



# THE EVERETT MOUNTAINEERS NEWSLETTER

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Everett Mountaineers, P.O. Box 1848, Everett WA 98206

## ELECTION OF BRANCH OFFICERS!

New Everett Branch Officers will be elected at the Annual (September) Meeting. The ballots will be counted by the Tellers Committee and reported to the present Branch Chair who will announce the results following the meeting in accordance with branch bylaws.

Mailed-in ballots will be accepted at the Branch Post Office until 5:00 PM of the day of the Annual Meeting. The ballots printed in this newsletter may be cast at the Annual Meeting or sent to Everett Mountaineers Election, PO Box 1848, Everett, WA, 98206.

### FOR CHAIR:

**LARRY LONGLEY** joined the Mountaineers in 1984. He has held positions on the Climbing, Conservation, and Hiking Committees and is an instructor and trip leader. He is completing a term as Branch Treasurer and is project leader for the Mt. Pilchuck Lookout reconstruction. Larry is employed as a Firefighter.

### FOR VICE CHAIR:

**DOROTHY BEEMAN** joined the Mountaineers in 1975. She has been the Banquet Chair, Social Chair, and a member of the Hiking Committee. She is an instructor, trip leader, and originator of the Backpacking Class. Dorothy is a Physical Education Teacher.

**FORREST CLARK** joined the Mountaineers in 1986. He is completing his second

term as Vice Chair, is logistics coordinator for the Mt. Pilchuck Lookout project and is a trip leader and instructor. He was on the By-laws Revision Committee and chaired the T-shirt Committee. He is employed in glass management and sales.

**RICK ZAHALKA** joined the Mountaineers in 1989. He comes from the Spokane Mountaineers and has over 20 years of climbing experience. Rick is an Environmental Health Specialist.

### FOR TREASURER:

**DIANNE DUFFY** joined the Mountaineers in 1983. She has been the Communications Chair has served on the Banquet and Climbing Committees, and has served two terms as Branch Secretary. She is also an instructor and trip leader. Diane works for the Port of Everett in Moorage Control.

**SETH KELSEY** joined the Mountaineers in 1985. He is a student in an MBA program and has previous experience working with budgets. Seth's occupation is Child Care Specialist.

**LINDA MOORE** joined the Mountaineers in 1983. She has been on the Hiking Committee and is a trip leader. She is active with the Seattle Photography and Naturalists Committees and was a member of the Ad Hoc Committee on Public Lands. Linda's profession is accounting.

**FOR SECRETARY:**

**LYNDA NYMAN** joined the Mountaineers in 1988. She is a member of the Hiking Committee and is a trip leader. She also has past experience with the HY YU COOLEEE Hiking Club. Linda is a Supply Clerk in the National Guard.

**HEIDI ONDRASIK** joined the Mountaineers in 1974. She is a former Bulletin Coordinator and is an instructor and trip leader. Heidi is a Senior Bond Underwriter.

**FOR TRUSTEE:**

**DON HECK** joined the Mountaineers in 1979. He is completing his third term as Branch Chair. He has served on the Climbing , Banquet , By-laws Revision , and Newsletter Committees. He is a trip leader, instructor, and former coordinator of the Intermediate Climbing Course. He has also been active with the main branch, contributing to their by-laws task force, membership computerization project, and Freedom of the Hills rewrite. Don is a Software Engineer.

**STAN KOSTKA** joined the Mountaineers in 1983. He is completing his first term as Trustee and has previously held positions of Branch Secretary and Treasurer. He is a member of the Conservation Committee, is a trip leader and instructor, and is active in the Mt. Pilchuck Lookout Project. Stan is a Building Contractor.

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**BASIC CLIMBS**

August 20, Sunday -- South Early Winter Spire (R). (USGS Washington Pass) 7807', South Arete. Limit 4. Leader: Carl King, 486-2322.

Sept. 13, Wed -- Del Campo (R). (USGS Bedal) 6610', Southwest Route. Limit 8. Leader: Phil Smith, 334-0527.

**TRAIL MAINTENANCE RESCHEDULED -- AGAIN!**

The previously announced rescheduling of the Everett Branch's 1989 Trail Maintenance project has once again been rescheduled. It is now planned for Saturday, September 16. There was a conflict with the August date because the Forest Service had another group scheduled to do maintenance in the Darrington District. They decided that they could not staff and tool two separate groups.

We will be working on the Three Fingers trail from Tupso Pass to Saddle Lake. The same particulars announced in last month's newsletter apply. Contact Scott Dorough at 337-2140 for sign-up and be ready to whack some brush!

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**PHOTOGRAPHY SEMINAR AND FALL COLOR FIELD TRIP**  
North Cascades National Park

Linda Moore is offering this course under the sponsorship of the Seattle Photo Group. Expand your photographic creativity with Fall colors and dynamic lighting (Soft light, early and late daylighting, etc.).

Easy to moderate day hikes to scenic areas--Washington Pass, Maple Pass. If there is snow at high elevations, hike will be in Ross Lake NRA and/or South and Middle Fork Cascade River.

Topics: Capturing Nature's Landscapes through creative use of color design and natural lighting.

Participants should be familiar with basic camera functions. Open to all levels of photographers. Attend one lecture in either Everett or Seattle.

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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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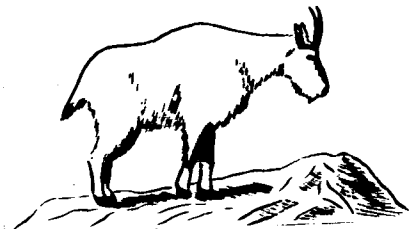
## ADVANCE NOTICE--T-SHIRTS

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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### Vice Branch Chair

Dorothy Beeman ( )

Forrest Clark ( )

Rick Zahalka ( )

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### Secretary

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Heidi Ondrasik ( )

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### Treasurer

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Tues. Oct. 10, 6:15-9:00 PM. Lecture: Instructional slides and handouts. (See Sept. Mountaineer for location).

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Wed. Oct. 11, 6:15-9:00 PM. Lecture: Instructional slides and handouts. Everett Swallow's Nest.

Sat.-Sun. Oct. 14-15. Field trip, N. Cascades National Park. Short to moderate hikes with individualized field instruction. Car camp.

Wed. Oct. 25. 6:15-9:30 PM. Photo critique and Potluck dinner. Mountaineers Building, Seattle.

Space is limited--early sign-up is recommended.

Seminar fees: \$15.00 (members), \$20.00 (non-members). Camp fees and transportation not included.

Please send registration and fees payable to The Mountaineers by Tuesday, October 3. Be sure to indicate whether you will be attending the lecture in Seattle or Everett. Include your address and day and evening phone numbers. Mail to Photography Mini-Seminar, The Mountaineers, 300 Third Avenue W., Seattle, WA., 98119.

For details, see September Mountaineer or call instructor -- Linda Moore, 764-5056 (W) or 347-7650 (H).

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**HIKING**

**REMINDER: HIKING AWARDS**

Members who are interested in receiving the Lookout Patch or Everett Mileage Patch or Rockers need to send applications to Dolores Wagner, 6820 Spada Road, Snohomish, WA, 98290, by October 1.

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**CLIMBING**

**CLIMBING COURSE STUDENTS  
1989 BASIC CLIMBING COURSE GRADUATION**

Students of this course are reminded that they must petition the climbing committee for graduation no later than October 1, 1989. If you are encountering problems, have any questions or need a Petition for Graduation form, please contact Gail McClary at 337-7712. Petitions should be sent to Lori Dorough, Records Coordinator, 3105 Glacier Peak Avenue, Everett, WA, 98208.

Be a Basic graduate! Your Basic Climbing Course Certificate, which you will receive at the November Awards Banquet, is your "passport to further adventure." As a graduate of the Basic Course, you will be welcome on all basic and many club slims and be eligible to continue to perfect your skills by returning as an instructor next year and/or enrolling in Intermediate Mountaineering. We hope to see you at the awards banquet.

**INTERMEDIATE MOUNTAINEERING COURSE**

Intermediate students who have met their course requirements should petition the climbing committee for graduation by October 1. Send a complete list of your accomplishments to: Dianne Duffy, Intermediate Course Chairperson, PO Box 1848, Everett, WA, 98206.



**CLIMBING AWARDS**

Attention, climbers! Are you eligible for an award?

The Mountaineers recognizes climbers who have completed climbs of selected groups of peaks with various awards. The club and each branch offer their own special awards, but all are available to all members. For a complete list of climbing awards, please refer to the Mountaineer Roster. Following is a list of the Everett awards for easy reference.

**EVERETT PEAKS**

Must climb six of the seven peaks in each group to qualify for an award. A "pin" is awarded for completion of each group, regardless of order. 1st group bronze pin; 2nd, silver; 3rd gold.

**Darrington Group**

- Chaval
- Jumbo
- Liberty
- Pugh

- Three Fingers
- White Chuck
- White Horse

**Index Group**

- Baring
- Gunn
- Index
- Merchant

- Persis
- Spire
- Stickney

**Monte Cristo Group**

- Big Four
- Cadet
- Columbia
- DelCampo

- Silvertip
- Sloan
- Vesper



**Classic Eight**

Must climb all peaks in the group and all climbs must have been after January 22, 1977. With respect for a request by the North Cascades National Park to minimize undue stress in sensitive alpine areas, climbers are asked to limit themselves to no more than three of these peaks per calendar year and to limit their climbing party to six members.

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| Bonanza        | Mt. Challenger |
| Dome Peak      | Mt. Goode      |
| Eldorado       | Mt. Logan      |
| Forbidden Peak | Mt. Redoubt    |

To qualify for any climbing award, all climbs must be recognized club outings and should be made in accordance with the climbing code. To apply for an award, send a complete list of qualifying climbs, including the date of each climb and party members, to Connie Bennett, Climbing Committee Chairperson, 4515 Grand Avenue, Everett, WA, 98203.

Petitions should be received by October 1. If you have any questions, please call Connie at 252-8085.

All awards will be presented at the November Awards Banquet.

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