September 25, 2010

Nine Swan Rangers took advantage of one of the few remaining days before the Jewel Basin Road closes for re-gravelling and hiked on Mount Aeneas Saturday. Most continued from the ridge near the communications building on up to the peak, where mountain goats made themselves readily available for photos!

It was a particularly beautiful and sunny day, though quite windy on the ridge and summit!

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,

[Signature]

Report info and photos on following pages by Bob Muth and Jan Lord:
Nice views of the valley begin along the old road above the parking lot . . .

. . . with fall foliage and colors to help frame the picture!
Hey, somebody is already up here! Mama, kid . . .

. . . and billy too!
Are we crouching down so folks can see the goats, or so the wind doesn't blow us over?

Goats just a stones-throw from Echo Lake!