

CLUB SCHEDULE

April 2024



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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. 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 the activity for late modifications.

H – Hike SS – Snowshoe S – Cross-Country Ski B – Bike (*Requires Helmet*)
 C/K - Canoe/Kayak (*Requires PFD's & Whistle*) TM – Trail Maintenance
 HD - Hiking Distance (Total both ways) DD - Driving Distance (One way from meeting place)

SCHEDULE SUMMARY

MARCH 2024		APRIL 2024		MAY 2024	
2	H – 50 th Anniversary of the Heart Run & Walk	6	H – Sugarhouse Slog	4	H – Good Luck Cliffs & West Stoner Lake Trail
3	S – Inlet Golf Course	7	H – Black River Canal Trail	5	H – Root Glen & Kirkland Trails
8	S/SS – Camp Fowler	7	H - SUNY Trails	11	H – Moulin Mountain
9	S/SS – Oriskany Trail	8	Eclipse of the Sun Event	11	H – Potato Hill Farm
10	S/SS – Northville Lake Placid Trail	13	H – Hamilton Lake Stream Lean-to	12	B – Erie Canal Trail to Moss Island
10	SS – Gull Lake	13	H – Mohawk River Trail	18	H – Tooker Mountain
16	SS – Great Lot Sportsman's Club	14	H – Map & Compass	18	H – Lorenzo Mansion
17	H – Brewer Lake	20	H - Thendara Okara Lakes	19	B – Empire State Trail
23	H – Deerfield Wilderness	21	TM - Canal Cleanup	25	C/K – Black Fly (North Lake)
24	SS – Brookfield Horse Trails	27	H - Whetstone Gulf	26	H - Hoxie Gorge
30	H – Spruce & Shackham Ponds	28	H - Sleeping Lion	27	H – Mount Hunger Forest

HIKES IN **BOLD**
 REQUIRE
 PRE-REGISTRATION



APRIL 2024

SUGARHOUSE SLOG

H

Sat. Apr 6 10:00 AM Hike # 7474
HD: 3 mi. DD: 20 mi.

Difficulty: Easy

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

Co-Leader: Nancy Agen – (C) 315-794-4226

**Meet At: Hannaford Parking Lot, Kellogg Rd.,
Washington Mills**

For some, this will be a blast from the past! Patrick Hooker and Karen Huxtable Hooker have invited us to their sugarhouse near Millers Mills. They will demonstrate the process for turning sap into maple syrup, provide coffee, hot cocoa, and sweet treats made from their syrup. After, we will be led on a hike in the surrounding woods that will consist of 2 stream crossings on log bridges. Maple products will be available to purchase.

BLACK RIVER CANAL TRAIL

H

Sun. Apr 7 9:30 AM Hike # 7475
HD: 11 mi. DD: 16 mi.

Difficulty: Difficult

Leader: Denice Reiner – (C) 315-335-7481

Co-Leader: Dane Gouveia – (C) 512-461-6980

Meet At: Price Chopper, Black River Blvd., Rome

Drive to the parking area just before Pixley Falls and walk the trail up to Boonville. Enjoy the old lock foundations along the way.

SUNY TRAILS

H

Sun. Apr 7 12:00 PM Hike # 7476
HD: 3 mi. DD: 0 mi.

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: Mike Huss – (H) 315-768-7374

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

Meet At: Lot F, SUNY POLY Campus, Utica

Hike the trails on the SUNY Campus.

TRAMP & TRAIL SPECIAL EVENT TOTAL ECLIPSE OF THE SUN



Monday, April 8th @ 12:00 PM

Meeting at: Subway, Rt. 12, Barneveld

Contact: Ron Carvin – (C) 315-841-3550

This is a perfect opportunity for a Tramp and Trail gathering to a location where we can experience this rare celestial event. A short drive north will allow us to observe and enjoy its dramatic effect. Bring headlamps and eclipse glasses and we can hike during the Great American Eclipse of 2024.

HAMILTON LAKE STREAM LEAN-TO

H

Sat. Apr 13 8:00 AM Hike # 7477
HD: 8 mi. DD: 43 mi.

Difficulty: Difficult *Pre Reg Required*

Leader: Greg Sipp – (C) 315-790-2060

Co-Leader: Peter Baildon – (C) 315-725-8598

Meet At: Subway, Rt. 12, Barneveld

Hike to the lean-to for lunch.

MOHAWK RIVER TRAIL

H

Sat. Apr 13 12:00 PM Hike # 7478
HD: 5 mi. DD: 1 mi.

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Mike Huss – (H) 315-768-7374

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

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

Hike along the Mohawk River.

MAP & COMPASS

H

Sun. Apr 14 10:00 AM Hike # 7479
HD: 6 mi. DD: 41 mi.

Difficulty: Moderate *Pre Reg Required*

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

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

Meet At: Subway, Rt. 12, Barneveld

Finding a spectacular view or your way back out of the wilderness won't always be easy. That's why a compass, a map, and the navigational know-how to use them and a important skill set. Come join us for a part trail hike, part bushwhack to hone your navigation skills.

THENDARA OKARA LAKES AND UNNAMED MOUNTAIN

H

Sat. Apr 20 10:00 AM Hike # 7480

HD: 5-6 mi. DD: 40 mi.

Difficulty: Moderate *Pre Reg Required*

Leader: Jim Wasielewski – (C) 315-790-7674

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

Meet At: Subway, Rt 12, Barneveld

From Quarry Rd., hike to Okara Lakes. On return, bushwack up Unnamed Mountain for an outstanding view of the Adirondacks. Mountain climb is optional.

CANAL CLEANUP

TM

Sun. Apr 21 12:00 PM Hike # 7481

HD: 5 mi. DD: 0 mi.

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: Mike Huss – (H) 315-768-7374

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

Meet At: River St., Oriskany

This will be the annual spring cleanup of the canal trail between River St., Oriskany and Mohawk St., Marcy. Bring your gloves, long-reach grabbers and bags to pick up trash.



WHETSTONE GULF

H

Sat. Apr 27 9:30 AM Hike # 7482

HD: 5.5 mi. DD: 18 mi.

Difficulty: Moderate *Pre Reg Required*

Leader: Phil Gwyn – (C) 315-219-9633

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

Meet At: Burger King, Boonville

This hike never disappoints. Enjoy this 5.5-mile loop with great views of the gorge.



SLEEPING LION

H

Sun. Apr 28 10:00 AM Hike # 7483

HD: 5 mi. DD: 12 mi.

Difficulty: Moderate

Leader: Walt Pillar – (C) 315-794-6770

Co-Leader: TBD

Meet At: Price Chopper, Route 20, Richfield Springs

We will hike the trail over Sleeping Lion and along the shore of Otsego Lake, then through Glimmerglass Park to the oldest covered bridge in the U.S.A.