



# TENNESSEE TRAILS ASSOCIATION

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Cumberland Mountain State Park  
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Reply To:

A TTA Board of Directors meeting was held at Cumberland Mountain State Park Nov. 17, 1973 with five officers and directors present. Six members and guests also attended. Pres. David Rhyne presided.

Discussion of the upcoming annual meeting was led by David Rhyne. A unanimous agreement that 9:00 A.M. CST at Cumberland Mtn. State Park would be the most logical time and place, was reached by the group. Suggestions for the speaker included Ruth Neff, John Bragg, Granville Hinton and GSMNP Supt. Vincent Ellis.

A nominating committee was named by the president consisting of Grimes Slaughter as chairman, Bill Stutz and Bob Brown.

Pres. Rhyne reported that \$450.00 worth of trail clearing equipment will be made available to the TTA work parties (\$250.00 of which was purchased by the Tenn. Cons. Dept. on loan to the TTA) and six sets would be distributed to different localities in the state. The names of Lily Rose Claiborne, Oak Ridge; Paul Adams, Crossville; Sam Powell, Chattanooga; and Gordon Newland, Kingsport, were suggested as members who might accept responsibility for the tool in those areas.

Joe Gaines, State Trails Administrator, gave a very informative talk on what the Tenn. Outdoor Recreation System is doing. He stated that three fulltime supervisors are to be assigned to the three top priority trails, Cumberland Trail, Chicksaw Bluffs Trail and the Trail Of The Lonesome Pine.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

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Recording Secretary