

# Huckleberry Point

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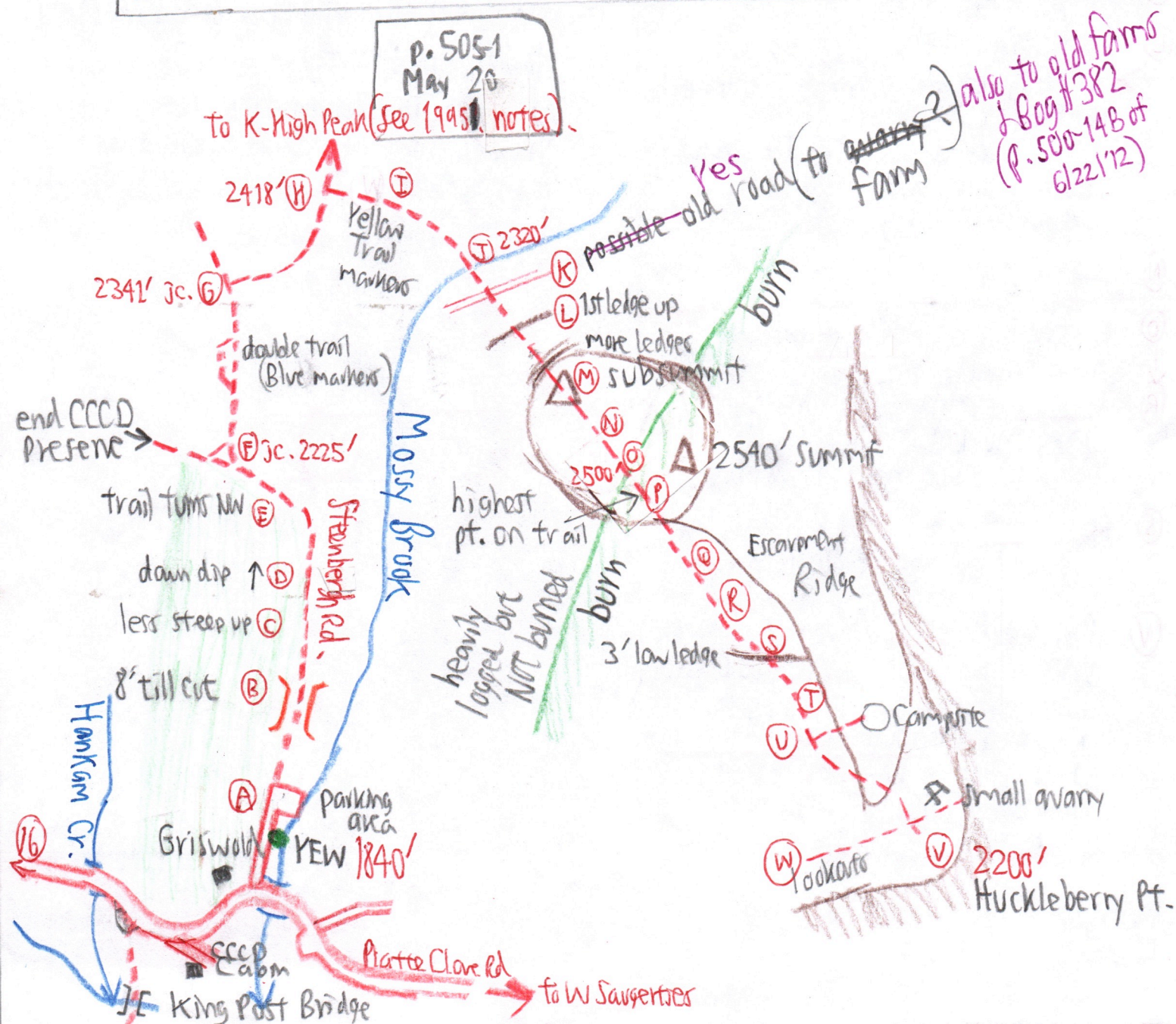
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for photos for Mtn. Top Hist. Soc. 6/24/04 lecture

No barometer brought. Times recorded to estimate distance & elevation

Schedule	UP	POINT	DOWN	Miles
	11-23 AM	A	2:37 PM	0.00
	11-25	B		
	11-30	C	2:30	
	11-32	D	2:27	
	11-37	E		
	11-38	F	2:22	
	11-43	G	2:15	1.05
	11-46	H	2:12	
	11-47	I		
	11-55	J	2:03	
	11-56	K		
	11-58	L	1:55	
	12:00 N/A	M		
	12:05	N		
	12:07	O		
	12:09	P	1:50	
	12-18	Q	1:37	
	12-20	R	1:35	
	12-25	S		
	12-26	T	1:26	2.45

(from NWNJ Trail Conf Map #41)



# Vegetation:

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- (A) Yew between <sup>end of</sup> parking lot & Mossy Brook
- (C) BB<sup>1</sup>
- (C) to (H) Dak<sup>2</sup> common, but not dominant  
One near (E) Stump 22" = 105y
- (E) ASH.
- (G) young SPRUCE.
- (I) DAK<sup>2</sup> becomes dominant.  
FIR & SPRUCE saplings. E white pine.  
ASH. OAKs to 33"  
Repro beneath DAKs<sup>2</sup> is beech, HEM,  
MO, SUB = returning to Nfldws.
- (K) SPRUCE to 6". ILEX MANT
- (L) Last ASH to 14". OAK<sup>2</sup> dom.  
→ 1st PBS, become common abruptly.  
HEM to 20"  
CB-LL-MC-S-AA-TB-TU-MITCH-  
AN with Nfldws-HEM repro.  
Ground cover still boreal.
- (N) Oak to 24"
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- (O) Enter burn. Klat becomes  
abun. rapidly, PB, HAMAM, <sup>4</sup>young  
chestnut,  
(R) VACER<sup>5</sup>, PTERIDIUM, AZALEA, APEL  
DAK; MO, RM. (Ground cover boreal  
ceases) ILEX MANT, EWH PINE.
- (S) Pitch pine enter. 2 Chestnut oak.  
Spruce saplings. E white pine.
- (V) PB, Gaultheria<sup>7</sup>, Aronia in flower  
VACC ANG, & VACC VAC, PIERVILLA,  
HAMAM, AZALEA, EWH PINE.  
RED PINE, GAULTHERIA<sup>7</sup> 1 CH DAK<sup>9</sup>,  
SORB, HEM, RM, CYRTIPEIDIUM  
in flower, KLAT<sub>3</sub>, TB, MC,  
VACER<sub>5</sub>

# Photos:

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- (V) 2 looking down Platte Clove to  
W-Sawerties with Escarpment in haze
- 3 of the point veg.
- 3 of the small quarry \*
- 2 of Pitch pine - Oak - Klat
- (V) 1 of campsite with Pitch dom  
and Vacc understory.
- \* Two searches for the old road (Mto  
Huckleberry Pt. taken with John Dwyer  
in 1995 - the short cut from Platte Clove Rd)  
yielded nothing. Only a herd path to  
more lookouts (W). Therefore none of the 4 or 5  
larger quarries could be photographed.

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