

A poor excuse for the July

ARIZONA MOUNTAINEER

The regular AMC newsletter for next month (the August issue) will appear the 19th of July at the Arizona Mountaineering Club Members' Meeting. It will be held in the Pyle Adult Recreation Center, 655 E Southern, the SW corner of Rural and Southern, in Tempe. (Southern is the first street north of U.S. 60.)

Note that date is the third Monday of the month. The AMC will also meet at the Pyle Center on August 16th and September 20th while the Los Olivos Center is being remodeled. We hope to be back at Los Olivos for the October meeting.

Adventure in Denali

In June CAMRTA members Karl Anderson and Dave Bremson climbed this magnificent mountain. Find out what it takes to plan a trip of this magnitude. How much gear is needed? How do you transport gear and food? Is there really a McDonalds on the summit? See their website at www.iansfoundation.org. There will be door prizes at the end of the program. — Sheir

NEXT MONTH —

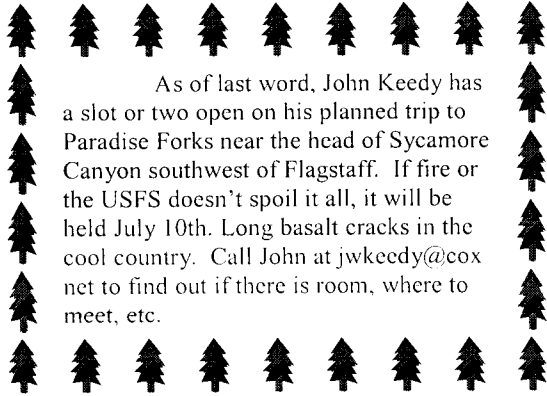
All that good stuff that normally appears each time in the Arizona Mountaineer: trip reports, access news, coming events calendar, ads, people, places, and things of interest to the climbing community will be back..

Watch for stories on Castleton Tower in Utah, about the north face of Sneffles in Colorado, and of a dreary, wet, washout of an attempted climb circuit in the Cascades, on Rainier, Oregon Volcanoes with final, if damp, success on coast sea stacks. Plus Much More!

Prexy Bruce McHenry says —

The board is looking for someone to fill a **Marketing and Promotion Committee Chair**. This position would help publicize club events and activities, generate new members, retention of current members, and generally promote the club. If you are interested see a board member.

The position of **Club Treasurer** is about to become vacant. **Tim Ward** is moving out of state and we are looking for candidates to fill this position. If you are interested, see a board members. (Tim says it is not all that difficult or demanding. If you know your numbers all the way to 100—Ed.)



As of last word, John Keedy has a slot or two open on his planned trip to Paradise Forks near the head of Sycamore Canyon southwest of Flagstaff. If fire or the USFS doesn't spoil it all, it will be held July 10th. Long basalt cracks in the cool country. Call John at jwkeedy@cox.net to find out if there is room, where to meet, etc.

For Sale

2002 Nissan Frontier Desert Runner, XE King cab p/u 35000miles, 5spd, 6 cyl, CD player, sliding rear window, Snugtop campershell, window tinting, asking \$12900 This truck is set up for Arizona climbing adventures . Call paul at 602 493-7356 or paupao50@cox.net

Chris Query will again offer his Land Navigation class, this time in August. To be precise: August 10 and 12 at the Longview Neighborhood Recreation Center at 14th St. and Indian School Road. Expect to dent your brain learning about map interpretation, GPS integration with maps, map and/or compass work, plus numerous kinks and tips. There will also be a full day near Flagstaff on Saturday, Aug 14th traipsing through natures glories to drive home what you learned, or should have learned. It is a form of enlightenment to discover your ignorance as in "Where the dickens is that XXXX marker? And why wasn't it where I was sure it would be?" Chris will be there to explain it all again.

As a bonus, Chris will also lead a bouldering outing in Priest Draw on Sunday.

All this, of course, if the forest is open.

Cost will be \$20 for supplies. Space is limited. Call Chris at 602-323-5927 or email at cquery@hotmail.com to assure yourself a spot.

AMC Board Meeting – June 12, 2004

Board Members Present – John Keedy, Bruce McHenry, Jutta Ulrich, Tim Ward

Committee Chairs Present – Dave VanHook, Wally Vegors

Members Present – Robert England

As a quorum of Board Members was not present, the Board Meeting was not called.

Respectfully
John Keedy
Secretary