

Southeastern Massachusetts Chapter APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN CLUB

NEWSLETTER: JUNE 1981 (ed. Pam Carter 398-2605)



SPECIAL ADVANCE NOTICE!!!! Advance your calendars to September..for the weekend of 19 and 20...and plan to spend it on Cape Cod! Camp at private campground near Provincetown; spend Saturday in the dunes or on the beach hiking, exploring, relaxing...and on Sunday: watch the whales! The latter, the Whale Watch must be reserved by mid-July so send non-refundable \$12 deposit to L Kathie Meads, Capt. Bertie Rd., P-town 02657 by July 81 Campground deposit necessary by Sept. 6. Question? 487-1517.

HIKING MOTE! Because of the Holiday weekend and the fact we Cape Cod AMC'ers anticipate a hearty number of off-Cape visitors, there will be no hike scheduled by us on the Cape Sat. May 30 or Sun. May 31. (sorry!)



TRAIL CLEARING WEEKEND! C'mon! Let's work off those Pot-Luck Supper calories with a little trail clearing! June 6-7: Lone some Lake Trail, Franconia Notch, N.H. Contact Bill Brown 285-4766 for details then ready your camping gear, shovel, saw ETC!

A MESSAGE FROM CHAPTER CHAIRMAN BOB BENTLEY:
"See you next newsletter.. (in about 4 weeks)
when I will share with those of you who
missed the May 16 Chapter Potluck..what fun it was:!"

CAMPINE:

Sat-Sun June 20-21: Martha's Vineyard. Group will camp in Vineyard Haven at Webb's Campground; bring bikes and interest in community cooking: Phone Roger Gilmore 401-847-0638 or Linda Thomas 697-3259 for necessary details.

Sat-Sun July 4-11: Last call for annual canoe-camp! We'll spend the week in northern Maine; see last newsletter for writeup; Reg. by June 15 with Bob Milburn 878-1605 or Ruth Irwin 447-4637.

FIXING:

THURS June 4: Because it is summer season this will be the last Thursday hike til September led by our popular duo Col. John Dalton and Harry Dombrosk. So join them for their pleasant two hour morning walk; meet 9:30 AM at entrance parking lot Nickerson State Park, Brewster: 6A. 945-2258 or 385-9502.

SAT. June 6: Hike: Borderland State Park; meet 10:30 AM at parking lot of this lovely park in Easton. bring lunch and beverage but for further details and info contact John French 238-4065, Barbara Spake 824-4372 or Sydney Smith 238-2548.

Sun. June 7: Hike on pretty Rail Trail, Cape Cod. Meet 11 AM at parking area entrance to Mickerson State Park, rte 6A, Brewster to hike rail trail north to Visitor Center National Seashore, Eastham. Bring lunch for this pleasant 7 mile outing with J.Dalton 945-2258 and H. Dombrosk 385-9502.

THURS. June 11: This IS the last of the Thursday morning hikes on Cape Cod til September: Meet 9:30 AM at the parking area of Cold Storage Beach, East Dennis for hike along beach and dunes of Cape Cod Bay. Directions: follow rte 6A to School Street, E. Dennis. School Street is 3/4 miles east of Junction rte 6A and route 134. Follow School Street which ends at Cold Storage Road. Approx. 2 hours. Budaand spouse (Carter) 398-2605.

Sun., June 14: Long Point, Provincetown! Thanks to a Cape Codder living in P-town we have been able to schedule a very fine Outing. But we need to carpool! So meet at 11AM sharp at Nat. Seashore Visitor Center, Rte 6, Eastham where we'll leave cars; bring lunch! Leader encourages us to wear sneakers or rubber soled shoes since we'll cross the breakwater in the west end of P-town in order to see stuff like the site of the historic early settlement out there on Long Point. Hike: 6 miles give-or-take....Kathie Meads 487-1517.

BIKE TRIPS:

The following trips will be led by Russ Blanchard and Phyllis Whitford. For further info and details please call them EVES before 11 PM!

Sun., June 14: Chatham Harbor Hilights: a 15-20 mile biking trek in this pretty section of the Cape: R.Blanchard 826-5671; P.Whitford 588-5834. Sun., June 28: Pembroke-Duxbury: 15-20 miles in this delightful area; ch with leaders above for details.

BACKPACKING! This activity is geared for the novice-beginner and Leader Bob Bentley welcomes questions of anyone needed further info. In the meantime he has scheduled the following:

Sat-Sun, June 20-21: Zealand Hutand Mt. Hale weekend. Phone leader for upto-date info: Bob Bentley 866-3057 EVES. Sat-Sun, July 11-12: Dry River; Mt. Eisenhower. Bob Bentley 866-3057.

CANOE! Please contact Russ Ottey if interested in June or July canoeing 563-6637. Anyone having canoe in vicinity of Bass River, South Yarmouth, Cape Cod can phone Bud Carter for last minute cance outings. 398-2605 EVES 8-9:30.

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