MASON-DIXON TRAIL SYSTEM, Inc.



NEWSLETTER

March 7, 1987 (Saturday) (Note change from last Newsletter) Next Mason-Dixon Trail System meeting to be held at the home of Clair Piersol,

at 10:00 A.M. Bring your lunch; dessert and beverage will be provided. Following the meeting we will hike and/or

maintain trail on the Northern Chester County Section.

Clair's tel. no. is

In Memoriam

Two Mason Dixon Trail System members who have contributed generously of their time to the establishment of the M.D.T.S. have lost family members this past summer. M.D.T.S. extends sympathy to both families.

Richard J. Tobias II, son of Dick Tobias died on June 19, 1986 at the age of 27. Richard was an accountant, and also was associated with his father in operating the Victorian Wine Cellers in Rohrestown. (Dick's address is:

Katharine Copley Boyle, wife of Padraic Boyle, died July 18, 1986. Kay attended all MDTS meetings with Pat. WTC members will miss the team of Pat & Kay shepherding in the end to end hikers each spring. (Pat's address is:

All Terrain Vehicle Law Pennsylvaina passed an All Terrain Vehicle Law which became effective Sept. 9, 1985. MDTS members should be aware that all ATV's used in Pennsylvania (except on private property) must be registered with The Dept. of Environmental Resources Snow-mobile/ATV Unit. It is suggested by the Keystone Trails Association that "in the event you encounter an ATV on a hiking trail on STATE OWNED land, you should get the Registration Number on the vehicle ... and report it to the District Forester."

Minutes of August 26, 1986 Meeting MDTS meeting held at Kay Way's home on August 26, 1986 after a covered dish supper. Kay called the meeting to order at approximately 7:00 P.M. Members present were Kay Way, Pat Boyle, Clair Piersol, amd Marie & John Pittenger.

Trail Reports

Robert Bennett, representing the University of Delaware's Outing Club, will take responsibility for maintaining Section # 4 of the M.D.T.S.

Minutes of August 26, 1986 Meeting continued:

Trail Reports Continued

Warren and Mathilda Raab have finished the maintenance work on the MDTS trail at Pinchot State Park.

Barbara Killgallon will take responsibility for maintaining the M.D.T.S. trail from Route 173 to Salem Cemetary at East Camp.

Warren Raab and Louise Sis have completed a short rerouteing of the trail west of Route U.S. #75.

Ron Gray (York Club) and Charles Crouse have requested help on their section of the MDTS Trail. Ron's address is:

Charles Crouse's address is 2504 Kenney Dr. York, Pa. 17403. If you can be of assistance please contact them.

Ron Gray reports there is a possibility the M.D.T.S. Trail will be shown on Pennsylvania State Highway Maps. Since Dick Tobias has already obtained copies of the overall trail, Pat Boyle will send one of these with a covering letter to the proper Pennsylvania authorities.

Treasurer's Report

Pat Boyle reports that between January 18, 1986 and August 26, 1986 (the date of this meeting) that M.D.T.S. has received \$769- and dispursed \$683-. As of August 26, there is a bank balance of \$855-

Pat would also like to remind everyone that 1987 dues are due in December. He will be happy to receive your dues now if you would like to "get them off" before it "slips your mind" in the Christmas period.

Marie Pittenger

Newsletter-Secretary