

PhilSearch vA24a - News for February, 2007

January was intentionally a quiet month in anticipation of Trek Selection in mid March. Key changes this month include:

- About 40 new photos were added to the database – thanks and keep them coming, there are still a number of camps & activities with no photo coverage
- Some significant behind the scenes changes have been made to support anticipated changes in Philmont's trek numbers for 2007.
- The addition of some comparison features to aid in trek selection in the face of trek re-numbering and the reality that some treks are eliminated each year and a new trek or two appear each year.
- The enhancement of Trek Search to allow specification of geographic region: North, South or Valle Vidal; as a trek selection criteria.

Even with all the photos that have been added more are needed. The list of needs is maintained in the Photo Album. A pass through the Virtual Tour also provides some clues as to some of these needs.

Trek Comparison tools for any to any trek as well as a specific trek (from any year) to all treks (from a given year) have been added. These guys take a little horsepower do be patient with them.

The sixth generation of Trek Search benefits from a new feature suggestion requesting the inclusion of geographic region.

As always your comments, good or bad, and suggestions are welcome.

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