Hike Schedule Feb 2023



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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.

Hikes in BOLD require preregistration in order to comply with DEC group size regulations.

HD - Hiking Distance (Total both ways)
B - Bike
DD - Driving Distance (One way from meeting place)
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 2022		JANUARY 2023		FEBRUARY 2023	
3	Moe Pond – H	1	Colgate Trails – SS	3-5	Camp Fowler – S/SS
4	Round Pond – SS	7	Chub Pond – S/SS	4	Valley View – S/SS
10	Utica Marsh – S/SS	8	Chittenango Creek – SS	5	Kunjamuk Trail – S/SS
10	Neejer Hill / Coleman	14	Bear Lake Trail	5	Erie Canal – S/SS
	Dam - SS	15	Sherrill Brook Park – SS	11	Dexter Lake – SS
11	Remsen Falls – S/SS	16	SUNY Trails – SS	12	Stone Quarry Art Park – SS
17	Lorenzo Mansion – SS	21	Whetstone Gulf – SS	18	Limekiln Swamp - S
18	Brewer Lake Trail –	22	Stoney Pond – S/SS	19	Deansboro Trail N. – H
	SS	28	Inman Gulf – SS	20	Trenton Greenbelt – SS
24	Valley View – SS	29	840 Trail – H	25	Wilder Vly – SS
31	Potato Hill – S/SS			26	Oregon Trail to
					North Bend – S/SS

Please be prepared for any trail condition by having boots and microspikes for hiking.

FEBRUARY 2023

CAMP FOWLER S/SS

4:00 PM Feb. 3,4,5 Hike # 7331 **HD: Optional** DD: 60 mi.

Difficulty: Optional

Leader: Mike Huss - (H)315-768-7374

Co-Leader: Bobbie Scarpino – (C) 315-269-4099 Meet At: Camp Fowler, Pelcher Rd., Speculator Friday night (check in 4:00 PM) thru Sunday morning, includes meals & linens. Lots of options for skiing/snowshoeing on Saturday. The lodge and two cabins are currently filled. Names will be taken for a waiting list in case there is a cancellation (\$145/person). If interested, contact Mike or Bobbie.

VALLEY VIEW (LOCAL HIKE) S/SS

Sat. Feb 4 10:00 AM Hike # 7332 HD: 6 mi DD: 0 mi.

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Jim Wasielewski - (H)315-736-7425 Co-Leader: Lorrie Wasielewski - (H) 315-736-7425

Meet At: Valley View Golf Course

Hike the Parkway trails and switchbacks to the Eagle.

KUNJAMUK TRAIL Preregistration Required S/SS

Sun. Feb 5 9:00 AM Hike # 7333 HD: 6 mi. DD: 60 mi.

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Bobbie Scarpino – (C)315-269-4099 Co-Leader: Mike Huss - (H)315-768-7374 Meet At: No Local Starter! Meet at Speculator

Firehouse

We will regroup at the Speculator Firehouse at 10:00 AM and ski or snowshoe the Kunjamuk Trail. (Please remember to preregister so that Bobbie and Mike know you're coming.)

ERIE CANAL HIKE (LOCAL HIKE) S/SS

10:00 AM Sun. Feb 5 Hike # 7334 HD: 6 mi. DD: 0 mi.

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: Jim Wasielewski - (H)315-736-7425 Co-Leader: Lorrie Wasielewski - (H)315-736-7425 Meet At: Erie Canal Parking Lot, Rt. 69, Oriskany Hike, ski or snowshoe the old Erie Canal Trail towards

Rome. Turn around and come back.

DEXTER LAKE Preregistration Required

Sat. Feb 11 10:00 AM Hike # 7335 HD: 7 mi. DD: 30 mi.

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Philip Gwyn - (C)315-219-9633 Co-Leader: Ann Damiano - (C)845-542-3584

Meet At: Stewart's, 5 North Main St., Middleville, NY A mostly flat out-and-back trail with great views of Dexter

Lake.

FOREST RANGER/DEC Emergency Number: 518-891-0235 Trail Conditions: 518-408-5850

STONE QUARRY ART PARK

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Sun. Feb 12 10:00 AM Hike # 7336

HD: 5 mi. DD: 35 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 Snowshoe from Madison County Distillery to Stone Quarry Art Park. The park is an outdoor museum of sculptures in a landscape setting.

LIMEKILN SWAMP **Preregistration Required**

Hike # 7337

Sat. Feb 18 9:30 AM HD: 8 mi. DD: 67 mi.

Difficulty: Difficult

Leader: Carolyn Eastman - (C)315-525-0366 Co-Leader: Paul Sirtoli – (H)315-737-8353

Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale

We have never been here, so this will be an "adventure ski." We may have to take turns breaking trail.

DEANSBORO TRAIL NORTH S/SS

Sun. Feb 19 10:00 AM Hike # 7338

HD: 4 mi. DD: 0 mi.

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: George Fogg - (C)315-766-0572 Co-Leader: Phyllis Fogg – (C) 315-794-9947 Meet At: Old RR Depot, Rt. 315, Deansboro Hike, ski, or snowshoe the old railroad bed heading north towards Clinton. The trail should be snowmobile free.

TRENTON GREENBELT

SS

Mon. Feb 20 11:00 AM Hike # 7339

DD: 2 mi. HD: 4 mi.

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: Mike Huss – (H)315-768-7374 Co-Leader: Janice Huss - (C)315-941-2831

Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale Hike the trails of Trenton Greenbelt.

WILDER VLY **Preregistration Required** SS

Sat. Feb 25 7:30 AM Hike # 7340 DD: 25 mi. HD: 9 mi.

Difficulty: Difficult

Leader: Paul Sirtoli – (H)315-737-8353 Co-Leader: Greg Sipp - (C)315-790-2060

Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale

From Fench Road, hike the Bochen Lake Trail for 3.5 miles. Then bushwhack 1+ miles to the vly. Rolling

terrain. This is a joint hike with ADK.

OREGON TRAIL TO NORTH BEND Preregistration Required

S/SS

Sun. Feb 26 8:30 AM Hike # 7341 HD: 6+ mi. DD: 70 mi.

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Lu Blanchard - (C)315-749-5380

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

Meet At: KeyBank, Mapledale

Regroup at Speculator Firehouse. We will trek to North Bend and if Stewart Creek is frozen, may extend the day by heading toward Baldwin Springs. This is a fairly flat

trail except for the looonnggg first hill!