p.m. - Potluck Supper - Bring a drink and dish to share! Plates & utensils provided.
- 7:30 p.m. Show-and-Tell - (see registration form).

Saturday 16 October

- 6 a.m. - Early Bird hike, Tennessee Forest Trail
- 7:30 a.m. Breakfast
- 8:30 " - Welcome by the President
- 8:45 " - "Welcome to West Tennessee" slide program - Jill Norvell.
- 9:00 " - Keynote Address - The Arkansas Trails Council, Jay Miller, Executive Secretary, ATC. Bill Alleright, Little Rock District, US Army Corps of Engineers.
- 10:00 a.m. Business Meeting
 - State of the TTA
 - Chapter Reports
 - Presentation of TTA Award
 - Dept. of Conservation Report
- 12:15 p.m. Lunch
- 1:00 " - Panel Discussion - "A Trails Advisory Council for TN?"
- 2:30 " - Concurrent Workshops:
 - Orienteering
 - Use of Volunteers
 - Health, feeding and care of the Hiker
 - Trail Maintenance
 - Equipment Tips and Trail Ethics
- 7:00 " - Cookout, Door Prizes, Equipment Auction (see below)

Sunday 17 October

- 7:30 am. Breakfast
- 9:00 " Hike - Piney Trail along TN River - many spectacular views (6 miles) or Canoe trip on the Buffalo River (4½-5 hrs). Cost \$7.00 - no reservation necessary, just show up - more details at annual meeting.

Other Activities and Facilities - Outdoor equipment displays/ Free catalogs/ T-Shirt and book sales/ Opportunity to Adopt-A-Trail/ Neat Door Prizes/Free Trail Brochures.

Equipment Auction - To raise funds for TTA publicity, there will be an equipment auction after the Saturday night cookout. Clean out your closets and bookshelves and bring those items of the out-of-doors you never use (packs, canteens, boots, tents, books, freeze-dried food, posters, prints, etc.) or historical/memorial stuff you think other members might like to have. Or just plain junk! Have some fun, and maybe pick up some neat stuff at a good price. Support TTA; bring those coins!

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LEADERS: Steven Burke 879-8017
(from 7 a.m. to
5 p.m.)
Howard Ray Duncan
879-8245
(after 4 p.m.)

OUTING TO LICHTERMAN NATURE CENTER,
5992 QUINCE ROAD, MEMPHIS
30 October 1982

A Memphis Chapter event. Contact leader for more information.

LEADER: Peter Money 907-767-7322
Memphis

MEETINGS

NASHVILLE - The Nashville Chapter program for October 28 will be a slide/talk presentation given by Chuck Cook of the Nature Conservancy. The Nature Conservancy is a private land acquisition organization whose purpose is to adequately protect natural land areas across the country. Mr. Cook will discuss the purpose and activities of the Conservancy. The meeting will be at the Cumberland Museum in Nashville at 7:30 p.m. central time. Bring a refreshment to share. There should also be a report on the annual TTA meeting October 15-17.

MURFREESBORO - October 12 is our next meeting, at 7:00 p.m. central time. Please take note to the change of the meeting place; we are meeting in Room 105 of the Murphy center on the MTSU campus. Our first meeting after the summer brought many new faces and many suggestions. There was much discussion about the Twin Forks Trail that our chapter has adopted. The trail is not only a hiking trail, but a horseback riding trail. A joint effort is underway for the hikers and horseback riders to work together to improve and maintain the trail. Scott Cunningham, a new member, was elected to represent the MTSU Outdoor Club and TTA at the MTSU Associated Student Body Meetings. We are looking forward to a fall full of hikes, and we hope to see old friends out on the trails...Vicki Hillis.

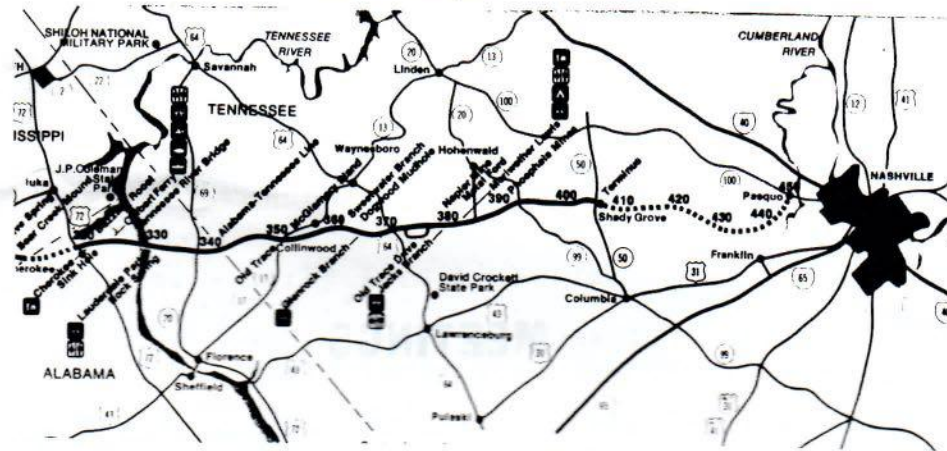
CUMBERLAND MOUNTAIN CHAPTER - The next meeting will be Monday, Nov. 1, 1982 at Allardt Elementary School at 7:00 p.m. central time.

THE SIERRA CLUB INVITES TTA TO ATTEND A SPECIAL PROGRAM OF THE MIDDLE TN GROUP, CUMBERLAND MUSEUM, NASHVILLE, Thursday, Oct. 12, 1982, 7:30 p.m.

SPECIAL PRESENTATION: Ms. Harriette Parker from Chicago, IL, will be in Nashville and will present to us a discussion and film about the Blue Whale Watch Project. Ms. Parker is a coordinator of the Blue Whale Watch and she has served as a naturalist aboard whale watch tours for the Whale Center and Adventures International in the San Francisco Bay area. She has been involved the past 4 years with an association of American and Canadian nature photographers concerned with documentation and understanding of the great whales of the St. Lawrence estuary. Her film-lecture is entitled "The Blue Whale - A Will to Live". Please come and bring a friend. This is a special program that we are very fortunate to have available to us.

MEMPHIS - October 21, 7:30 pm, Kingsway Christian Church.

Map for Natchez Trace



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OBJECTIVES: To promote, construct, and maintain a state wide system of hiking trails, and to work for the conservation of natural resources inherent to this objective. Sponsor for the Cumberland Trail.

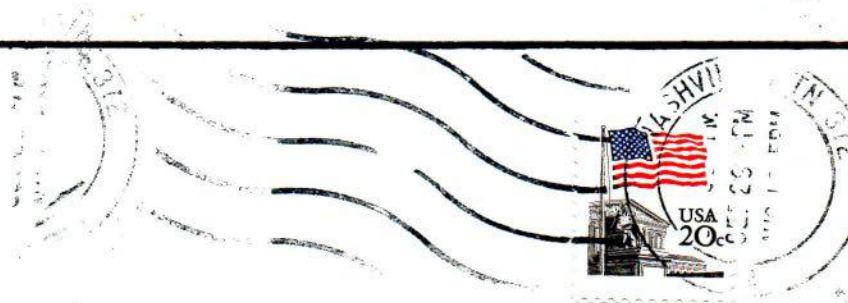
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