

Les and Veny Wilson's Trips/Hikes

Date	*	Name of Hike	Distance (miles)	Elevation Gain (feet)	Comment(s)	Week	No. of Hikes
7/21/2019		<u>LLV3 Little Lakes Valley Sierra Club Mule Pack (DAY 1)</u> -- Rock Creek Pack Station (9,934') [across Rock Creek Road from Rock Creek Lake] to Chicken Foot Lake base camp (10,800')	3.9	751	Sierra Club Mule Pack (Leaders = Laura Joseph, Alan Schimpff, and LCW); Others = Sam Rametta, Jeff Bates, Jean Hay Murray, Tina Dellis, Fari Afrookteh, Pat Pipkin, Nancy Power, Carol Tucker, and Liz Goetz [Richard Potratz, Bruce Parker, and Wendy Thermos canceled] -- 209' ELEVATION LOSS	703	1
7/22/2019	1	<u>LLV3 DAY 2</u> -- Gem Lakes #1 (10,900') and #2 (10,925'), Morgan Pass (11,155'), and Upper Morgan Lake (10,934')	5.0	723	[1] 8 hikers(including Laura and Les); [2] Alan hiked cross-country on the west side of Chickenfoot Lake and then further north cross-country	704	1
7/23/2019	2	<u>LLV3 DAY 3</u> -- RAIN (lots of it in the late morning and afternoon)	2.1	430	[1] 2 hikers headed to the pack station to retrieve an air mattress; [2] Several hikers (including Laura and LCW) hiked down the main trail to Long Lake but turned back when it started raining; [3] 2 hikers hiked part way around Chickenfoot Lake; [4] Several hikers (including LCW) hiked a short counterclockwise loop near the base camp after the rain stopped/after dinner	704	1
7/24/2019	3	<u>LLV3 DAY 4</u> -- Ruby Lake (11,121')	9.5	1,435	[1] 4 hikers (including LCW) hiked to Ruby Lake; [2] 4 hikers hiked to Upper Morgan Lake; [3] 2 hikers hiked to Gem Lakes; [4] 3 hikers hiked up the Morgan Pass Trail (an old mining road)	704	1
7/25/2019	4	<u>LLV3 DAY 5</u> -- Morgan Pass (11,155'), Upper Morgan Lake (10,934'), and Lower Morgan Lake (10,723')	6.0	1,050	[1] 4 hikers (including Alan) hiked to Morgan Pass, the two Morgan Lakes, and beyond (cross-country); [2] 3 hikers (including LCW) hiked to Morgan Pass and the two Morgan Lakes (the lower lake was quite beautiful); [3] 1 hiker (Sam) went fishing in Lower Morgan Lake and caught several trout which became part of breakfast the next morning	704	1

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7/26/2019	5	LLV3 DAY 6 -- Hiked leisurely down the Little Lakes Valley Trail (aka the Morgan Pass Trail) to the trailhead at Mosquito Flat (10,240') -- We passed lots of other people (day hikers, backpackers, and fisherpersons) on our way out whereas there weren't very many during the preceding days	3.9	222	NOTE: We passed the wranglers/mules shortly after we left our base camp (around 09:30) but we reached the pack station about an hour before they did; in the meantime we had lunch (including cobbler and ice cream for several of us) on the outdoor veranda at the Rock Creek Lakes Resort a few miles down the road from the pack station. Our gear had already been placed on the loading dock when we arrived back at the pack station; after retrieving it we headed home, tired, in-need of a real shower, but quite happy.	704	1
<u>NOTE:</u>	6	LLV3 NOTE: Little Lakes Valley is a gorgeous place during the summer			There was a spectacular palette of various blooming wildflowers , there was lots of water in the streams and lakes, and beautiful snow-capped scenery -- There were also lots of mosquitos	704	
Week:			30.4	4,611			