

**Hike Schedule**  
**FEBRUARY 2018**



**Founded in 1921**  
**Utica, New York**  
**Trampntrail.org**

**MEMBERS: Please volunteer to lead or co-lead a hike. We had 120 hikes last year!**  
The 18 people on the hike committee cannot be expected to fill the schedule on their own.  
If you are able to put a hike on but don't really know how to get started, see our FAQ section on the website; call a hike committee member; or contact Mary Pat Connors: 315-723-0085.  
The hike/kayak/ski/snowshoe does not have certain criteria. YOU decide the location, start time, length and pace.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** All hikes will start at the time and location specified in each individual hike description. In order to facilitate carpooling, these locations will be within 15 miles of Utica. Leaders and co-leaders will have phone numbers listed so that they may answer any questions participants may have about possible last-minute hike changes. Please try to arrive at the starting location 15 minutes before the start time so that you can be signed in and receive instructions. **Reminder: If you plan to meet at the trailhead, call the leader to verify scheduled activity for late modifications.**

**HD** - Hiking Distance (Total both ways)    **DD** - Driving Distance (One way from meeting place)  
**B** - Bike    **H** - Hike    **S** - Ski    **SS** - Snowshoe  
**C/K** - Canoe/Kayak    **TM** - Trail Maintenance

**Required accessories: Helmets for a bike; PFDs for canoe/kayak.**

**SCHEDULE SUMMARY**

DECEMBER 2017		JANUARY 2018		FEBRUARY 2018	
2	Critz Farm - H/S/SS	1	Colgate Ski Trails - H/S/SS	3	Tirrell Pond - H/S/SS
3	Fern Park - H/SS	6	Third to Limekiln - H/S/SS	4	Jackson Hill - H/S/SS
9	Oregon Trail - H/SS	7	840 Trail - H/S/SS	10	Stoney Pond - H/S/SS
10	Valley View - H/S/SS	13	Great Camp Santanoni - H/S/SS	11	Selkirk Shores - H/S/SS
16	Nicks to Nelson - H/S/SS	14	Goodnow Mt. - H/SS	17	Brandy Lake - H/SS
17	Trenton Greenbelt - H/SS	20	Constable Pond - H/S/SS	18	Kunjamuk - H/S/SS
23	Carpenter Rd. - TM	21	Gull Lake - H/S/SS	24	John Pond - H/S/SS
24	Deerfield Wilderness Pk. - H/SS	27	Fellows Hill - H/SS	25	Chateaugay State Forest - H/S/SS
30	Moss Sis Bubb - H/SS	28	Moonlight Ski - H/S/SS		
31	Delta Lake State Pk. - H/SS				

## FEBRUARY 2018

### TIRRELL POND

H/S/SS

Sat. Feb 3 9:00AM Hike #: 6718  
 HD: 7 mi. DD: 94 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Madonna Fellows - 315-736-2564

Co-Leader: Carolyn Eastman - 315-525-0366

**Meet at: Key Bank, Mapledale**

Follow the Northville-Placid trail east of Blue Mountain Lake - a favorite destination for skiers.

### JACKSON HILL

H/S/SS

Sun. Feb 4 10:00AM Hike #: 6719  
 HD: 5+ DD: 35 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Carolyn Eastman - 315-525-0366

Co-Leader: Bobbie Scarpino - 315-269-4099

**Meet at: Key Bank, Mapledale**

Regroup at Burger King, Boonville. Ski/snowshoe a favorite Tramp winter wonderland trail system.

### STONEY POND

H/S/SS

Sat. Feb 10 9:30AM Hike #: 6720  
 HD: 5-7 mi. DD: 15 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Madonna Fellows - 315-736-2564

Co-Leader: Jean Yost - 315-335-4208

**Meet at: Madison Central School, Rt. 20**

We will ski the trails of the 1500-acre Stoney Pond State Forest.

### SELKIRK SHORES

H/S/SS

Sun. Feb 11 9:30AM Hike #: 6721  
 HD: 6 mi. DD: 49.7 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Halsey Bagg - 631-256-5530

Co-Leader: Deb Roberts - 315-790-3618

**Meet at: McDonald's, Erie Blvd, Rome**

This is a state park on the shores of Lake Ontario. We may see loons wintering on the lake if it is not frozen.

*Forest Ranger/DEC  
 Emergency: 518-891-0235  
 Trail Conditions: 518-408-5850*

### BRANDY LAKE

H/SS

Sat. Feb 17 10:00AM Hike #: 6723  
 HD: 5 mi. DD: 37 mi

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Sharon Kaelin - 315-732-2407

Co-Leader: Amanda Zdanowicz - 315-351-6143

**Meet at: Key Bank, Mapledale**

We will follow the snowmobile trail to the junction of the trail that leads to Brandy Lake. We have an option of going to Little Long Lake and back, an extra 1/2 mile.

### KUNJAMUK TRAIL IN SPECULATOR

H/S/SS

Sun. Feb 18 9:00AM Hike #: 6724  
 HD: 6 mi. DD: 60 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Bobbie Scarpino - 315-269-4099

Co-Leader: Mike Huss - 315-768-7374

**Meet at: Key Bank, Mapledale**

Regroup at the Speculator Firehouse and ski or snowshoe the Kunjamuk Trail. Starter in Mapledale will be Madonna Fellows, 315-736-2564.

### JOHN POND

H/S/SS

Sat. Feb 24 9:00AM Hike #: 6725  
 HD: 7 mi. DD: 79 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Madonna Fellows - 315-736-2564

Co-Leader: Don Fellows - 315-736-2564

**Meet at: Key Bank, Mapledale**

Drive to Indian Lake on Rt. 30 - turn R onto Big Brook Rd., bear R at Chamberlain Rd., turn R at intersection. Ski to John Pond with a view of Bullhead Range and Chimney Mountain.

### CHATEAUGAY STATE FOREST

H/S/SS

Sun. Feb 25 10:00AM Hike #: 6726  
 HD: 5 mi. DD: 54 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Jerry Stewart - 315-264-8280

Co-Leader: Lori Waterman - 315-525-0535

**Meet at: McDonald's, Erie Blvd, Rome**

We will explore new trails in the forest that we visited last year. Being on the Tug Hill, it's a pretty safe bet there will be lots of snow. Jerry will put out an email on ski or snowshoe recommendations a week before the outing. For sure, bring a smile, warm drink & your sense of adventure.