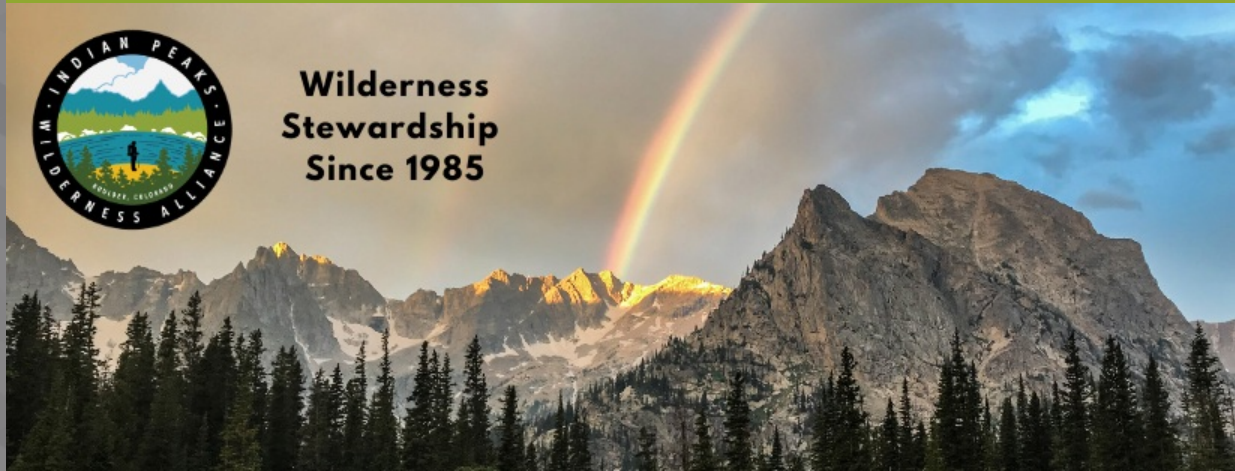




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Crosscut Sawyer Training: May 19th - 21st

We are looking for patrollers to join our Crosscut Sawyer team! We are very grateful to have secured our own training provided through the Forest Service. These classes are highly desired and hard to come by.

What is a crosscut sawyer?

Sawyers are individuals who have completed training and certification from a credentialed instructor to safely plan and execute the cutting and removal of large trees. This is especially important in our wilderness areas where no chainsaws are allowed. Fallen trees on the trail lead to rapid trail degradation and increased social trail build up. Removing these trees quickly helps to preserve the wilderness and support Leave No Trace principles.

What are the requirements?

- Active IPWA volunteer with one full summer season patrol completion.
- Current OSHA CPR/First Aid certification by May 19th.

What is the time commitment for training?

- The Crosscut Sawyer online training course + completed exam (8 hours). This is free through MSU.
- One Zoom call (evening), two days of practical, and an exam on a weekend with the certified instructor.

What are the expectations?

Once you have completed the course and received your certification from the instructor, you will be expected to actively help our sawyer team remove trees throughout the season.

If you are interested in joining this exciting training experience, please send an email expressing your interest to hikers@indianpeakswilderness.org.

We look forward to working with you!

Deadline for class sign up is March 15th!



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