



# July 2008

DEDICATED TO SAFE AND ENJOYABLE HIKING

GREEN VALLEY RECREATION HIKING CLUB

PO BOX 1074 - GREEN VALLEY, AZ 85622

HIKES DEPART WEST CENTER: 6:00 AM, when filled, or as noted. SIGN-IN begins at least ½ hour prior to posted departure. For hike schedule questions only, call George Chute at 399-4386, or E-mail [gchute@cox.net](mailto:gchute@cox.net). Refer all other questions to your Hike Leader.

FOR UPDATED HIKE INFORMATION, EVENT AND MEETING SCHEDULES CHECK OUR WEB SITE AT <http://gvrhc.org>. EMAIL US AT [gvhcmail@yahoo.com](mailto:gvhcmail@yahoo.com)

**GVR AND GVRHC GUEST POLICY:** The GVR Policy Manual stipulates that a *“guest’s principal place of residence must be more than 20 miles from the point on GVR’s boundaries which is closest to the guest’s place of residence.”* Guests 18 years and older must have a GVR guest card in order to hike with the club and must be accompanied by a sponsoring Hiking Club member. Tenants are considered GVR members, and must have a GVR Tenant Card. All GVR members and tenants are required to attend a club orientation session before hiking with the club.

**ORIENTATION:** Mondays, July 7 and 21 at East Center Lounge, Starts promptly at 8:00A.M. Please arrive by 7:55 to complete registration paperwork. For more information, call Nello Modesto 399-1001.

**HIKE CONDITIONS:** Trail 1=well-defined trail/road, 2=trail/road with some rocky/loose footing, 3=rocky/loose footing and/or some bushwhacking, 4=extensive bushwhacking and/or rock scrambling, 5=severe bushwhacking and/or rock scrambling;

**ROAD CONDITIONS:** 1=paved, 2=OK dirt, 3=HCV, 4=HCVw4WD, 5=jeep

**CLUB DUES:** \$8.00 per calendar year. Applications are available on the Web site or from hike leaders on Thursdays.

## CHANGES ARE IN RED. UPDATED 7/16/08

### July 3

A-1 TRIAL & ERROR CANYON (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 5.5 MI. 1700 FT. TRAVEL: 28 MI. LEADER: GEORGE CHUTE 399-4386

Hike up Madera Wash to Josephine Saddle; return is leader’s choice. (Easy A, Trail=3,Road=1)

B-1 DUTCH JOHN-BOG SPRINGS CROSSOVER (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 4 MI. 1300 FT. TRVL: 26 MI. LEADER: JOHN BRANT 393-7475

From the Amphitheater to a ridge beyond Dutch John Spring, cross over to Bog Spring, descend to Daniels Mine, and return.

Much of the elevation gained from the campground to above Dutch John. (Moderate B, Trail=3,Road=1)

C-1 MADERA CANYON TRAIL (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 6 MI. 1000 FT. TRAVEL: 26 MI. LEADER: BEVERLY ROSENTHAL 648-0907

A pretty hike from the White House parking lot up the trail to the amphitheater and then over the Nature Trail and return.

(Moderate C, Trail=1,Road=1)

C-2 MINT SPRINGS LOOP (CATALINA) HIKE: 4 MI. 1000 FT. TRAVEL: 146 MI. LEADER: KEN FLESHMAN 648-5473

Starting on the Carter Canyon Trail, climb through a lush and beautiful area with huge fir and pine trees, down to Marshall Saddle, and return on the Mint Spring Trail. LIMIT: 15 HIKERS. (Difficult C, Trail=1,Road=1)

### July 10

B-1 JOSEPHINE SADDLE ROGERS ROCK LOOP (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 7.5 MI. 1800 FT. TRVL: 28 MI. LDR: JUDITH LeCLAIR 399-4410

An old familiar but beautiful hike up the Baldy Trail to Josephine Saddle and return by way of super Trail with a side trip to Rogers’ Rock for lunch. (Moderate B, Trail=2,Road=1)

C-1 DANIEL’S MINE (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 5 MI. 1400 FT. TRAVEL: 26 MI. LEADER: MAYME SPECHT 648-3466

A loop hike from the Amphitheater Parking area to Bog Springs and then to Daniel’s Mine. (Moderate C, Trail=3,Road=1)

C-2 MT LEMMON WALKABOUT (CATALINA) HIKE: 5 MI. 800 FT. TRAVEL: 143 MI. LEADER: VICKI MATTOX 648-5473

A hike with great views at a cool, high elevation. Starting near the top of the mountain, visit a fire lookout, Rappel Rock and the meadow for lunch. (Moderate C, Trail=2,Road=1)

### July 17

A-1 HIDDEN RIDGE (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 6 MI. 2000 FT. TRAVEL: 28 MI. LEADER: TOM JOHNSON 648-5340

Follow Baldy Trail to a point above Josephine Saddle; then follow an interesting, scenic ridge down to the Rogers Rock trail.

LIMIT: 15 HIKERS. (Moderate A, Trail=4,Road=1)

B-1 PALISADE TRAIL MUD SPRING (CATALINA) HIKE: 5.8 MI. 1200 FT. TRAVEL: 138 MI. LEADER: HELEN ZAUKAS 625-1187

Hike through pines and fir to the spring. A rock promontory provides an excellent spot for lunch. LIMIT: 15 HIKERS. (Moderate B, Trail=2,Road=1)

C-1 ROGERS’ ROCK (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 5 MI. 900 FT. TRAVEL: 28 MI. LEADER: MERLE BATTY 648-2508

Hike up Super Trail to Old Madera Mine cut-off and on to Roger’s Rock. (Moderate C, Trail=2,Road=1)

C-2 HUNTER-MILLER CANYONS (HUACHUCA) HIKE: 5 MI. 1000 FT. TRAVEL: 180 MI. LEADER: WAYNE MOSHIER 393-0875

Follow the Hunter Canyon Trail along the foothills of the Huachuca Mtns. to Miller Canyon and the abandoned town site of

Palmerlee. (Moderate C, Trail=2,Road=2)

## July 24

A-1 WILDERNESS POOLS (CATALINA) HIKE: 8.3 MI. 1900 FT. TRAVEL: 143 MI. LEADER: BILL BECKER 625-3428

Starting at Marshall Gulch, hike the Wilderness of Rock Trail through spectacular rock formations and then explore several Lemon Creek pools bushwacking to Lemon Pools.

LIMIT: 15 HIKERS. (Moderate A, Trail=3,Road=1)

B-1 McBETH SPRINGS (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 7.5 MI. 1900 FT. TRAVEL: 28 MI. LEADER: BILL CUMMINS 399-1985

Hike Old Baldy Trail to Josephine Saddle and on to Temporal Gulch Trail. Hike beyond the spring for lunch and return the same way. (Moderate B, Trail=2,Road=1)

C-1 SPRUNG SPRING (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 6 MI. 1800 FT. TRAVEL: 28 MI. LEADER: MERLE BATTY 648-2508

A leisurely hike up Super Trail to a pleasant spring near Josephine Saddle with return on Old Baldy Trail. (Difficult C, Trail=2,Road=1)

C-2 CARRIE NATION MINE (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 4 MI. 1150 FT. TRAVEL: 28 MI. LEADER: PHIL GRAY 399-0343

Follow along a branch of Madera Canyon to the site of an old mine with interesting mine relics. (Difficult C, Trail=3,Road=1)

## July 31

A-1 FLORIDA SADDLE (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 9 MI. 3600 FT. TRAVEL: 22 MI. LEADER: LARRY BOEHMS 648-2644

A hike up Florida Canyon to a cool saddle in an evergreen forest dominated by Douglas firs. (Moderate A, Trail=2,Road=2)

B-1 MT WRIGHTSON PHONE LINE (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 7.5 MI. 1960 FT. TRAVEL: 28 MI. LEADER: TOM JOHNSON 648-5340

Hike Super Trail to Josephine Saddle, then up Baldy Trail to find a portion of the historic phone line from Mt. Wrightson. Wire and old insulators can still be seen along parts of the trail as it goes down to rejoin Baldy. (Difficult B, Trail=3,Road=1)

C-1 BOG SPRINGS (SANTA RITA) HIKE: 6 MI. 1100 FT. TRAVEL: 26 MI. LEADER: LARRY GROVE 625-3053

An old familiar hike at a cool altitude. Start at the White House Parking Lot and follow the Madera Canyon Trail to the Bog Springs Trail. (Difficult C, Trail=1,Road=1)

C-2 BOX CAMP TRAIL (CATALINA) HIKE: 5.5 MI. 900 FT. TRAVEL: 132 MI. LEADER: DICK PAIGE 393-0731

Descend on a historic trail known as "Box Camp Trail". After passing through cool timberland, continue to a rocky overlook.

LIMIT: 15 HIKERS. (Moderate C, Trail=2,Road=1)

## AWARDS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL

2,000 Miles: Patty Greimann

1,500 Miles: Vee St. John

500 Miles: Linda White, Marilyn Riley

250 Miles: Don Houge

50 Miles: Carol Lagden, Curt Jackson, Darien Kissman, Richard Shimanek, Janet Bemiller, Bob Cooke,

Doug Uthman, Steve Walton