



Tennessee Trails

1989 Annual Meeting Wrap-Up

Dot Fowler

Despite dubious weather predictions, both days of our 1989 Annual Meeting were beautiful and cool—ideal for hiking and fellowship. Our Murfreesboro Chapter hosts provided an excellent meeting with the largest turn-out ever! Over 100 members and guests attended this year's festivities.

The Annual Meeting is very much like a large family reunion with friends from across the state reuniting and new friendships being formed. As usual, it was good to see so many from Memphis. These hardy troupers always have a long drive ahead of them when attending state TTA functions, but they invariably show up in force. Carroll and David Viera from Cookeville proudly introduced new son and future hiker, John. They are currently seeking to adopt a little brother or sister for John. Other faces not seen in a while were Bob and Victoria Richards of Whitehouse, Evan Means of Oak Ridge, and Randy Hedgepath from the South Cumberland Recreation Area. Many new faces were seen; many others of you were missed.

Randy Hedgepath, with the help of Tom Shepherd and Bob Barnett, planned a variety of interesting hikes in the South Cumberland area. Because of the large turn-out, some last minute additions to the hike schedule had to be made. Thanks to all of you who volunteered to lead these hikes. Seven lucky folks went with Randy down into the Big Trees area of the

Gulf which is normally not open to the public. Others had the dubious honor of seeing the dead chicken dumping ground and guard dogs of inner Monteagle with Bob Barnett. Many folks headed out alone or in small groups to "do their own thing", such as walking to the bluffs at the Stone Door and elsewhere, sampling wine at the Monteagle winery, or driving through the countryside.

This year's first-ever Silent Auction raised over \$230. Considering how few auction items we had this year, the final total pleasantly surprised us all. Thanks to those of you who brought an item as well as you who bought them!

Members also approved the new TTA bylaws and voted in the 1990 officers: Jerri Bull—President, Tom Shepherd—Vice-President, Dot Lingerfelt—Corresponding Secretary/Treasurer, and Evelyn Tretter—Recording Secretary. Pat Anderson will become *Immediate Past President* on January 1st and will continue to serve on the Board of Directors in this capacity for two years. Betty Porter of Memphis was elected to serve as interim board member in place of Jerri Bull for the next year. Bertha Chrietzberg agreed to continue another term as elected board member.

Bobby Fulcher, Interpretive Specialist for East Tennessee, provided an entertaining program Saturday night on the roots of folk music indigenous to Tennessee. His

banjo playing left us all clapping for more.

Another unexpected treat was a demonstration of the Tennessee stump stove by Herman Baggenstoss of Tracy City. He sometimes does these demonstrations at craft fairs where he is hawking the delicious goodies from his bakery, making coffee on the stump stove to go with them.

The TTA board was happy to present our two annual awards at the Saturday business meeting. The TTA Award went to West Tennessean Ken Humphreys. A letter of nomination for Mr. Humphreys by Edward F. Williams III (Vice Chairman, Tennessee Historical Commission) persuaded the majority of TTA's board that Mr. Humphreys should be honored. Mr. Williams states:

"During the past 30 years Ken Humphreys has been the leading proponent of historical hiking trails for young people (especially Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts) in the United States. In 1960, he founded Shiloh Military Trails Inc., and with the help of Scouts from Memphis Troop 343 laid out six trails in and around Shiloh National Military Park. Well over 200,000 young people have now hiked these trails.

During the decade of the 1960s, he also led efforts to lay out Tennessee trails at Nathan Bedford Forrest State Park, Ft. Pillow State Park, and the Memphis Water front. He also

established a trail at Bryce's Crossroads National Battlefield site in Mississippi.

However, Ken's greatest contribution to the promotion of hiking may have been the establishment of the Historical Hiking Trail Guide which is published from time to time and lists several hundred trails open to all hikers throughout the United States.

I am not aware of any other person who has done as much as Ken Humphreys to promote hiking for boys and girls and at the same time provide an educational experience."

The 1989 Bill Stutz award went to Immediate Past President, Bob Barnett. Bob has served TTA and other environmental groups tirelessly for years. He has been active in supporting and protecting trails and in gaining support for these causes from other environmental groups. Examples of his energetic work have been the issue of a golf course at Rock Island State Park and the notorious proposed zoo at Long Hunter State Park. In the latter effort, Bob was a leader in the successful effort to

keep a zoo out of Long Hunter. In addition, Bob was instrumental in establishing our two new chapters in Clarksville and Cookeville. Bob has also brought many new members to TTA and has promoted our organization throughout the state of Tennessee.

Overall, thanks must go to the Murfreesboro Chapter members who gave their time and energy to make the 1989 TTA Annual Meeting a success. Specifically, we must thank Bertha Chrietberg for spearheading the effort and her assistants, Tom and Fran Shepherd, Nancy and George Williams, Betty Herring, Elaine Ware, and Randy Hedgepath (just to name a few). Next year's Annual Meeting will be hosted by the Nashville Chapter, the first weekend in November. Mark your calendars!

Thanks to all who brought doorprizes. The following is a list of contributions and contributing merchants.

CLARKSVILLE

1. Acme Boot Company — \$20.00 gift certificate
2. Beach Oil Company — Case of oil

3. Bicycle Center — Tire pump
4. Queen of Clarksville Riverboat — 10 tickets
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6. Coca Cola Company — Coca Cola clock
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5. Skedaddle Bike Shop
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7. Patty's Hallmark — Mug and T-shirt
8. Sierra Copies — Copies of programs

NASHVILLE

1. Cumberland Transit — Fanny pack
2. Herman's — Flashlight

Letters

From: Environmental Action Fund

10-10-89

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Environmental Action Fund, I want to let you and other TTA members know how pleased we are that you will soon be joining us. We will welcome TTA's counsel in the determination of our environmental agenda and your active involvement in the legislative process.

...As a full member of EAF, TTA will be entitled to name a voting member of our Board of Directors. We are counting on you to send a representative who will make an earnest effort to attend board meetings, participate actively in our debates on the EAF legislative agenda, and work with us on fund raising and other activities in which we become involved. Your representative will serve also as the primary communications link between EAF and TTA. Ours is a working board. We look forward to the new ideas and energy which your representative will bring to us.

...We are looking forward to a very productive relationship with TTA as we work together to protect Tennessee's environment.

Sincerely yours,
Raymond C. Norris, Secretary

Excerpts from Bob Barnett letter to TTA:

Thanks for the Bill Stutz Award. I am in select and esteemed company. They say the vote was unanimous except for my vote. That does not mean that the other nominees were not deserving... The honor was the nomination, especially by Bob Brown and Evelyn Tretter. The icing was being chosen as the recipient...

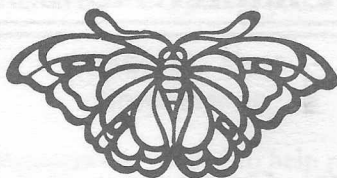
Cumberland Trail News

Section 2 Day Hike Cove Lake to Lake City November 19 (Sunday)

This Smoky Mountains Hiking Club hike will be a little late for fall colors but there may be enough nip in the air to classify it as a winter walk. Starting at Caryville, we ascend the nose of a ridge to Indian Grave Gap, descend to a crossing of a creek in Tunnel Hollow, and then make 3 more ascents and two descents of several hundred feet, with 2 more stream crossings before finally climbing the N.W. end of

Waldens Ridge for the remaining six miles of our hike on the crest of this narrow spine. Total distance is 10.5 miles, rated moderate.

Meet at the C.T. office in Cove Lake State Park at 8:00 a.m. (EST). Pre-register by Wednesday, November 15 with: Bob Brown, 615-748-4816 or Bob Harbin, 615-566-0902.



State News

Membership List Available

James Leininger, our State Adopt-a-Trail Coordinator has computerized our membership list and will be happy to send you an alphabetized copy for \$2.00 (covers printing & mailing costs). This list contains members' names, addresses, phone numbers, etc. Write to James at 1560 Murfreesboro Road, Franklin, TN 37064. Checks should be made out to *James Leininger*.

Smokies Backpack November 18-19

We will backpack to Cosby Knob Shelter via Big Creek with a return past Mt. Cammerer and Chestnut Branch. This is a moderate trail with about 8 miles daily. Bring your woolies. Shelter relieves us of carrying tents.

Meet at 8:30 a.m. (Eastern) at Big Creek Ranger Station. Carpooling will be coordinated by the leader. **Please pre-register.** Call Gene Curp at 615-256-2566 (days).

Special Request for Letters

As those of you who attended the Annual Meeting this year know, the

South Cumberland Recreation Area is one of the most beautiful spots in our state. This wild and scenic beauty should not be taken for granted since developers are inching closer and closer to Park land (as close as 100 yards in the Greeter Falls area).

One of the primary goals of SCRA is to buy more buffer land surrounding the Park. One half million dollars was requested for this purpose from the State this year. They have been allocated about $\frac{1}{5}$ that amount.

We hikers should write Commissioner Gill of the Tennessee Dept. of Conservation to express our appreciation for the money allocated for land purchase and our hope that more will be allocated in the near future. Your letters may ensure that this money is not diverted elsewhere and may be a factor in more money being allocated in the future.

Your support in this cause is vital. Otherwise you may someday hike to the overlook at Stone Door and view condominiums or houses on the tops of the surrounding hills instead of the uninterrupted forest wilderness seen today.

Trip Report

On Saturday, October 7, the scouts of Troop 170 of Pleasant Hill spent all morning picking up litter around the Methodist property atop Black Mountain. A pickup truck was filled with carefully separated aluminum cans, bottles, etc. While the boys rappelled off the bluffs that afternoon under the supervision of Troop 384 Scoutmaster Ed Hargis, Bill Anderson (past Scoutmaster of Troop 170) and I did what little lopping and swingblading was needed on the Black Mountain unit of the C.T. — Bob Brown

Hikers Beware

The Savage Gulf State Natural Area will have three weekend deer hunts for the 1989 Unit B hunting season:

- November 25-26
- December 1-3
- December 8-10

Hunting will be confined to the North Plateau with no hunting permitted in the Gulf. Park trails in the hunting area will be closed to non-hunting visitors on these dates. Stone Door trails will remain open. For more information, call the Visitor Center, 924-2980.

Big South Fork Hiking Club

On November 4, the Big South Fork Hiking Club plans a hike to Wildcat Branch in Pulaski County, Kentucky. The group will leave Whitley City Motel at 7:30 a.m. or the Food Fair parking lot in Somerset at 8:15 a.m. Call Donald Thompson at 606-561-6457 to confirm these plans.

38th Annual Conference Tennessee Recreation & Parks Association

TRPA's 38th Annual Conference will be held November 19-21 at the Peabody Hotel in Memphis. Registration is \$60.00 (prior to October 27). Choose from over 60 educational sessions with topics ranging from "Programming for Urban Areas" and "Aquatic

Emergency Management" to "Steroid Use in Young Athletes". Attend the Mud Island extravaganza and an evening listening to the Blues on Beale Street, plus our spectacular awards banquet.

Contact the TRPA at 2704 12th Avenue South, Nashville, TN 37204 if you would like more information.

Environmental Action Fund Representative

Bob Barnett has graciously agreed to be TTA's representative on the Environmental Action Fund board.

Sympathy

Our sympathy goes to Nashville Chapter member, Sally Garrard whose father died in October.

Chapter News

Cumberland Mtn. Chapter

Charit Creek Hike November 5

Instead of the previously scheduled No Business hike, we will hike to Charit Creek Lodge. We will carpool to the Twin Arches parking area, then hike down the Big South Fork Gorge to Charit Creek Lodge (Hostel). The lodge is nestled in the bottom of the gorge at the intersection of Station Camp and Charit Creeks. We will visit here and then head up Station Camp Creek to Jake's Place where we will stop for a picnic lunch. From there we will go up the side of the gorge back to the Twin Arches and its parking area.

Most of this hike is a loop and will feature beautiful colors, streams, cave houses, and perpendicular cliffs. This walk is packed with beauty for everyone, especially "beginners".

The hike will be about 5 miles, class II-III. Bring food, rain gear (just ask Pat), and sturdy shoes. Meet at Hardee's Restaurant in Jamestown at 9:00 a.m. (Central). For more information, call James Smith (Jamestown, 879-9325) or Pat Anderson (Nashville, 383-2355)

Cookeville Chapter

Meets 1st Thursday, 6:00, TTU Biology Bldg.,
Pennebaker Hall

Honey Creek Hike Saturday, Nov. 11

This is a 5-mile moderate hike that enters into the Big South Fork from the east side. This beautiful trail offers bluffs, overlooks, and waterfalls. At this time of the year, warm clothes and sturdy boots are a necessity.

For those of you who would like to carpool from Cookeville, meet at the Cracker Barrel (off the 2nd Cookeville exit) at 8:00 a.m. or at the trailhead at 10:00. There will be pick-ups at Jamestown at the Hwy. 52 junction on the square and again at some point in Elgin, Tennessee, for those who are unfamiliar with the territory. From Nashville, take I-40 E to Harriman exit; turn left on Hwy. 27 to Elgin. For more details, call Randy Hammontree at 528-8238 or 528-7432.

Coming Up

Coming soon, the Cookeville chapter will travel to Roan Mountain for cross-country skiing, to Dale Hollow Lake for an Eagle

watch, as well as have a Christmas pot-luck dinner at Denise Charvoz's. Check upcoming issues of *Tennessee Trails* for more details on these events.

Trip Report Virgin Falls Hike

What began as a dismal, rainy day became a perfect day for our first organized chapter hike to Virgin Falls. Although some members were discouraged by September 23rd's weather, eight determined souls dared to tread the trail to the Falls.

The trail was a bit sloppy in places but not impassable. We did meet a challenge before the Laurel Falls area. Fording the stream at one place usually requires some rock hopping. This time, however, the stream was running higher than usual for this time of the year, causing us to remove boots and socks and wade across, with a repeat performance on the return trip.

The Falls (Laurel, Sheep's Cave, and Virgin) were all spectacular, especially Virgin Falls. It was certainly worth the effort to see such beauty and to make new friends.

The determined souls attending were: Paul D. and Pam Miller from Knoxville, Andy and Brenda Harris, Jeanie Potter, Paul R. and Nora Miller and grandson, and Sam Griego from Cookeville. Canine escorts were Rusty (Paul & Pam's) and Linus (Andy & Brenda's).

Potluck Report

We had a wonderful turn-out for the potluck dinner at Denise's house. Everyone seemed to find their way through the twists and turns to her barn-house which is nestled in the rolling hills of Sparta. Although it was a rainy day, the autumn air was delightful and the scenery beautiful.

We met and welcomed new faces as well as new chapter members who have transferred. The food was good and the company enjoyable. After we stuffed ourselves, we cleared the table for planning the adventures to come!



Meets 3rd Thursday, Kingsway Christian Church, 7:30 p.m.

NOTE: The camping trip to Ray Skinner's vineyard was canceled due to rain. We'll try again next year, Ray.

November Meeting November 16

We'll meet at Kingsway at 7:00 p.m., **30 minutes earlier than usual**, and carpool to Shelby Farms for a night hike along the Wolf River, led by Larry Smith. Bring flashlights and dress warmly. If the weather is bad, we'll stay at the church and Larry will present a program.

Quotable Quote

"A weed is nothing more than a flower in disguise."
—Jane Russell Lowell

Shiloh National Military Park Trip November 11

Carpool will leave at 7:00 a.m. from Kingsway, or you can meet us at the intersection of Hwy. 22 and Hwy. 142 at 9:00 a.m. We plan to do the 10-mile compass hike, so bring your compass and be prepared for possible bushwhacking. Bring lunch and water (and an extra granola bar in case you get lost!). Reservations are required for this hike; call Betty Porter at 363-0213 before you come.

"Releaf" Day November 18

Volunteers are needed to help plant trees around the borrow ponds near the Wolf River. Wear old clothes and work gloves; a shovel would be helpful. Even if you can only stop by for an hour or two, your assistance will be appreciated. For more information, call Larry Wilson at the Lichterman Nature Center, 767-7322.

Annual After Thanksgiving Hike November 26, Meeman Shelby

We will hike 8 miles on the Chickasaw Bluffs Trail. Meet at the park office at 8:00 a.m. We will be led by Steve Smith (876- 5215). Here's your chance to walk off that turkey and dressing. (Remember that this is on Sunday, not Thanksgiving Day).

Work Day on Chickasaw Bluffs Trail December 2

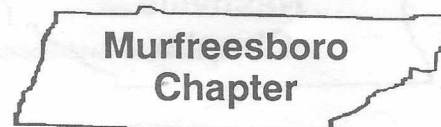
This is the Memphis Chapter's official adopted trail. If we expect to enjoy its use, we have a responsibility to maintain it. We'll meet at the park office at 9:00 a.m. and will spend several hours clearing away brush and painting blazes on trees. The park will provide some equipment, but if you have gardening implements such as hedge clippers, please bring them. Work gloves are a must. Call Jerri Bull, 363-4408, for more information.

Trip Report Big Hill Pond State Park

Torrential rains ruined the ground-breaking ceremonies for Memphis' pyramid arena on Friday night, but they didn't stop 13 people and 2 dogs from showing up to hike at Big Hill Pond Saturday morning, September 16th. The weather was overcast and pleasantly cool. The woods, moistened by summer rains, were filled with a wide variety of mushrooms and fungi, some in bizarre shapes and neon colors. The boardwalk was so slippery with algae that we virtually skated across. Among the botanical treasures we found were cardinal flower, pink meadow beauty, nodding ladies' tresses, and downy false foxglove. In the quiet of the swamp, a deer bounded away from us, like a scene from "Bambi". —Debbie Gilbert

Fountain of Truth By Debbie Gilbert

I feel it—here and all around—
A rushing, churning, living sound,
An awesome roar that fills my ears,
Yet sublimating all my fears,
I stretch myself upon the ledge,
To place a camera at its edge,
To lean as far out as I dare,
To capture droplets hung on air,
Until my nerves protest too much,
I reach out, shivering, to touch
The magic in these crystal walls—
The liquid flame of waterfalls.



Meets 3rd Thursday, St. Mark's Methodist,
7:00 p.m.

Murfreesboro News

Approximately 20 members and guests met on September 21 for the a business meeting and program. A request was made to write the Superintendent at Stones River Battlefield to vote our support for the west alternative trail. Planning for the Annual Meeting was

discussed followed by Bertha Chrietzberg's program on edible wild plants. This interesting program consisted of slides and samples of jellies from various plants.

Due to business commitments, the October and November programs were reversed. Malcolm Pfotenhauer now has the November program. Also, note that the November 18 hike has been changed from Indian Town Bluff to Old Stone Fort.

Old Stone Fork Hike November 18

On Saturday, November 18th, we will visit Old Stone Fort State Archaeological Area. We will leave the Visitor's Center at 10:00 a.m. for an easy 4-mile (rating I) hike. We will eat lunch also, making our total time about 3 1/2 hours.

The carpool will leave from St. Mark's Methodist church at 9:00 a.m. The distance from Murfreesboro to the park is approximately 30 miles. Take I-24 east to the first Manchester exit (from Nashville) or the third exit if coming from Chattanooga. The park is on Highway 41 in Manchester. Call George Williams at 890-3683 for more information.



Meets 4th Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Cumberland Museum

November Meeting November 16

Note that we will be meeting one week earlier than usual due to the Thanksgiving holidays.

Our November meeting is one of the most important meeting of the year. Your presence is requested as we elect our 1990 chapter officers

and as we compile our chapter's 1990 hike schedule. Let 1990 be the year you lead one or more TTA hikes!

1990 will be an important year for the Nashville Chapter since we will be the hosts at the 1990 Annual Meeting next November. More and more of you will be needed to help plan and coordinate this big event. Let's make 1990 our best year ever!

Charit Creek Campout November 10-12

This trip has been scheduled in place of the Bearwaller Gap backpack printed on your hiking schedule.

Meet TTA and Sierra Club members as we camp at the Charit Creek Hostel in Pickett State Park on Friday, November 10th and 11th. On Saturday, November 11, the shuttle to the trailhead will leave the park office at 9:30 a.m. (CST).

This will be a relatively easy hike to Charit Creek hostel where we will dump our heavy loads and then day hike in the area. If camping, bring enough food for the weekend. There is a nominal fee for each night's lodging at the hostel (under \$10.00).

Bill Terry and/or Gene Curp may be leading a backpack in the back country area of the Big South Fork on Saturday morning so you may have a couple of hiking options.

Call Bob Barnett at 831-1136 for more information. Please pre-register no later than November 6.

Boner a No-Show

About ten days before his slated appearance (made months in advance), Mayor Bill Boner's secretary called us to cancel. Why am I not surprised? Naturally, we were disappointed that he was unable to meet with us. It would have been a lively meeting. Then again, he may be tired of lively meetings. Oh well, it was his loss. — Editor

Trip Report Bearwaller Gap

Eleven hearty hikers and a dog joined Bob Barnett on this roller-coaster trail on September 16th. It was a pleasant hiking day with the weather improving as the day progressed. The hike took on a bushwhacking nature at times since a rainy 1989 has caused parts of this trail to disappear in overgrowth (Someone really needs to adopt this trail!). The Sierra Club picnic at Long Hunter State Park was a fitting way to end the day's activities. — Bob Barnett

Picnic Report

It was a chilly, misty evening at Moss-Wright Park in Goodlettsville on September 28. Seven of us showed up with goodies to share for an evening meal. The local Junior and Senior High schools were on hand to provide "football entertainment".

Evelyn Tretter led the meeting after supper and several topics were discussed, such as the next year's hiking schedule and possible places to hold the 1990 Annual Meeting. So, all our thinking caps are on... right?!

We are all looking forward to an active year with TTA and hope to see everyone at the next meeting. — Marci Hamilton Melton



News From Our Parks

Fall Creek Falls Pikeville, 881-3708

- 11/4,5 Backpacking at Fall Creek — Hike to remote portion of park. Rental equipment available locally.
- 11/12-18 Elderhostel — Focus will be the Cumberland Plateau, its folklore, traditional music, and architecture.

Long Hunter State Park Nashville, 885-2422

- 11/4 Canoe Percy Priest at Fall Pool — 3:00 p.m., Pre-register week before.

Lichterman Nature Center Memphis

- 11/11 Basket Making Workshop — Adults and children
- 11/18 Family Day
- 11/25 Day After Thanksgiving Walk — Walk off the turkey and dressing
- 11/26 Super Saturday — Family activities

Warner Park Nature Center Nashville, 352-6299

- 11/4 Geology Hike — (9:00-noon) Geologist Robert Miller will discuss geological concepts in Middle Tennessee and follow with a 2-mile hike in Edwin

Warner Park to observe rock formations, erosion, etc.

- 11/11 Discover the Nature Center — (8:00-4:30) Meet staff and enjoy all of Nature Center's exhibits.
- 11/11 Exotic Plant Removal — Volunteers needed! (9:00-3:30) Help remove non-native plants (exotic) which are usurping valuable habitats. Goal is to remove 10,000 exotic plants on Nov. 11. Bring gloves, work shoes. Call to sign up.
- 11/18 Mushroom Hike — 9:00-noon
- 11/29 Astronomy Program — 7:30-9:30 p.m. on corner of Vaughn Road and Old Hickory Blvd. We'll be viewing our closest galactic neighbor, the Great Spiral Galaxy of Andromeda, Jupiter, and the fall constellations. Pre-registration required.

Membership Renewal

Unless you have a Lifetime Membership in the Tennessee Trails Assn., your membership expires on January 1, 1990. All TTA memberships are based on the calendar year and not one year from the month you joined. If you would like to beat the New Year's

stampede of people renewing their memberships, feel free to do it now.

If you know someone who would like to join TTA but is waiting until the first of the year, tell your friend to wait no longer! Join TTA in November or December, and it will be counted towards 1990. In other words, you will get one or two

months of the newsletter free. What a deal!

A renewal form has been included below. Don't wait until several months have passed and it suddenly dawns on you that you aren't receiving your great and wonderful Tennessee Trails newsletter.

Please register me as a member for the calendar year 1990 (Jan.- Dec.) with the type membership checked below:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Student (fulltime undergraduate & high school) | \$ 3.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual | \$ 8.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family dependent (resides with an individual member) | \$ 3.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Supporting | \$ 15.00 |
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NAME: _____ DATE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ WORK PHONE: _____

Upcoming Hikes

CUMBERLAND MTN.

11/5 Charit Creek Hike

COOKEVILLE

11/11 Honey Creek Hike

12/31 Cross Country Skiing (Roan Mtn.)

1/90 Eagle Watch at Dale Hollow Lake

MEMPHIS

11/11 Shiloh National Military Park
11/26 After Thanksgiving Hike

12/2 Shelby Forest Work Day
12/16 Fisherville
12/21 Meeting and Christmas Party

MURFREESBORO

11/18 Old Stone Fort

NASHVILLE

11/10-12 Charit Creek Hostel Campout

STATE

11/19 C.T. Day Hike



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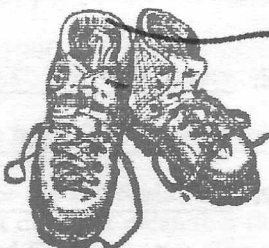
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