

## Hike Schedule

NOV 2022



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**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** 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.**

Per DEC regulations, all outings on state land are limited in group size. High Peaks areas of the Adirondacks and Catskills are limited to 15 per group. All other state lands are limited to 20 per group. Preregistration is required so we can make arrangements to accommodate all who want to hike. **Such hikes are listed in Bold below.**

**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

SEPTEMBER 2022		OCTOBER 2022		NOVEMBER 2022	
3	Oneida Rail Trail – H	1	<b>Whetstone Gulf - H</b>	5	Moss Island - H
4	Deansboro Trail - H	2	Hillbilly Hoedown - H	6	<b>Tongue Range Traverse – H</b>
5	Oriskany Trail - H	8	<b>Gull Lk - H</b>	6	Potato Hill Farm - H
10	<b>Indian Head/Twin Mts - H</b>	9	Four Lakes - Nelson - B	11	840 Trail - H
10	Trenton Greenbelt - H	10	Canalway Trail - H	12	<b>Moose River Plains - H</b>
11	Otsego Lk – C/K	15	Fern Pk - H	13	Canal Cleanup - TM
17	McCauley Mt - H	16	Canalway Trail Camillus – B	19	<b>Black Bear Mt - H</b>
24	<b>Bald Mt - H</b>	22	<b>Helderberg Escarpment – H</b>	20	<b>Burlingame Trails - H</b>
25	Moose River - C/K	23	<b>Burp Lk - H</b>	26	<b>Nelson Lk Loop – H</b>
		23	Egypt Rd – H	26	Mohawk River Trail - H
		29	<b>Third Lk - H</b>	27	<b>Foxy Brown - H</b>
		30	NCT to Chittenango Falls - H		

**NOVEMBER****MOSS ISLAND****H**

**Sat. Nov 5 10:00 AM Hike # 7301**  
**HD: 4-5 mi. DD: 10 mi.**

**Difficulty: Easy**

Leader: Walt Pillar – (C)315-794-6770

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

**Meet At: Gems Along the Mohawk, Herkime**

We will hike a loop along the canal at Little Falls to Lock 17 and explore the cliffs and potholes of Moss Island.

**Daylight Saving Time Ends****Sun. Nov 6, 2022, at 2:00 AM**

On Saturday night, clocks are set back one hour (i.e., gaining one hour) to “fall” back.

**TONGUE RANGE FIVE MILE MT. TRAVERSE****H**

**Sun. Nov 6 7:30 AM Hike # 7302**  
**HD: 7 mi. DD: 127 mi.**

**Difficulty: Difficult**

Leader: Dave Rockwood – (C)315-868-7524

Co-Leader: Luann Nelson – 315-525-1277

**Meet At: Gems Along the Mohawk, Herkimer**

Shuttle required - drop a car at the northern tip of NW Bay Parking area. Then continue up 9N to parking area for Five Mile Mt. and hike back to other parking area.

**POTATO HILL FARM****H**

**Sun. Nov 6 11:00 AM Hike # 7303**  
**HD: 25 mi. DD: 5 mi.**

**Difficulty: Easy**

Leader: Mike Huss – (H)315-768-7374

Co-Leader: Janice Huss – (C)315-768-7374

**Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale**

Nice hike on the farm.

**840 TRAIL****H**

**Fri. Nov 11 11:00 AM Hike # 7304**  
**HD: 4 mi. DD: 0 mi.**

**Difficulty: Easy**

Leader: Mike Huss – (H)315-768-7374

Co-Leader: Janice Huss – (C)315-768-7374

**Meet At: 840 Parking adjacent to BOCES, Middle Settlement Rd, New Hartford**

Easy hike.

**MOOSE RIVER PLAINS POND EXTRAVAGANZA****Preregistration Required****H**

**Sat. Nov 12 7:30 AM Hike # 7305**  
**HD: 4-10 mi. DD: 60 mi.**

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Paul Sirtoli – (H)315-737-8353

Co-Leader: Greg Sipp – (C)315-790-2060

**Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale**

Walk old jeep roads to Mitchell Ponds, Beaver Lake, Icehouse Pond, Helldiver Pond or any combination thereof to suit yourself. Mitchell Ponds and Beaver Lake are two-mile one-way walks.

**CANAL CLEANUP****TM**

**Sun. Nov 13 1:00 PM Hike # 7306**  
**HD: 5 mi. DD: 0 mi.**

**Difficulty: Easy**

Leader: Pam Carrier – (C)315-896-4746

Co-Leader: Nina Belmar – 315-794-7012

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

This will be the annual fall cleanup of our adopted section of the canal trail between River St. in Oriskany and Mohawk St. in Marcy. Bring plastic bags, gloves, snippers and long-reach grabbers.

**BLACK BEAR MOUNTAIN****Preregistration Required****H**

**Sat. Nov 19 9:30 AM Hike # 7307**  
**HD: 5 mi. DD: 51 mi.**

**Difficulty: Moderate**

Leader: Phil Gwyn – (C)315-219-9633

Co-Leader: Ann Damiano – (C)845-542-3584

**Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale**

Six-mile loop up and down the mountain in the Moose River Plains Wild Forest.

**BURLINGAME TRAILS****Preregistration Required****H**

**Sun. Nov 20 11:00 AM Hike # 7308**  
**HD: 6 mi. DD: 25 mi.**

**Difficulty: Moderate**

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

Co-Leader: Sue Manier – (C)315-271-0451

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

We will drive to Burlingame Road to hike the trails of the Cazenovia Preservation Foundation.

## NELSON LAKE LOOP

### Preregistration Required

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Sat. Nov 26 8:00 AM Hike # 7309

HD: 11 mi. DD: 31 mi.

**Difficulty: Difficult**

Leader: Greg Sipp – (C)315-790-2060

Co-Leader: Carolyn Eastman – (C)315-525-0366

**Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale**

Starting from the parking lot off of Rt 28, the loop will include paralleling the Moose River with Jones Mt and Little Roundtop on our right and returning with them on our right. We'll stop at Nelson Lake for lunch.

## MOHAWK RIVER TRAIL

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Sat. Nov 26 11:00 AM Hike # 7310

HD: 4 mi. DD: 0 mi.

**Difficulty: Easy**

Leader: Mike Huss – (H)315-768-7374

Co-Leader: Janice Huss – (C)315-768-7374

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

Easy hike next to the Mohawk River.

## FOXHEY BROWN

### Preregistration Required

H

Sun. Nov 27 9:00 AM Hike # 7311

HD: 5-6 mi. DD: 50 mi.

**Difficulty: Moderate**

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

Co-Leader: Ann Damiano – (C)845-542-3584

**Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale**

Once a terrific ski, let's check it out to see if the recent work done by local volunteers will make this a winter destination once again. Wear blaze orange.