

September

Photo: Day 134 Interim Report I'm fine, though hardly 10 degrees and really fresh wind.

We just have a breakfast ... (2017-09-01 14:06)



Day 134 Interim Report

I am fine, although only 10 degrees and really fresh wind is. We have just got a breakfast from Aleve and have to go now to arrive in the next shelter before the heavy rain. If I have network there, there is a detailed update. We will sit out the rain there.

Photo: Day 132 Es has everything a little getrop this morning, but the sun was shining, we were sat and rested and ... (2017-09-01 18:46)



Day 132

It has everything a little this morning, but the sun was shining, we were sat and rested and looking forward to the next section, the Shenandoah National Park. This is Al's home track, at least the first piece.

(2017-09-01 19:01)

Question: Hi Nicole, always nice of you to read and see pictures. Hope your feet feel better. We were with the WOMO ...(2017-09-05 21:39)

Hi Nicole, always nice to read from you and see pictures. Hope your feet are doing better. We were traveling with the WOMO. Berlin, Oder, Brandenburg, Usedom, Poland Baltic Sea, Ste n, Görlitz, Elbe Sandstone Mountains. Was fun. You also have fun and always good food and enough of it. Greetings Be na and Hans

Hey you two!

Nice to read from you

Have you already done it? If yes: Congratulations

We got soaked today, but from tomorrow enjoy a town-stay with laundry, shower and a lot of food

I hope you have some great days with the Womo this year and that you enjoy it as much as you had imagined Have a good time, Trail Snail

Question: Hey Trail Snail! When planning by Frodo nothing more can probably go wrong! ;-) Soon he's probably completely ... (2017-09-05 21:48)

Hey Trail Snail! In the planning by Frodo nothing can go wrong! ;-) Soon he is probably completely megalomaniac! Greetings from the office that I would like to swap for a shelter on the AT! Frank

Hi Frank!

Jou! When Frodo plans, my feet will get states! Today he "unfortunately" became so wet that I had to wring him out. Now he is a bit sneaky. I like him anyway

Unfortunately, I do not have a good network, but I hope for tomorrow (if we are in the rain to Waynesboro, VA) or better the day after tomorrow (Zeroday), that there is WiFi in the hostel. Then there are pictures again!

Photo: Day 132 Wir hiken in Shenandoah National Park. obediently on carrying our permit to the backpack and we now have so chic ...(2017-09-07 08:30)









Day 132

We hike in the Shenandoah National Park. At the moment we carry our permit on the backpack and we have got some nice stone pillars to show us the direction and the way to the mountains, shelters, springs, road or trail crossings. Blazes we have still excellent marked, which we can follow without the stone post

There are great views, which are of course also good if you have a car, if you take the Skyline Drive through the park. There are also the best, softest, best and most obstacle-free trail ever so far of the AT.

Photo: Day 133-137 Ihr need me the gathering forgive, but I can not transfer all the photos on the new smartphone and let the ... (2017-09-07 08:56)

Day 133-137













Day 133-137

You have to forgive me for gathering, but I cannot transfer all the photos to the new smartphone and left the old behind with Dolora. From 10.09.17 I have a new network provider and hopefully I can update again. So we have mostly good weather, consistently beautiful trails and lots of fun in Shenandoah. 101 miles long. So there are only 900 miles left.

I have seen a young bear approx. 3 meters from me, observed many deer and have with Al a great hiking partner, with the "together" works well and fun.

Frodo was not forgotten (though he always says that ...). We have specially organized a ranger for a photo shoot

The photo shows how to keep the bear bags out and slowly I get that with the cord-over- the branch.

Usually the hardest thing is to find a good branch.

Below: when it rains, we have shelter (heat is not there) in shelters sought. But I prefer tents, less noise, less smell, fewer mice!

Photo: Day 133-137Ihr need me the gathering forgive, but I can not transfer all the photos on the new smartphone and let the ... (2017-09-07 09:32)

Photo: Day 138 Wir yesterday in the rain, not in the drizzle! That's a difference! our 7 Miles gehikt to Waynesboro (2017-09-07 09:52)



Day 138

We are in the rain yesterday, not in the drizzle! That's a difference! our 7 Miles hiked to Waynesboro. My new shoes are not waterproof, so I developed webbed skins after 30 minutes. I'm curious how fast they dry today ...

Dolora got us wet hikers and with towels, dry linen and brownies Hhmm! provided. Then we are in the city: eat, hairdresser (disaster!) And inserts (hope for my badly wounded feet !!!) done. Short stop at Walmart for Resupply and then to Al and Dolora's hotel so Al could help me set up the new (his "old") smartphone. The great new smartphone even has a rain cover, so there will soon be photos in the rain ...

But today it seems! Yeah! So we have no rest day and start again. We have to use it!

Question: Dear Nicole, I express to you and Frodo firmly both fingers crossed that you get the visa extension !! Gratula ons to all your ...(2017-09-11 22:45)

Dear Nicole, I'm keeping both fingers crossed that you get the visa extension! Congratulations on all your miles, what a performance. All the best wishes you Angela :-))

Hi Angela, thanks for the good wishes! It's still going south and it looks like we do not get Irma really off. Phew!

Tomorrow I will be able to complete all the necessary preparations to get on my feet with Frodo again on Wednesday. 806 miles and autumn has already started.

I think of you and hope you have a little vacation again?!?!)

Question: man, now I have only found Frodo in the picture with the woman Ranger! So a daring guy! ;-) Greetings from the ... (2017-09-11 22:53)

Man, now I have only found Frodo in the picture with the woman Ranger! So a daring guy! ;-)

Greetings from the office, Frank

Yes, you should have seen him ... and he wraps all the women around the little finger and for him they do everything and he is the swarm of all female beings and, it was unbearable right now he is back because of something sour, but I'll fix that tomorrow.

Goodnight Trail Snail at base camp

Photo: Day 139 Das was the day on which Happy Feet (Al) and I are 3.5 hours long gelatscht in continuous rain to Waynesboro. It was cold... (2017-09-13 00:19)



Day 139

That was the day when Happy Feet (Al) and I slipped into Waynesboro for 3.5 hours in constant rain. It was cold and wet and we were very glad that Dolora picked us up from the trailhead and had towels.

Photo: Day 140 Wir are straight on because of the beautiful We ers the next day. Humpback Mountain would be overcome. The picture...(2017-09-13 00:27)



Day 140

We are the next day because of the beautiful We the next day. Humpback Mountain wanted to overcome

become. The picture above shows the great view from there, 30 meters from our tents. It was a very nice, quiet day, even if it got a bit cool in the evening..

Photo: Day 140 Li o: Farewell at the parking lot of Dolora to us in a few days from the trail in Buena Vista abholt.Re o: these are ... (2017-09-13 00:33)





Day 140

Li o: Farewell to the parking lot of Dolora, which picks us up in a few days from the trail in Buena Vista.

Re: These are Switchback and Wizard, two of the fast, new guys who overtake us old, slow guys

U: Happy Feet at the everyday Zeltau au.

Photo: Day 141 Ein Another cool, sunny day. Virginia continues to offer super beautiful trails with Serpen nen 1a and neat ...(2017-09-13 00:39)





Day 141

Another cool, sunny day. Virginia continues to offer super nice trails with Serpen nen and 1a maintained State. It is a pleasure to hike here and the ups and downs are almost always rewarded with beautiful views.

Photo: Day 142 Huh stand today, "The Priest" with a Ans eg over 1000 meters above sea level. Not that this was our only today ...(2017-09-13 00:54)





Day 142

Huh today was "The Priest" with a climb over 1000 meters altitude. Not that that would have been our only today, but not so consistently is not the case. Happy Feet has let it hunt something in the boxhorn, but then we are comfortably on a great trail with Serpen NEN and most pleasant slope as high marches. Was not bad

There is a shelter up there and it is a good idea to confess in the logbook your sins. Was very entertaining to browse in there

Wildlife: we hear occasional owls and, more recently, coyotes, but mostly only the little animals can be seen. (That's okay too!)

Photo: Day 143 Nach an ass cold night we went back the next morning at temperatures below 5 degrees more over many hills, the top ... (2017-09-13 01:00)







Day 143

After a cold night, the next morning, at temperatures below 5 degrees, we continue over many hills, which above open a grassland saddle with a view. That's really nice and it does not like it.

After an ass cold night we went back the next morning at temperatures below 5 degrees more over many hills that might come up as open grassland saddle with views up o. That is really nice and we and get the best of it.

Photo: Day143 Wieschongesagt: Grass Landscha undSchme Erlinge.
(DieichdankderbesserenKamera in AI's borrowed Smartphone ...(2017-09-13 01:09)







Day 143

As I said: grassland and grass. (Which I can now take pictures thanks to the better camera in Al's borrowed smartphone)

However, you can see that it is clearly autumn.. I still have to hike 800 miles and I do not feel like it
Rumbling snow. At least my direction is south

Photo: egum10Uhr von Dolora abgeholt Day 144

**Wir wurden nacheinander eingeladen aber angenehme Abs. Here my hiking season ends with
...(2017-09-13 01:18)**







Day 144

We were picked up from Dolora at 10 o'clock after a long but pleasant descent. Here ends my hiking time with Happy Feet. After more than 200 miles, it will be difficult for me to continue hike alone. It was fun to hike with Happy Feet and that's why I hate to lose it. Nice that he continues to support me as my personal trail angel. THANK YOU!

Photo: Day 145 Zeroday at base camp. I spend one day at Al and Dolora at home to seal my tent, the new phone ...(2017-09-13 01:26)





Day 145

Zeroday in the base camp. I spend a day at Al and Dolora at home to seal my tent, to get the new phone on, to correct the botched hair, to prepare the next mail drops and to get acquainted with the rest of the route. I am spoiled with culinary delights and get clean linen and can shower as I want

Above you can see a Trail Angel at work. Hair shears left and old seal peeling off right.

**Photo: Day146 Ichhabgedacht, ichmussmeinewarmeJackeanziehenalsichheutevormi
agunghewohnt alone again in the forest ...(2017-09-13 21:52)**



Day 146

I thought, I have to put on my warm jacket when I am now unusually alone again disappeared in the woods, but the typical late summer in Virginia with 25 degrees and lukewarm humidity is back. Sweat! Otherwise I have a dream trail and met a few people. We've met Chipmunk and Nemophilantropist before ...

It's funny to see the forest so colorful and then have such warm temperatures. That somehow does not fit into my picture

Photo: Day 146 Es was still beautiful sunny and then the greenery and increasingly colorful I like still very good, the ... (2017-09-13 22:03)









Day 146

It was then still nice and sunny and lots of greenery and increasingly colorful I still like very well The small with the blue tail has met me on a bridge. We made a deal: he stopped shortly and I let him pass

Photo: Day 146 Das was then I saw the chic bridge with the small EchseAls in the river a road, I thought at first it would be a ... (2017-09-14 21:10)



Day 146

That was the smart bridge with the small lizard

When I saw a branch in the river, I thought at first it was a crocodile, but so far south I'm not

Trail Snail, Punchbowl Shelter, VA, AT

Photo: Day 147 Der day started beautifully. I woke up with the first light at 6:15 am and at 7:30 we went wrong(2017-09-14 21:10)







Day 147

The day started beautifully. I woke up at 6:15 am with the first light on and then we left at 8:30. Frodo reminded me that yesterday we passed the 800-mile mark. So he laid the leaves and everyone can see it. There are still 800 miles left to hike here. First we climbed Bluff Mountain. The trail is great and the many ups and downs are okay. We have it though very humid and in the eferen situations, the sweat just runs down on me. Sweating is announced

Photo: Day 147 ... and something sad: I saw my first dead person today. A Hiker lay directly in a boulder field next to ... (2017-09-14 21:29)



Day 147

... and something sad: I saw my first dead person today. A hiker lay directly in a boulder field next to the trail. There was already a ranger there, but she was waiting for the police and the doctor and so was the dead man as found face down and the backpack on his back in the stones.

I walked on and saw the sheriff, the doctors, 2 helpers, 2 policemen, 2 firemen, 6 mountain guards, 4 other rangers and 4 other mountain guards with stretcher. I talked to Voices and Ripples on two Southbounders and Voices met the dead two days ago on the trail. After what I saw, I probably did not know him.

Photo: Day 147 Ein long day with the longest pedestrian bridge of the AT. Pause for the feet was necessary and on the road we meet ...(2017-09-14 21:29)



JAMES RIVER FOOT BRIDGE

Dedicated to the memory of
William T. Foot (1946-2000),
A tireless trail worker and enthusiast
whose vision, persistence, and efforts
made this bridge a reality.
Bill was an Appalachian Trail thru-hiker,
past president of the
Natural Bridge Appalachian Trail Club,
and past member of ATC's Board of Managers.
He and his wife, Laurie, "The Happy Feet",
were the first to complete the coast-to-coast
American Discovery Trail in 1997.
Bill pursued his passions, honored his dreams,
and cherished those around him.

Dedicated October 14, 2000







Day 147

A long day with the longest pedestrian bridge of the AT.

Break for the feet was necessary and on the way we always meet the autumn.

Question: Hi Nicole! I hope it works this time with my message to you, the fourth attempt

?! I have you totally remember ...(2017-09-16 12:46)

Hi Nicole! Hopefully it works this time with my message to you, 4th attempt? I did not forget you at all and read your adventures regularly! I'm really proud of you, you're really toe, despite the pain, I'm always grateful ... I'm thankful for your angels around you and that you're not alone! I think of you and wish you a nice journey! Big hug Andrea and co

Hey, what a surprise! Nice to hear from you, good that you have not given up! Hope you and your baggage are doing well! Let it be good and see you soon if the offer still stands LG Trail Snail

Question: Hey honey, it's still exciting to read here! I hope you follow only pleasant experiences and that autumn so beautiful ...(2017-09-16 12:49)

Hey sweetie, it's still exciting to read here! I hope it will be followed by beautiful experiences and that the autumn will stay so nice :-). Here it is currently rainy and cool, but we enjoy the days off :-D. Best regards, feel hugged, Brigi e: - *

I agree with you Brigi e, hopefully it will stay so nice here. At the moment, the best we and the best trail! Do not let that bother you ... We will not spoil the mood and have fun in the free time. LG Trail Snail

Photo: Day 148 Wieder a long day with tollstem We it (as long as you stay above 1000m!). The trail is great and so I nozzle 17 to ...(2017-09-16 13:02)







Day 148

Another long day with great fun (as long as you stay over 1000m!). The trail is awesome and so I spend 17 to 19 miles a day over the Appalachians

I still meet a lot of hikers, but it's just a bit quieter and I enjoy it a lot. The guillotine was the coolest sight of the day.

I hope I have net again tonight, then there is day 149 for you ...

Photo: Day 149 Ha, with the new network provider and thanks to Al's generous loan smartphone, I'm back regularly ... (2017-09-16 21:55)





Day 149

Ha, with the new network provider and thanks to Al's generous smartphone rental, I am again able to communicate regularly.

I thought I'm going 18 miles today, but who can count is at an advantage. It would have been 21, but after 20, my feet hurt so much that I just pitched my tent 1 mile before the Wilson Creek Shelter. That was enough! The mountains here are only about 1000m high, but they send one up and down, which is exhausting even with a great trail. In addition, it is still very warm and humid. This is normal for the area, but I find it uncomfortable and sweaty.

Water is just scarce, but with two liters I can wash the dirt off of me, cook dinner and can still drink something. Cool, right?

Photo: Day 149 The left two images are after Mo o what lying around so everything on the way and is dangerous. The Copperhead ...(2017-09-17 18:52)







Day 149

The left two pictures are after the Mo o, which is lying around on the way and is dangerous. The Copperhead (Copperhead) Snake were thankfully in ecstasy, otherwise I would get caught, because I took my foot off of them. And the acorns are mostly downhill like ice. Frodo complains, I should go quieter and he does not like snakes anyway ...

Otherwise he'll just put his ears on it, so that he gets windy and we can fly so fast. The two pictures on the right are more usual. The yellow clown caterpillar was just a special example of the many bugs that I encounter ... The spider webs are usually stretched right across the path at the mouth and eye level. Being the first to be on the road in the morning is really a disadvantage.

(2017-09-18 11:49)

This is the link to Al's diary, when we were traveling together

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Photo: Day 150 Gestern it was time, I'm in not so great height on the road and the temperatures and Lu damp ness ... (2017-09-18 12:05)



Day 150

Yesterday it was time, I'm currently not so high altitude and the temperatures and the humidity make me really tired. At almost 30 degrees in the jungle climate mountains up and down my body does not like it.

So I'm in Daleville in a motel, put my overstretched feet up and Frodo was on the TV. My sore throat is still not gone and my legs do not want anymore. It's a day's rest, so tomorrow I'll just pick up my parcel from the post office and do nothing else.

Photo: Day 151 Das WiFi Motel radio oniert not, but I just use my data volume. So much I need anyway nicht.Oben ... (2017-09-18 12:38)



Day 151

The WiFi in the motel does not work, but I'm just using my data. I do not need that much anyway. Above: the view from my door and my feet raised. It will not be more today. The weather forecast threatens with 7 more days of heat and humidity

That's going to be hard!

Well, I'm going to reduce the miles and comfort myself by getting at least a bit of altitude in the next few sections.

Frodo thinks it's great, he says: nice and warm and it does not rain!

Yes Perfect! But it would not even be such a big difference, because it's all soaking wet, what I'm wearing on my body and the rest is always wet.

Well, enough whining

After all, the sun is shining, I'm taking a little vacation and my body will have recovered enough by tomorrow so far that we can comfortably hike on. Trail Snail, Daleville, VA, AT

(2017-09-19 21:14)

Day 152

Tumblr is spinning again!

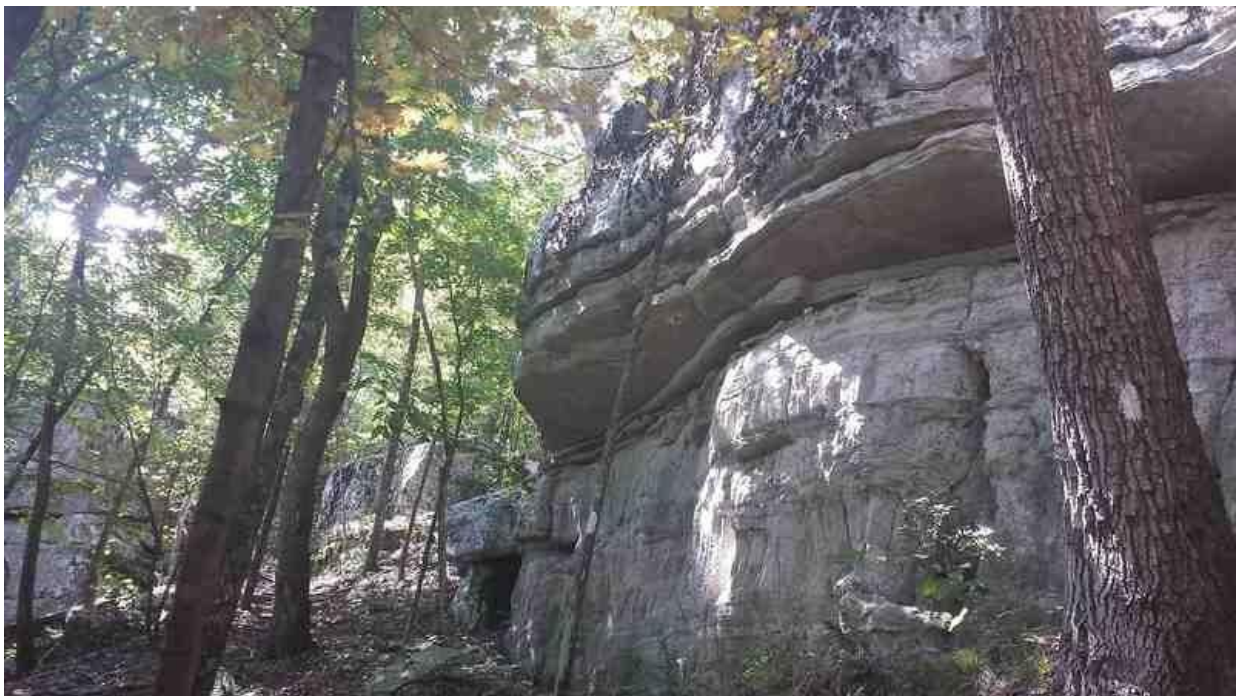
Frodo and I are fine. Are in good weather and trail in beautiful landscape on road.

Have met again O-man and hike a bit with him

Tomorrow a famous photo-angel will be waiting for us and a short 11-mile-day

Trail Snail, Campbell Shelter, VA, AT

Photo: Day 152 Tumblr has crashed wieder. Frodo (right) and I have today, after initial fog a great, not too ... (2017-09-19 21:16)





Day 152

Tumblr is crazy again.

Frodo (pictured right) and I had a great, not too hot day today after the initial fog. The views were great and the trail was good.

We have also met Oman again, which makes me very happy

Maybe he'll slow down for a few days and we'll hurry up a bit ...

Tomorrow a famous photo rock will arrive and it will be a short while until the next hostel.

**Photo: Day 153 Mc Affee Knob, was equal to the highlight of the day. And we had luck!
Best view and the sun came behind the ...(2017-09-20 18:22)**





Day 153

Mc Affee Knob was the highlight of the day. And we are lucky! Best view and the sun came out behind the few clouds.

The rest of the day was just beautiful. Even with 25 degrees it was very warm, but with an equal share of water in the air. The only 10.5 miles to the hostel were very relaxed and so we were there early, could take a shower (gorgeous !!!!!), do laundry and an ice cream is also available later

Question: me you would be so relaxed and happy to see. still a nice walk and lots of fun.
mab(2017-09-20 19:46)

mab-sissi: I'm glad to see you so relaxed and happy. continue a nice way and have fun. mab

Yes, I still enjoy it, even though they have just made my fine, expensive and, above all, only trousers kaput by having them softened

I really had to cry, but cannot change anything, so it's not worth it to get worked up. Otherwise I can just enjoy my adventure again

Photo: Day 153 Frodo of course also sat on the edge and had breakfast with O-man. He says in which he feels he is ... We(2017-09-20 19:53)





Day 153

Of course, Frodo also sat on the edge and had breakfast with O-man. He says that he feels good and he cannot complain about too little wildlife ...

Photo: Day 153 Wir have only just coping with water scarcity, but the frog looked quite fit off.The turtle has actually ... (2017-09-20 20:08)







Day 153

We're struggling with water shortage, but the frog looked fit.

The turtle has actually tried to run away from me. She was not that slow! When I picked her up for a photo on the way, she hissed at me sweet, right ?!

So here's one of my secrets for taking pictures of Schme: Bäensch ... for that they even skip the caution

Question: the frog I have only seen in the magnification, had previously always gets separated only on the root around. ;)) As a suchbild(2017-09-22 13:22)

mab-sissi: I only saw the frog in the magnification, but I used to dig around only at the root. ;)) like a search picture. but that was not too dangerous for frodo to stand on the precipice, because there would already be a slight breeze, and aabwääärär. what does the extension, already heard? LG MaB

Yes, the animals usually disguise themselves really well. Today, except for the following evening.

On the 29th of August. I have received confirmation from the Office that they have received my request for renewal. Otherwise nothing else

LG Trail Snail

Question: Dear Nicole, just came back from my second big show and now it's around. Holidays not because my little one ...(2017-09-24 20:27)

Dear Nicole, just came back from my second big show and now it's around. Holiday y unfortunately not because my little cat is a nursing case. WOW, how far you are again! It must be something very special, what you experience and master on your trail. Your photos are great and the scenery is very nice. The weather is much better than here despite the humidity. It has suddenly become autumn in our country. Does it work with your visa extension? LG Angela

Dear Angela, I already thought that you are working a lot, hope you are in between also ne to you That with your little cat I'm very sorry. I hope it will not be too bad for you both!

There is nothing new about the visa extension, but otherwise everything is fine. Well, right down to my feet. But it is pure sun and just so unbearable. It does not really suit the falling leaves

Photo: Day 154 Noch 700 miles! Today is always the day of the numbers. Frodo and I are exactly 5 months on the road, have hiked 1,500 miles, ...(2017-09-24 20:47)





Day 154

700 miles left! Today is the day of numbers. Frodo and I are exactly 5 months on the road, have walked 1500 miles, we climbed 2,400 kilometers. Unbelievable?! Now there are 700 miles left, a third yet.

This morning we climbed up to the Dragons Tooth (Dragon's Tooth). Virginia can also with rocks and has lying on the back of the mountain, the stones on the path (etching!) The next mountain was good again. Only the meeting with the Hiker in the ugly underpants (and nothing else except backpack!) Was not so great ...

Photo: Day 154Links Dragons Tooth, right single wildlife today. (2017-09-24 20:50)





Day 154

Left Dragons Tooth, right single wildlife today.

**Photo: Day 155 Nach an owl concert last night, we are now in a varied landscape arc go.
You Blacksnake was ...(2017-09-24 20:55)**





Day 155

After an owl concert last night, we are now in a varied landscape. On the way. The Black Snake was a little longer than my hiking poles and feverish, but awkward

Photo: Day 155 Die Keffer Oak is more than 300 years, the oldest and largest in the south of AT Eiche. Auf today there were the meadows ... (2017-09-24 21:01)









Day 155

The Keffer Oak is more than 300 years, the oldest and largest in the south of AT oak.

There were dozens of butterflies in the fields today, but I only caught the little, shy, blue one. The brown one was quite tall and not as well camouflaged as he thought ...

Photo: Day 15 6Heute we were only in the green tunnel, up to a prospect that enjoyed Frodo hat.Li u: so looks nicer ... (2017-09-24 21:07)









Day 156

Today we were only in the green tunnel, except for a view that Frodo also enjoyed.

Li u: that's what beautiful Virginia Trail looks like

Re u: that's how bad Virginia Trail looks like

Photo: Day 156 Heute it was a frog and a toad. The Chipmunk morning was too fast and the four dead squirrels on the ...(2017-09-24 21:09)





Day 156

Today it was a frog and a toad. The chipmunk this morning was too fast and I wanted to spare you the 4 dead squirrels on the hunter's line.

Photo: Day 157 Jetzt I begin already to photograph the water points. Water is just very tight and bes mmt daily planning(2017-09-24 21:21)





Day 157

Now I'm starting to photograph the waterholes. Water is currently very scarce and determines the daily schedule. Today we have 12 miles without water, and then we were happy that the spring at our campsite is still dripping.

Re: we're just running o through rhododendron forest. Since there is the tunnel effect especially. It is especially dark at 7 o'clock in the morning (when the sun is not over the mountain).

By the way, the light is running out! At 7:30 in the morning and 7:15 in the evening. That I'm in my tent from 8:30 to 7:30 in the morning. I sleep at least 10 hours of it.

Photo: Day 158 Das light goes on straight and we're on our way to escape the sun. There were only 9.5 miles to Pearisburg ...(2017-09-26 12:22)



Day 158

The light is just starting and we are already on our way to escape the sun. It was only 9.5 miles to Pearisburg today, where we stay in a hostel.

Li: Down in the valley, the fog hangs, i. It will be warm and unpleasant later.

Re: sometimes we can go through open scenery. I like these grass and bush lands, but mostly we go in the woods.

The daylight is getting less and less. At 19:15 clock it gets dark and at 6:30 clock again bright. My body finds the long time in the tent great, I usually sleep 10 hours. I need them right now!

Photo: Day 159 Angel's Rest Hiker Hostel Li o: our bunk room. The Bunkbed in the e mi with many stuff it's mine. Re...(2017-09-26 14:16)





Day 159

Angel's Rest Hiker Hostel

Li o: our bunk room. The Bunkbed in the middle with all the stuff on it is mine.

Re o: this is what our common room and kitchen looks like from the outside. O-man and I have since cleared out the fridge and the storage cabinet and cleaned. U: Community room with DVD collection

We are not far from here to the supermarket, the ice cream and burger shop and the good Mexican. Everything is so within reach

The showers and bathroom facilities are good and clean, the people are very nice and there is a relaxed atmosphere. Is a good hostel Frodo sits in such places rather shy in his pocket and sleeps. Fine with me, he does not do anything!

Photo: Day 159 Den dinosaur beetle, I found cool. Unfortunately, he has not kept s ll, therefore somewhat blurred. He was as big as ...(2017-09-26 22:32)



Day 159

The dinosaur beetle, I found cool. Unfortunately, he did not keep still, so something blurred. It was as big as my index finger, just thicker and crawling on the porch when we ate some ice cream again

I'm looking forward to the next trail, which should be very nice, but first Happy Feet and I have to regain altitude and up to the next ridge

It is cooler up there and from the day after tomorrow it should basically cool down. Best conditions, then ... Trail Snail, Pearisburg, VA, AT

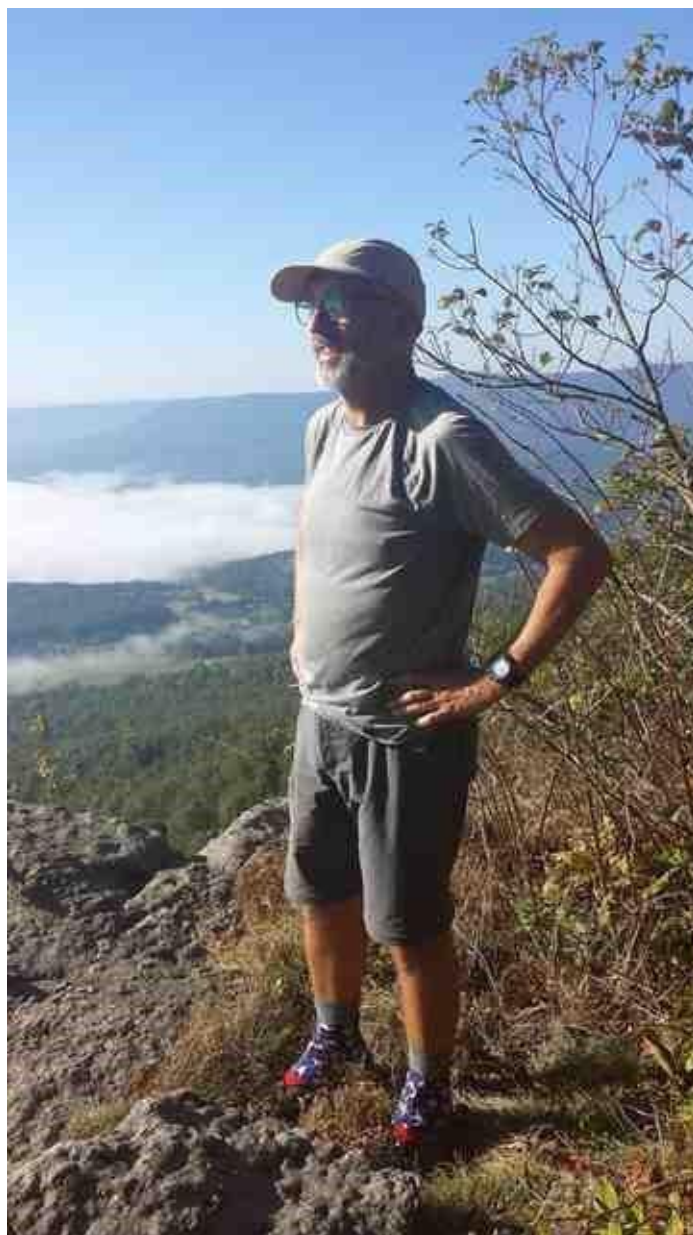
Photo: Day 160 Es was a very nice and short day today, so Happy Feet, Frodo and I were able to enjoy it. The sun was ...(2017-09-29 20:08)



Day 160

It was a very nice and short day today so Happy Feet, Frodo and I were able to enjoy it. The sun was still warm, but okay and the trail was okay too. We had a new launch this morning and now gondolas at 3000 feet around (about 1000 m). This is very pleasant in terms of temperature

Photo: Day 160 Happy Feet has joined us for a minimum to Damascus. Although individually each and hikt because I ...(2017-09-29 20:14)





Day 160

Happy Feet has joined us for at least until Damascus. Although each of us hike individually because I find that much more relaxed, it is nice if we meet during the day times, or just in the evening together open our camp.

The people on the right were very hardworking at a shelter and felled a tree and set it aside to create more room for an extension.

Photo: Day 161 Es was not cold when we left this morning from the hostel with an esoteric touch. We have there directly ...(2017-09-29 20:21)





Day 161

It was not cold when we left the hostel this morning with an esoteric note. We pitched our tents right next to the pigs but with a great view. There was delicious organic food and a little playmate to play with

In the morning it was only foggy, but the sun came through and it was humid.

Photo: Day 161 Wir are much walked through rhododendrons, under there, it is always a bit cooler and darker. With the...(2017-09-29 20:28)





Day 161

We walked a lot through rhododendrons, it's always a bit cooler and darker underneath. With the sunspots together, it's not so easy to get ahead without stumbling. You can hardly recognize the bumps and stones.

Re: again a little bridge without water. Here it is really dry!

Has anyone counted the many days without rain? As a hiker, dry is always better than muddy!

Photo: Day 162 man, now it's getting scary! We already best he and this time also on the temperature here. It...(2017-09-29 20:39)





Day 162

Man, now it's getting scary!

Again, he and this time also the temperature. It is pleasantly warm to cool (when the wind blows on the heights and in the evening). Great colors everywhere. Really great!

It's an anniversary gift from the Trailgod Now there are still 600 miles (still just under 1000 kilometers). Frodo and I manage that too The day started off well with a delicious breakfast toast at a quaint corner shop with a very small owner

Unfortunately, I had to recharge 3.5 liters of water if we did not want to hike a marathon route to the next water. We did not want!

So we have prepared for the dry camping on the ridge. Groan!

Photo: Day 162 Li: Is really super nice here! Re: Frodo wanted to show how great he can disguise himself. Can you find him? (2017-09-29 20:47)





Day 162

Li: Is really super nice here!

Re: Frodo wanted to show how great he can disguise himself. Can you find him?

Photo: Day 162 So, now you're back up to date, we have found a unforgettable Camp Place.. Without water but ...(2017-09-29 20:56)





Day 162

So, now you are up to date again. We have found a large campsite. Although without water but with sunshine, in the beautiful Jefferson National Forest, where we have been hiking for at least a week. Enjoy!

Trail Snail; 596.4; VA, AT

Ps: the water under the bridge on the right you should not drink.

Question: hi nic, I really found it, the master of camouflage. I am happy for you, that's it we so beautiful. with us...(2017-09-30 14:29)

mab-sissi: hi nic, I have really found him, the master of camouflage. I am glad for you that it is so beautiful. It's going to be autumn, with storm and all. continue to have fun and happiness. lg lg lg mab

Did he make you cool, right ?!

I hope it stays there for a while Indian Summer