



FOOT STEPS



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NEWSLETTER OF SEQUOYAH HIKING CLUB

Leave Only Footprints
January

Happy New Year

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Many, many good things are waiting for us in 2004.

There will be hikes for everyone in Sequoyah Hiking Club from hikes for those who want to take it easy to hikes for those who like the rugged trail.

1. So there are easy hikes like:

Indian Boundary

Fort Loudoun State Historical Area Trails

In and out hikes which may be made as long, as short, or as easy as one desires

Shorter and less difficult mountain hikes

Trips to Hiwassee Wildfowl Refuge to see sandhill cranes and sometimes bald eagles

Hikes at the Toqua Wildfowl Refuge

Hall Bend Trail and many others.

2. For those who are interested in more strenuous hikes there are:

The difficult Paul Gamble-J. D. Jones-Bill Edmondson-Dave Bennie hikes

Many longer Great Smoky Mountain hikes

Working to build new hiking trails e.g. the Cumberland Trail

3. Then there are the moderate, in-between hikes

that are more than easy strolls but not as hard as the 10- to 20 mile wilderness struggles.

4. A monthly newsletter lets you:

Read the accounts of hikes, written by one of the hikers

Review the previous month's club meeting and get a report on our finances

Take hikes in South America and the Rocky Mountains vicariously with the likes of Gail Henley and Bill Edmondson

See the scheduled hikes and events for the month ahead

Be reminded of the annual dues **which are due in January each year and are \$12.00 per year, payable to the treasurer, Johanna Cooley, at a club meeting or by mail. Only dues paying members will receive a newsletter.**

5. Events will be planned for you such as club picnics, a Christmas party, participation in hiking and walking events sponsored by other organizations as Habitat for Humanity, American Cancer Society, the Juvenile Diabetes Association, and others activities.

Stay with us for another GREAT year of hiking and fellowship!

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quoyah Hiking Club

Officers

- President Paul Gamble
- Vice-President Bobbie Davis
- Secretary Liz Yates
- Treasurer Johanna Cooley
- Editor Houston Lowry

Purpose

- 1-To plan and enjoy hikes in local areas.
- 2-Little organization
- 3-Few rules
- 4-No by laws

Meetings

4th Monday of each month

Dues

\$12 per year

Monthly Newsletter Footsteps

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Christmas Party

The Christmas party was at the lovely home of Barbara and Joe Penland on December 20th.

Those who were able to attend were Tom Burris, Ross Burrus, Johanna Cooley, Faye Daniel, Bill Edmondson, Joyce Edmondson, Jane Frerichs, Kay Grubb, Sam Grubb, Gail Henley, Marie Henry, John Holbo, Shelia Holbo, Lee roy Holt, Mary Ruth Holt, Anna Lee Jones, J. D. Jones, Freda Lowry, Joyce McWilliams,

Barbara Penland, Joe Penland, and Liz Yates. In addition to the hiking club members, the members of the Mist on the Mountain dulcimer group were there to entertain the club. They were Iris La Fave, Ed Moses, Sandy Moss, Melody Tedder, Melinda Tedder, and, of course, our own Shelia Holbo.

The party was a covered dish affair with the hiking club furnishing the meat which was paid for out of the treasury.

Calendar of Events

Since the Christmas party was in December, there will be no regular club meeting in December.

No club hikes were planned for January.

The next regular meeting will be Monday, January 28th, 7:00 PM at Bert's Hometown Grill. Some of us will eat at Bert's Grill before the meeting. Join us if you like.



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