

August 2013 Mammoth Cave

Restoration Camp

Aug 5th -7th... We worked on the historic side of the cave for the first 3 days. We had a lint crew led by Linda Bundy, chop shop crew in Vanderbilt hall led by Larry Bundy, a wire crew in bottomless pit to great relief hall area by Roy Vanhoozer, and a concrete crew led by Larry Sowers.

- **Lint about 5 gallons**
- **Wire-1200 feet of 1inch wire and 100 feet of 3 inch high voltage**
- **Concrete-2 pads one by Giants coffin and 1 by 2nd TB Hut 4000 lbs**
- **Chop Shop cut 100 board feet of wood and moved 200 feet of wire to base of mammoth Dome and moved 100 bags of wood already cut and bagged.**

Aug 7th and 8th... We entered the Frozen Niagara entrance at 8:30AM each morning and walked the 4300 feet to the end of the Aero Bridge area. On Thursday, we moved the 500 feet of 4 inch, and 1000 feet of one inch we had precut in May 825 feet from transformer GS-7 to the end of Aero Bridge. Roy Vanhoozer's team cut 275 feet of 4 inch and 275 feet of 1 inch wire. On Friday, Larry Matiz and a few others continued cutting the one and 4 inch wire for a total of 275 of each diameter for the 2 days, and then moved it to our pile at the end of aero Bridge. The rest of us split into 3 groups and moved the 775 feet of the 4 inch high voltage wire and 1275 feet of one inch wire the 1000 feet to the back of Grand Central Station. Jonathon Lewis found a small person size hole near the climb up to grand canyon where we had removed wire back in May. He and Rick Olson filled it in with rocks. Grand Central Station will be the final staging area before we attempt to carry the wire out the 2500 feet to the Frozen Ent

- **Cut 275 feet of 1 and 4 inch wire**
- **Moved 1275' one inch and 775 feet 4 inch 1825 feet down the trail through the Grand Canyon, Aero Bridge to the Grand Central Station**
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Whats Cooking...Mark Williams Jon Durall T shirts ...Bottle of Wine (Mark) Geode (Jon)

Notable Newbie....Aaron Testor

Sack Rat....Aime West (Tinkerbelle)

Can do it (Stephen Bishop)...John Kirk

Everett Pullium; Special Poop award.