# **July 2014**

### July 4, Friday (HOLIDAY) - 10AM

Dogs Welcome - Leader's Choice in Issaquah Alps Bring leash/baggies/water Easy, 4-6 miles, up to 900' gain Jean Lanz - 206-322-0990

#### July 5, Saturday - 9AM

Elk Ridge and Carey Creek Hike Moderate, 8 miles, 1200' gain, Good trail, Moderate pace George Potter - 425-516-5200

## July 6, Sunday - 9:30AM

North Bend's Cedar Butte Easy, 4.5 miles, 900' gain Bob Gross – 425-427-8449

# July 12, Saturday - 8:30AM

Mt Washington – Spectacular views
From the 4040' summit; Discover Pass for drivers
Strenuous, 8 miles, 3300' gain
Dave Warner – 206-920-3212

## July 12, Saturday - Call Leader

Moon light Hike - See the sunset + rise of the Full Moon from West Tiger 1.

Bring flashlight, warm clothing, blanket, sturdy footwear and a story to tell.

Strenuous, 8 miles, 2600' gain, Good trail, Moderate pace

George Potter - 425-516-5200

#### July 13, Sunday - Noon

Tiger Mt's Tradition Plateau – geology + plant ID Easy, 6 miles, 600' gain, moderate pace Dave Kappler – 425-392-3571

#### July 18, Friday - 10AM

Dogs Welcome - Leader's Choice in Issaquah Alps Bring leash/baggies/water Moderate, 4-6 miles, up to 1400' gain Dori Ost – 206-909-1080

#### July 19, Saturday - Call leader

GoldMeyer Hot Springs Hike Moderate, 11 miles, 1200' gain, Good trail, Moderate pace George Potter - 425-516-5200

#### July 19, Saturday - 9:30AM

Cougar Mt Loop Easy, 4 miles, 600' gain Joe Toynbee - 425-228-6118

#### **July 20, Sunday – 8:30AM**

East Squak Ridge – PooPoo Pt Loop (Exploratory)
Follow a mix of well-established trails and
volunteer-built

Boot paths on a long loop from the Trails Center. Strenuous, 11 miles, 2700' gain Ralph Owen – 425-270-3322

# July 24, Thursday – 7PM

IATC Board Meeting
Trails Center, 1st and Bush

#### July 25, Friday - 10AM

Dogs Welcome - Leader's Choice in Issaquah Alps Bring leash/baggies/water Easy, 4-6 miles, up to 900' gain Jean Lanz - 206-322-0990

#### July 26, Saturday - 9:30AM

Pratt ridge/Olallie Lake Moderate, 7 miles, 1500' gain Richard Mann - 425-633-7815

#### July 26, Saturday – 6PM

Star Gazer Hike - Watch the sunset and gaze at the Stars from Rockdale Lake. Bring flashlight, warm clothing, blanket, sturdy footwear and a story to tell.

Moderate, 6-8 miles, to 800' gain, Gravel trail, Moderate pace

George Potter - 425-516-5200

#### July 27, Sunday – 10AM

Dogs Welcome - Leader's Choice in Issaquah Alps Bring leash/baggies/water Easy, 4-6 miles, up to 900' gain Tom Pohle - 425-481-2341

### July 27, Sunday – 4 to 7PM

IATC PARTY SOCIAL FOR MEMBERS
(See description and directions in separate
Alpiner article)
Ken Konigsmark – 425-445-8656



# August 2014

#### August 2, Saturday – 8:30AM

Lake Lillian - visit a jewel of the High Cascades. Moderate, 9 miles, 2500' gain, Moderate pace George Potter - 425-516-5200

#### August 3, Sunday - 9:30AM

Western Views from Cougar Mt [which will disappear shortly with the construction of million-dollar mansions] Easy, 5 miles, 600' gain; moderate pace Steve Williams - 425-453-8997

#### August 8, Friday - 10AM

Dogs Welcome - Leader's Choice in Issaquah Alps Bring leash/baggies/water Moderate, 4-6 miles, up to 1400' gain Dori Ost – 206-909-1080

#### August 9, Saturday - 9AM

Grand Ridge – Mitchell Hill. Hike a variety of Trails on Grand Ridge Park's south slopes and Then up onto Mitchell Hill to near the site of the Long abandoned Canyon Fire Lookout before Returning to our starting point.

Moderate, 8 miles, 1400' gain Ralph Owen – 425-270-3322

#### August 10, Sunday - 8:30AM

Granite Peak Hike - Hike to the peak for great views Very Strenuous, 8.5 miles, 3700' gain, Rough trail, Moderate pace George Potter - 425-516-5200

#### August 16, Saturday - 8:30AM

Silver Peak (5603') – A great viewpoint attained via Twin Lakes and along the flank of Tinkham Peak and Returning through Windy Pass; no parking pass needed

Strenuous, 8 miles, 2800' gain Dave Warner – 206-920-3212

#### August 16, Saturday - 5:30PM

Moonlight Hike - See the sunset and rise of the Full Moon from East Tiger.

Bring a flashlight, warm clothing, a blanket, sturdy footwear and a story to tell.

Moderate, 8 miles, 1800' gain. Gravel trail,
Moderate pace

George Potter - 425-516-5200

# August cont.

#### August 17, Sunday - 9AM

Big View on Taylor Mt in Raging River State Forest Moderate, 8 miles, 1500' gain Dave Kappler – 425-652-2753

#### August 21, Thursday - 7PM

Hike Leaders' Meeting Trails Center, 1<sup>st</sup> and Bush

#### August 23, Saturday – 9AM

Leader's choice in the Issaquah Alps Easy, 2-4 miles, 400-600' gain Scott Semans – 425-369-1725

#### August 24, Sunday - 9:30AM

Lodge Lake at Snoqualmie Pass Easy, 4.5 miles, 800' gain Bob Gross – 425-427-8449

#### August 25, Monday - Call Leader

Star Gazer Hike - Watch the sunset and gaze at the stars from West Tiger 1.

Bring a flashlight, warm clothing, blanket, sturdy footwear and a story to tell.

Strenuous, 8 miles, 2600 ft gain, Good trail, Moderate pace

George Potter - 425-516-5200

#### August 29, Friday - 10AM

Dogs Welcome - Leader's Choice in Issaquah Alps Bring leash/baggies/water Easy, 4-6 miles, up to 900' gain Jean Lanz - 206-322-0990

# August 30, Saturday – 9:30AM

Grand Prospect – Discover Pass needed for drivers Moderate, 8 miles 1500' gain Richard Mann - - 425-633-7815

# August 30, Saturday - Call Leader

LABOR DAY WEEKEND - Cascades BackPack Trip Leader's choice to someplace fabulous. Contact the leader for details. Moderate, 20-30 miles, up to 7000' gain, Rough trail, Moderate pace George Potter 425-516-5200

#### August 31, Sunday - 9:30AM

East Ridge on Squak Mtn.
[ direct from trail center - no car travel ! ]
Moderate, 6 miles, 1700' gain; slow pace.
Steve Williams - 425-453-8997

# September 2014

### Sept 1, Monday - LABOR DAY

Dogs Welcome - Leader's Choice in Issaquah Alps Bring leash/baggies/water Easy, 4-6 miles, up to 900' gain Tom Pohle – 425-481-2341

#### Sept 6, Saturday - 8:30AM

Island Lake – This hike passes by Talapus Lake and Will stop at Ollallie Lake before ascending the Ridge to continue to Island Lake for lunch. Bring swimming gear if desired; NW Forest Pass for drivers

Strenuous, 11 miles, 2000' gain
Dave Warner – 206-920-3212

#### Sept 7, Sunday - 10AM

Cougar Mt Trails Easy, 4-5 miles, 300' gain Doug Simpson – 425-823-0747

#### Sept 8, Monday - 4:30PM

Moonlight Hike - See the sunset and rise of the Full Moon from Rockdale Lake. Bring flashlight, warm clothing, blanket, sturdy footwear and a story to tell.

Moderate, 8 miles, to 1500' gain, Gravel trail, Moderate pace

George Potter - 425-516-5200

#### Sept 12, Friday – 10AM

Dogs Welcome - Leader's Choice in Issaquah Alps Bring leash/baggies/water Moderate, 4-6 miles, up to 1400' gain Dori Ost – 206-909-1080

### Sept 13, Saturday – 9AM

Alaska Lake - one of the gems of the Snoqualmie Pass area. Strenuous, 11 miles, 1600 ft gain, Good trail, Moderate pace George Potter - 425-516-5200

#### Sept 14, Sunday – 10AM

Leader's choice in the Issaquah Alps Easy, 2-4 miles, 400-600' gain Scott Semans – 425-369-1725

#### Sept 18, Thursday – 9AM

North Bend's Rattlesnake Ledge Moderately difficult, 4 miles, 1160' gain, slow pace Rachel Hopkins – 206-715-5009

# Sept 20, Saturday – 9:30AM

Annette Lake - near Snoq Pass Moderate, 7.5 miles 1400' gain Richard Mann – 425-633-7815

## Sept 21, Sunday - 9AM

West Squak Trails and Routes Strenuous, 6 miles, 1500' gain Dave Kappler – 425-652-2753

#### Sept 23, Tuesday – 4PM

Star Gazer Hike - Watch the sunset and gaze at the stars from East Tiger. Bring flashlight, warm clothing, blanket, sturdy footwear and a story to tell.

Moderate, 8 miles, 1800' gain, Gravel trail, Moderate pace George Potter - 425-516-5200

#### Sept 24, Wednesday - 9AM

North Bend's Little Si, Discover Pass for drivers Moderate, 5 miles, 1200' gain Rachel Hopkins – 206-715-5009

# Sept 25, Thursday - 9:30AM

North Bend's Mt Si, Discover Pass for drivers Strenuous, 8 miles, 3150' gain Rachel Hopkins – 206-715-5009

#### Sept 26, Friday - 10AM

Dogs Welcome - Leader's Choice in Issaquah Alps Bring leash/baggies/water Easy, 4-6 miles, up to 900' gain Jean Lanz - 206-322-0990

#### Sept 27, Saturday - 9AM

Dirty Harry's Frog Pond - see the upper Granite Creek Lake. Visit Dirty Harry's Balconies along the way. Strenuous, 8 miles, 3200' gain, Rough trail, Moderate pace George Potter - 425-516-5200

#### **Sept 28, Sunday - 9:30AM**

West Tiger 3 Viewpoint
Moderate, stiff climb to 2,522' summit
5.7 miles, slow pace; long lunch?
Steve Williams - 425-453-8997

#### ON ALL EVENING HIKES

Hike location may change depending On group and conditions.