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Fourteen Swan Rangers skied and snowshoed the old road from Bear Creek to Wolf Creek Saturday. Among them were three members of Bigfork's Boy Scout Troop #1943 and a couple Troop Masters!

It was a sunny and balmy day! The Rangers saw lots of tracks of deer and elk, which was expected given the winter range above, on the slopes of Broken Leg Mountain.

They identified tracks of mountain lion for certain, but were not so certain of potential wolf tracks due to soft snow conditions that tend to spread the toes on wolves and bring out claws on lions.

They were pretty certain, however, that they had a good time! Here's a shout-out to Troop #1943!

The Swan Rangers meet every Saturday at the Echo Lake Cafe for **breakfast at 8:30, leaving at 9:30** 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!



Keith

Photos on following pages by Keith Hammer:



What a team!



A view of Crater Mountain as one rounds the curve into Wolf Creek!



Boy Scouts and Troop Masters at Wolf Creek!



Mountain lion or wolf, what do you think?