

Hike Schedule
MARCH 2019



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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 usually 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. Carpooling is encouraged. Suggested donation for riders is \$.06/mile x DD doubled for round trip.

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

MARCH 2019		APRIL 2019		MAY 2019	
2	Carpenter Rd - S/SS	6	Wickwire Hill - H	4	Cuyler Hill State Forest - H
3	Moose Riv. Mt. S/SS	7	Mt. Hope - H	5	Brown's Tract Pond - H
9	Bear Lake - SS	9	Annual Business Meeting	11	Annual Dinner Res. Deadline
10	Pixley Falls - S/SS	13	Brandy Lake - H	11	Black River Feeder Canal - B
12	Interesting Evening	14	Canal Clean-up - TM	12	Swale Pond - H
13	Fish Fry Res. Deadline	16	Hike Committee Meeting	14	Interesting Evening
16	Russell Park - SS	20	Moss, Sis, Bubb Lakes - H	18	Moss Island - H
17	Utica Marsh - SS	23	Executive Meeting	18	Annual Dinner
20	Fish Fry	25-	T&T Trip: Delaware	19	Humphrey Mtn. - H
23	Bald Mtn. - SS	29	Water Gap	25	Eaton Brook Reservoir - C/K
24	T Lake - SS	27	Rayhill Trail - H	26	Gleasmans Falls - H
30	Trenton Greenbelt - S/SS	28	Open Hike, TBD - H	27	Open Hike, TBD - H
31	Deansboro Trail - H				
SAVE THE DATES: JBL: July 26-28 HPW: August 9-11					

MARCH 2019

CARPENTER RD
S/SS



Sat. Mar 2 10:30AM Hike # 6844
HD: 5 mi. DD: 37 mi.

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Paul Fortin – 315-767-9708

Co-Leader: Madonna Fellows – 315-736-2564

Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale

Regroup at Burger King in Boonville. From there we drive to the second parking lot off Carpenter Rd. to start the hike to the top of Snow Ridge and return.

MOOSE RIVER MOUNTAIN**S/SS**

Sun. Mar 3 **10:00AM** **Hike # 6845**
HD: 6 mi. **DD: 32 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Madonna Fellows – 315-736-2564

Co-Leader: Don Fellows – 315-736-2564

Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale

This is a late-winter favorite. If conditions are good, we will have a great gradual downhill run back out to the trailhead.

BEAR LAKE LEAN-TO**SS**

Sat. Mar 9 **10:00AM** **Hike # 6846**
HD: 3.5 mi. **DD: 34 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Gregg Sipp – 315-790-2060

Co-Leader: Madonna Fellows – 315-736-2564

Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale

Hike or snowshoe to the Bear Lake trail, with scenic streams, large boulders, thick forest and a beautiful lake lean-to.

**PIXLEY FALLS****S**

Sun. Mar 10 **1:00PM** **Hike # 6847**
HD: 3-7 mi. **DD: 11 mi.**

Difficulty: Easy/Moderate

Leader: Bobbie Scarpino – 315-269-4099

Co-Leader: Meg Higgerson – 315-841-8717

Meet At: Burger King on Black River Blvd., Rome

Enjoy the extra hour of daylight as we ski or hike Pixley Falls trail.



It will be that time soon!
Come prepared to ward off
black flies, ticks, mosquitoes and
deer flies with proper clothing,
netted hats and insect repellent.

RUSSELL PARK**SS**

Sat. Mar 16 **10:00AM** **Hike # 6848**
HD: 3-5 mi. **DD: 12 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Dianna Morris – 315-768-3145

Co-Leader: Tom Smith – 315-736-7524

Meet At: DOT Parking Lot, N. Genesee St., Utica

We will park at Central Valley HS in Ilion and hike up into Russell Park and then hike the Horseshoe Trail in and out. If there is snow, bring snowshoes or spikes. No snow? Then we will hike. Bring your own hot dogs to roast at the pavilion after the hike.

**UTICA MARSH****SS**

Sun. Mar 17 **1:00PM** **Hike # 6849**
HD: 2-4 mi. **DD: 0 mi.**

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: Sharon Kaelin – 315-732-2407

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

Meet At: DOT Parking Lot, Genesee St, Utica

Happy St. Patrick's Day! Wear your green and we'll go search the bog for a pot o' gold.

BALD MOUNTAIN**SS**

Sat. Mar 23 **10:00AM** **Hike # 6850**
HD: 4 mi. **DD: 42 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Meg Higgerson – 315-841-8717

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

Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale

Let's snowshoe or microspike up Bald Mountain and try to scare a bear out of hibernation.

T LAKE FALLS**SS**

Sun. Mar 24 **9:00AM** **Hike # 6851**
HD: 9 mi. **DD: 44 mi.**

Difficulty: Difficult

Leader: Carolyn Eastman – 315-525-0366

Co-Leader: Tom Smith – 315-736-7524

Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale

We will attempt to get to the lean-to. A stream-crossing may prevent this, so we will go as far as we can.

TRENTON GREENBELT TRAILS

S/SS

Sat. Mar 30 10:00AM Hike # 6852
 HD: 4 mi. DD: 2 mi.

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Lu Blanchard – 315-749-5380

Co-Leader: Mary Pat Connors – 315-723-0085

Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale

Will we have snow or mud? Come out and find out for yourself! We'll do a full circuit of the trails in the Greenbelt. There are some hills and steep areas.

DEANSBORO TRAIL

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Sun. Mar 31 1:00PM Hike # 6853
 HD: 5 mi. DD: 0 mi.

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: Mike Huss – 315-768-7374

Co-Leader: Janice Huss – 315-768-7374

Meet At: Old Railroad Depot on Rt. 315, Deansboro

Hike the old railroad bed in Deansboro.