

## Hike Schedule

Dec. 2021



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# Happy 100th Birthday Tramp and Trail!

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Due to CDC's easing of restrictions regarding COVID, hiking guidelines have changed. Members may now sign in at the meeting place. **Pre-registration is not required except for those activities listed in BOLD in the Schedule Summary below and also noted in each activity listing.** **Pre-registration is to ensure we adhere to DEC group size limits for state forests/parks and high peak areas.** All hikes will start at the time and location specified in each individual hike description. 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

## SCHEDULE SUMMARY

DECEMBER 2021		JANUARY 2022		FEBRUARY 2022	
4	<b>Pine Lake - SS</b>	1	Valley View – S/SS	5	<b>Gid Lk., Bethune Mt./Bethune Vly - SS</b>
5	Critz Farm – S/SS	2	Oriskany Trail – S/SS	6	Potato Hill Farm Trails – S/SS
11	<b>Priests Vly - SS</b>	8	<b>East Pond – S/SS</b>	12	Jackson Hill – S/SS
12	Deerfield Wilderness Park – SS	9	<b>Moss, Sis &amp; Bubb Lakes – S/SS</b>	13	Clark Tower - SS
18	Canal Trail – S/SS	15	Egypt Rd. – S/SS	19	Tupper Triad - SS
19	<b>Remsen Falls. – S/SS</b>	16	<b>Moose River Mt. – S/SS</b>	20	<b>Sagamore Lake – S/SS</b>
26	Lorenzo & Burlingame Trails – S/SS	17	840 Trail – H	21	Chenango Canal – S/SS
		18	<b>Deadline Tupper Triad Hotel Reservations</b>	26	<b>Carpenter Rd. – S/SS</b>
		18	<b>Hike Committee Meeting</b>	27	Sherrill Brook Park – S/SS
		22	<b>Windham Mt. – SS</b>		
		23	Camden Forest Park – S/SS		
		27	<b>Executive Committee Meeting</b>		
		29	<b>Nicks Lake &amp; Nameless Pond/Mt. – SS</b>		
		30	Chittenango Creek Trail – S/SS		

## DECEMBER 2021

### DEER HUNTING SEASON

Northern Zone Oct. 23-Dec. 5  
Southern Zone Nov. 20-Dec. 12

**BE SEEN - WEAR BLAZE ORANGE!**

### PINE LAKE

**SS - Pre-register required**

Sat. Dec 4 10:00 AM Hike # 7181

HD: 5 mi. DD: 45 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Sharon Kaelin – (C)315-338-1573

Co-Leader: Amanda Zdanowicz – (C)315-351-6143

**Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale**

Hike to the lean-to for lunch.

### CRITZ FARM

**S/SS**

Sun. Dec 5 10:00 AM Hike # 7182

HD: 5 mi. DD: 25 mi.

**Difficulty: Easy**

Leader: Mike Huss – (H)315-768-7374

Co-Leader: Janice Huss – (C)315-941-2831

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

We will hike at the back of the Critz Farms property on an abandoned railroad bed. Following the hike we will return to the farm where we can have a late lunch in the cafe, browse the gift shop, or sample hard ciders, beers, and wines in the tasting room. You may also shop for your Christmas tree or purchase a wreath.

### PRIESTS VLY

**SS - Pre-register required**

Sat. Dec 11 9:00 AM Hike # 7183

HD: 5.5 mi. DD: 40 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Greg Sipp – (C)315-790-2060

Co-Leader: Russ Myers – (C)315-408-3275

**Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale**

Hike/snowshoe part of the Northville Placid Trail starting in Piseco to Priests Vly and back.

## DEERFIELD WILDERNESS PARK

**SS**

Sun. Dec 12 10:00 AM Hike # 7184

HD: 5 mi. DD: 0 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Bobbie Scarpino – (C)315-269-4099

Co-Leader: Deb Cantales – (C)315-335-3011

**Meet At: Deerfield Wilderness Park Pavilion, Walker Rd., Deerfield**

Snowshoe the trails of the wilderness park. Build a snowman in the gully and decorate him with treats for the woodland critters. If no snow, we'll hike instead and leave our treats along the trail.

## 1980's HISTORY HIKE ALONG THE CANAL TRAIL

**S/SS**

Sat. Dec 18 1:00 PM Hike # 7185

HD: 4 mi. DD: 0 mi.

**Difficulty: Easy**

Leader: Margaret Decker – (C)315-723-8514

Co-Leader: Mark Decker – (C)315-723-8514

**Meet At: River Rd., Oriskany**

A favorite hike for the Tramps since the mules and canal boats abandoned the trail!! The club has always loved this hike and adopted the trail in the 2000's. Thanks to our members Madonna Fellows and Pam Carrier who respectively initiated and then maintained our relationship with the Canal Corp. We have been doing canal pickup and trail maintenance for many years. This time we will not be doing trail maintenance, but will enjoy the fruits of our labor with a winter hike along the canal.

## REMSEN FALLS

**S/SS - Pre-register required**

Sun. Dec 19 10:00 AM Hike # 7186

HD: 7 mi. DD: 32 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Madonna Fellows – (C)315-790-8858

Co-Leader: Don Fellows – (C)315-790-8858

**Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale**

Depending on conditions, we will ski, snowshoe or hike to the falls.

Sat. Dec 25

## CHRISTMAS

No Hike



## LORENZO & BURLINGAME TRAILS S/SS

Sun. Dec 26 1:00 PM Hike # 7187

HD: 5 mi. DD: 19 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Sue Manier – (C)315-271-0451

Co-Leader: Meg Higgerson – (C)315-737-3767

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

We will enjoy the beautiful outdoor decorations on the grounds of the Lorenzo Mansion before we hike to the Burlingame trails.