

The hike was an amazing adventure. Highlight for me are:

The bonding our group obtained after over 90 days on the trail together.

The amazing people we met on the trail – everyone was excited to be out, and had stories to tell about their hike. Everyone from just one day, or the few thru hikers we met were always quick to tell us a story about their time on the trail.

As a group of small business owners it was fun to talk to café and bar owners we met in trail communities.

Wildlife was an added bonus to the trail. As we hike through three years, all seasons, we got to encounter deer, too many birds to document, bear and wolf tracks with only one bear sighting, beavers and their amazing dam building examples.

Finding hiking in new fallen snow was fun.

We had two amazing logistics member on our team in Susan Rather and Dan Knickmeyer who did and lion share of organizing our hiking days.

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