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Eight Swan Rangers hiked a loop on old logging roads in the Patterson and Peterson Creeks area Saturday, still waiting for recent slush to melt before hiking again into higher elevations.

They saw lots of elk tracks and spring snow melt is causing the creeks to begin rising and water to pool in the low spots.

The Swan Rangers meet every Saturday at the Echo Lake Cafe for **breakfast at 7:30, leaving at 8:30** for a partial day outing in the northern Swan Mountains and foothills.

They carpool from the Swan River School parking lot next to the Cafe.

Everyone is welcome! Hope to see you soon,



Keith

Photos on following pages by Keith Hammer:



Old roads provide side-by-side opportunities for conversation . . .



. . . and a few detours around HUGE puddles!



What's with the mid-stream arm wrestling?



Oh! It's "you take the high road and I'll take the low road . . . "