

CLUB SCHEDULE

February 2025



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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

DECEMBER 2024		JANUARY 2025		FEBRUARY 2025	
1	H - Critz Farms	1	H – New Year’s Hike	1	SS – Black Bear Mountain
7	H – Chenango Canal Loop	4	SS – Mohawk River to Fish Hatchery Trail	2	SS – Twin Lakes Dam
8	H – Moss Island	5	H - Sneak Up On The Eagle	8	SS – Sunday Lake/Fifth Creek Pond
14	H – Panther Mountain	11	H - Middle Branch Lake Lean-To	8	SS – Mohawk River to Fort Stanwix Trail
15	SS – Canal Trail	12	S/SS - Deansboro Trail (North)	9	SS – California Road
21	H – Eagle Mountain	18	H- Berry Hill Fire Tower	15	S – Jackson Hill Ski
21	SS – Suny Trails	19	S/SS - Verona Beach State Park	16	S/SS – Highland Forest Main Trail
22	H – Pitch Pine Bog	20	SS - Stoney Pond	17	SS – Gull Lake/Russian Lake
28	SS – Stewart/Indian Lakes	25	SS - Green Lakes Perimeter Trail	22	SS – Chittenango Creek Gorge Trail
29	SS – Brookfield Trails	26	SS - Sherrill Brook Trail	23	S/SS – Forest Park Camden
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FEBRUARY
BLACK BEAR MOUNTAIN
SS

Sat. Feb 1 **10:00 AM** **Hike # 7590**
HD: 4.5 mi. **DD: 49 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate *Pre Reg Required*

Leader: Lisa Lucas-Myers – (C) 315-723-2514

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

Meet At: Subway, Rt. 12, Barneveld

Depending on conditions, there are two trails from which to choose. The slope may be icy, so spikes are advised or snowshoes if there is enough snow. The view from the top makes the steep climb worth your sweat!

TWIN LAKES DAM
SS

Sun. Feb 2 **10:00 AM** **Hike # 7591**
HD: 6 mi. **DD: 30 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate *Pre Reg Required*

Leader: Peter Franz – (C) 315-749-8271

Co-Leader: TBD –

Meet At: Subway, Rt. 12, Barneveld

Out-and-back on rolling hills to Twin Lakes Dam.

SUNDAY LAKE / FIFTH CREEK POND
SS

Sat. Feb 8 **7:30 AM** **Hike # 7592**
HD: 7-8 mi. **DD: 60 mi.**

Difficulty: Difficult+ *Pre Reg Required*

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

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

Meet At: Subway, Rt. 12, Barneveld

From # 4 Road in Stillwater, we'll hike trail to Sunday Lake, then bushwhack to Fifth Creek Lake. May do a loop following drainages or other trails.

MOHAWK RIVER TO FORT STANWIX TRAIL
SS

Sat. Feb 8 **12:00 PM** **Hike # 7593**
HD: 5 mi. **DD: 1 mi.**

Difficulty: Easy

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.

CALIFORNIA ROAD
SS

Sun. Feb 9 **10:00 AM** **Hike # 7594**
HD: 6 mi. **DD: 15 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate

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

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

Meet At: Subway, Rt. 12, Barneveld

Park at the end of California Rd. and hike 3 miles in then out.

FEBRUARY, 14th
HAPPY TRAILENTINES DAY



JACKSON HILL SKI
S

Sat. Feb 15 **10:00 AM** **Hike # 7595**
HD: 5-7 mi. **DD: 23 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate

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

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

Meet At: Subway, Rt. 12, Barneveld

Park and ski.

HIGHLAND FOREST MAIN TRAIL
S/SS

Sun. Feb 16 **9:00 AM** **Hike # 7596**
HD: 7-8 mi. **DD: 25 mi.**

Difficulty: Moderate *Pre Reg Required*

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

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

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

The plan is to either ski or snowshoe around the long loop, but there are many well-marked connecting trails for options to do shorter distances if desired. There is a fee for skiing.

GULL LAKE / RUSSIAN LAKE
SS

Mon. Feb 17 **7:30 AM** **Hike # 7597**
HD: 8-9 mi. **DD: 55 mi.**

Difficulty: Difficult+ *Pre Reg Required*

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

Co-Leader: Kevin Perez – (C) 315-335-8950

Meet At: Subway, Rt. 12, Barneveld

From Higby Road, we'll cross the FROZEN Big Moose Lake to access the trail to the Gull Lake lean-to. Back track to East Bay to access the trail to Russian Lake. Life vest optional.

FOREST RANGER / D.E.C.

EMERGENCY NUMBER: 518-891-0235

TRAIL CONDITIONS: 518-408-5850

CHITTENANGO CREEK GORGE TRAIL
SS

Sat. Feb 22 10:00 AM Hike # 7598

HD: 5-10 mi. DD: 25 mi.

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: Phil Gwyn – (C) 315-219-9633

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

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

Easy in-and-out trail. Go as far as the group wants and turn around.

FOREST PARK CAMDEN
S/SS

Sun. Feb 23 10:00 AM Hike # 7599

HD: 4-5 mi. DD: 17 mi.

Difficulty: Easy

Leader: George Fogg – (C) 315-766-0572

Co-Leader: Phyllis Fogg – (C) 315-794-9947

Meet At: McDonald's, Erie Blvd., Rome

Explore the mostly flat trails of this beautiful evergreen park.