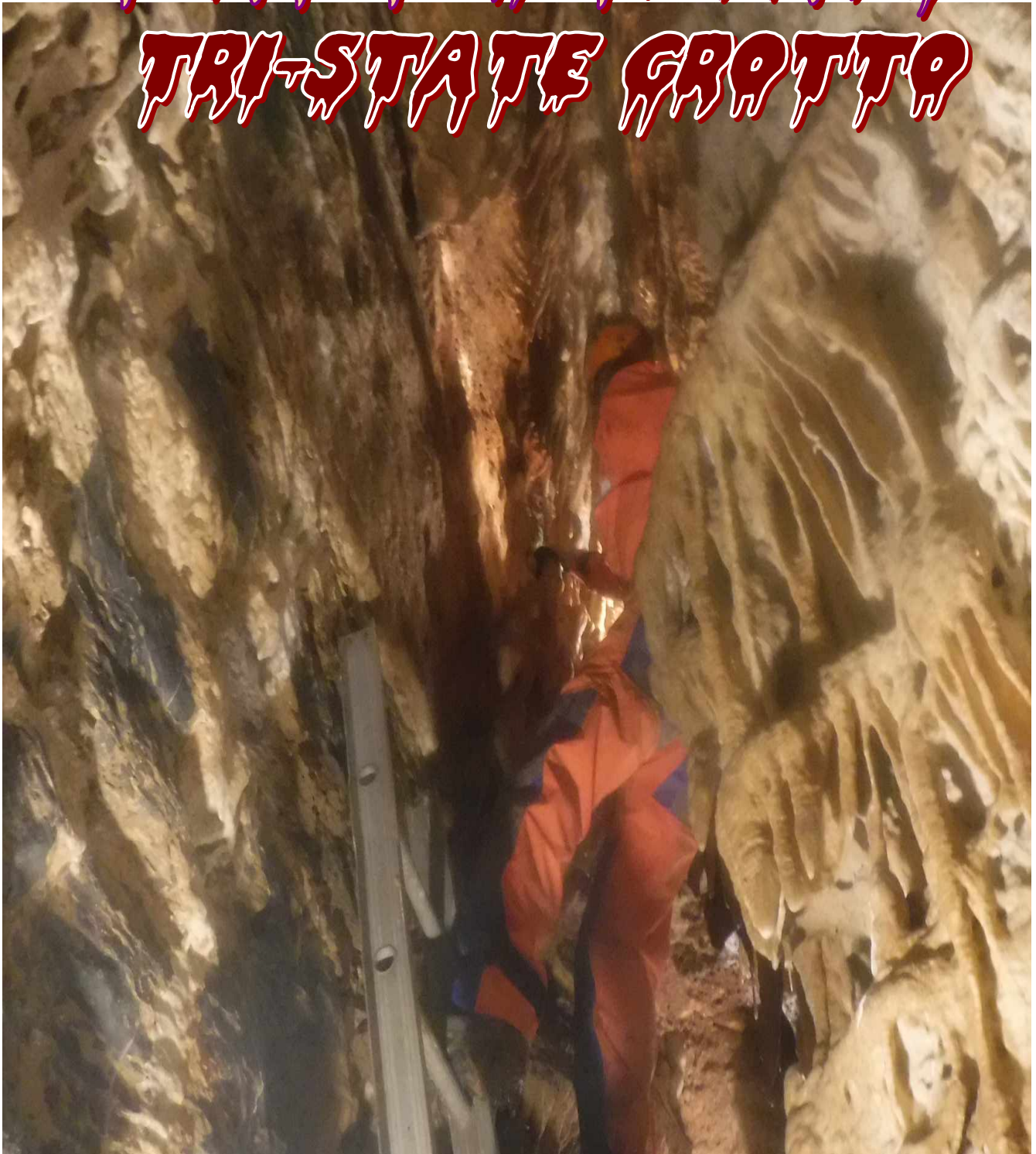


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Ashby Haines Changing a light bulb in Crystal
Grotto Cavern. Photo by John DiCarlo.

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*****10 LEFT!*****

WE NEED EVERYONE TO KEEP THINKING ABOUT
VOLUNTEERING FOR AN OPEN POSITION. WE
STILL HAVE 4 POSITIONS OPEN!
PLEASE GIVE IT SOME THOUGHT. WE NEED YOUR
SUPPORT!



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CAVE EVENTS

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JUL 4 --- Independence Day

JUL 6 --- Fried Chicken Day

JUL 7 --- World Chocolate Day

JUL 8 --- FRG Meeting – 7pm

JUL 10 --- Donaldson Cave – Tom Griffin

JUL 13 --- National FF Day

JUL 14 --- TSG Meeting – 7pm – Live & Virtual

JUL 15 --- FRG Meeting – 7pm – Live at Thunwa Restaurant

JUL 16 --- World Snake Day

JUL 18 --- Ice Cream Day

JUL 18 --- Silers Cave – 12 noon- see Adam Haines

JUL 21 --- Senior Citizen Day

JUL 21 --- Wed Night Caving – 7pm – Jones Quarry Cave – see Doc

JUL 22 --- Hot Dog Day

JUL 24 --- TSG Annual Picnic – ?????

JUL 24 --- National Cousin Day

JUL 25 --- National Carousel Day

JUL 26-30 --- NSS Convention, Weed, CA - Virtual

JUL 26 --- Parents Day

JUL 28 --- Milk Chocolate Day

AUG 2 --- International Beer Day

AUG 2 --- Root Beer Float Day

AUG 6-8 --- IN Cave Capers

AUG 11 --- National Son & Daughter Day

AUG 11 --- TSG meeting – 7pm

AUG 12 --- National Middle Child Day

AUG 12 --- FRG Meeting – 7pm – Thunwa Restaurant

AUG 13 --- Left Handers Day

AUG 13-15 --- Karst-O-Rama, KY

AUG 16 --- Elvis Died

AUG 28 --- Annual Baker Quarry Trip – see Brent Jefferson

SEP 2-6 --- OTR

SEP 4 --- Doo Dah Parade – 10am

SEP 4 --- WVASS meeting – 630pm

SEP 6 --- LABOR DAY

SEP 8 --- TSG meeting – 7pm

SEP 9 --- Teddy Bear Day

SEP 11 --- Remembrance Day – 9/11

SEP 12 --- Chocolate Milkshake Day

SEP 12 --- Grand Parents Day

SEP 13 --- National Peanut Day

SEP 18 --- Cheeseburger Day

SEP 20 --- Wife Appreciation Day

SEP 21 --- Miniature Golf Day

SEP 22 --- National Ice Cream Cone Day

SEP 22 --- AUTUMNAL EQUINOX

SEP 24-26 --- FALL MAR-VAR – RASS

Fieldhouse

SEP 25 --- National Comic Book Day

SEP 25 --- National Daughter Day

SEP 28 --- National Son Day

SEP 28 --- National Super Hero Day

SEP 29 --- National Coffee Day

OCT 1-3 --- NCRC OCR – Martinsburg, WV

OCT 7-10 --- Fall TAG Cave-In – TAG

OCT 10 --- Black Coffee Cavern conservation Project – 10am – see Tom Griffin

OCT 11 --- Columbus Day

OCT 13 --- TSG Meeting – 7pm

OCT 16 --- Bridge Day

OCT 28 --- Chocolate Day

OCT 29-NOV 1 --- SERA Summer Cave Carnival – Walling, TN

OCT 30 --- Devil's Night

OCT 31 --- All Hallow Eve – Halloween

OCT 31 --- National Knock Knock Day

NOV 1 --- All Saints Day – Day of the Dead

NOV 2 --- Election Day

NOV 5 --- Hot Sauce Day

NOV 7 --- DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS

NOV 10 --- Marine Corp Birthday

NOV 10 --- TSG meeting – 7pm – Nominations for Grotto Officers

NOV 11 --- Veterans Day

NOV 13 --- Sadie Hawkins Day

NOV 13 --- WVCC Banquet – 7pm



CAVE BUCKS is a voluntary donation for cave purchases. The money is collected at each monthly meeting and sent to the Conservancy of choice. The money SHOULD NEVER be kept past the week it is collected.

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Month of MAY ----- \$00.00

TOTAL TO DATE: ----- \$7539.82

GREAT JOB EVERYONE! Let's continue the giving!

Keep It Coming!

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GROTTO BIRTHDAYS

JULY BIRTHDAYS

Lynn DiCarlo, Bob Edmonds, Zack Floyd, Billy Gibberson, Jason Hajenga, Gary Mathias, Red Schock, David Smallwood, Janet Tinkham, Terri Ward

Happy Birthday!

REPORTS

TSG On-Line Meeting, June 9, 2021

(attendance:10)

John called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Bob gave Elysia's Treasurer's Report and last meetings minutes.

Old Business:

- A report needs to be sent by June 13 on projects concerning Crystal Grottos.
- Ashby's sink hole dig at the Adams Stevens house did not pan out.
- Tom is waiting for cave protection signs.
- Bob tested an in person/virtual system for either on-line or in person grotto meetings.

New Business:

- Sarah's Furnace is now considered the longest cave in the state of Pennsylvania, according to the cave latest survey.
- Jones Quarry Cave has a new lock. A Wednesday night caving trip is planned for July 21 at 6:00 pm.
- OTR and the Robertson Association reported that this year's OTR will take place September 2 thru 6.
- VAR/MAR will take place at the RASS (Richmond Area Speleological Society) field station September 24, 25 and 26.
- Spring 2022 VAR is planned to be held at Grand Caverns, Grottos, Virginia, date pending

Caving:

- John, Robert, Doyle and Doc, with a host of others, visited Black-Coffee Caverns in the Greencastle area of Pennsylvania.
- Doyle, Ian, Sir and Doc visited Dam #4 Cave, Maryland.
- Adam, Ashby and Elysia visited Artz and McMahon's Cave, Maryland

Meeting was adorned at 7:40pm

Respectfully submitted

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Donald 'Doc' Phillips
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TRIP REPORTS

Back in the Sinkholes Again

By John DiCarlo NSS 25744

Falling Waters, WV-On April 22, 2021, I met up with Adam Haines to go look at the sinkhole we were digging on before the Corona Virus hit. Adam had called and got us permission to park by the barn.

We walked down the driveway and turned onto the path toward the dig. We were distracted by several sinkholes. So, of course we had to check them out. There was a large one on the right. We walked down into it and looked around. Seeing some karst we checked around it.

Not finding any openings, we climbed out and continued on the path. We saw another sinkhole on the left and walked over and checked it out. Back on the path we checked out several openings on the right. We did see one that had an area dropped out. Adam stuck a stick down it and it went.



Back on the trail we came to our dig site. Adam climbed down and looked around. He started pulling out handfuls of leaves. He found a small

salamander and pulled it out of the hole. Adam said he could feel a temperature difference. He's ready to come back and dig again. The dirt is soft and damp. Using the roots from the tree at the edge of the sinkhole as a ladder, Adam climbed out.



We walked up the hill to look down on the river. It is a nice view. We followed the cliff until we arrived at the spot where the owner is looking to build stairs down to the river. We turned and followed the trail back through the woods. We looked at the spot that Tom Griffin dug on. Moving on, we checked out a few more sinkholes before we reached the driveway. We walked the driveway until Adam led us across an open area, and here was the cave on the boundary line. We looked around in that area.

Adam pointed out that the tree trimmers had cut out the vegetation along the power lines. We walked down the open area checking out sinkholes. Several of them had small openings. We came to a sinkhole

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that had a small stream flowing into it. There was a fair amount of water flowing in. It disappeared into the sinkhole without pooling at all. Bob Bennett and I had dug on this hole in the past. What stopped us back then were large rocks that we could not move. They may have been put there when this was a pasture many years ago. Now it is all grown up. Adam went down and pulled out a few small rocks. It muddied the water. With the water flow coming into the sinkhole it cleared out the muddy water in no time.

Leaving the stream, we hit the hard road. We walked up it to the driveway we had driven in on and checked out the sinkhole there. Moving on we followed the pasture to where it entered the woods, looking around all the way. We finally hit the main path and took that back to the driveway and then followed it back to our cars.

Not done yet, we drove down the road to the next intersection and turned right. Following the road about halfway to the next intersection we turned left into a parking lot. I wanted to show Adam Critters Den Cave, and also a trash-filled sinkhole including car parts and bottles.

We headed down the trails turning the way we needed to go at each intersection. Arriving at the spot, we headed off the trail into the thick underbrush with lots of stickers, looking for the cave. We didn't come across it. We ended up back on the trail. We continued up the trail to another spot and hit the thick brush again. Still no cave. We went back to the first spot where we left the trail, and I felt that this was the right place. We hit the thick underbrush again. Still couldn't find it. We found the trail again. Going back to our starting spot we tried again, this time staying more to our left. We ended up back on the trail again and went back down the trail to our starting spot. We hit the underbrush and went more to the right. Still, we missed the cave. I told Adam that we had to have passed right by it. I had GPSed the entrance several years ago when I had first found the cave. I lead a Wednesday Night Caving trip to it. We went in and took pictures. Tom took measurements. We'll be back again with the GPS. We'll find it then.

First goal failure. Now on to our next goal; a trash filled sinkhole the deep underbrush in a different area. We hiked over to an intersection in the woods where another trail started. Part way down we turned into the thick underbrush. We found a sinkhole that we checked out.

Keeping with our goal we moved on. I knew this area drained into the sinkhole so we kept going downhill. We hit the deep-cut gullies that lead to our target. We found it! Here were the car parts, bottles, and rolls and rolls of old fence wire. We looked around and could tell it still took a bit of water at times. It didn't look like there were as many bottles as there were before. Maybe someone was harvesting bottles from here.

Heading out of there, it was still a battle through the stickers, some dead and some green. We finally hit a trail and headed back to our cars.

It was a good day. Adam and I hiked over 5.5 miles, mostly in heavy brush. We met most of our goals. We'll be back to find that cave!
(All photos by John DiCarlo)

Changing Light Bulbs In Crystal Grottoes Caverns

By John DiCarlo NSS 25744

Boonsboro, Md-On Friday April 2, 2021, I met Adam Haines and his cousin Ashby Haines at Crystal Grottoes. Our mission today was to replace burned out light bulbs.

We went into the cave house to greet the owner Cassie Downs and Manager Debbie Floyd. Debbie had stocked up with a case of LED spotlights and a case of LED light bulbs. We broke into them and carried a canvas bag full of them into the cave.



Looking around the Entrance Room we didn't see any burned-out bulbs. We moved farther into the cave until we got to Crystal Palace. Nothing that was out was down low. We sent Ashby into a hole, and then told him to climb up. He found his way to the Bacon Formation. He changed the light bulb, but it still didn't work. The fixture was bad. He came back out and we continued through the cave.

We noticed a large red bulb that was out. I said, "That's the only light with color in the whole cave." Cassie's father, Jerry Downs, never thought the cave needed colored lights. It had great color on its own. We passed it up as we didn't know the story behind it, and we didn't have a large light bulb.

We made our way to the High Spot. Looking around there were a lot of lights out. About the only one we saw lit was at the top of the passage 35 feet off the floor. "Ok," we thought, "we need a ladder."



We headed out through the back door and looked for a ladder. We found a large step ladder and carried it back through the cave to the high spot. Adam climbed it and was able to light up one ledge before he came back down. Ashby went up two side passages looking for anything burned out. Adam and I moved the ladder just as Ashby came back. We had to level up the ladder. Ashby looked around and found three stones that worked, and then climbed up and replaced two lights that were right over the passage back to Father Time. He then moved on down the passage toward the lake and replaced a bulb in a side passage. Adam and I moved the step ladder around and I climbed up to see if I could reach a light on the wall at the end of the Father Time passage. I had to stand on the very top of the ladder and hold onto the wall across the passage. I was able to reach the light and replace it.



Debbie showed up and said she had a very large group, and could we take a tour for them. We told her ok. She said she would take the first group and we would take the second. We had run out of spotlight bulbs so I ran back to the cave house for some more. Debbie had just started the tour and was in the Entrance Room. I hurried back and put the bulbs in the canvas bag, and we went out the back door so we wouldn't have to pass the tour group. As we got to the Cave House, the door was locked, and Cassie had taken the tour down. We were locked out of the cave.

Eventually Debbie's tour came out and she shut the door before we could stop her. Luckily Debbie had a key to the front door. She unlocked the door and

asked me to go and relieve Cassie on her tour. I said OK. I went through the cave fairly fast and saw the tail end of the tour headed out the back passage. I let it go and turned around and came back up to the Cave House. I told Debbie that the only thing left for Cassie to do was to open the back door and stand there and collect her tips, so I let her be. That little break when we were locked out was the only break that we got all day.

Adam and I headed for Crystal Lake, and I had Ashby tag along on Debbie's next tour so she could point out any burned-out light bulbs.

Adam got into Crystal Lake and walked across it replacing light bulbs. Debbie said we needed to climb up at the Alligator to replace a light or two up there. Ashby was back with us, and he made the climb. He replaced a bulb or two there. Now Crystal Lake was really lit up like it used to be.



Ashby told us about some burned out lights in Crystal Palace. Adam and I headed back out to get an extension ladder so we could reach up higher. Arriving back at Crystal Palace, we threw the ladder up and Ashby climbed it and replaced two spot-lights. On the opposite wall we needed to replace two bulbs. As we worked on one, we realized the outlet was shot. I went back up to the cave house looking to see if Jerry had any fixtures lying around. I did find one and an outlet box, some wire nuts, and some screws to hold it all together. While I was looking through things, I found some quartz light bulbs. I grabbed a handful of them. We didn't have any and several of the quartz lights were out. I also found a large red bulb. It was a heat lamp. I showed it to Debbie, and she said that was the same as the one that was in there. I carried all my findings back to the Haines cousins.

They got to work on things and sent me back to look for more boxes and fixtures. There weren't any. They went on the list of things to pick up. We joined back up and started with the quartz lights; one, as you come around the King Passage, and two more at Father Time. We replaced the red light as we went by it.



As Ashby was working on the quartz lights, a tour came through. When Debbie turned on the circuit for the Father Time passage, it lit up the red light and Debbie cried out, "Oh! My dragon is back!" Oh, so that's what the red light was. The fire from the Dragon!



We finished there and moved to the High Spot. Putting up the ladder, Ashby climbed up to the top of the ladder and kept going. He made it to the second ledge and replaced the quartz lights there. Now the High Spot looked great!

We were finished for the day. We still had three lights out. We would need parts for those. We cleaned up and put things away. We told Cassie we would be back another time to replace the three lights. (All photos by John DiCarlo)



Looking around I saw the pile of gravel was at the entrance, and we needed it by the back door. Debbie Floyd, manager of Crystal Grottoes Caverns, told me that the Caverns' Bobcat was next door, and that Sonny knew how to run it. Sonny headed up to get it. He hit the gravel pile on the way back and positioned the Bobcat next to the buckets. While we were waiting for others to arrive at 10:00 we went ahead and filled, really half-way, most of the buckets.

The Gravel Challenge 2021

By John DiCarlo, NSS 25744

Boonsboro, MD-Tri-State Grotto met up at Crystal Grottoes Caverns in Boonsboro, Maryland. It is the only show cave in Maryland. Our goal today was the Gravel Challenge. We were looking to gravel all the passageways with several inches of "Dirty Crusher Run" before they closed for the day.

This is part of Tri-State Grotto's ongoing conservation projects at Crystal Grottoes Caverns. Earlier this year we changed out the burned-out light bulbs in the Caverns. We also fixed some electrical issues there on another trip.

I arrived early and set out all the equipment we needed: a tamper, two rakes, 2 two-wheeled trucks, three shovels, and 34 drywall buckets.

By then people started rolling in. Everyone gathered and we talked about who had shots. One person had not had a Corona virus shot, one had the first shot, and everyone else had both shots. We decided we were good to go.

As a group we walked in to show everyone the lay of the cave. We would take the two-wheeled trucks, each with 4 buckets of gravel, down through the back door. This is where there is a steep incline downward that turns a corner at the bottom and levels somewhat. At the end of this passage, we would turn right into the Tri-State Grotto Passage, following it up to the steps at the end. The buckets would be unloaded here and carried up the steps. From there we would use two more two-wheeled trucks to get it to the spots we were working on.

We walked back out and gathered the equipment. Two other people also had brought two-wheeled trucks. We headed in

with the two-wheeled trucks loaded with four buckets each.

We started at the farthest point and worked toward the back door. We dumped the first bucket in front of the King Passage. We worked around both sides of the loop here. Bob Bennett directed where the buckets were to be dumped. He soon had someone at The King passage tamping down the stone as others dumped buckets.



Sonny Floyd

Outside, we kept Sonny busy running the Bobcat back and forth for more stone. Things were moving too fast to count buckets. The first scoop of stone filled about 30 buckets half-way. So, we counted the scoops. We had 13 scoops of stone. People took turns shoveling stone from the Bobcat's bucket into the buckets.



Don Arrowood

We had the bucket on the Bobcat raised and lined buckets up under it. We took the shovels and raked the gravel out into the buckets. When they were half full someone else would grab it out and replace it with an empty. Then they would move it over to the concrete walkway where the two-wheeled trucks would take them down. The crew here never got to the point where a two-wheeled truck had to wait for a bucket. Of course, when the two-wheeled trucks came back they were bringing buckets back with them to be refilled.



Bob Edmonds & Todd Zimmerman

When we finished the loop at the King Passage and Crystal Palace, we moved down the passage toward the Entrance Room. Just before it, we laid stone back toward Crystal Palace.

Hitting the intersection with Crystal Palace and Old Father Time Passage we worked our way back to the steps at the Tri-State Grotto Passage. From there we jumped over to the High Spot, which is the highest elevation in the cave tour, and started laying stone back toward the steps.

As we were doing this, tours came through. We really were not in each-others' way. We were conscious of where the tours were, and mostly were able to bypass them. We were tamping as we went, so they had the new stone path to walk on until they came to us. We would step aside and let them pass. Then,

they were walking on the surface that was there before we started our project.



Bob B & Red Schock

When we made our way back to the stairs, we switched the directions of the two-wheeled trucks. Now when we came down the back passage, we bypassed the Tri-State Grotto Passage and continued on to the Blanket Room. From there we turned right, passed the entrance to The Lake Room and continued to the High Spot. Here we linked up with the gravel we had put down from the other direction and started working our way toward the intersection with the Lake Room. Now, we had four dollies bringing in stone.

they brought us pizza. Two boxes each of four different kinds of pies: Cheese, Pineapple & Ham, Everything-On-It, and Pepperoni. When we finished there was still some left. So, no one went hungry.

Back in the passageway we started back up. We worked our way down to the Lake Room passage, and skipped to the very far end of it, which is by the lake. We laid stone from there half-way around the loop, and then caught the backside of it. We then worked our way out of the passage. Now we were working our way down toward the Blanket Room.

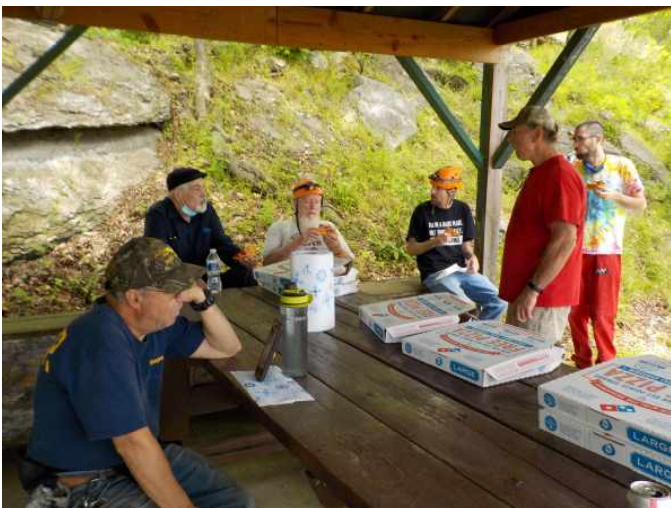


Bob E & Red

Popping into the Blanket Room we skipped over to the backside. This is the biggest room in the cave. Two-wheeled truck after two-wheeled truck came down dumping their buckets. It took a lot of buckets to cover it. Finally, we were done!

We gathered our tools and headed out. We had to take a group picture before people started leaving. Our photographer was none other than the owner of the cave, Cassie Downs. Several people had her take pictures with their cameras.

We took a little break at this point. Some people got into the left-over pizza and wolfed it down. We had quite a workout. People had moved around to different jobs throughout the day. No one needed to go to the gym after this workout.



Pizza!

When we made it down to the Cathedral, we broke for lunch. Crystal Grottoes Caverns had been passing out bottled water all day. Now

After our break I lead a trip through the cave giving the “show tour” to the group that stayed behind. As a bonus, Debbie said to take them off trail into the Northwest Passage.

We went a little-ways up it and took a lot of pictures of the pretty formations. We exited the cave happy that our project was done. We were finished before Crystal Grottoes closed for the day. We won the Gravel Challenge!



Path before new gravel



Path after gravel

I went inside the cave house and told Cassie that we were done. She wanted to see it, so I

walked her through the cave. She was astonished at the difference.



New gravel



There were places we put down up to 4” of new gravel

She kept saying, “Oh, it looks so nice! Thank you, guys, thank you, guys. I really appreciate it.”

Our workers for the day were, Bob and Paulette Bennett, Tom Griffin, Red (Gretchen) Schock, Sonny Floyd, Todd Zimmerman, Don Arrowood, Bob Edmonds, Nathan Roser, Mary Hicks, Chase Brown, Adam Hines, Ashby Hines, Gary Mathias, and me - John DiCarlo.



This came to 105 volunteer hours. Worth over \$2,000 in donated time.



Todd

Sometimes it's OK to volunteer.

On July 2nd, I took 10 students and teachers from Washington & Lee into Grand Caverns. They were geology students who are doing water sampling of springs all over the Shenandoah Valley.

After covering a few caving-related basics, and that we give the paying customers the right of way, we headed into the cave.

Most of the students had never been in a cave before and they were amazed by what they saw. Even though they were there to sample water, I pointed out the vertical bedding of the cave and challenged them to figure out if it was the upthrust of the hill or did the valley fall. They were totally unfamiliar with shields, and we talked about a theory on how they developed. There were a few places where, due to damage, there were able to actually see that they were comprised of two plates.

I gave them a cave map so they could mark their sampling areas. They asked how we mapped caves. I explained we used a compass, clinometer, and tape when we surveyed this cave. I also told them that now disto's do the same thing in one device, and we speculated on how things might advance further in the future.

They asked to experience total darkness. When all the lights were out I got them to quiet down and just listen to the cave.



Bob E



(All photos by John DiCarlo)

In all, on and off-trail, we were able to find 6 good sampling places and they developed some caving skills during their 3-hour adventure. The teacher noted that this was some of the clearest water she had ever seen. I advised they never drink cave water without treating it because you never knew if there was cattle or worse overhead.

On-site, they measured and recorded the pH and temperature. The rest of the analysis would be done back at the lab. I hope to see the results when they send a report on the results of their study to the cave.

Carol Tiderman

Jerry Bowen's Vacation

Wind Cave: 6/20-6/25 (Jerry Bowen Family Vacation)

On a family vacation, we stopped at Wind Cave National Park. One needs to purchase tickets for the morning of the trip. There was a long line stretching out of the building onto the sidewalk, then turning on the sidewalk to a shade tree and beyond. I thought we would never see the inside of the cave. But we finally made it!



Boxwork in Wind Cave

They offered three (3) tours. Wind cave is known for its boxwork which we saw plenty of. It was very rock looking and there were no formations (other than the boxwork).

Yellowstone National Park, Mammoth Hot Springs –
Caving outdoors! The geothermal waters issue limestone.



Mammoth Hot Springs (all photos by Jerry Bowen)



Rimstones in Butler Cave (Photo furnished by Ashley Hitchcock)



CAVING CALENDAR

JULY 11TH - AUGUST 21ST



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<i>Jul 11</i>	<i>Jul 12</i>	<i>Jul 13</i> National FF Day	<i>Jul 14</i>  Meeting 7pm	<i>Jul 15</i> FRG Meeting - 7pm	<i>Jul 16</i> WORLD SNAKE DAY	<i>Jul 17</i>
<i>Jul 18</i> National Ice Cream Day Silers Cave - 12 Noon - see Adam Haines	<i>Jul 19</i>	<i>Jul 20</i>	<i>Jul 21</i> Senior Citizen Day Wed Night Caving - Jones Quarry - 7pm - see Doc	<i>Jul 22</i> Hot Dog Day	<i>Jul 23</i>	<i>Jul 24</i> Annual TSG Picnic?? National Cousin Day
<i>Jul 25</i> National Carousel Day	<i>Jul 26</i> Parents Day NSS Convention - Weed, CA - Virtual	<i>Jul 27</i>  NSS Convention - Weed, CA - Virtual	<i>Jul 28</i> Milk Chocolate Day NSS Convention - Weed, CA - Virtual	<i>Jul 29</i>  NSS Convention - Weed, CA - Virtual	<i>Jul 30</i>  NSS Convention - Weed, CA - Virtual	<i>Jul 31</i>
<i>Aug 1</i>	<i>Aug 2</i>	<i>Aug 3</i>	<i>Aug 4</i> Chocolate Chip Cookie Day	<i>Aug 5</i>	<i>Aug 6</i> International Beer Day Root Beer Float Day Indiana Cave Capers - Marengo, IN	<i>Aug 7</i> Indiana Cave Capers - Marengo, IN
<i>Aug 8</i> Indiana Cave Capers - Marengo, IN	<i>Aug 9</i>	<i>Aug 10</i>	<i>Aug 11</i>  Meeting 7pm Son & Daughter Day	<i>Aug 12</i> Middle Child Day FRG Meeting - 7pm	<i>Aug 13</i> Left Handers Day Karst-O-Rama - Great Saltpeter Preserve, KY	<i>Aug 14</i> Karst-O-Rama - Great Saltpeter Preserve, KY
<i>Aug 15</i> Karst-O-Rama - Great Saltpeter Preserve, KY	<i>Aug 16</i> Elvis Died	<i>Aug 17</i>	<i>Aug 18</i>	<i>Aug 19</i> Potato Chip Day	<i>Aug 20</i> Lemonade Day	<i>Aug 21</i>

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