

Alpine Scrambles Trip Report

Everett Mountaineers

Destination: Silver Peak Date of Trip: 5/30/98
 Map(s): USGS Snoqualmie Scramble Rating: This route should be 3-3
 Guidebook: _____ Summit Height: 5605
 Trailhead: Lake Annette Elevation Gain: 3,700
 Carpool at: SE 8th St. Park & Ride - Bellevue Miles Round Trip: 6.5
 Ascent Route: North ridge route via Annette Lake Trail. Route takes off from trail at 3200 feet up hill to base of north ridge and follows ridge to summit.

Descent Route: Planned descent was gliscade from summit to Lake Annette.

	<u>Party Members</u>	<u>Phone</u>			
1)	Bob Wicks		(Leader)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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From:			<u>Elapsed Times</u>		Student	Potential Leader	Reached Destination	Adequately Prepared	Comments Noted Below
	To:								
<u>Carpool</u>	<u>Trailhead</u>	<u>45 minutes</u>							
<u>Trailhead</u>	<u>Summit</u>								
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Overall Pace of Party:	<input type="checkbox"/> Leisurely	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moderate	<input type="checkbox"/> Intense						
Steepness/Difficulty:	<input type="checkbox"/> Can't fall	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Could fall	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Don't fall				<u>Other</u>		
Terrain Encountered:	<input type="checkbox"/> Rock	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Snow	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brush						
Equipment Recommended:	<input type="checkbox"/> Hardhat	<input type="checkbox"/> Crampons	<input type="checkbox"/> Rope						
Weather Conditions:	<u>overcast;</u>	<u>Fog;</u>	<u>cool</u>						
Was a handline used?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	(If yes, describe circumstances)						

Accident Involved? Yes No (If yes, submit and accident report)

Trip Narrative/Comments (about skills and conditioning of students)

Too little snow for this route this trip. Route depends on snow at 3,200 feet for approach. Absence of snow until nearly

4,200' made for an awkward bushwack. Fog and deteriorating weather as we reach the 4,800 ft shoulder made navigation tentative. This along with the inadequate snow for the intended glissade descent to Lake Annette prompted

our decision to abort at 4,900' and decent back along a similar line as our approach. Group was well prepared and had a good attitude through the unexpected route problems. Decision to abort was consensus. Good conditioning trip.

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