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Lakes H.Mackenzie & Battleship Loop (hiking)

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Thu Jul 03, 2014

Leader: **Denise Allard**

Co-Leader:

Of the seven hikers who met in front of the old church this morning, three were members I had not met before and one was a guest. It is always so pleasant to see new faces.

We started our counter clock walk to Helen Mackenzie around 11:15, under warm, mostly sunny skies and were amazed to see the array of stunning colors all around us..

Stopping for a short break at Lake H M , we decided to have lunch at the "ledge...", near the campsites. Only one of us knew about this area so we were keen to arrive. With a magnificent view of Mt.Elma and Mt.Brooks mirrored in the lake and a large, comfortable seating area, it made our day.The place was entirely ours, except for a few birds.

The skies turned grey and a chilly wind came up as we made our way along Battleship Lake so we were quite happy to reach our vehicles.

Four of us completed the day with warm beverages and sweets at our favorite spot.....t' was a very pleasant day in great company.



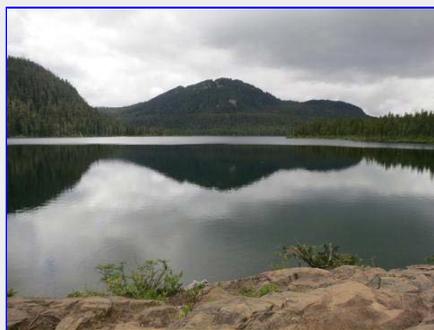
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at the ledge

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Mt Elma and Mt Brooks x 2

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heather all around

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lunch time
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November skies
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