October 23, 2010

"Ten [Swan Rangers] hiked Peter's Ridge - beautiful fall day, no wind and cool temperatures. There were foggy views of orange/yellow tamaracks in the valleys and dark gray clouds in the western sky where a couple of hawks soared."

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.

Big game hunting season is on, so it's a very good idea to wear some bright "hunter orange" while hiking!

Photos and report info by Jan Lord:
The gang pauses near the spine of Peters Ridge . . .

. . . but takes lunch on the top of the Swan Crest!