

# LISTING OF TRAILS HEAD TREKS AND SITE TOURS

*LOCATIONS IN 5-YEAR INCREMENTS*



**TRAILS HEAD**  
CHAPTER

## 1996-2000

1996 Apr. 20—**trek:** Lexington to Independence Square (Santa Fe Trail); joint trek with Missouri River Outfitters of Santa Fe Trail Assn.

1996 June 6—**trail site:** celebration of 175th Anniversary of Santa Fe Trail on 167th St., near Lone Elm DAR marker in Olathe, with Ross Marshall, Craig Crease, and Arnold Schofield as speakers, on significance of Santa Fe Trail and of Lone Elm campground; one of Kansas Historical Society-planned celebratory nights from June 3rd through July 14th, with local Trails Head and MRO co-hosting the evening (planned by Trails Head, MRO provided many volunteers)

1996 Oct. 5—**trek:** Kansas River to New Santa Fe (Ft. Leavenworth to Ft. Scott Military Rd. in Johnson Co., KS)

1997 Mar. 2—**tour of archives:** Ann Reinert gave book review of Kenneth Holmes's Covered Wagon Women, at Park College Library, before Harold Smith gave tour of Park College Archives

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1997 Apr. 26—**trek:** Wayne City Landing to Independence Square & National Frontier Trails Museum (Santa Fe-Oregon-California trails); joint car caravan, with OCTA Gateway Chapter

1997 June 21—**trek:** Westport Landing to Westport (Westport Road of Santa Fe-Oregon-California trails)

1998 Feb. 21—**tour of archives:** tour of National Archives of Central Plains Region, 2312 E. Bannister [early location], before a lunch

1998 Apr.25—**trek:** Kmart, at Shawnee Mission Parkway & Antioch, to Ft. Leavenworth and 8-mile house (10 miles of Ft. Leavenworth branch of Oregon-California trails, which is section of Ft. Leavenworth to Ft. Scott Military Road, & to fork of Oregon-California trails with Ft. Leavenworth to Ft. Riley Rd.)

1998 Oct. 17—**trek:** Westport Landing to Westport; repeat of popular trek of June 21, 1997 (Westport Road of Santa Fe-Oregon-California trails)

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1999 May 1—**trek:** Westport Landing to St. Joseph, MO to visit Missouri River trail landings

1999 June 19—**trek:** Westport Landing to Gardner (Westport Route of Santa Fe-Oregon-California trails)

1999 Oct. 16—**trek:** Independence Landing (Wayne City Landing) to Gardner (Independence Route of Santa Fe-Oregon-California trails)

2000—no chapter treks scheduled as Trails Head hosted OCTA national convention

2000 June 21—**walking tour of historic site:** business meeting & picnic at Cave Spring Interpretive Center, at Gregory Blvd. & Blue Ridge, followed by walking tour to see DAR marker at 72nd & Blue Ridge and then to the area where the Barnes house once may have stood, east of DAR marker