

TRAIL TALK



Newsletter of
The Montpelier Section,
The Green Mountain Club

JANUARY, 1987

NUMBER 17

OUTING SCHEDULE

Note: Non-members are welcome on our hikes. Advance registration is not necessary, except for meals, but is always useful to the leader and to inform you of any last minute changes. UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED, ALL TRIPS WILL MEET AT THE MONTPELIER HIGH SCHOOL PARKING LOT.

Saturday, January 17, 9 a.m. X/C SKI at Burke Mt. Touring Center. All abilities. Fee. Bring lunch. Hot food available. Leader- Dave Morse, 223-7126.

Sunday, January 18, 12:30 MHS or 1 p.m. Marshfield P.O. X/C ski or snowshoe in Groton Forest. Intermediate. Bring a snack. Leader Tom Kastner 426-3734.

Saturday, January 24, 9 a.m. Ski at Ole's Cross Country Center, Warren. Easy to intermediate. Fee. Bring lunch. Pot luck supper at Mike Barker's home, 2 miles from Ole's, 4 to 4:30. Leader- Jean Coello, 479-0830.

Saturday, January 31, 9:00 a.m. until completed. Volunteers needed for painting G.M.C. office, 43 State Street, Montpelier. Call 223-3463 for info.

Sunday, February 1, 1:00 p.m. Snowshoe and observe animal tracks identified by leader Bob Spear (434-3595) with Bread Loaf Section. All meet at Bob's on Sherman Hollow Road, Huntington, near Audubon Nature Center. Leader- Esther Farnsworth, 223-2240.

Sunday, February 8, 9 a.m. X/C ski at Highland Lodge S. T. Ctr, Greensboro. Trails for all abilities. Fee. Bring lunch. Leaders- the Nuquists 223-3550.

Thursday February 12, 7 p.m. Moonlight ski near Berlin Airport at Newhouse's. Easy. Leader- Dave Morse, 223-7126.

Sunday, February 15, 9 a.m. Snowshoe in Worcester area. Intermediate to difficult depending on snow conditions. Leader- Mary Deatt, 229-0454.

Sunday, February 22, 1 p.m. X/C ski East Montpelier loop. 6 miles. Intermediate. Meet at E Montpelier Center Church. Leaders- Farnsworths, 223-2240.

Sunday, March 1, 9 a.m. Snowshoe Camel's Hump Mt. Difficult. Leader- Andrew Nuquist, 223-3550.

Saturday, March 7, 9 a.m. X/C ski Cram Hill, W. Brookfield. Difficult. Bring lunch. Leader- Harlan Farnsworth, 223-2240.

Saturday, March 14, 9 a.m. X/C at Mt. Mansfield Touring Ctr. All abilities. Fee. Bring lunch. Food available. Leader- Marilyn Wilson, 229-9851.

Tuesday, March 17, 7:30 p.m. Bring your interesting ideas to the planning meeting at the home of Barbara Hermann, E. Montpelier Center Rd., going north from Montpelier, first house on right after state intersection sign for Barnes/Bliss roads. 223-6707.

Sunday, March 22, 1 p.m. at the Outdoor Outlet Store, Waterbury Ctr. X/C ski trails behind store in fields and pastures. Easy. Leaders- the Gossilns, 244-7798.

Friday, April 3, 6 p.m. Annual meeting at Baptist Church, 4 School St., Montpelier. Pot luck supper, reservations please. Call Esther Farnsworth 223-2240.

WORK WITH THE GREEN MOUNTAIN CLUB

The main Club is now accepting applications for shelter caretakers, Ranger-Naturalists, and Long Trail Patrol (trail crew) members to work on the Long Trail system during the summer of 1987. Many volunteer positions are also available. For further information and application forms contact: Green Mountain Club, P.O. Box 889, Montpelier, VT 05602 - (802) 223-3463. Application deadline for a paid position is April 3, 1987. There is no deadline for volunteer positions.

--MONTPELIER SECTION OFFICERS--

President: Tom Kastner, Marshfield, 426-3734.

Secretary: Marilyn Wilson, 35 Deerfield Drive, Montpelier, 229-9851.

Treasurer: Harlan Farnsworth, RD #1, Box 136, E. Montpelier, 05651, 223-2240.

Board of Directors: Brian Liss, P.O. Box 97, Calais, 05648, 229-4570.

Publicity: Mary Deatt, P.O. Box 663, Montpelier, 229-0454.

Trails: Paul Ohman, Rd #4 Montpelier, 229-9496.

Annual Dues: Adults- \$10; Juniors- (13-18) \$3; Children under 13- free.

New Members! Please send name, address, and phone number with dues to: Harlan Farnsworth, treasurer. 1987 dues are payable April 1.

G.M.C., Marilyn Wilson
35 Deerfield Drive
Montpelier, VT 05602



Apr. 4

18-19 Easter

(25) 26 8AM Luncheon

May 2-3

Tom Kastner
RD #1 Box 843A
Marshfield, VT 05658

Sun July Open Aug 2 16

All Sep

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