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Akron Metro Parks Hiking Club Newsletter

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Note: If you are concerned about the weather or the cancellation of a hike, please contact the hike leader before venturing out.

Mar. 1 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - CVNP/Kendall Lake - 1000 Truxell Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. On Kendall Rd. west of State Rd. Trails/hills - 6 miles, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

Mar. 1 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Lock 29 - 1648 Mill St., Peninsula, OH 44264. Parking lot behind train station, north side of SR 303. - OEC - 6 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898.

Mar. 2 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Hunt Farm - 2045 Bolanz Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. Parking lot on Bolanz Rd. east of Riverview Rd. - APT - 5 miles, Andrea: 330-956-3021 (H); 330-634-4518 (C)

Mar. 2 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - H & B at 303/Leisure, - 64 W. Streetsboro Rd., Boston Heights, OH 44264. Trailhead on SR 303 west of Rt. 8 and BP Station - H&B, 4 miles, Roy: 330-434-8450

Mar. 2 (Tue.) - 4:00 p.m. - Firestone MP- 2620 Harrington Rd., Akron, OH 44319. Tuscarawas parking lot on Harrington Rd. south of Swartz. - Trails, 3 miles, Bruce: 330-794-1039

Mar. 3 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Hampton Hills MP - 2925 Akron Peninsula Rd. Akron, OH 44313. Meet in parking lot off Akron-Peninsula Road just north of Bath Rd. -Trails/steps, 5 miles, Marie: 330-618-4657 (C)

Mar. 3 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Botzum - 2928 Riverview Rd., Akron, OH 44313. Trailhead on Riverview Rd. south of Bath Rd. - OEC - 5 miles, Jim: 330-858-8311

Mar. 4 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Sand Run MP/Mingo & Dogwood- 1400 Sand Run Pkwy, Akron, OH 44313. Wadsworth parking area (third area on Sand Run Parkway west of Portage Path). Trails, 5 miles, Dean 330-658-2623 (H); 330-690-8589 (C)

Mar. 4 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Sand Run MP - JT, 5 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Mar. 5 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - Vanderhoof - 2445 Vanderhoof Rd., Barberton, OH 44203. Trailhead on Vanderhoof Rd. west of Van Buren Rd. - APT, 5 miles, Dean 330-658-2623 (H); 330-690-8589 (C)

Mar. 6 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Brecksville Reservation, Oak Grove Picnic Area, Brecksville OH. Parking lot is located between Chippewa Creek Drive and SR 21 on Valley Parkway. From Riverview Rd. turn away from Station Rd. Bridge. Take the second left after the ford at sign - Oak Grove Picnic Area/Valley Parkway. Go up the hill and it's on the left. Or from I-77, get off at SR 21. You'll pass Boston Mills Rd. Valley Parkway is about 2.8 miles after Boston Mills Rd. Turn right on Valley Parkway and go about 1.4 miles to Oak Grove Picnic Area on your right. Trails, hills, a little APT, 6 miles, Steve: 234-716-4910

Mar. 6 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Freedom Trail/Tallmadge - 245 Northeast Ave. Tallmadge, OH 44278. Lion's Park at end of Lions Park Dr. off of Northeast Ave. in Tallmadge. H & B, 6 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Mar. 7 (Sun.) - 2:00- p.m. - H & B at Young Road - 5090 Young Rd., Stow, OH 44224. Trailhead on Young Rd. just north of Call Rd. - APT - 5 miles, Sue: 330-990-0588

Mar. 8 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Tallmadge Meadows - 1088 North Ave., Tallmadge, OH 44278. On SR 91 opposite Northmoreland Ave. - Trails/APT, 6 miles, Kathy: 330-923-2659; (H) 330-604-4869(C)

Key: APT = All Purpose Trail, BT = Buckeye Trail, CC= Cuyahoga Challenge, CVNP = Cuyahoga Valley National Park, FHS = Fall Hiking Spree, H&B = Hike & Bike Trail, JT=Jogging Trail, MP = Metro Park, OEC= Ohio & Erie Canal Towpath, SFA = Spree For All, TT= Towpath Trek, VM=Volksmarch,

Mar. 8 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Brust Park/H&B - 128 N. Main St., Munroe Falls, OH 44262. Meet at Brust Park gazebo on SR 91, just north of the river, 6 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Mar. 9 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Happy Days - 500 W. Streetsboro Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. Parking lot on SR 303 about 1 mile west of Rt. 8. - Trails/Hills, 5 miles, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

Mar. 9 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Hudson Plaza/Leisure - 134 W. Streetsboro St., Hudson, OH 44236. Hudson Plaza (near McDonald's) on SR 303 west of SR 91. - Sidewalks, 4 miles - Roy Kress 330-434-8450

Mar. 10 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Vanderhoof - 2445 Vanderhoof Rd., Barberton, OH 44203. Trailhead on Vanderhoof Rd. west of Van Buren Rd. - APT, 5 miles, Dean 330-658-2623 (H); 330-690-8589 (C)

Mar. 11 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Nimisila Rim, 4929 Christman Rd. Akron, OH 44319. Take S. Main St. south of Rt. 619 1 1/4 miles to E. Caston Rd. Turn left on E. Caston Rd. .3-.4 mile to Christman Rd. Turn right on Christman Rd. to 4929 Christman Rd. Park access street. - Trails - 5 miles, Lester: 234-417-2054.

Mar. 11 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. Botzum - 2928 Riverview Rd., Akron, OH 44313. Trailhead on Riverview Rd. south of Bath Rd. - OEC, 5 miles, Kathy: 330-923-2659; (H) 330-604-4869(C)

Mar. 12 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m.- CVNP, Everett Rd./ Riding Run, - 2370 Everett Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. Everett Rd. west of Riverview. - Trails/hills, 5 miles, Nan: 216-402-1352

Mar. 12 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m.- CVNP, Everett Rd., APT, Roads, 5 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Mar. 13 (Sat.) - 9:30 p.m. - Ira Rd/O'Neil Woods - 3801 Riverview Rd, Peninsula, OH 44264. On Riverview Rd. just north of Ira Rd.- Trails, 6 miles, Andrea: 330-956-3021 (H); 330-634-4518 (C)

Mar. 13 (Sat.) - 9:30 p.m. - Ira Rd, APT, 6 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Mar. 14 (Sun.) - 2:00 p.m. - π Pi(e) Day Hike Firestone Metro Park- 2620 Harrington Rd., Akron, OH 44319. Tuscarawas parking lot on Harrington Rd. south of Swartz. - Trails, 5 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Mar. 15 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Deep Lock Quarry MP/Valley Picnic Area - 5779 Riverview Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. On Riverview Rd. south of SR 303. - Trails/OEC, 5 miles, Kathy: 330-923-2659; (H) 330-604-4869(C)

Mar. 15 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Deep Lock Quarry MP - OEC, 5 miles Billy: 330-968-7898

Mar. 16 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Sand Run Metro Park/ Schumacher/Valley Link - 1400 Sand Run Pkwy, Akron, OH 44313. Wadsworth parking area (third area on Sand Run Parkway west of Portage Path). - Trails/hills, 5 miles, Marie: 330-618-4657 (C)

Mar. 16 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - H & B at 303/Leisure - 64 W. Streetsboro Rd., Boston Heights, OH 44264. Trailhead on SR 303 west of Rt. 8 and BP Station. - H & B, 4 miles, Roy: 330-434-8450

Mar. 17 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Silver Creek MP - 5000 Hametown Rd., Norton, OH 44203. Off Hametown Rd. north of SR 585, Pheasant Run parking lot. Trails, 5 miles, Dean 330-658-2623 (H); 330-690-8589 (C)

Mar. 18 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Mogadore Reservoir - 2578 SR 43, Mogadore, OH 44260. Boathouse parking lot on SR 43 north of spillway (south of I-76) -Trails, 8 miles, elisabeth: 330-760-3844

Mar. 19 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - CVNP, Snowville Rd/Buckeye Trail - 10112 Riverview Rd. Brecksville OH 44141. The parking lot is between Snowville Rd. and Highland/Vaughan Rd between the two buildings. Use the driveway by the northern building - it may be unmarked. Hike heads south on Buckeye Trail - Trails, hills, 6 miles. Steve: 234-716-4910

Mar. 19 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m.- Boston Store Visitor Center- 1550 Boston Mills Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264 - OEC, 6 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Mar. 20 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Towners Woods - 2264 Ravenna Rd. Kent OH 44240, 2 miles east of SR 43 just north of RR tracks. ENTER THE PARK FROM RT 43--THE BRIDGE IS CLOSED FROM THE OTHER DIRECTION!!!! – Trails, 5 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Mar. 20 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - H & B at 303 - 64 W. Streetsboro Rd., Boston Heights, OH 44264. Trailhead on SR 303 west of Rt. 8 and BP Station. - H & B, 5 miles, Colleen: 330-331-7269 (H); 330-814-2621 (C)

Mar. 21 (Sun.) - 9:30 a.m. - CVNP/Oak Hill - 3901 Oak Hill Rd. Peninsula, OH 44264. Day use parking lot on Oak Hill Rd. north of Everett Rd. - Trails/hills, 5 miles, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

Mar. 21 (Sun.) - 2:00 p.m. - Memorial Parkway - 499 Memorial Pkwy., Akron, OH 44310. Trailhead on Memorial Parkway east of Merriman Rd. OEC, 5 miles, Jim: 330-858-8311

Mar. 22 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Freedom Trail/Tallmadge - 245 Northeast Ave. Tallmadge, OH 44278. Lion's Park at end of Lions Park Dr. off of Northeast Ave. in Tallmadge. H & B, 6 miles, Bruce: 330-794-1039

Mar. 23 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Hudson Plaza/Leisure - 134 W. Streetsboro St., Hudson, OH 44236. Hudson Plaza (near McDonald's) on SR 303 west of SR 91. - Parks/sidewalks, 4 miles, Roy: 330-434-8450

Mar. 23 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Happy Days - 500 W. Streetsboro Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. Parking lot on SR 303 about 1 mile west of Rt. 8. - Trails/Hills, 5 miles, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

Mar. 24 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Portage Lakes State Park 5031 Manchester Rd., Akron. Take I-77 to the Rte. 241 (Massillon Rd)/ 619 exit. Go north on Rte. 241 (Massillon Rd.), then turn left onto Rte. 619. Go to Rte. 93 (Manchester Rd.) and turn south (left) for about a mile to the park entrance on the left. Meet at the first parking lot on the right on the main park road, Trails, APT, Level 2, 5 miles, Dave: 330-284-2107

Mar. 24 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Vanderhoof - 2445 Vanderhoof Rd., Barberton, OH 44203. Trailhead on Vanderhoof Rd. west of Van Buren Rd. - APT, 5 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Mar. 25 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Lock 29 - 1648 Mill St., Peninsula, OH 44264. Parking lot behind train station, north side of SR 303. Trails, APT, 5 miles, Nan: 216-402-1352

Mar. 25 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Lock 29, APT, 5 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Mar. 26 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - Canal Fulton - 125 Tuscarawas Ave., Canal Fulton, OH 44614. Canal Park on SR 93 in Canal Fulton. - APT, 5 miles, Dean: 330-658-2623 (H); 330-690-8589 (C)

Mar. 27 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - CVNP/Kendall Lake/Salt Run - 1000 Truxell Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. On Kendall Rd. west of State Rd. Trails/hills, 5 miles, Colleen: 330-331-7269 (H); 330-814-2621 (C)

Mar. 27 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. Hunt Farm - 2045 Bolanz Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. Parking lot on Bolanz Rd. east of Riverview Rd. – APT, 6 miles, Billy:330-968-7898

Mar. 28 (Sun.) - 2:00 p.m. - Goodyear MP, 2077 Newton St., Akron, OH 44305. On Newton St. west of SR 91 (rear lot near restrooms). – Trails, 5 miles, Lester: 234-417-2054

Mar. 29 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Botzum - 2928 Riverview Rd., Akron, OH 44313. Trailhead on Riverview Rd. south of Bath Rd. – OEC, 5 miles, Kathy: 330-923-2659; (H) 330-604-4869(C)

Mar. 30 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Richfield Woods, 4100 Broadview Rd Rt.176) just north of Rt. 303, Park in the LOWER lot at the very end of the driveway. - Trails, APT, sidewalks, 5 miles, Pam F.:H 330-659-0866, C 216-650-8832

Mar. 30 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Hudson Plaza/Leisure - 134 W. Streetsboro St., Hudson, OH 44236. Hudson Plaza (near McDonald's) on SR 303 west of SR 91. – Sidewalks, 4 miles - Roy Kress 330-434-8450

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