

SEPTEMBER 2019

CORN ROAST
Deerfield Wilderness Park
6329 Walker Rd., Deerfield



Sun. Sep 8 **Hike # 6909**
 Picnic Coordinator: Gail Hannahs 315-896-2320
 Co-coordinator: Karen Oeinck 315-601-7949

BEAVER RIVER

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Sun. Sep 1 **9:00AM** **Hike # 6906**
HD: 6-7mi. **DD: 80 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Don Fellows – 315-736-2564

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

Meet At: Key Bank, Mapledale

Regroup at Burger King, Boonville. Drive to Croghan and on to the Beaver River Reservoir area. Our kayak will take us across the reservoir and up the river where we will picnic before our return. A short carry to the put-in point is required. Wheels are suggested.

CORN ROAST PICNIC STARTS AT 1:00PM

A day of fun and food. The club will provide the meat, corn, place settings, coffee and tea. Bring your drinks and an appetizer, salad, or dessert to pass. Come and bike, hike, play board games, cards, or just socialize.

BIKE STARTS AT 10:00AM

MEET AT: KEY BANK, MAPLEDALE

HD: 16 mi. **DD: 0 mi.** **Difficulty: Easy/Mod.**

Leader: Chuck Balsler – 315-794-3174

Co-Leader: Francis Roy – 315-733-5702

Starting at Mapledale, ride toward Deerfield and back to work up an appetite for the picnic that follows at Deerfield Wilderness Park.

VALLEY RD. TO BOUCKVILLE

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Mon. Sep 2 **10:00AM** **Hike # 6907**
HD: 20 mi. **DD: 0 mi.**

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: Mary Pat Connors – 315-723-0085

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

Meet At: Douglass Park, Main St., Oriskany Falls

Bike from Douglass Park in O'Falls (across from St. Joseph's Catholic Church), along a mostly level country road to Bouckville. Continue on for a loop around Leland Pond.

HIKE STARTS AT 2:30PM

HD: 1-3.3 mi. **Difficulty: Easy/Moderate**

Leader: Geoff Horan – 315-826-7060

Co-Leader: Donna Horan – 315-826-7060

Take a nice hike in the park after our meal. One mile mostly level hike, or continue for a total 3.3 mile hike with hills.

MOHAWK RIVER TRAIL

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Sat. Sep 7 **10:00AM** **Hike # 6908**
HD: 4 mi. **DD: 1/2 mi.**

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: Mark Decker – 315-723-6332

Co-Leader: Margaret Decker – 315-723-6332

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

Enjoy a leisurely walk along the Mohawk River on a paved trail.

GREAT CAMP SANTANONI

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Sat. Sep 14 **7:30AM** **Hike # 6910**
HD: 10 mi. **DD: 97 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Walt Pillar – 315-794-6770

Co-Leader: Meg Higgerson – 518 582-5507

Meet At: Key Bank, Mapledale

Regroup at Great Camp Santanoni, Newcomb. This is a pleasant bike ride on a dirt and gravel carriage road. Hybrid or mountain bikes a MUST! If interested, your personal tour guide of this historic landmark will be available. Return to the Higgersons' camp for a cookout. Bring a dish to pass. Look for an email on places to stay and/or how to reserve a horse-drawn carriage ride.

OPEN HIKE**H**

Sat. Sep 14 **10:30AM** **Hike # 6911**
HD: TBD **DD: TBD**

Difficulty: TBD

Leader: TBD

Co-Leader: TBD

Meet At: Key Bank, Mapledale

This will be a local hike for those not attending the weekend in Newcomb. Meet, then pick a leader and place to hike. If you think you might participate, please print a sign-up sheet from our web site. Questions? Call Mike Huss 315-768-7374.

BLUE LEDGES ON THE HUDSON**H**

Sun. Sep 15 **9:30AM** **Hike # 6912**
HD: 5.5 mi. **DD: 20 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Meg Higgerson – 518-582-5507

Co-Leader: Walt Pillar – 315-794-6770

Meet At: No Local Starter! Meet at Great Camp Santanoni

If coming from Utica, call the leader by **9/14** for info on the Newcomb start location. We will travel to Minerva and hike the trail to the Blue Ledges. Perhaps we will hear the screams of the rafters as they navigate the Hudson.

FOREST RANGER/DEC**Emergency Number: 518-891-0235****Trail Conditions: 518-408-5850****FOX'S FALLS****H**

Sat. Sep 21 **9:30AM** **Hike # 6913**
HD: 2-4 mi. **DD: 6 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Dianna Morris – 315-768-3145

Co-Leader: Tom Smith – 315-736-7524

Meet At: Gems Along the Mohawk, Herkimer

An easy hike along a closed road to a short trail to the falls. Then take an optional steeper hike up to "View" -- a beautiful area that overlooks Herkimer, Ilion, and their surroundings.

HUMPHREY MOUNTAIN**H**

Sun. Sep 22 **9:00AM** **Hike # 6914**
HD: 7 mi. **DD: 77 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Carolyn Eastman – 315-525-0366

Co-Leader: Darlene Whitaker – 315-404-6058

Meet At: Key Bank, Mapledale

This trail near Wells is easy until we reach the climb. Then it is UP, of course, to the summit. There is a \$5.00 fee to park.

ROBERT B. WOODRUFF LEARNING CENTER**H**

Sat. Sep 28 **9:30AM** **Hike # 6915**
HD: 3+ mi. **DD: 20 mi.**

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: Dianna Morris – 315-768-3145

Co-Leader: Lu Blanchard – 315-749-5380

Meet At: Gems Along the Mohawk, Herkimer

Explore part of an 18th century trail along the Otsquago Creek with its many waterfalls.

GOOD DAY SUNSHINE**H**

Sun. Sep 29 **6:15AM** **Hike # 6916**
HD: 4-5 mi. **DD: 4 mi.**

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: Tom O'Hara – 315-525-1858 (text only)

Co-Leader: Darlene Whitaker – 315-404-6058

Meet At: Hannaford, Rt. 12B, Clinton

Greet the day on this sunrise hike along Skyline Dr. overlooking the beautiful valley and hillsides. After, enjoy breakfast at the diner in Deansboro.