

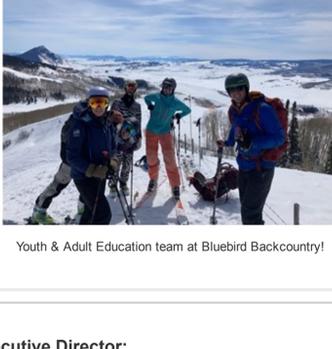
April 2022

Dear Friend,

Welcome back leaders!

March was another successful month of exciting adventure and leadership.

Thanks to all who contributed to the 117 trips and 30 courses led in the month of March. We could not do this without you!



Youth & Adult Education team at Bluebird Backcountry!

Reminder from your Executive Director:

For over a century we've provided smart, responsible, and honest mentorship enabling thousands of members to explore wild places.

We are still in a treacherous season. The snowpack in Colorado is famous for good reason. Continue to take your personal responsibility, and your leadership responsibility, seriously. Make sure your skills are sharp and current when considering terrain with snowpack. Know before you go, and ensure those around you have the necessary training and tools to mitigate the risks. If you are not aware of how to analyze terrain – get the training through our programs, and if your group is not equipped appropriately, get them equipped or avoid hazards.

Take care of yourself and others and continue to pass your knowledge on as to help others make informed decisions. You are building the next season and generation of leaders. YOU are part of CMC's legacy in leadership and adventure.

- Keegan Young

Executive Director



REGISTER HERE: First 50 people win a t-shirt

Leadership Summit 2022

Free registration to attend the Leadership Summit on May 21, 2022 is open! Enjoy a pancake and mimosa breakfast served by your CMC Staff and Board. Prizes, CMC Wilderness Medicine fanny packs, enriching learning sessions, and lunch included! More details are on our website weekly.

For those interested in participating in the Climbing Wall Training on Saturday submit the linked application to Graham Ottley graham@cmc.org prior to registering: Climbing Wall Leader Application



Reel Rock 16 Screening on Friday, May 20th

Join us for a special screening of Reel Rock 16 featuring four brand-new world premiere films from the creators of The Alpinist and The Dawn Wall. Tickets are free to volunteer leadership and include a drink and snack! Click here to register and help us spread the word.



Leader Reminders & Announcements

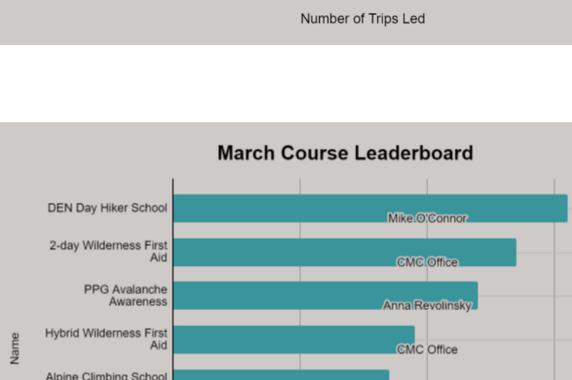
Update your trip or course/school status appropriately following the event.

- Mark as "Complete" only if the activity is an official CMC trip or field day having the recommended minimum of 4 participants and absolute minimum of 3 participants with a 2-way satellite communicator.
- If the activity falls below the 3 participant minimum or it is canceled, update the status from 'Approved' to 'Canceled'
- Any trips marked as 'Approved' will not be counted as completed until the status is updated

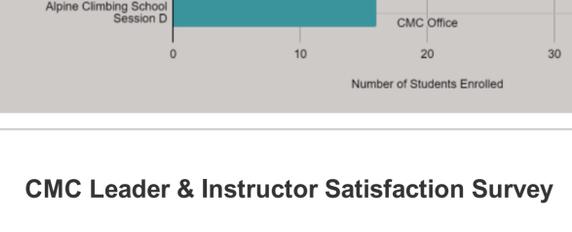
Include count of trip days in trip title for multi-day trips.

- To be recognized for each day of leading on a multi-day trip, please include the count of trip days in the trip title
e.g. BPX 4-Day CAMPING Trip to Dinosaur National Monument

March Trip Leaderboard



March Course Leaderboard



CMC Leader & Instructor Satisfaction Survey

Please take a moment to complete this 4 question survey. This is an anonymous, optional survey to be used by CMC Education Staff to measure your past experience as a guideline to enhance future leader support. Thank you for your time and commitment to CMC!

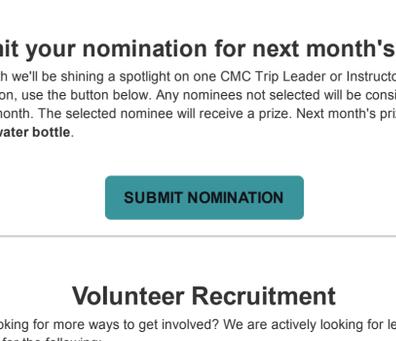
TAKE THE SURVEY

Volunteer Spotlight: Glenn Barr

Each month we will be highlighting a CMC leader or instructor.

The March leader of the month is Glenn Barr! Glenn has called Colorado home since 2003 and joined the CMC in 2014 after the kids left the house and solo adventuring was no longer a viable option. Currently serving as the CMC State Council Chair, a Pikes Peak Group Council member, instructor (wilderness fundamentals, backpacking, GPS basics, trip leader school) and trip leader, he mostly enjoys backpacking and introducing others to safe and fun enjoyment of Colorado's mountains and trails. Sometimes he is joined by Maggie the Cockapoo. Having completed over 50% of the Colorado Trail in section hikes, his near-term goal is to finish that before looking to the John Muir Trail in California as a thru-hike. He highly recommends members consider becoming a trip leader, so you always have folks to join you on your trips. Fun Fact: while he often hikes the Barr Trail on Pikes Peak (his first climb to the summit was in 1994), he is no relation (that he is aware of) to Fred Barr, the trail's founder who built it for his burro service starting in 1914.

We want to extend our deepest gratitude for all Glenn has done and continues to do for the Club! You rock Glenn!



Submit your nomination for next month's issue!

Each month we'll be shining a spotlight on one CMC Trip Leader or Instructor. To submit a nomination, use the button below. Only nominees not selected will be considered in the following month. The selected nominee will receive a prize. Next month's prize is a CMC Nalgene water bottle.

SUBMIT NOMINATION

Volunteer Recruitment

Are you looking for more ways to get involved? We are actively looking for leaders and instructors for the following:

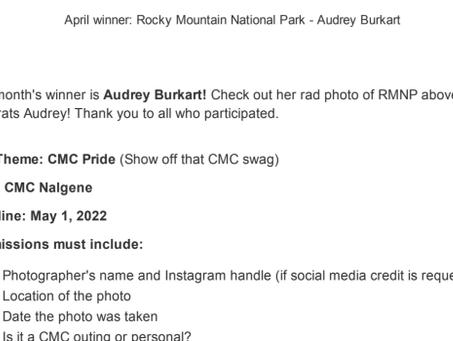
- [Ascending Hike Series - Trip Leaders/Co-leaders](#)
- [Day Hiker School - Senior & Assistant Instructors](#)
- [Beginner Snowshoe - School Director](#)
- [New Member Hike - Trip Leaders](#)
- [Trailblazers - Section Leaders](#)
- [Peak Crushers - Trip Leaders](#)
- [CMC Wilderness Medicine WFA - Instructors](#)
- [Technical Trip Leaders](#)

*Interested in having your volunteer needs included in a future issue, complete this form. Please note we have limited space in each issue, and we will do our best to accommodate all requests.

*Once your need is filled please let clairejoseph@cmc.org know and your posting will be removed.

LEARN MORE

Photo Submission Contest



April winner: Rocky Mountain National Park - Audrey Burkart

This month's winner is Audrey Burkart! Check out her rad photo of RMNP above. Congrats Audrey! Thank you to all who participated.

May Theme: CMC Pride (Show off that CMC swag)

Prize: CMC Nalgene

Deadline: May 1, 2022

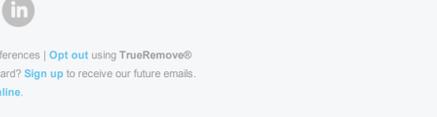
Submissions must include:

- Photographer's name and Instagram handle (if social media credit is requested)
- Location of the photo
- Date the photo was taken
- Is it a CMC outing or personal?
 - If CMC, please include the name of the outing

Send all submissions to: cmcticket@gmail.com

*By submitting your photos, you give permission to the Colorado Mountain Club to use them in any marketing efforts.

Pro Deal Spotlight



Access your Discount with CAMP!

CMC Trip Leaders can access a 30% discount & CMC Instructors access a 50% discount!

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