

October 9, 2010

Eight Swan Rangers hiked up to Hall Lake in the fog and back down in full sunshine Saturday! The Hall Lake Trail is a wonderful combination of low-elevation woodlands, subalpine hillsides and scree.

The woods are full of fall colors and lots of mushrooms! It's a jungle out there!

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. (Hours will shift one hour later starting November 6).

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

Everyone is welcome!

When hiking in bear country, remember to carry bear spray and avoid the 3-D's: dawn, dusk, and darkness.



Keith

Photos by Keith Hammer:



Up in the fog!



The fog lifts from Swan Lake below.



All smiles among towering larch and fall vegetation!



A look across Hall Creek to Sixmile Mountain.





A serene and sheltered Hall Lake.



And a sunny return hike!