

PIKES PEAK MYCOLOGICAL SOCIETY

NEWSLETTER





There was a very nice group at our last meeting to hear our own Lee Barzee talk and show her slides on Look A-Likes. It was very informative and we are very glad to have Lee able to spend more time with our club, since she is not in school all the time.

JULY MEETING - Monday, July 26th, 7:30 p.m. at Rastall Center, Colorado College. Larry Johnson will present our program. Many of you will remember him as a very knowledgable person on wild plant life, edible and inedible. He has given us informative nature walks, i.e., Judy and Frank Urban's home. He has injured his back, so will give us a slide presentation from his business, New Prospectives, a non-profit, travel oriented business. The talk and slides will be on his trip to the Sea of Cortez, Mexico, showing the botany and wild life of Mexico. There will also be close-up shots of the whales (you have to come see for yourself what the whale-study en-tails).

FORAY SCHEDULE

July 24th, Rampart Range. Dennis Craig is the leader. We will meet on the west side of town at the Red Rocks Shopping Center at 8:00 a.m. - Phone 598-9234.

July 31 - Vacant

August 7th, Saturday, 8:00 Red Rocks Shopping Center to go to the Crags Campground on the Cripple Creek Road. Dennis is foray leader.

conjunction with Colo. Mtn. Club. 8:00 Broadmoor stables.

August '21st Mt. Baldy, Dave Smith in EMERGENCY: Judy Baranowski, 574-0167, needs everythin for a large glass case display of mushrooms, et al for the Penrose Public Library by August 2nd. Also bring to meeting Monday. Thanks.

August 22nd - Colorado Mycological Society Fair at the Denver Botanical Gardens. This is a wonderful time to visit with fellow mycologists, get all your un-classified fungi identified, tell them you are from Colorado Springs, and you get lunch. They really depend on our collections, so go and take your finds (that you have refrigerated) from the Saturday Foray. Remember, this is Sunday.

Our Foray Schedule is sparce because there were no suggestions or offers from the inquiry last month. Remember, this is YOUR club. Linda Duvall from the Gazette Telegraph and her photographer accompanied us on our Star Ranch Foray. She promises an interesting article in this Saturday's paper. Probably Leisure Time. Don't miss it.

Dennis Craig, Don Berrigan and Barbara Laura attended the Denver Foray at Pickle Gulch last Sunday. It was a lovely spot just North of Central City. There were 62 people there and they kept up their good reputation of being excellent cooks. We three can attest to that. It was superior. I thought the best was the beef, Armallaria Pondorosa, and snow peas.

Even though we have not seen much of Sterling Bettinger this year, we must report that he is out there looking and finding. He called our President to inform her that he had found "Black" Morels on the Rampart Range about 2 weeks ago. Since we are going there Saturday, keep your eyes open. This seems to be a good Morel year. 578-6362 work

Call your information for the Newsletter to Barbara Laura, 633-9447. GOOD HUNTING!!!!!