#### NEWSLETTER

# THE MOUNTAINEERS EVERETT BRANCH

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EVERETT MOUNTAINEERS
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#### • Trustees Report

At the November Everett Branch meeting, I presented a desire by the Board of Trustees to increase the annual dues. This led to a lively discussion about where our money goes and why an increase is necessary. I did my best to relate information, however a lot of questions and concerns seemed to go unanswered. We are planning on having our President, Bill Maxwell, attend a Branch meeting to talk to us.

At the November Board of Trustess meeting the Board voted to increase the annual dues by \$7.00 to \$34.00. Initiation fees would remain at \$27.00. I presented our viewpoints and concerns, and asked that a dues increase be delayed until these issues could be studied in depth. The Board felt it is necessary to balance the budget now. A Dues and Fees Committee, which will include branch members, will soon start a comprehensive study. Starting next year it should be possible to charge your dues with Visa or MasterCard.

According to Mountaineer By-laws, any member who has been a regular or spouse dues paying member for at least 10 years and who has reached the age of 65 years or more may apply for Senior membership. They shall pay 40% of regular member dues, rounded to the nearest dollar.

The Mountaineers will be conducting a survey of 200 present and past members to assess interests, needs, desires, etc.

Thank you - Dana Miller

#### Next Meeting, Wed. Jan. 6

Our regular membership meeting starts at 7:30 p.m. at the First Congregational Church, at Everett and Rockefeller. The President of The Mountaineers, Bill Maxwell, will be present to answer questions from the Everett Branch members about the present status of The Mountaineers. Questions about the future direction of the club by the Board of Trustees will also be welcome. The program, "Photo Safari in Africa," will be presented by Caroline Bonamy and will feature a climb of Kilimanjaro.

#### Snowshoe Seminar

Learn the basics of snowshoeing. Dorothy Beeman will present the in's and out's of this winter sport. A field trip is offered on Saturday, Jan. 23 at Stevens Pass Lodge at 10:00 a.m. Participants need not stay at the lodge to participate. This seminar will be held at 7:00 p.m. before the regular Jan. meeting.

#### Three Fingers

A book on the history of Three Fingers has been recently published. Of particular interest are the mountaineering exploits of Everett Branch member Kenn Carpenter and the recent restoration of the lookout by Branch members who were organized by Carol Jacobson and Jerry Thompson. Following is the publisher: Three Fingers by Malcom Bates, Cloudcap Press, P.O. Box 27344, Seattle, WA 98125. (160 pages, softbound & illustrated, \$12.95, ISBN 0-938567-03-9)

## Greetings to the Everett Branch!!!!!

I want to wish each of you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, and hope that 1988 will be the year in which all your Mountaineer activities are successful. Also I want to thank all the people who filled in for me while I was on my trip to Nepal.

Traditionally we do not have a regular Branch meeting this month as we are busy getting ready for the holidays. If you are like myself, you are probably busy getting gifts for your loved ones, and wondering what you may receive. To really treat yourself this year I suggest that you write a letter to the National Park Service and your Senators and Representative to give them your comments on the management plan for the North Cascades National Park. This park is one of the last parks that is truly rugged and it also has special significance to the Branch as our own Henry Kral was instrumental in the formation of the park. For more information on the main concerns of the management plan, please refer to the conservation input in this issue of the newsletter.

In December I attended the Board of Trustees meeting and found the year of 1988 will be one of significant changes within the structure of the Mountaineers. Significant in that the present Business Manager of The Mountaineers has resigned and will be replaced by an Executive Director (and probably a Financial Director). Also the 1988 Strategic Plan will be formulated by The Turnaround Committee (of which there are no branch members) and approved by the Board of Trustees rather than formulated by the Board of Trustees and the Branch Chairs and approved by the Board of Trustees. If you think there is something that should be planned for in 1988 please send your comments to Mountaineer President Bill Maxwell before 14 January 1988, the next meeting of the Turnaround Committee.

Don

#### 1987 Service Award

Steve Philipp is the recipient of the 1987 Service Award for the Everett Branch. Steve has been an active member in the Everett Branch for over 36 years. During these three decades, Steve has been avid climber and active in various committees of the Branch, especially the Hiking Committee. He was instrumental in the founding of our Annual Salmon Bake and helped to build the Mt. Baker Cabin.

#### HELP!!

The T-Shirt committee would gladly accept a helping hand. We are looking for 2 people to help with orders and distribution. If you are looking for a way to help within the Branch this might be it. If interested, call Forrest Clark, 778-6894.

#### Lodge Outings

Jan. 23-24, Weekend, Stevens Pass Lodge. Visit our closest lodge for alpine skiing, cross country skiing or snowshoeing. Sign up with Dolores Wagner, 568-3828, by Jan. 13 or with the club room after that date. Rates and lodge directions are on p. 18, Nov. 1987, The Mountaineer. A Snow Park permit is needed for those using the Mill Creek area for cross country skiing. Dorothy Beeman will conduct a beginning snowshoe field trip on Saturday, Jan. 23 at 10:00 a.m. at the lodge. Whether you came for the day or for the weekend, join us for winter fun at Stevens Pass.

Feb. 20-21, Weekend, Mt. Baker Lodge. We have reserved this weekend for our annual weekend. Mark your calendars. More details in Feb. bulletin.

#### Awards at the 1987 Annual Banquet

#### Branch Service Award Steve Philipp

Ken Nelson Memorial Award Jack E. Bennett, Jr.

Basic Climbing Course Bruce Baldus Robert Berryman Mike Britz Laurie Bruckner Wayne Cunningham Mark Follet Robert Fuller David Greene Chuck Hayes David Lambert Dennis Lambert Randy Lord Vicki Lord Lee Marsh Ruth Martin Rod McLeod Steve Medeiros Greg O'Kelly Susan O'Kelly Terri Roberts William Smyth Al Thomas Dan Tobin Nancie Tobin James Valentino

Intermediate Climbing
Joe Hahler
Pat Hart
Roger Hill
Carl King
Don Stobbe

Pin Peak Awards

Everett Gold

David L. C. Couling
John Carlin

Everett Silver John Carlin

Five Majors
James Valentino

Six Majors Bill Iffrig Basic Nordic Skiing
Linda Balsiger
Randy Balsiger
Margaret Gullstad
Virginia Lachman
Stephanie Schmidt

Telemark Skiing
Scott Dorough

Lookout Peak Awards
Myra Beeman
Margaret Beeman
Lori Dorough
Scott Dorough
Heidi Ondrasik

Backpacking Course
Linda Balsiger
Randy Balsiger
Forrest Clark
Philip Mayer
Sallie Lumsden
Diane Freeman
Janell Lozeau
Susan Tyler
David Snyder
Sue Snyder

Alpine Scrambler Course James Dean



#### Mileage Awards

100 Mile Patch Amy Brodniak Kathy Brodniak Lloyd Brodinak Roger Brodinak Laurie Bruckner Judy Case Forrest Clark Lori Dorough Scott Dorough Christopher Hill Virginia Lachman Emily Longley Joan Longley Barbara Mathiesen Dana Miller Dennis Miller Heidi Ondrasik Don Stobbe Kim Vaugh

200 Mile Patch Dorothy Beeman Mike Beeman Molly Beeman Myra Beeman Kathy Brodniak Lloyd Brodniak Roger Brodniak Forrest Clark Roger Hill Linda Longley Larry Longley Linda Moore Darrell O'Kelly Bev Robison Majorie Schaller Don Stobbe Dolores Wagner

400 Mile Patch
Dorothy Beeman
Mike Beeman
Margaret Gullstad
Bev Robison
John Witters

600 Mile Patch John Witters

#### 1988 Intermediate Climbing Course

As described in the November issue of The Mountaineer (the September issue of the Everett Branch Newsletter), the 1988 Intermediate Climbing Course is scheduled to begin on Jan. 12, 1988.

This course, which offers training in advanced techiques in fifth class rock climbing, ice climbing, and winter mountaineering, provides an excellent medium for further development of the skills learned in the Basic Climbing Course.

For a full outline of the course, including lecture and field trip schedules, graduation requirements, and registration details, please refer to the bulletin (newsletter) noted above. Or, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the Intermediate Course Chairperson, Jack Bennett, at #252-8085.

### 1987 Everett Mountaineers Ken Nelson Memorial Climbing Award

This award was conceived in 1986 in memory of our friend and fellow climber, Ken Nelson. It is intended to recognize the efforts of individuals who have "gone the extra mile" in their sharing of time, energy, and expertise for the betterment of the climbing program of the Everett Branch.

The 1987 recipient of this award is Jack Bennett. Jack joined the Mountaineers and participated in the Everett Branch Basic Climbing Course in 1975. Since that time he has given back countless hours...working with the climbing committee in a variety of different positions, developing the Everett Branch Intermediate Climbing Course program, lecturing and instructing field trips for both courses, and leading climbs. Jack's dedication to the climbing program and to the club deserve recognition. With this award the branch says "Thank You!"

#### 1988 Climbing Committee

Planning and preparation for the 1988 climbing courses and climbs program is already well underway and the time is now right to introduce the 1988 Climbing Committee!

Climbing Committee Chairperson Connie Bennett, 252-8085

Basic Course Chairperson Gail McClary, 337-7712

Basic Lectures Ted Case, 365-8042

Basic Field Trips
Darrell O'Kelly, 338-0438

Intermediate Course Chairperson Jack Bennett, 252-8085

Intermediate Lectures
Dianne Duffy, 347-6849

Intermediate Field Trips Tom Borst, 481-6894

Climbs
Larry Longley, 653-6711

Records
Lori Dorough, 337-2140

Equipment
Don Roberts, 794-6354

Treasurer
Bill Beineke, 481-8346

Seminars
Don Stobbe, 353-3234

If you have any question regarding either the Basic or Intermediate Climbing programs, equipment use, climbs, or anything to do with climbing with the Everett Branch, please refer to this list and contact the person responsible for that area.

# 1988 Basic Climbing Course

Everett's Basic Climbing Course is scheduled to begin on Feb. 23, 1988, with an evening that will offer an orientation and overview of the course and its requirements prior to registration.

This and all lectures will be held at Legion Hall, located in Legion Park in north Everett, on Fourth Street and Alverson Boulevard (next to the golf course). All lectures begin at 7:00 p.m.

The purpose of the course is to teach the fundamentals of rock, snow, and glacier climbing with emphasis on safe mountain travel. Course requirements include attendance at all lectures, satisfactory completion of all field trips, passing a final exam, and successful participation on three climbs, including at least one rock and one glacier climb. Also required for graduation is a current Moutaineering Oriented First Aid (MOFA) card; a course is offered in conjunction with this program (described in this newsletter) which will fulfill this requirement.

The fee is \$50.00 for members and \$75.00 for non-members. While non-members may take the course, only Mountaineer members may participate on Mountaineer climbs and will receive a certificate of graduation upon successful completion of the course. Class size limited to sixty-five (65) participants.

#### Club Climbs

Open to Basic Course Graduates and Intermediate Course Students and Graduates.

Jan. 9, Saturday -- Mt. St. Helens, 8363'. Limit: 8, Leader: Don Roberts, 794-6354.

Jan. 16-17, Weekend -- Big Bear. South Ridge. Limit: 6. Leader: Bill Iffrig, 334-2126. Following is a full outline of the course, including all lectures and field trips:

Basic Lectures

Feb. 23 Orientation
Equipment/Ten Essentials
REGISTRATION

Mar. 8 Map & Compass

Mar. 15 Climbing Code Knots

Mar. 22 Belaying Leader Tie-off Anchors

Apr. 5 Snow Shelters Snow Climbing

Apr. 19 Rock Climbing Rappelling

May 3 Wilderness Ethics
Avalanche

May 10 Mid-Term Exam
Mtn. Rescue & Survival
Skills Test

May 17 Glacier Travel Crampons

May 24 Final Exam

May 31 POTLUCK!

Basic Field Trips

Mar. 26 Fundamentals - Forest Pk

Apr. 9-10 Snow I - Mt. Pilchuck

Apr. 24 Rock I - Camp Long

May 7 Rock II - Mt. Erie

May 21-22 Crevasse Rescue & Snow II - Mt. Baker



Only open to intermediate course students and graduates and intermediate climb leaders.

Dec. 12, Saturday -- Pinnacle Peak, 6562'. (USGS Mt. Rainier East)
North Ridge. Class 4. Leader:
Darrell O'Kelly, 338-0438.

Dec. 12, Saturday -- Guye Peak, 5168'. (USGS Snoq. Pass) Class 4. Limit: 6. Leader: Don Roberts, 794-6354.

Dec. 19, Saturday -- Helena, 5401'. (USGS Silverton) West Face. Limit: 6. Leader: Joe Hahler, 337-6879.

Jan. 9, Saturday -- Guye Peak, 5168'. (USGS Snoq. Pass). South Rib. Class 4. Leader: Dale Evans, 334-0897.

Jan. 23, Saturday -- Big Four, 6135' North Rib. Limit: 4. Leader: Tom Borst, 481-6894.

Jan. 30-31, Weekend -- N. Twin Sister, 6570' West Ridge. S. Twin Sister, 6932' West Ridge. (USGS Hamilton). Class 4. Leader: Dale Evans, 334-0897.

Feb. 6-7, Weekend -- Dragontail, 8840'.Hidden Couloir. Limit: 4. Leader: Tom Borst, 481-6894.

Feb. 6-7 (8), Weekend, plus Monday if necessary -- Colchuck Peak, 8705'.

North Buttress Couloir or N.E.

Couloir (depending on conditions).

Limit: 4. Leader: Leigh Bennett, 776-0139 (w).

Feb. 13-14, Weekend -- Castle, 6500' and Pinnacle Pk. 6532'. (USGS Mt. Rainier East) Class 4. Leader: Don Roberts, 794-6354.

Feb. 27 (28), Saturday (Sunday if necessary) -- The Tooth, 5604'. (USGS Snoq. Pass) South Face. Limit: 6. Leader: Roger Hill, 794-4784.

Feb. 27-28, Weekend -- Mt. Rainier, 14410'. (USGS Mt. Rainier East) Gibralter Route. Limit: 6. Leader: Don Stobbe, 353-3234.

Dec. 6, Sunday -- Green Mountain(M).
(USGS Silverton) 1500 ft. gain. 15
mi. r.t. Limit: 6. Leader: Stan
Kostka, 485-3850.

Jan. 16-18, Extended Weekend -Manning Park(T). (Manning Park, BC)
2500 ft. gain. 20 mi. r.t. Limit:
8. Leader: Joe Garcia, 671-3315.

Jan. 30, Saturday -- Jim Hill(T). (USGS Stevens Pass) 4000 ft. gain. 6 mi. r.t. Limit: 6. Leader: Bill Iffrig, 334-2126.

Feb. 6, Saturday -- Hurricane Hill (E&T). (USGS Mt. Olympus) 1000 ft. gain. 6 mi. r.t. Limit: 8. Leader: Beth Seacord-Case, 365-8042.

Feb. 6, Saturday -- Cabin Creek(BS). (USGS Snoq. Pass) 100 ft. gain. Limit: 6. Leader: Lee Conrad, 821-6679.

Feb. 13, Saturday -- Mt. Catherine Loop(M). (USGS Snoq. Pass) 1360 ft. gain. 8 mi. r.t. Limit: 12. Leader: Darrell O'Kelly, 338-0438.

Feb. 13-15, Extended Weekend -- McCue Ridge(T). (USGS Chiwakum Mtn.) 4100 ft. gain. 12 mi. r.t. Limit: 8. Leader: Scott Dorough, 337-2140.

Feb. 20, Saturday -- Lake
Kelcema(M). (USGS Silverton) 1600
ft. gain. 8 mi. r.t. Limit: 8.
Leader: Jim Mathiesen, 659-6734.

Feb. 21, Sunday -- Coulter Creek(M). (USGS Chiwaukam) 1500 ft. gain. 10 mi. r.t. Limit: 6. Leader: Lynn Schmidt, 485-3850.

Feb. 27, Saturday -- Mt. Catherine Loop(M). (USGS Snoq. Pass) 1360 ft. gain. 8 mi. r.t. Limit: 6. Leader: Lee Conrad, 821-6679.

Feb. 27, Saturday -- Snoqualmie
Mt.(T). (USGS Snoq. Pass) 3300 ft.
gain. 6 mi. r.t. Limit: 6. Leader:
Bill Iffrig, 334-2126.

#### Hiking

Dec. 12, Saturday, Reifel Migratory Bird Sanctuary. 2-3 mi. r.t. no gain. Located 6 mi. W. of Lander. BC on Westham Island at mouth of Fraser R. near Tsawassen. Canada's largest population of wintering migratory birds. Waterfowl, snow geese, swans, hawks, owls, eagles, and more. Bring lunch, binoculars or scope, camera, raingear, for nature study and enjoyment. Approx. \$1.50 admission charge. Leave S. Everett P & R (S. 128th & 4th Ave. W., behind Skipper's) at 7:00 a.m. Leader: Linda Moore, 347-7650(H) or 764-5056(W). 109 Walks, p. 84-87.

Dec. 19, Saturday, Mt. Dickerman. (USGS Bedal) Snowshoe hike. 3800 ft. gain. Winter hiking on a favorite peak. Meet at 6:30 a.m., Frontier Village P & R. Leader: Mike Beeman, 668-8475. 101 NC, p. 56.

Dec. 20, Sunday, Wolf Creek Trail (S). (USGS Mt. Olympus) 11.2 mi. r.t. 3800 ft. gain. Snowshoes may be required. Meet at 7:10 a.m. or call to car pool. Leader: John Witters, 353-4672. Olympic Mt. Trail Guide.

#### BRANCH OFFICERS

Branch Chair: Don Heck 347-6849

Vice Branch Chair: Forrest Clark 778-6894

Secretary: Gail McClary 337-7712

Treasurer: Stan Kostka 485-3850

Trustee: Dana Miller 745-5846

#### Standing Committee Chairs

Alpine Scramblers: Dennis Miller 745-5846 Climbing: Connie Bennett 252-8085 Communications: Diame Duffy 347-6849 Conservation: Scott Dorough 337-2140 Explorer Scout Post: Roger Hill 794-4784 Folkdance: Linda Longley 653-6711 Hiking: Dolores Wagner 568-3828 Membership: Marjorie Schaller 668-3217 Skiing: Jerry Crofoot 691-6049 Social: Virginia Lachmann 783-4260

Jan. 16, Saturday, Urban Safari.
Unlimited mileage. Min. gain.
Visit the city of Seattle. View
local customs, visit native markets,
trek pathways of this metropolitan
area. Meet at Everett PUD at 8:00
a.m. to carpool to Northgate to
catch bus into town. Call leader
for additional information and sign
up. Leader: Dolores Wagner, 5683828.

Jan. 17, Sunday, Rockport Eagle Santuary. (Joint trip with Seattle Naturalists). Look for eagles along the Skagit River and nearby areas in the morning. A briefing will be given on the eagles. Afternoon, optional short hikes along Barnaby Slough and a stop at a lake in the Mt. Vernon area to view swans and waterfowl. Bring binoculars and cameras. Leave Everett PUD at 7:00 Leader: Linda Moore, 347a.m. 7650(H), 764-5056(W). TT 1-50.

Jan. 30, Saturday, Skagit Flats Wildlife Area. (Joint trip with Seattle Naturalists). 3-6 mi. r.t. min. gain. Good opportunities to see snow geese, swans, hawks, owls. Bring binoculars, camera, rain gear. Leave Everett PUD at 7:00 a.m. Leader: Linda Moore, 347-7650(H), 764-5056(W). F-3: 123-126.

#### Snowshoeing

Jan. 2, Saturday, Mt. Pilchuck(M).
(USGS Granite Falls). 4mi. r.t.
2100 ft. gain. Call leader for
meeting time and place. Leader:
Forrest Clark, 778-6894. 101 NC, p.
124.

Jan. 17, Sunday, Mt. Persis(S). 8
mi. r.t. 3200 ft. gain. Call
leader for meeting time and place.
Leader: Mike Beeman, 668-8475.

#### Management Plan for North Cascades National Park

Your comments on the proposed North Cascades National Park Management Plan are needed before January 8, 1988. This has turned into a hot political issue with the Park's Superintendent needing more support than he is getting for his management strategies. Many of his plans for the park are considered favorable with the Conservation Division and need to be addressed as such in comments from our membership.

Below are some of the Division's recommendations for comment. You are encouraged to elaborate on those areas that you are familiar with.

- 1. The following areas are recommended for addition to the park: Thunder, Thornton and Damnation Creeks, Big Beaver Valley, and Ruby Mountain. All but Thornton and Damnation Creeks are now in the Ross Lake National Recreation Areas. These areas were left out of the park originally because Seattle City Light wanted to retain them for possible hydroelectric development. Inclusion in the park would protect them from such development.
- 2. The wild character of the park should be preserved and the natural values of the park's ecosystem protected. There is presently pressure being placed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife to artifically stock high mountain lakes. This is viewed as disruption of the natural ecosystem in these alpine areas.

In addition, wilderness designation is recommended for all of the park, most of Lake Chelan National Recreation area and lands down to 25 feet above Ross Lake.

(The above items are part of the Superintendent's plan now needing support.)

- 3. The Park Service is considering additional development in Stehekin. Any substantial added development should be opposed.
- 4. The Park Service should study the Skagit River from Bacon Creek to Gorge Dam for "scenic" status. Furthermore, they should study Ruby Canyon, Granite, Panther and Thunder Creeks, and the Stehekin River for "Wild and Scenic" river designation.

Your comments should be addressed to the following individuals:

Mr. John J. Reynolds Superintendent North Cascades National Park 2105 Hwy 20 Sedro Woolley, WA 98284

Mr. Charles Odegaard Regional Director National Park Service Pacific Northwest Regional Office 83 S. King Street Seattle, WA 98284

Copies of your comments with an appropriate cover letter should be sent to your Congressman and to both Senators. For your convenience, the addresses of these officals are listed below:

Senator Brock Adams 513 Hart Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510

Senator Dan Evans
702 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Representative John Miller 1st Congressional District 1224 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Representative Al Swift 2nd Congressional District 1502 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

---Scott Dorough, Conservation Chair



(Co-sponsored by Everett Parks & Recreation)

<u>December Folkdance</u>

Come get into the holiday spirit and join our Christmas folkdance, a fun evening of international folkdancing, visiting and refreshments. Our second Friday dance will be December 11 at Floral Hall. You'll have fun with our experienced MC Art Hare. Join us at 8:00 p.m. to learn the Hombo and other dances during the instructional hour. The dance continues on from 9:00 p.m. to midnight with instructions given as needed. Our dances are open to the public free of charge. Our cosponsorship with the Everett Parks prohibits us from charging but we gladly accept donations (\$2 - \$3) to help cover expenses.

Our next dance lesson session runs on Thursdays from January 14 to March 17 from 8:15 to 10:15 p.m. Art Hare will be instructing this session. He welcomes all to join in learning (or reviewing) many international line and couple dances. The lessons are open to the public, so bring a friend and join us for lots of fun! Register at Forest Park Rec Office (259-0311) from January 5 - 14. The cost is \$20 for 10 lessons.

Directions to Forest Park:
From Northbound I-5, take the left
lane Broadway Exit #192. Stay in
the far right lane and follow the
signs to 41st Street. Go West on
41st. The road winds up the hill.
Forest Park entrance is on the left.

From Southbound I-5, take the 41st Street Exit. Follow 41st Street West, winding up the hill. Forest Park entrance is on the left.

Thank you---Linda Longley, 653-6711

#### T-Shirts

Effective immediately shirt prices have to raised to:

Short Sleeve (SSleeve) --> \$ 9.00 Long Sleeve (LSleeve) --> \$10.00 Sweat Shirt (SShirt) --> \$12.00

This price increase is due to direct increases from the printer. Any shirts sold after November 1, 1987 will be at the new prices.

Sunset (Blue) Logo

SSleeve LSleeve SShirt Silver Silver Silver Black Black Black Beige White White Navy Blue Beige Beige Hot Pink Navy Blue Navy Blue Reg. Pink Reg. Pink Hot Pink Wild Lilac Reg. Pink Wild Lilac

Sunrise (Red) Logo

SSleeve LSleeve SShirt Silver Silver Silver Black Black Black Beige Beige Beige Navy Blue Navy Blue Navy Blue Jade Jade Teal Teal

Adult sizes only:

Small Medium Large X-Large

To order circle shirt color and size and enclose attached order form with checks payable to The Everett Mountaineers. Mail to the Branch P.O. Box.

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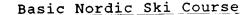
## Mountaineering Oriented First Aid

Each year, in conjunction with our climbing program, the Everett Branch offers a Mountaineering Oriented First Aid course. This class provides Basic Climbing course students with an easy means of acquiring this required first aid certification. It also offers other members an opportunity to recertify.

This year's course will begin with an evening of lecture on March 1, 1988, held at Legion Hall in north Everett (see 1988 Basic Climbing Course description for directions). The rest of the course will be covered in two full days of lecture and practical experience, to be held in Everett's Forest Park over the weekend of March 12 and 13. Registration is through the City of Everett Parks and Recreation Department (259-0311); the fee is \$18.00 (\$15.00 for recertification). The fee does not include the MOFA book (approximate cost \$5.00). If you have any questions, please contact Rick Fuhrman at 568-8169.

SPECIAL NOTE: This course does not provide training in CPR, also required for MOFA certification. Students are encourged to make arrangements as early as possible with the American Red Cross or with your local fire department to obtain CPR training and certification.

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Basic Nordic Ski Course applications are being accepted until January 4, 1987. Be sure to get your applications in right away -- we're first come, first served. Once we're full, applications will be In the event that held in reserve. someone withdraws before the first class we will fill vacanies from the Please refer to the reserve list. November 1987 Mountaineer Bulletin for dates, times, and how to apply. Any questions, call Ted Case before 9:00 p.m. at 365-8042.

Classified Ads

Telemark Equipment, Used Twice

Telemark skis with Rottefella bindings, 205 cm. New: \$200.00, Sell: \$100.00.

Merrell Telemark Boots, 8 1/2 M. New: \$125.00, Sell: \$60.00.

Climbing Skins (new). Sell: \$25.00.

Call Don Boxer, 776-0581, evenings.

20 December 1987 will be the deadline for getting items into the February 1988 issue of The Mountaineer. 11 January 1988 will be the deadline for getting items into the next newsletter. Send all items (and indicate where to be published) to: Everett Mountaineers, P. O. Box 1848, Everett, WA 98206. Thanks!

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2/23	Juesday ORIENTATION - EBUIPHENT / TEN ESSENTIAIS
	Junday MOFA
	Justay Map & Compass
	Sat/sun MOFA
	Jusday Climbing Code / knots
3/22	Tuesday Belaying / Leader tie off / anchors
3/26	Saturday Fundamentals - Forest Park
45	Justay Snow Shelters ( snow Climbing
4/9-10/88	Sat   Sun 3 now I - Mt. Pilchuck
4/19	Jusday Rock Climbing Rappelling
4/24	Sunday Rock I - Camp Long
5 3	Justay Wilderness Ethics avalenche
5/7	Saturday Rock II - Mt ERIE
5 10	Justay Mid term Mtn Rescue & Survival Stills test
5/17	Justay Glacier Travel Crampons
3/21-22/88	Sat/sun Crevasse Rescue & Snow II - Mt Baker
5/24	Juesday - Potluck
5/31	Jusday - Potluck