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**Dedicated to the men, women and children who lost their lives; all those who sacrificed their lives; And to all the Heroes that responded to the emergency 11 September 2001**





# August Trip Report

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A few Mountaineers meet at the Highway 119 Park & Ride for the drive to the trail head. Darwin and Ben trailering their vehicles ran ahead of the group with their diesels.

At exit 235, 18 vehicles loaded with Mountaineers, friends, and guests headed up Spring Creek Trail. At the first major obstacle, Darwin did not engage his locker and choose the wrong line. Most in the group would make it through here with no trouble, but a couple vehicles did not have any lockers and would either depend on the vehicles ahead of them or their experience in choosing the easiest approach to get them through the rough areas.

Ken Kinnison provided the group with an air show choosing a different line coming out of this obstacle.

Everyone was moving through obstacles with technical ease and little chatter on the radios. Darwin at the front of the pack tried to provide some spirited conversation on the dry, dusty trail with his tall story “of Brett Newton driving his scout through the extremely deep creek crossing”. A few did come back with a continuation of the story but it did not proceed long.

# M O U N T A I N - E A R S

Arriving at the rock garden area, attention shifted to finding the line as well as a few air shows. Darwin was stopped by a Forest Service Ranger who was walking down the trail taking notes and photos. The Ranger did not like the line that Brett and Darwin had taken to get through . His novice interpretation of the trail had all at the top of the rock garden taking a off trail go around as the “ least environmentally damaging trail”. Although the Forest Service Ranger did not know if he was on forest service or private land or his exact position within 2500 feet. He also did not know if it was a state approved trail or an outlaw trail.

We had hopes of all making it through or around the rock garden, but Troy White found that wedging his front tire in the rocks would break a front axle shaft. With the assistance of others in the back of the pack he limped to the top of the trail to make temporary repairs before heading down to Georgetown.

Craig Stumbough had a side trail to take us on for a scenic view by one of the cell towers he services. He did not quite know where he was at and we never did find that scenic overlook, just another dead end. By now all were ready just to head out and we headed down to Georgetown through the series of switch backs that dropped us quickly in elevation. All aired up tires, load vehicles on trailers and proceed home. A good time was had by all.

Colleen



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# Club Trip

## *Bald Mountain*

Meet at Albertson's at

**\*\*\* 9:00 AM \*\*\***

Sunday Sept. 22st



ROCKY MOUNTAIN NATIONAL SPEEDWAY  
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## **Guests at Last Meeting**

Ed, Connie, Stephen Streek  
Kent Schmidt  
Andrea Miller



## **New Member**

Kent Schmidt Unit #82



## **HIGHWAY 14 CLEANUP**

It's that time of year again. We will be cleaning our section of Highway 14 in the Poudre Canyon on Saturday morning, Sept. 21th. We will meet at mile marker 119 (which is only a couple of miles west of Ted's Place) at 9:00 am. This duty takes approximately one hour.



## **Night Run**

Sept. 14, Moody Hill-Crystal Mtn. Night Run Club provides meat and buns  
Bring side dishes to share.  
Meet at Masonville at 5:00pm



# MOUNTAINEERS



## Raffle Tickets

Keep selling those tickets. The tickets are due at the Oct. Meeting.



## Mountaineer T Shirts

We are putting together an order for Mountaineer T-shirts. These are red with the Mountaineer logo. Prices are below. Please pay when you order at the meeting. If you are unable to attend the meeting just call your order to me. Lori Golly 663-3446

- Short sleeve T's \$7.50
- Long sleeve T's \$10.75
- Sweatshirts \$13.50
- Kids T's \$6.50
- For XXL sizes add \$2.00

### Mountaineer Jackets

Embroidered jackets are available at Ill Image Enhancement, in Estes Park. They are located at 154 S. St. Vrain Ave., across from the Holiday Inn. The entrance is through the parking lot. She has a lot of jackets to choose from at below retail prices. The price to embroider the back is \$25.00. \$5.00 to add your name to the front. She will also embroider a jacket that you bring in, but the price will be a little higher. Call them for details at 586-5355.

We have also used Kistling's Embroidery in Loveland at 1329 N. Cleveland, 669-0475. I hope to have a price for you by the meeting.

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**You've Gotta Be Kidding Me!**

Give me the facts straight. I'll mix them up when I quote you.

The first half of our lives are ruined by our parents and the second half by our children.

By the time you're old enough to be nostalgic, your memory is too short.

One good thing about humidity is that stamps actually stick to the envelopes.

Nothing makes a person seem quite as stupid as when they are driving a car ahead of you.

The first thing a kid learns when he gets a drum for Christmas is that he won't get another one.

The only time the world beats a path to your door is if you're in the bathroom.

Anything worth doing is worth hiring someone who knows how to do it.

I don't want to start an argument, I just want to explain why you're wrong.

Some are born great, some achieve greatness, and some hire public relations writers.



# M E M B E R S R I D E S

**Member name:** Darwin & Colleen Stengaard

**Member number:** 39

**Make and Model:** Jeep CJ-7

**Year:** 84

**Engine:** 258 Mopar Fuel injection

**Tranny:** T5

**T-Case:** Ultra low Dana 300

**Front Axle:** Dana 44 4.56 gears ARB

**Rear Axle:** Dana 44 4.56 gears Detroit

**Tires and wheels:** 35" yes

**Suspension:** 4 1/2" Rubicon Extreme Suspension

**Brakes:** Dana 44 Stock

**Accessories:** Ramsey 8000lb, On board Air, 1" Body lift, Lots of little do dads

**Future upgrades:** 35" rear tire carrier





# 4 X 4 C L A S S I F I E D S

## 4x4 Classifieds

### 67-72 Chevy Blazer/Truck parts.

72 front clip, blazer drs, 4 row radiator, tilt steering, blazer top, A/C components, TH350 trans. misc...Darren. 613-8298

**AMC 304 V-8** engine approx 80,000 miles will sell complete meaning everything ALL bolt on parts brackets etc ...with headers 250.00 or will sell engine with intake manifold and carb for 175.00 engine ran excellent before replaced (it used to go to Denver on a daily basis) for more info contact Joe 970-204-4894

**1985 Toyota 4 Runner** Chevy 305 engine, 700R4 automatic, 4 wheel disc brakes, full floater rear axle, lockers, cross-over steering, winch, lift, good body & paint. 226-0203

**Toyota 4 Runner**, 125,00 miles 1991, white, 6 cyl., 5 speed, 3" susp. lift, 3" body lift, Pro comp 35", 12.5 tires CD player, recent front brakes, discs & bearing pack Power moon roof, locks & windows asking \$8900, OBO. call 663-6814, Don

**(4) 36x12.50x15 Swampers** \$100, Ford 9" rearend complete, full width, 3.50 gears, 31 spline shafts. \$100, call Ben (970)495-0801

**YJ Stuff** Wrangler Hardtop w/ rear wiper (Tan) - \$900, Rear Seat - \$100, Stock Springs - \$50. Call Curtis (970) 217-7226 or pager (970) 416-4238

**Jeep Overdrive for sale.** It is for the older Jeep. I am asking \$300.00 O.B.O. It is a Husky that was built in Longmont, Co. in the early 1970's Jim Maxwell 970-482-0412

**For Sale:** Front Axle: Dana 44 disc brakes 410 ratio with lockright side drive shaft. Rear Axle: 9" heavy housing 31 spline Currie axles, nodgular carrier 410 ratio, Detroit locker, heavy 9 3/8" ring gear, Timpken roller bearings, 11" brakes, Bolt pattern 5x5 1/2. Call Brad anytime on weekends & after 5 on weekdays at: 520-887-9104

**For Sale:** Detroit locker for a Dana #30 (front) 3.54-1 ratio \$250.00  
E-Mail Richard Marolf at: [mrmarolf@aol.com](mailto:mrmarolf@aol.com)

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9 <b>BOARD MEETING</b> Jim Miller	10	11 Brett Newton	12 Cameron Klein	13	14 Cory Kinnison
15 Larry Stein	16 C & M Smelker	17	18 <b>CLUB MEETING</b> Scott Ellinger	19	20 P & K Schnaidt	21
22 <b>CLUB TRIP</b> Heidi Crue	23	24 Nathaniel DeWitt	25	26 R & K Kapperman	27	28 Nicholas Hawf
29 Bev Klein	30					

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		1	2 Mike Golly	3	4 Clifton DeWitt	5
6 Elane Allbrandt	7 <b>BOARD MEETING</b>	8	9	10	11	12 Patty Oden
13 Lori Stein	14 Aaron Carlson Alice Kinnison	15 S & R Ellinger	16 <b>CLUB MEETING</b> Jerre Vos	17	18	19 Dustin Paben
20	21 Robin Kerns	22 Jim Dalldorf	23	24	25	26
27 <b>CLUB TRIP</b>	28	29	30	31		

Board Meeting:      Oct. 7    7:30pm    Craig Stumbough  
                              Nov. 11   7:30pm    Colleen Stengaard  
 Membership Meeting:    Sept. 18   7:30pm    Knights of Columbus, 121 N. Meldrum, Ft. Collins  
                                      Oct. 16   7:30pm    Knights of Columbus, 121 N. Meldrum, Ft. Collins  
 Club Trip:                Sept. 22   9:00am    **Albertson's Parking Lot N. College & Willox**



**Larimer County 4WD Club, Inc.**  
**The Mountaineers**  
**PO Box 1225**  
**Fort Collins, CO 80522-1225**

🌲 **September Newsletter** 🌲

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The following businesses give Mountaineer Members special discounts on parts or specific services. In other words, they save us money... and we are grateful.

<p><b>Ft. Collins 4X4 Center</b>            1101 North College            Ft. Collins, Colorado 970-482-5500</p>	<p><b>IKON Office Solutions</b>            2531 South Shields Street #2A            Ft. Collins, Colorado 970-482-8830</p>	<p><b>CarQuest Auto Parts</b>            2716 South College Avenue            Ft. Collins, Colorado 970-226-5050</p>
<p><b>RockHard 4x4 Parts</b>            Lewis Barth 401 Jackie Ann St.            Ault, Co 80610 970-834-0767</p>	<p><b>Fantasy's 4x4</b>            4311 Service Road            Evans, Colorado 303-330-3833</p>	<p><b>R &amp; S Auto Body</b>            1912 Terry Lake Rd            Fort Collins, Colorado</p>
<p><b>Mark Turner Off-Road</b>            2649 E. Mulberry St. #2            Ft. Collins Colorado 970-416-1234</p>		<p><b>RockStomper</b>            650 Weaver Park Road, Unit G            Longmont Colorado 720-652-0700</p>
<p><b>Front Range Off-Road Fabrication</b>            www.frii.com/~frorfab            cel (970) 481-6508 (970) 472-1846</p>		<p><b>Vanworks</b>            900 East Lincoln Avenue            Ft. Collins, Colorado 970-484-5344</p>
<p><b>Loveland Powder Coating</b>            225 SW 42nd Street            Loveland, Colorado 970-679-7500</p>	<p><b>4X4 Used Parts</b>            Bob Schleppey Bob@4x4usedparts.com            970-224-4294 www.4x4usedparts.com</p>	<p><b>Colorado Iron &amp; Metal</b>            1400 E MulberrySt            Ft. Collins, Colorado 970-482-7707</p>