



# STC NEWSLETTER

**“ON FOOT IN POTTER COUNTY”**

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Coudersport, PA 16915

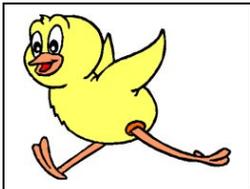
## April 2007



The purposes of the STC are to build and maintain trails; aid in the conservation of wetlands and wildlife and promote good fellowship through the medium of hiking and nature study.



### STC Spring HIKING SCHEDULE



It's spring and time to take a hike or two! This issue of the newsletter contains the Spring Hiking Schedule, compliments of the Hiking Committee. Members are Wayne

Baumann, Bill Boyd, Pat Childs, Bill Morey and Wil Ahn. A big thank you to the Hiking Committee and to all the hike leaders who made this hiking schedule possible.

### HELP WANTED PLEASE!

#### Summer and Fall HIKING SCHEDULE

STC members enjoy member led hikes from April to the end of October. We enjoy the camaraderie of fellow hikers and the ability to hike with others so we can spot cars at the end of a one-way hike.

The core group of hike leaders has decreased as people become medically unable and some have moved away. **We need all of you to consider leading a hike.** All hikes are by reservation only and nonmembers are welcome. If no one calls to sign up for your hike, you do not have to go to the start and wait for people. You will have to decide if the weather is permitting or not. If you feel you need to cancel due to weather you would need to call those who signed up and let them know.

We found it difficult to fill in this spring hike schedule. **We are asking all of you to consider leading a hike.** Saturday hikes can be whatever length you wish. Saturday hikes often start between 9 and 10 am. Sunday afternoon hikes are usually 3 to 5 miles long starting at 1:30-2:00 pm, however hikes could be scheduled to start in the morning.

It is nice to have some hikes in distant and out of the way locations but they usually have fewer hikers.

We will need to have the hike listing ready by mid-May in order to have it typed and ready for the July newsletter deadline in early June. **We also need a typist who lives close enough to work with Wil Ahn to get the list typed.**

**The following information should be mailed to Wil Ahn at 5003 US 6 W, Ulysses PA 16948 or emailed to [wilbetrt6@pennswoods.net](mailto:wilbetrt6@pennswoods.net)**

- Is it a Saturday or Sunday hike?
- Start and end point
- Approximate mileage of hike
- Level of difficulty
- Location to meet the hike leader
- Time to meet
- What to bring---water, lunch
- Leader name and phone number
- Several dates you would be available to lead the hike or a list of unsuitable dates

## STC TRAIL MAINTENANCE

From Bill Boyd



### Volunteer Maintainers

We could still use a volunteer trail maintainer for the West Branch Road (mile 11.25) to Rt. 44 (mile 13.66), for a total of only 2.41 miles. Contact Bill Boyd at [billboyd@pennswoods.net](mailto:billboyd@pennswoods.net) or at the STC address: P.O. Box 643, Coudersport, PA 16915

Bill Boyd reports that we did get some volunteers to maintain the Hammersley section and also the Lyman Run Road to Sunken Branch section (mile 6.7 to 10.82).

### A Note to the Trail Maintainers:

Volunteers are requested to cover his/her section as early as possible in the hiking season, removing any small debris, trimming brush and reporting to the Club any blowdowns or other trail damage.

The Club supplies orange paint for repainting tree blazes. Some smaller blowdowns can be removed using a bow saw. It is suggested that the trail care worker also be a chainsaw owner/operator. If that's not the case, the larger blowdowns can be reported to the Club for further action by a trail-care volunteer group using chain saws.

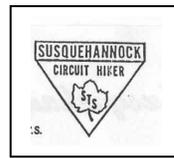
### Report those hours!

Report your trail maintenance and travel hours to Bill Boyd. **Please use the form on the last page of this newsletter to record your hiking trail maintenance hours and send to Bill Boyd at 208 Summit Road, Coudersport, PA 16915.**

You can either mail it at the end of the season or after you complete each work session.

### Why is it important to record and report your trail maintenance and round trip travel miles?

Keystone Trails Association uses documented work hours as a local match for the trails maintenance grant request recently submitted to the DCNR on behalf of KTA member clubs. KTA hopes to submit future proposals to the DCNR for additional trail maintenance and construction projects.



## CIRCUIT HIKER AWARDS

From Lois Morey,  
STC Archivist

### #940 – Thomas Jones, Wellsboro, PA

A very well written detailed log of Tom's circuit hike he completed in four days in October 2006 was recently approved by the Circuit Hiking Committee. No doubt one of his lasting memories will be the hanging of the bear bag. This is his account of the event: *"It was rapidly getting dark and I was trying to throw a stick with my rope tied to it over a bent tree. I just could not get it for what seemed like 50 throws. The rope would get caught on my arm or leg or it would bounce off the tree or would go over but only come a foot down the other side where I could never reach it. At one point I thought it had gotten stuck, but with a tug it came crashing down within an inch of my head! Finally I got it with the aid of another stick and got back to camp just at dark."* I wonder if the bear was watching.

### #941 – Jack Heideloff and

### #942 – David Heideloff

This father and son team hiked the STS during the period of September 1974 to June 1983 and only recently submitted their combined log for approval. Congratulations!

### *And a note from Lois.....*

Whether hiking with family members or friends, lots of wonderful memories can be created to last a lifetime by hiking the STS together – something to consider this year as our Club celebrates 40 years.

The year was 1969 when I hiked the trail with my parents, thus earning Circuit Hiker Award #3 (my Dad was #1 and Mom #2). The STS was still new and I had just begun my secretarial career with the Bureau of Forestry in Coudersport.



As I remember it, Butch Davey and Tom Fitzgerald, Foresters, were responsible for activating my interest in both the 85-mile circuit trail and the Trail Club. Those topographical maps fascinated me to no end and I wanted that hands-on experience of hiking and learning the location of all those trails and Forestry

road names that I was involved with while typing timber sale correspondence and fire bills.

This knowledge definitely did help and then later as park secretary at Lyman Run I could easily answer the countless number of questions that park visitors came up with. Hiking the trail that year rewarded me with not only this great outdoor experience and awareness, but also formed wonderful memories with my family and hiking friends that will last a lifetime.

This is something to “ponder” as we make our journey through life and perhaps this will be the year that you will add some memories of your own that will include hiking the STS! If you do, **don't forget to keep a journal, take pictures if you wish and submit your signed finished log to the Circuit Hiker Award Committee for approval.**

*I'll be waiting to read your log. Lois*



### Susquehannock Trail Club.....

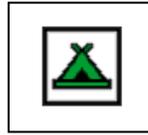
is targeting the 1000<sup>th</sup> Circuit Hiker Award in 2007

## Happy 40th Anniversary

### SEVEN SALLIES ON THE STS

In an effort to aid hikers wishing to complete the entire 84-mile Susquehannock Trail, Wanda Shirk will lead a spring series of hikes. Overnight camp-outs are possible options for the May and June dates, with a supply van allowing campers to travel without backpacks. Additionally, a Potter County cabin is available free on the Friday, Saturday and/or Sunday nights of the hike weekends for up to nine participants. Anyone is welcome to join the group for a single day, a single weekend or the entire hike series. The advantages of the group hikes are the camaraderie and the transportation at the ends of segments for hikers who are not backpacking the whole loop at one time. Refer to the enclosed Spring Hiking Schedule for hike dates. To register for “Walk it With Wanda Weekends”, email [wshirk@pennswoods.net](mailto:wshirk@pennswoods.net), call 814-848-7944, or drop a note to P.O.Box 400 Ulysses, PA 16948.

## STC CAMPOREE 2007



Set aside the dates of **July 27 – 29** for the 37<sup>th</sup> annual STC Camporee to be held at Ole Bull State Park near Cross Fork, Pa. Full details of this popular campout weekend will appear in the July newsletter. We look forward to seeing you there.

## 2007 WINTER FROLIC Report



The STC annual “Winter Frolic” was a great success. Saturday February 17<sup>th</sup> was a super day for X-country skiers. A foot of new snow covered old tracks and made for excellent skiing. Yes, it was cold and windy on the Ridge Trail and on the Denton Hill area trails, but hardy skiers were out in great numbers.

The Saturday evening dinner at the Coudersport Lutheran Church Parish hall was attended by 66 members and friends. A delicious buffet dinner of stuffed chicken breast and baked ham with all the trimmings was served by caterer Mrs. Bernie Lefever. Door prizes were taken care of by members Wanda Shirk and George Petrisek who did a fine job of selecting prizes.

A short business meeting followed, reports of committees were given and then the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Chris Firestone, a botanist from Pa. BOF-DCNR, for an entertaining showing of Potter & Tioga County slides of large diameter trees, shrubs, native edible plants, fruits and invasive plants. The color photography was excellent. Mrs. Firestone ended her program with discussions and answering questions.

Special thanks to the STC members who arranged tables and set up chairs for the dinner and meeting.

## NEXT NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

**JUNE 5, 2007:**



Please have your information in the mail by June 5, 2007 to:

Roxanne McMillan  
STC Newsletter Editor  
P.O. Box 427  
Landisville, PA. 17538

Or [roxanne\\_mcmillan@hotmail.com](mailto:roxanne_mcmillan@hotmail.com)

## ALONG THE TRAIL by Wil Ahn

### ❁ THE “ROLLING BOIL HIKING SOCIETY”

STC member Bob “Butch” Davey, a retired District Forester DCNR-BOF in Renovo, Pa. writes that he and his group hiked most of the STS in August 2006. The group picked a name, Bob says, and decided to call themselves “The Rolling Boil Hiking Society”. Readers may think this a strange name. Here is the brief story:



*“We always seem to have long discussions and arguments about the exact instant when water reaches a rolling boil. This is significant since the directions on the backpack food items require dry ingredients to be added at that precise moment. God forbid the food to be cooked less than perfectly is one theory. The other is we are starving and LET’S EAT. So we now have a name which applies to the main focus of the group.”*

Thanks Bob for sharing a most important decision.

### ❁ SEEN ANY MOUNTAIN LIONS?

Several years ago on a summer day I was standing by the bulletin board at the STS Northern Gateway Trailhead updating information for hikers when four backpackers (2 couples) from the Allentown Hiking Club came in off the trail to use the rest rooms and get water. They were middle age. I don’t recall their names but I asked about their trip and if they saw any wildlife or anything interesting along the trail.

The two women looked at each other and said “Why do you ask?” I answered that I am a hiker and long time member of the STC and always interested in hearing from hikers, where they are from and their observations along the trail. Their two male companions joined them and they all told me about a mountain lion they had seen on the STS between Rock Ridge Road and Prouty State Park.



I said “Are you sure it wasn’t a bobcat?” They emphatically said “No, it was a mountain lion.” It was a large brown animal with a long tail

and it hissed at them quite close before running off in the woods. As they did not volunteer this information before I asked, I believe them to be telling the truth and I still do. The one woman said she had seen mountain lions before in other places and was sure it was not a bobcat.

Later that day I gave this information to STC member Bob Knowles who was a long time writer of a column in the Potter Leader-Enterprise of STC news with many outdoor observations and experiences. I told Bob the two couples were headed for Ole Bull State Park on their way to complete the 85-mile circuit. Bob picked it up from there and timed it so he was available at Ole Bull to interview the four hikers and get their story about the mountain lion sighting. Bob reported this in his column the next week.

A second incident of a mountain lion sighting was told to me and reported in the Potter-Leader Enterprise by Bill Morey, our STC Vice President from West Pike, Pa., here in Potter County. Bill said he was driving his pick-up truck along the back road going from Ansonia, Route 6 to Wellsboro, Pa. (I believe it is Rt. 660.) It was a couple of years ago in the winter and Bill spotted a mountain lion just off the road on the south side, walking along a fenced in old sheep pasture. Bill was positive it was a mountain lion, brown with a long tail. He had a good look at it before it entered a patch of woods. I have known Bill many years and have every reason to believe he saw a mountain lion.

I just read this in the Bradford Era Newspaper last week in the “Round the Square” column. Buck Tantalo of Bradford, Pa. writes: *“On the morning of Jan.7, 2007 at 4:00 a.m. I heard a strange noise on the entrance to my home. I jumped out of bed, went out to the kitchen and there on the rail of the deck stood this mountain lion. If you’re wondering how I could see at this time of day, the night light illuminates the whole area. I am standing at the kitchen window about 4 feet from the rail, face to face with a mountain lion. The room is dark, it can’t see me, but I have a perfect view of this lion. As you can imagine, the feeling so close, yet safe, frightening, yet exciting. The tail was approximately 2 foot long, its body 3 foot, including the head. Its’ weight was 60 to 80 pounds. My neighbor saw one a short time ago, and I was talking with a local physician. He has seen two.”*

So believe it or not, you people out there, beware. These animals are dangerous. They will attack humans, as seen on TV (The end of Bradford Era article).

Not familiar with the town of Bradford? It is located in northwestern McKean County, Pa., close to the New York State southern border and not too far from the over 500,000 acre Allegheny National Forest in Pa.

## A DOG NAMED "HAMMERSLEY RUN"

Sharing interesting letters with our STC members is important to me. The recent correspondence from Chuck Bateman from West Middlesex, Pa. gives much credit to a spot in "Ol Potter" that means a lot to many of us and our great desire to keep it "wild" now and for future generations.

Chuck writes: Thanks for responding to my STC information request. I have enjoyed reading the STC articles in the Potter Enterprise for the last 10 or so years. I really look forward to it. I have enjoyed Potter County for about 28 years, but all of those years I have spent in the "Hammersley Wild Area" camping and brook trout fishing. I can remember taking my first daughter, Jennifer, there when she was 10 years old. Since then I have taken my other 2 children as well as some other people to the most beautiful place I know.



My first child Jennifer is now 30. She and I want to hike the STS along with my Golden Retriever who I have named "Hammersley Run". Jeff & Brenda just love him at Kinney's store in Cross Fork. Hammersley has his own saddlepack. The letter goes on to state that Chuck and Jennifer along with Hammersley plan to hike the entire STS in July-August of this year, starting and finishing at Cross Fork. Chuck is interested in drop off places along the trail for food, especially for the Hammersley. Chuck sent a check for Club membership, the STS guidebook and maps, 2 STC hats and 2 patches. Now that's 'my kind of guy'.

‘Nuff sed -.



SEE YOU ALONG THE TRAIL  
*Wil*

## Welcome to New Members -

(Since the January newsletter)

Art & Robin Huber, Coudersport  
Maryanne & Chuck Huntwagner, Coudersport  
Bruce & June Robinson, Coudersport,  
Bonnie & Paul Ross, Edinboro, Pa.  
Meghann Burke & Michael Lane, Frenchtown, N.J.  
Thomas Jones, Wellsboro, Pa.  
Chuck Bateman Family, W. Middlebury, Pa.

## KTA KORNER

Submitted by: M. Virginia Musser, KTA Representative

One of the trademarks of KTA has been its Trail Care program whereby volunteers work on hiking trails around the state one weekend a month from March thru November. In addition to the weekend Trail Care events, three weeks in June are dedicated to 5-day work trips on designated trails. Listed here are some dates and trails that KTA will be working on during 2007.

⇒ **May 18-20 – Donut Hole Trail**

Camp at Hyner Run State Park

Contact Leader: Joe Healey, 507.655.4979

⇒ **July 27-29 – Mid State Trail, State College Region**

Camp at Poe Paddy State Park

Contact Leader: Tom Thwaites, 814.237.7703

⇒ **August 10-12 – Quehanna Trail**

Camp at Parker Dam State Park

Contact Leader: Ralph Seeley, 814.355.2933

A 5-day Trail Crew will be working on the **Mid State Trail, Tioga Region**, on **June 19-24**. You can volunteer for 5 days or 1 day! Enjoy breakfast and dinner prepared by a super cook. Bag lunches are provided as well because you do get a lunch break while working on the trail!

For work trips in other parts of the Commonwealth refer to the KTA website, [www.kta-hike.org](http://www.kta-hike.org)

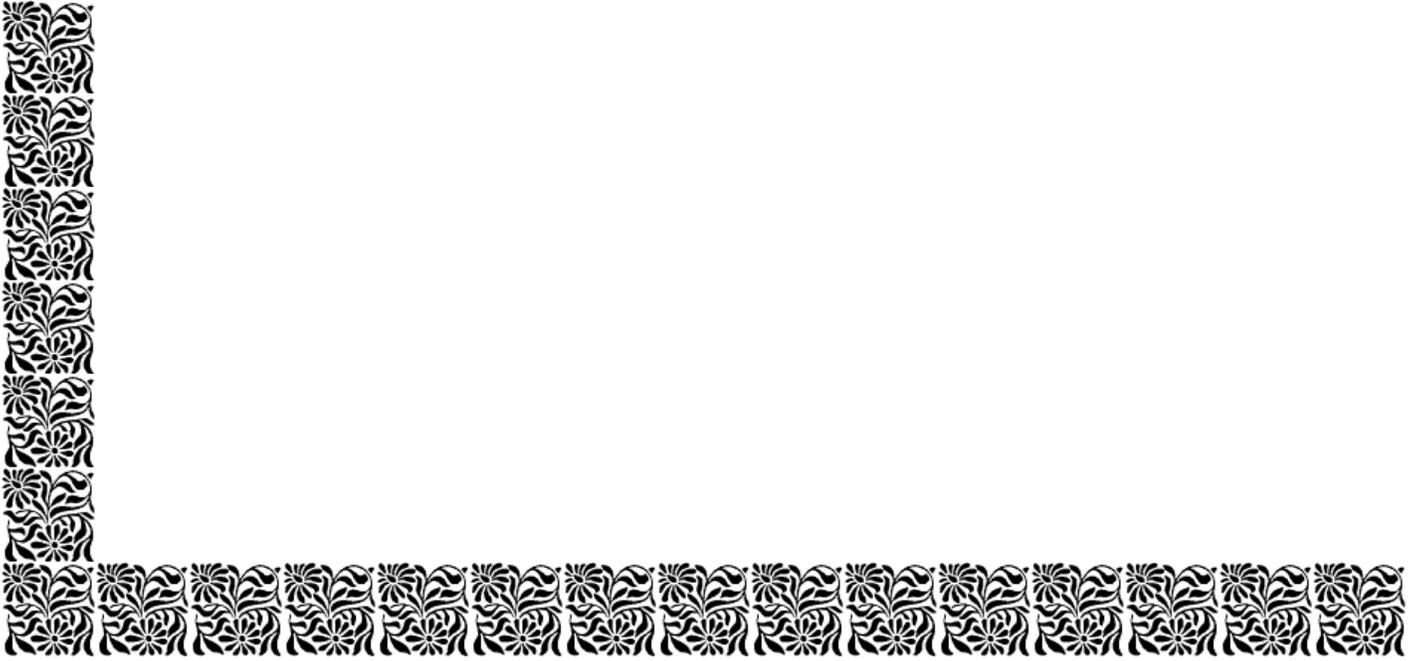
A **Basic Wilderness First Aid Training** workshop will be held on **May 12** at ATC's Scott Farm near Carlisle. John Buburchuck from Windbar will teach this 8-hour course. The course is free, thanks to DCNR's Matt Beaver, who provided funding for the course. Pre-registration is required and the group is limited to 25 students. Contact Joe Healey at 570.655.4979, [jhealey@aol.com](mailto:jhealey@aol.com) or Carl Lorence, 717.234.1524, [pastumbler@aol.com](mailto:pastumbler@aol.com)

If working on trails isn't your cup of tea and you would rather hike, plan to attend **Prowl the Sproul** hiking weekend on **July 20-22**. STC member, Wanda Shirk, will be leading one of the hikes as well as Chris Firestone, the DCNR Botanist who spoke at the Winter Frolic dinner on February 17. Camping is at the Western Clinton Sportsman's Association south of Renovo.

**Last but not least, mark your calendar for September 28-30 for the Annual KTA Meeting and Hiking Weekend to be held at Blue Knob State Park.**



**Susquehannock Trail Club**  
**P.O. Box 643**  
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## Susquehannock Trail Club Volunteer Trail Maintenance Report

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and section of trail maintained: \_\_\_\_\_

Date	Hours worked	Type of trail work (X)			Hours Round Trip Travel
		Brush clear	Trail Construction	Blazing	

► Please send completed form to:  
**Bill Boyd 208 Summit Road, Coudersport, PA 16915**

# Susquehannock Trail Club

## 2007 Spring Hiking Schedule



**Telephone hike leader for additional information (if no answer, 814-435-2966).**

**Rain or bad weather will cancel hike.**

**Non-members welcome.**

### **RESERVATIONS REQUIRED ON ALL HIKES.**

**Note about the STS Circuit Hike Series from Wanda:** I will try to set up the hikes so that they can all be split into a morning section and an afternoon section. That way if people feel they don't have either the time or the strength for an all-day hike, they can just do half. The all-day hikers can plan a lunch stop at a selected mid-point road where morning hikers could park a car to go home and other hikers could join for the afternoon.

The one exception to this would be the June 3 hike from Cross Fork to McConnell Road. This section goes through the Hammersley Wild, and of course there are no roads whatsoever in there -- no gas line roads, no forestry roads, no intersections whatsoever. This is the one section where a hiker has to be able to do an entire 11 mile stretch, or you just can't do all of the STS.

Day-hikers should have knapsack picnic lunches. Hikers who want to do just the morning or just the afternoon hike can decide whether or not they want to picnic with the all-day-hikers before joining or leaving the group.

► **Saturday March 31 (STS Circuit Hike Series)** Rock Ridge Road to Denton Hill -- approximately mile 70.8 to mile 83.8 in the STS guidebook, total 13 miles. Meet at 8:30 am at Denton Hill Forestry Office, or at 8:45 am at Patterson State Park, for the all-day or morning-only hikes. Meet at Patterson State Park at 1 pm for picnic lunch or at 1:30 pm to hike only the afternoon segment of the hike. Patterson State Park is 7 miles south of Sweden Valley on Rt. 44. Leader: Wanda Shirk 814-848-7944.

► **Sunday April 1 (STS Circuit Hike Series)** Denton Hill to Cherry Springs Fire Tower, start of STS to about mile 13.8. Meet at Denton Hill Forestry Office at 9 am for the all-day or morning-only hike. For the afternoon-only section, meet at 1:30 pm where the STS intersects Lyman Run Road. To get there from Rt. 6, go south a short distance on the Billy Lewis Road next to Potato City, and turn left onto Lyman Run Road for about 4 miles. The STS intersects the road just a little before Lyman Run State Park. Leader: Wanda Shirk 814-848-7944

**Saturday April 7** State Forest Hike - Losey Rd. (Gated Section) to STS Ridge Trail, then old Switchbacks to Billy Brown Trail to Rt. 6. Six Mile Hike. Moderate. Meet at Wil Ahn's driveway on Rt. 6, at 10:00 am. Leader: Pat Childs 585-593-4077

**Sunday April 15** State Forest Hike - BOF office, Denton Hill, Rt. 6 to Road Side Rest by Pa. Lumber Museum. Hike on old log roads to old CCC Trail along Commissioner Run, very pretty area. Head Waters Country. 5 mile hike, moderate. Meet at BOF office on Denton Hill Rt. 6 at 2 pm. Bring water. Leader: Wil Ahn 814-435-2966

**Saturday April 28 *Tree Planting - STC project celebrating the Clubs' "40th" Anniversary.*** Paul Lilja, Forester and STC member, will lead tree planters. Meet at Old Lyman Run Airport on Lyman Road, off Billy Lewis Road. Trees will be planted on open area of State Forest Lands. Bring shovels or mattocks, lunch & water. Meet at 9:30 am, bring the kids, teach them to plant trees. Primitive camping permitted that weekend. Leaders: Paul Lilja 814-274-8356 Wil Ahn 814 -435-2966

**Sunday April 29** NFG pipeline, Game Refuge Trail loop. 4.5 mi. Meet at Patterson Park at 2 pm. Leader: Bill Boyd 814-274-7529

► **Saturday May 5** (*STS Circuit Hike Series*) Cherry Springs Fire Tower to Ole Bull State Park. 12.5 miles. Meet at Cherry Springs Fire Tower at 9 am for the morning or all-day hike. The fire tower is on Rt. 44 a couple miles south of Cherry Springs State Park -- a total of about 15 miles south of Rt. 6 on Rt. 44. For afternoon hike only, meet at 1:30 pm at "Custer's Last Stand" camp along Short Run Road. Short Run Road goes west from Rt. 44 just north of Carter Camp, the intersection of Rt. 44 and Rt. 144, and the camp is about 5 miles from Rt. 44. Leader: Wanda Shirk 814-848-7944

► **Sunday, May 6** (*STS Circuit Hike Series*) Ole Bull State Park to Twelve Mile Road at Young Woman's Creek Bridge, just after Morgan Hollow. 11 miles. Meet at Ole Bull State Park at 9 am for the morning (including Spook Hollow) or the all-day hike. For the afternoon-only hike (Morgan Hollow), meet at 1:30 pm where the STS intersects Big Spring Road. To get there, take Rt. 44 southeast of Oleona about 3 miles to Twelve Mile Road on the right, and follow Twelve Mile Road about 4 miles south to Big Spring Road on the right. The trail intersection is about half a mile east on Big Spring Road. Leader: Wanda Shirk 814-848-7944

**Sunday May 13:** Wellsville Ridgewalk Trails loop of 3-4 miles. Meet at 1:30 pm at the Fire hall in Genesee Pa. Moderate difficulty, wet spots. Bring water. Leader: Pat Childs 585-593-4077

**Saturday May 19** Switchback Trail - 4 mi. Meet at Water Tank Vista, on Rt. 44, about 2 mi. east of the Cherry Springs Fire Tower at 10 am. Leader: Terry Simkins 814-274-8987

**Saturday May 26** Fire Tower trail - 2.5 mi. Meet at Cherry Springs airport parking lot at 10 am. Leader: Wayne Baumann 814-274-7725

**Sunday May 27** Clark Farm, Sand Springs, Stebbins Quarry - 5 mi. Meet at Dean's Gravel Pit, Rt. 6 west of Galeton at 2 pm. Leader: Donna Batterson 814-274-9045

► **Saturday June 2** (*STS Circuit Hike Series*) Twelve Mile Road (mile 37 of STS) to Cross Fork (mile 49) about 12 miles total. Meet at 9 am at the gas station in Oleona (southern junction of Rts. 44 and 144). We will travel from there to the hike start-point on Twelve Mile Road (aka Young Woman's Creek Road in Clinton County) just after the foot-bridge crossing of Young Woman's Creek. Contact hike leader for information about start points on Greenlick Road or Shepherd Road to join the group for shorter segments of the day's hike. Leader: Wanda Shirk 814-848-7944

► **Sunday June 3** (*STS Circuit Hike Series*) Cross Fork to McConnell Road (mile 49 to mile 60) 11 miles. Meet at Kinneys Store in Cross Fork at 9 am. Leader: Wanda Shirk 814-848-7944

► (*STS Circuit Hike Series*) The last segment of the circuit, McConnell Road (mile 60 ) to Rock Ridge Road (mile 70.8), will probably be done on either **Monday June 4** or **Saturday June 9**, based on a preference consensus from those who have participated in the first six hikes. Contact hike leader for update. 11 miles. Leader: Wanda Shirk 814-848-7944

**Sunday June 10** Fishing Creek, to see virgin pines - 3 mi. Meet at Erway's Restaurant / Store, on Rt. 6 west of Coudersport at 2 pm. Leader: Tom Leete 814-274-8627

**Sunday June 17** Dingman Run Loop hike - 3 to 4 mi. Meet at 1:30 pm at the Full Gospel Church parking lot, Rt. 6 west of Coudersport. Moderate. Short bushwhack to complete loop. Bring water. Leader: Pat Childs 585-593-4077

**Sunday June 24** STS, West Branch, Beech Hollow loop. 4 mi. Meet at STS crossing on Sunken Branch Road, just off Billy Lewis Road at 2 pm. Leader: Bill Boyd 814-274-7529

**Sunday, July 1** Dutch Hill Hike near Coudersport. 4 to 5 mile hike. Some climbing, excellent views. Meet at Freeman House parking area off Rt. 872 near Rt. 6 intersection. Bring water. Leaders: Steve & Debbie Quelet 814-274-9336

**Sunday July 22** Hike section of Mid-State trail in Tioga County. Antrim to Morris, Pa. 4 mile hike. See old Railroad Grade, strip mine, slide hollow, big rocks. Meet at 2:00 pm on Rt. 872, Wellsboro Forestry Office. Bring water. Leaders: Carl & Bonnie Davis 570-724-6319

**Saturday July 28** (*Camporee weekend*) Not sure of the route yet - we'll just have to say about a 6 mi. hike. Meet at the Ole Bull Group Camping Area at 10 am. Leader: Bill Boyd 814-274-7529

## **LAST CALL FOR 2007 DUES!**

**OUR MEMBERSHIP RECORDS SHOW THAT YOUR 2007 DUES HAVE NOT BEEN RECEIVED AS OF MID-MARCH. PLEASE REMIT \$10.00 FOR FAMILY DUES OR \$5.00 FOR INDIVIDUAL DUES.**

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**OUR MEMBERSHIP RECORDS SHOW THAT YOUR 2007 DUES HAVE NOT BEEN RECEIVED AS OF MID-MARCH. PLEASE REMIT \$10.00 FOR FAMILY DUES OR \$5.00 FOR INDIVIDUAL DUES.**

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