

*Bobcats is a Section of CMC's Denver Group. Our mission is to ensure a variety of challenging CMC trips, especially "B Difficult" and "C" hikes and Difficult Snowshoes, for our mostly age-50+ constituents. We may sponsor other activities of interest to our members, everything from bike rides to camping. Have an idea? Let us know about it! Any CMC member statewide may join our Section simply by joining our mailing list. Write*

## July 2017 Trips and News



*Bobcats on Decatur Mountain June 14*

### **Notice: Carpool Reimbursement Policy Changed**

Effective immediately, the Bobcats carpool reimbursement policy is changed to the Denver Group standard: 30 cents x RT drive miles, divided by the total number of people in the car, including the driver. Although the 10 cents per drive mile is permitted, member feedback led the Board to re-evaluate the carpool reimbursement rate. Here are some observations from the article that just appeared in the [July Mile High Mountaineer](#):

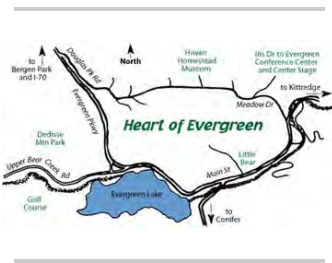
1. The more passengers, the lower the cost per passenger, a standard benefit of carpooling. **So load it up!**
2. Passenger payment to a carpool driver is meant as a reimbursement, not as compensation. **If the amount, however calculated, seems either excessive or insufficient, the parties may adjust it if they can agree. Feel free to speak up!**
3. What about couples? A non-driving spouse is counted as a passenger for purposes of figuring the amount owed by the other passengers in the .30/mile method.
4. If you are able, consider taking on your share of driving duties from time to time.
5. Drivers normally round to the nearest dollar amount rather than accepting coins.

*Mark your calendar and register now for the*



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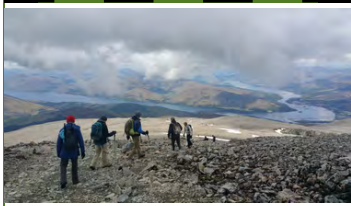
If your chosen trip is full, join the wait list! Wait lists usually clear, often at the last minute. So watch your email and check your wait-list status (or cancel out) by logging in at [cmc.org](http://cmc.org) > Membership > My Membership > My Trips.



Alas, there are no June trip tickets available this week!

Stay on the waitlist and/or check out the Club's long list of non-Bobcat trips.

Know we are working on it!



# Bobcats Summer Picnic



Sunday, July 30  
Noon to 4:00 pm  
Jeffco's Hiwan

Heritage Park Pavilion

4208 S. Timberline Dr., Evergreen, CO 80439

Cost: \$7.00 per person

The Bobcats Board will provide turkey wraps, fried chicken, water, plates, and cutlery. Please bring a side dish. Dish assignments are by last name.

**A-L = appetizer    M-R = salad    S-Z = dessert**

Bring your own camp chairs and stools, and your own drinks but Jeffco's rules are that if you are bringing alcohol, only 3.2 beer is allowed. No spirits or wine.

Finally, bring your best smile, good conversation, and a desire to have fun!

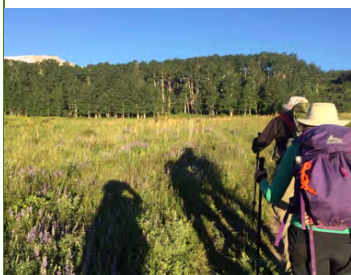
[Register Here!](#)

Of course you can pay at the door, but your pre-registration will help our planning. If you do plan to pay on arrival [please let Stephanie Wright know.](#)

*Here's the bonus! Steps from our picnic site is the [Hiwan Park Museum](#), a 25-room log lodge that is open from 12 to 4. This Colorado rustic architectural classic started as a one room cabin in 1893 and is now listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Throughout the lodge are original and historic furnishings. Native American art is also on display. Free guided tours are offered on the hour.*

## July Trips

Day	Date	Leader(s)	Hike Name	Difficulty	Stats	Meet Place	Meet Time	Drive Miles/ per rider
Fri	July 7	Mark Wolf	<a href="#">IPW High Lonesome Trail</a>	Hike easy D	14.75 miles 3400' gain	Coors Tek Lot East of CMC	5:30 am	100 x.30/car #
Mon	July 10	Cheryl Ames	<a href="#">Jasper &amp; Devils Thumb Lks.</a>	Hike Difficult B	10 miles 2000' gain	Coors Tek Lot East of CMC	6:30 am	110 x .30/car #
Tues	July 11	Ken Yaphe	<a href="#">Bald Mtn 13,684'</a>	Hike Difficult C	7 miles 3200' gain	Woolly Mammoth BB	6:00 am	160 x .30/car #



Tues	July 18	Carol Munch	<u>Mt Flora and Mt Eva</u>	Hike Easy C	11 miles 2650' gain	Woolly Mammoth BB	7:00 am	84 x .30/car #
Wed	July 19	Durham Monsma and Robbie Monsma	<u>Colorado Trail Segment #4</u>	Hike Difficult C	14 miles 2200' gain	The Fort Pullout	6:30 am	80 x .30/car #
Thurs	July 20	Jeff Damp	<u>Spectacle Lakes RMNP</u>	Hike Difficult C	11.4 miles 2800' gain	Coors Tek Lot East of CMC	6:00 am	124 x .30/car #
Fri	July 21	Mark Wolf	<u>Mosquito 13,781' Treasure-vault 13,701'</u>	Hike Difficult B	6 miles 2500' gain	The Fort Pullout	6:00 am	200 x .30/car #
Tues	July 25	Kevin Schaal	<u>Witter Peak 12884'</u>	Hike Moderate C	9 miles 2800' gain	Woolly Mammoth BB	6:00 am	60 x .30/car #
Fri	July 28 to 31	Roger Leikas	<u>Windom Pk. 14,082'; Sunlight Pk. 14,059'; Eolus 14,083'; North Eolus 14,039'*</u>	Hike Difficult D	23 miles 9200' gain	Woolly Mammoth BB	Noon	656 x.30/car #
Fri	July 28	Cheryl Ames	<u>Rollins Pass History Hike</u>	Hike Moderate A	5 miles 300' gain	Woolly Mammoth BB	7:00 am	120 x .30/car #
Sun	July 30	Bobcats Board	<u>Bobcats Summer Picnic</u>	PICNIC	na	Jeffco's Hiwan Heritage Park Pavilion	Noon	\$7



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