

# The Everett Mountaineers

## Newsletter

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### Upcoming Programs

June 5—As tradition dictates, men are to bring delicious, edible treats. Frank Eder, past Branch Chair and Trustee, will present a program on the history of the Everett Branch and remembrances of past Branch climbing.

July 2—To be announced.

August 6—Oh oh oh. It's the Budget and Nomination meeting. We can only hope there will be a special treat.

September 3—Members bring their own slides.

### Iron Goat Trail

The work for this season will be between Windy Point Tunnel and Wellington, the western terminus of the original Cascade Tunnel. George Swan says the next section will require timber construction and will be muddy, terribly hard, and tough, just perfect for Everett Branch members. The road between SR-2 and Wellington will be repaired by a contractor allowing shorter access to the work site. Contact the coordinator of the month for details—the access point changes.

May workdays: (snow construction?) 21, 24, 28, 31; Herb Schneider, (206)322-1191.

June workdays: 4, 7, 11, 14, 18, 21, 22, 25, 28; Suzy Stockton, (425)643-0395.

July workdays: 2, 5, 9, 12, 13, 16, 19, 23, 26, 30; Sam Fry, (206)232-3829.

August workdays: 2, 6, 9, 13, 16, 17, 20, 23, 27, 30; Mike Sharpe, (206)523-9520.

September workdays: 3, 6, 10, 13, 14, 17, 20, 24, 27; Bud Liebes, (206)232-4402.

Volunteer Vacation Week is July 12–20. Spend nights at the Steven's Pass Lodge and work for a whole week on the trail. It's good for you and the trail. For more information on the Iron Goat Trail, call (425)283-1440, or surf to <http://dev.bcc.ctc.edu/cpsa/irongoat>.

### Folkdance Schedule

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**Friday Dances:** June 27, July 11, August 22, September 12 and 26. Friday International Folkdances start with teaching at 8 P.M. All ages are welcome; no partner is needed. Dances are free. However, a donation is requested. The program features mostly northern European couple and Balkan line dances.

**Monday Classes:** 8:30–10:00 P.M., July 7–August 4, Hambo and many others. August 11–September 8, Polka, Masurka with many other line couple and mixer dances. No partner is needed for the classes. Dress is informal but wear shoes.

Dances and classes are cosponsored by the Everett Branch and Everett Parks and Recreation. Register for either class through the Recreation Office, (425)257-8300.

Mountaineering Oriented First Aid (MOFA) is an adjunct to, and required for graduation from the Climbing, Scrambling, and Telemark Ski courses. MOFA covers injuries common to mountaineering activities and first aid in wilderness situations where help is hours or even days away.

**Course Dates:** Thursday, September 18, 6–10 P.M., Saturday/Sunday, September 27 & 28, 8 A.M.–8 P.M./8 A.M.–5 P.M. respectively; optional Standard First Aid exam, date TBA.

**Registration Opens:** June 16, 1997.

**Registration Deadline:** September 12, 1997.

**How to Register:** Contact Everett Parks and Recreation Dept., (425)257-8300. You may register by phone using a credit card or by mail.

**Eligibility Requirements:** MOFA is offered in conjunction with the Everett Parks Dept. and the American Red Cross (ARC). It's open to both Mountaineer members and the general public who are over the age of 14.

**Course Fee:** \$45 (includes both the American Red Cross Community First Aid text and

Mountaineering First Aid, 4<sup>th</sup> edition).

Cost is the same for Mountaineers and the general public.

**Course Structure and Graduation Requirements:**

MOFA consists of a four-hour lecture on Thursday evening and one weekend of lectures alternating with first aid skills practice and field scenarios (twelve hours Saturday, nine hours Sunday). Students must attend all 25 hours of class and complete all required skills to graduate. Students will be tested on material from Mountaineering First Aid as well as on materials from the ARC Community First Aid text.

Students must bring an adult CPR card dated October 1996 or later to the Thursday evening lecture. *If you do not bring a current adult CPR card to the Thursday evening lecture, you will not be allowed to take the class and the course fee will not be refunded.*

MOFA students wishing to earn an American Red Cross Standard First Aid card must have a current CPR card from ARC or American Heart Association (less than one year old) and pass the Standard

First Aid written exam. CPR cards from any other source are not considered valid by the American Red Cross for the purpose of taking the Standard First Aid exam.

Contact: Joellyn Jackson, (425)347-0763 before 9 p.m.

## CPR Challenge

A CPR challenge will be offered September 3, 1997, 6-7 P.M. before the monthly Branch meeting at the First Congregational Church. We will not show training videos or offer instruction; participants must come prepared to take the test and demonstrate their CPR skills. Class limit is 10 and the cost is \$10. Bring a stamped, self-addressed envelope with you if you want to be sent a card. Also, bring your last CPR card with you. Send the completed registration form to: Karen Sizemore, 3610 1/2 Oakes, Everett, WA 98201.

### Hikes

**June 1, Sun. - Ebey Landing (E)** (USGS Coupeville) 3-5 mi., 300' gain. Kim Kremer, 360-678-5440.

### Bicycling

**May 24, Sat. - Schweitzer Creek Loop (GT)** (Silverton) 11.2 mi., 1,600' gain, dirt road, moderate pace, allow 4 hours, mountain or cross bike. Meet 7:30 a.m. Granite Falls High School. Information on pg. 90 in Washington's North Cascades & Olympics Mountain Bike. Brian Diver, 206-252-4185, for carpool, details, and signup.

**May 31, Sat. - San Juan Islands, Orcas landing to Moran State Park**, approximately 24 mi., very hilly (considerable gain), moderate pace ride, allow all day. Pack lunch. Bring money for ferry, parking, and dinner. Rain cancels. Eric Herrmann, 206-335-1821, for carpool, details, and signup.

### Club Climbs

**May 24-26, Sat.-Mon. - Jack (BA)** (USGS Crater Mtn./Jack Mtn.) Southwest Route, grade II, class 3-4. Limit 6. Andy Boos, 206-258-6199.

**June 2, Mon. - Baker (BG)** (USGS Mt. Baker/Hamilton) Easton Glacier. Limit 6. John Hughes, 206-334-5100.

### Basic Climbs

**June 7-8, Sat.-Sun. - Baker (G)** (USGS Mt. Baker/Hamilton) Boulder Glacier. Limit 8. Lee Wilcox, 206-743-6117. Mentor: Mike Ward.

**June 14, Sat. - Morning Star (R)** (USGS Bedal) North Face, grade I, class 3-4. Limit 4. Kris Stebbins, 360-668-3136.

## Publication Deadline

The deadline for our next issue is August 6, 1997. Contact Loretta or Russell at (425)316-7973. You can E-mail your submissions to deadrat@u.washington.edu.

### REGISTRATION FORM FOR CHALLENGE UPDATE

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