

THE MOUNTAINEERS  
EVERETT BRANCH

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P.O. Box 1848  
Everett WA 98206



TRAIL MAINTENANCE

Good news! We are going back to work on our adopted trail to our beloved Three Fingers Lookout! We did a fine job of repairing that trail last year, and the Forest Service is glad to have us continue with the section from Saddle Lake to Goat Flats.

We are planning to fix mud holes beyond the lake. The idea is to cut nearby logs (about 6" to 8" diameter) long enough to span the mud holes, put two of them side by side across the mud, then flatten the tops with adzes. There are 3 or 4 such places, plus a section around a meadow that appears to require mainly grading and fill. The Forest Service will supply us lifting tongs and all other tools (you climbers who know how to do rigging might use your skills for the job).

It be nice if enough people turn out so that we can assign two or three independent crews to work on different sections of the trail. Please plan to do your part on Saturday, August 27. Mark your calendar now, and give this trail maintenance trip your top priority for that day. The satisfaction of spending a day in constructive effort is worth it.

Please sign up with Gordon Rogers, 353-2085, not later than Thursday, August 25, so the required number of tools can be ordered from the Forest Service.

We will car pool from the Everett PUD at 7:00 a.m. Bring a lunch and work gloves.

HIKING COMMITTEE MEETING

A Hiking Committee meeting for planning fall hikes will be held on August 16th at John Witters at 7:00 p.m. If interested and need driving instructions, please call John at 353-4672.

LAST NEWSLETTER

This will be the last newsletter as Dianne Duffy has resigned as Communications Committee Chair. If you are interested in being Communications Committee Chair and continuing the publication of the newsletter, please call Don Heck, 347-6849.

SALMON BAKE

The Annual Salmon Bake will be held on Sunday, October 2 at the Masonic Park, 4.5 miles from Granite Falls on the Mountain Loop Highway. The cost is \$5.50 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 12. We will be serving salmon, baked potatoes, corn-on-the-cob from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. Folk dancing will follow the meal.

Please bring plates, cups, silverware, a side dish, dessert and condiments. When you sign up, you are committed to pay whether you attend or not.

Please carpool as parking will probably be charged at the gate. Those paying parking will have their meal cost reduced.

Sign up with Virginia Lachman, 783-4260, home or 670-4946 work.

ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET

The Annual Awards Banquet will be held SATURDAY, 5 November 1988 at the Everett Holiday Inn on 128th Street. Program and cost will be announced later.

THREE FINGERS LOOKOUT

Help is needed 24 and 31 August to construct original style shutters for the Three Fingers Lookout. If you are able to help, please contact Jerry Thompson, 653-7390, or Carol Jacobson, 546-0907. Also help is needed to carry the shutters to the lookout on 10 and 11 September.

**BASIC CLIMBS**

Open to Basic Course Students and Graduates and Intermediate Course Students and Graduates. Basic Climbs are intended to fulfill Basic Course requirements.

Aug. 20, Saturday -- Devils Thumb, 5170' (R). (USGS Silverton) Southeast route. Limit 4. Leader: Tom Borst, 481-6894.

Aug. 20-21, Weekend -- Mt. Daniel, 7960' (G). (USGS Mt. Daniels) Lynch Glacier. Limit 6. Leader: Gail McClary, 337-7712.

Aug. 23-25, Tuesday-Thursday -- Mt. Rainier, 14410' (G). (USGS Mt. Rainier) Ingraham Glacier. Limit 9. Leader: Jim Valentino, 258-9123.

Aug. 27-28, Weekend -- Icy/Ruth Traverse, 7070'/7106' (G). North route. Limit 6. Leader: Dale Evans, 334-0897.

Sept. 5, Extended Weekend -- Mt. Olympus, 7965' (G). (USGS Mt. Olympus) Blue Glacier. Limit 6. Leader: Darrell O'Kelly, 338-0438.

Sept. 10, Saturday -- Columbia Peak, 7172' (R). (USGS Monte Cristo) North Ridge. Limit 6. Leader: Scott Dorough, 337-2140.

Sept. 10-11, Weekend -- Sloan Peak, 7835' (A). (USGS Sloan Peak) South Face and Upper West Face. Limit 6. Leader: Jim Eychaner, 723-0237.

Sept. 10-11, Weekend -- Mt. Shuksan, 9127' (G). (USGS Mt. Shuksan) Sulfide Glacier. Limit 6. Leader: Jerry Thompson, 653-7390.

Sept. 17, Saturday -- Chair Peak, 6238' (R). (USGS Snoq. Pass) NE Buttress, Limit 6. Leader: Jerry Thompson, 653-7390.

Sept. 18, Sunday -- Ingalls Peak, 7500' (R). (USGS Mt. Stuart) South Face, Right side of East Peak. Limit 6. Leader: Chris Johnson, 820-9344.

Sept. 24, Saturday -- Kaleetan, (R). North Ridge. Limit 4. Leader: Tom Borst, 481-6894.

Oct. 1-2, Weekend -- Black Peak, 8970' (A). (USGS Mt. Arriva) Northeast Ridge. Limit 6. Leader: Connie Bennett, 252-8085.

**ADVANCED****MOUNTAINEERING ORIENTED FIRST AID (MOFA)**

An advanced MOFA class is scheduled for this fall at Everett's Forest Park. This is a progression class requiring a current standard or advanced first aid card and a current CPR card. Fee is \$10. Books and pool fees are additional. The class schedule is as follows:

Sept. 8, 15, 22, 29 (Thursdays, 7-10 pm)  
Sept. 30 (Friday 7-10 pm)  
Oct. 1 (Saturday 8am-10pm)  
Oct. 2 (Sunday 8am-1pm)  
Oct. 6 (Thursday 7-10 pm)

Advanced registration may be made through Everett Parks and Recreation or the evening of the first class. Need more information? Call Ted Case, 365-8042 (5-9pm).

**INTERMEDIATE CLIMBS**

Only open to Intermediate Course students and graduates and Intermediate climb leaders.

Aug. 20-21, Weekend -- Mt. Baker, 10778' (I). (USGS Mt. Baker) North Ridge. Gr. II. Limit 6. Leader: Darrell O'Kelly, 338-0438.

Aug. 27-28, Weekend -- Cutthroat Peak, 8050' (R). (USGS Washington Pass) South Buttress. Gr. II. Leader: Don Roberts, 794-6354.

Aug. 31, Wednesday -- Sloan Peak, 7835' (R). (USGS Sloan Peak) West Face. Gr. II-III, 5.4. Leader: Larry Longley, 653-6711.

Sept. 10, Saturday -- Cutthroat Peak, 8050' (R). (USGS Washington Pass) South Buttress, Gr. III, 5.7. Limit 6. Leader: Craig Fryhle, 782-6229.

Sept. 24-25, Weekend -- Mt. Triumph, 7270' (R). (USGS Marblemount) Northeast Ridge, Gr. II, 5.5. Limit 6. Leader: Mac Farrell, 334-9019.

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## MOUNTAIN RESCUE NEEDS YOU

Everett Mountain Rescue would appreciate hearing from persons able to participate in activities and to participate in a call committee. Please call Jon Wilson at 568-8807 or show up at the monthly meeting the first Monday of each month at 7 PM at the Swallows Nest in Everett.

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We wish to welcome each of the new members who have joined the Everett branch within the last several months. We hope that you will participate in our many activities and always feel free to call other members for information.

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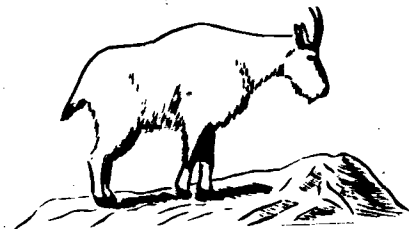
## ADVANCE NOTICE--T-SHIRTS

We will soon be offering Everett Mountaineers T-Shirts and sweatshirts again. Also available will be Mt. Pilchuck Lookout Restoration Centennial Shirts.

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Please refer to The Mountaineer for a more complete listing of folkdancing, courses and outdoor activities.

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## BULLETIN/NEWSLETTER DUE DATES

Items to be published in The Mountaineer, October issue, are due August 20. Mail to Bulletin, Everett Mountaineers, PO Box 1848, Everett, 98206.

Items to be published in The Everett Newsletter, September issue, are due Wednesday, September 6. Mail to the PO Box above or bring to the business meeting. Please specify in which publication the articles are to be published.

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## MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Sept. 6, Wednesday. Location: Congregational Church, downtown Everett, 2624 Rockefeller. Time: 7:30 PM. All members and their guests are welcome. This will be election night for new officers and results will be announced after the meeting in accordance with the branch by-laws. BRING YOUR SLIDES OF THE SEASON. We invite all of you to bring about 20-25 of your best or favorite slides to share with others. We will try to show everyone's favorites.

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## BRANCH OFFICERS

Branch Chair	Don Heck	347-6849
Vice Branch Chair	Forrest Clark	778-6894
Secretary	Gail McClary	337-7712
Treasurer	Larry Longley	653-6711
Trustee	Stan Kostka	485-3850

## STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Alpine Scramblers	Dennis Miller	745-5846
Climbing	Connie Bennett	252-8085
Communications	Beth Seacord-Case	365-8042
Conservation	Scott Dorough	337-2140
Explorer Scout Post	Doug Donaldson	347-4182
Folkdance	Linda Longley	653-6711
Hiking	John Witters	353-4672
Membership	Debbie King	347-3987
Skiing	Ted Case	365-8042
Social	Vera Shimer	334-8038

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## EVERETT MOUNTAINEERS ELECTION BALLOT

Check one box for each office. You may also write in a name on the line provided and check the appropriate box. (Two ballots have been enclosed for use by two members who receive one newsletter.)

### Branch Chair

Larry Longley ( )

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CLUB CLIMBSTELEMARK SKI CLASS

## I. Schedule

The telemark ski class is an introduction to cross-country downhill technique. The class will emphasize the use of the telemark turn on more difficult terrain with nordic ski equipment. Fundamentals of avalanche safety will also be covered. Lectures: Nov. 10 and 17. 7-10 p.m., classroom: Everett Swallows' Nest. Field Trip: Dec. 3, Stevens Pass, Practice with avalanche transceivers. Ski Field Trips: Dec. 7, Jan 11 and 18, 6:30-9:30 p.m., local ski area. Jan 28 and 29, The Mountaineers Mt. Baker Lodge.

## II. Enrollment

Must be a member of The Mountaineers at time of application. Course fee: \$15. Lift tickets and Mt. Baker Lodge fees are additional. To enroll in the course, send a description of the following and the course fee not later than Oct. 15 to: Ski Committee, c/o Brian Dale, 3419 Bell Ave., Everett, WA 98201.

Description should contain: previous experience (trips completed, type and terrain); downhill skiing experience; winter camping experience; training in avalanche safety; current status of MOFA training; brief statement of your goals in the class.

Send this description and your check, payable to "Everett Mountaineers," to Brian Dale. Class limit 20. Enrollment will be confirmed by mail by Nov. 1.

## III. Graduation

Complete lectures and field trips, current MOFA card, master the telemark turn, lead a basic nordic ski tour or demonstrate leadership ability, complete two moderate or advanced ski tours. Complete these requirements in two years.



Open to Basic Course Graduates and Intermediate Course Students and Graduates. Club Climbs do not fulfill course requirements.

Aug. 27-29, Extended Weekend -- Mt. Rainier, 14410' (G). (USGS Mt. Rainier) Kautz Glacier, Limit 6. Leader: Bob DeGroot, 259-1098.

Nov. 10-11, Thursday-Friday -- Mt. Hood, 11245' (G). Hogs Back Route. Limit 6. Leader: Bob DeGroot, 259-1098.

ALPINE SCRAMBLES

Remember Alpine Scrambles are exhilarating. Come on out and join us.

Aug. 20-21, Weekend -- Big Chiwaukum, 8081'. (USGS Chiwaukum Mts.) 5725' gain. 20 mi. Leader: Chris Johnson, 820-9344.

Aug. 27, Saturday -- Mt. Stickney, 5367'. (USGS Mt. Index) 3300' gain. 8 mi. 1 of 6 for Index Group Award. Leader: Dennis Miller, 745-5846.

Sept. 3, Saturday -- Sperry Peak, 6000'. (USGS Bedal and Silverton) 3800' gain. 8 mi. Leader: Bob Laird, 428-0209.

Sept. 10-11, Weekend -- Three Fingers, 6854'. 4200' gain. 14 mi. Leave Friday eve. Leader: Forrest Clark, 778-6894.

Sept. 17-18, Weekend -- Mt. Lincoln, 5868'. (USGS Mt. Steel) 5000' gain. 14 mi. Leader: Ron Smith, 347-0763.

ALPINE SCRAMBLERS POTLUCK

On October 9, 1988 at Lions Hall in Forest Park, the Alpine Scramblers Committee is hosting a potluck for Alpine Scrambler instructors, trip leaders, students and other who participated in scrambles this year. People with last name starting with A through G, please bring a salad, H through L desserts and M through Z main dish. The dish you bring should be enough for five to six people. Bring your own eating, drinking and serving utensils. Beverages will be provided by the Committee. Also bring slides of this year's scramble activities for viewing after dinner. Lions Hall will open at 3:30 p.m. and we will start to eat at 4:30 p.m.

NEW MEMBERS

Evelyn Dudey                      James Wilson  
Larry Tradlener

EVERETT BRANCH HISTORICAL TRIVIA

February 6, 1952:

Casey Jones, Trustee, said the club was interested in buying or leasing a site in the Mt. Pilchuck Ski Area. A site is available at Cedar Flats in the newly created Mt. Pilchuck State Park. The Board suggested a representative from Everett be appointed to investigate the ski area and to report to the Board by spring.

Membership Chairman Adelsa Doph reported the new adult membership is now \$9.00 and the junior membership is \$5.00. These amounts include the initiation fee, annual dues and the annual. Everett membership on this date is 88.

Salmon Bake, 1953:

Total receipts were \$39.75 which included 75 adults at 50 cents each and 9 children at 25 cents each. Total expenses for salmon, potatoes and misc. items were \$29.75, leaving a balance of \$10. 54 Everett Mountaineers attended and 30 Seattle members. Herman Felder was the chairman. Also helping were: Adelsa and Bill Doph, Frank Eder, Vi Johnson, Lee Hirman, Helen Felder and others. (Editor's note: Where were Dorothy and Steve Philipp? Oh, they joined the Mountaineers in 1956!)

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October Bulletin Deadline

20 August 1988 is the deadline for getting items into the October 1988 issue of The Mountaineer. Send all items to: Everett Mountaineers, P. O. Box 1848, Everett, WA 98206. Thanks!

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NEXT MEETING, WED. SEP. 7

Our regular membership meeting starts at 7:30 p.m. at the First Congregational Church, at Everett and Rockefeller. This is our Annual Meeting when we elect officers and be sure to bring your favorite slides from your summer outings.

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