



Footprint

Akron Metro Parks Hiking Club Newsletter

Volume LVII, No. 01 January 2022

www.akronhikers.org

Colleen Carpinello, President -330-331-7269 (H); 330-814-2621 (C)

Roy Kress, Pathfinder 330-434-8450

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

Jan. 1 (Sat.) Happy New Year!!

Jan. 2 (Sun.) - 9:30 a.m. - Bath Nature Preserve - 4160 Ira Rd. Akron, OH 44333. - Trails/APT, 5 miles, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

Jan. 2 (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

Jan. 3 (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)

Jan. 3 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. Tallmadge Meadows - APT, 6 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Jan. 4 (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)

Jan. 4 (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

Jan. 5 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Mustill Store - 89 W. North St. Akron OH 44304.- Trails/APT, 5 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Jan. 5 (Wed.) - 10:30 a.m. - RICHFIELD HOT COCOA HIKE 3761 S. Grant Street Richfield, OH. Please meet at the Richfield Library for a winter walk through the Village Parks. Afterwards enjoy hot cocoa and homemade goodies in the Community Room of the library. The library opens at 10:00 so restrooms will be available. The library would appreciate hikers bringing a change of footwear after the hike for use inside the community room. - Mostly trails, some APT, Sidewalks, 5 miles, Pam Fenn (C) 216-650-8832

Jan. 6 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Ira Rd./O'Neil Woods - 3801 Riverview Rd, Peninsula, OH 44264. On Riverview Rd. just north of Ira Rd.- Trails, 6 miles, Nan: 216-402-1352

Jan. 6 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Ira Rd., APT, 6 miles, Jim: 330-858-8311

Jan. 7 (Fri.) - 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)

Jan. 7 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - Deep Lock Quarry MP - APT, 5 miles, Jim: 330-858-8311

Jan. 8 (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, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

Jan. 8 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Hunt Farm - 2045 Bolanz Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. Parking lot on Bolanz Rd. east of Riverview Rd. - APT, 5 miles, Jim: 330-858-8311

Jan. 9 (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, 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,

Jan. 9 (Sun.) - 2:00 p.m. Memorial Parkway - 499 Memorial Pkwy., Akron, OH 44310. Trailhead on Memorial Parkway east of Merriman Rd.- OEC, 5 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Jan. 10 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. Judge's Lake - Hinckley Reservation - Across from 400 Everett Rd. Take N. Medina Line Rd or N. Cleveland-Massillon Rd North to Everett Rd. Go west (left) or take SR 94 to Ledge Rd. Go East (right) Ledge turns into Everett. - Grass/gravel/paved trails, moderate hills, 5 miles, Steve: 234-716-4910

Jan. 10 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. Mustill Store - 89 W. North St. Akron OH 44304.- Trails/APT, 5 miles, Jim: 330-858-8311

Jan. 11 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Red Lock - 1175 W. Highland Rd. Northfield, OH, 44067, BT, Trails/APT - 5 miles, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

Jan. 11 (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

Jan. 12 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Sand Run MP/ 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)

Jan. 12 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Sand Run MP, JT, 5 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Jan. 13 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m.- Lock 29 - 1648 Mill St., Peninsula, OH 44264. Parking lot behind train station, north side of SR 303.- APT, 5 miles, Elisabeth:330-760-3844

Jan. 14 (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, Kathy: 330-923-2659 (H), 330-604-4869 (C))

Jan. 14 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - CVNP, Everett Rd, APT, 5 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Jan. 15 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Clinton - 2749 North St., Clinton, OH 44216. On North St. in Clinton west of Van Buren. - OEC - 5 miles, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

Jan. 15 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Mogadore Reservoir/East - 2578 SR 43, Mogadore, OH 44260. Boathouse parking lot on SR 43 north of spillway (south of I-76) - Trails, 6 miles, Steve: 234-706-5719 (H) 234-716-4910 (C)

Jan. 16 Sun.) - 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)

Jan. 16 (Sun.) - 2:00 pm. - 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, Sue: 330-990-0588

Jan. 17 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - CVNP/Wetmore Trail - 4653 Wetmore Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. Wetmore Rd. is off Akron Peninsula Rd., north of Bolanz Rd. - Trails/hills, 6 miles, Kathy: 330-923-2659; (H) 330-604-4869 (C)

Jan. 17 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Ira Rd - 3801 Riverview Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. On Riverview Rd. just north of Ira Rd. – APT, 6 miles, Jim: 330-858-8311

Jan. 18 (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)

Jan. 18 (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

Jan. 19 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Canal Fulton - 125 Tuscarawas Ave., Canal Fulton, OH 44614. Canal Park on SR 93 in Canal Fulton, APT, 5 miles, 5 miles, Dean: 330-658-2623 (H); 330-690-8589 (C)

Jan. 20 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Ira Rd - 3801 Riverview Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. On Riverview Rd. just north of Ira Rd. – APT, 5 miles, Nan: 216-402-1352

Jan. 21 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - Station Road Bridge - 13513 Station Rd., Brecksville, 44141. On Riverview Rd. south of SR 82. Strenuous hike, portions of Hemlock Loop, Deer Lick Loop and Buckeye Trail, Allow three hours for hike. - Trails, hills, 7 miles, Kathy: 330-923-2659; (H) 330-604-4869 (C)

Jan. 21 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - Station Road Bridge - APT, 7 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

Jan. 22 (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

Jan. 22 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Vanderhoof - 2445 Vanderhoof Rd., Barberton, OH 44203. Trailhead on Vanderhoof Rd. west of Van Buren Rd. - APT, 5 miles, Colleen: 330-331-7269 (H); 330-814-2621 (C)

Jan. 23 (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)

Jan. 23 (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

Jan. 24 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Brust Park - 128 N. Main St., Munroe Falls, OH 44262. Meet at Brust Park gazebo on SR 91, just north of the river - APT, 6 miles, Elisabeth:330-760-3844

Jan. 25 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Horseshoe Pond, - 2075 Major Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. Parking lot on Major Rd. off Riverview Rd. Trails - 6 miles, Colleen: 330-331-7269 (H); 330-814-2621 (C)

Jan. 25 (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

Jan. 26 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Cascade Valley/Oxbow Area/Valley View Area - 1212 Cuyahoga St. Akron Oh 44313. Look for the big Don Drumm sculpture by the parking lot. We'll hike the new trail in the old Valley View Golf Course and continue across the street to the Overlook and the river below. - Pavement, trails, hills. 5 miles, Steve: 234-716-4910

Jan. 26 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Cascade Valley/Valley View Area only- APT, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

Jan. 27 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Memorial Parkway - 499 Memorial Pkwy., Akron, OH 44310. Trailhead on Memorial Parkway east of Merriman Rd. - OEC, 5 miles, Jim: 330-858-8311

Jan. 27 (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, 5 - 8 miles, Elisabeth: 330-760-3844

Jan.28 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - Wilbeth Road - 392 W. Wilbeth Rd., Akron, Oh 44301. Trailhead on Wilbeth Rd. west of S. Main St. - OEC, 5 miles, Elisabeth:330-760-3844

Jan. 29 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Botzum - 2928 Riverview Rd., Akron, OH 44313. Trailhead on Riverview Rd. south of Bath Rd. - OEC, 5 miles, Elisabeth: 330-760-3844

Jan. 30 (Sun.) - 9:30 a.m. - Bath Nature Preserve - 4160 Ira Rd. Akron, OH 44333. - Trails/APT, 5 miles, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

Jan. 31 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Hinckley Hills - For GPS use "Johnson's Picnic Area." Directions: I-77 North to Wheatley Rd exit. Go West (right) about a mile to Hawkins Rd. - turn left. Hawkins turns into Bellus Rd In Medina County. Go past spillway and turn left on Metropolitan Park West. Turn left at Boathouse but GO PAST the Boathouse parking to Johnson's Picnic Area at the end of the road. (If coming up State Rd. turn left on Metropolitan Park West and right at boathouse.) - Trails/APT, 5 miles, Steve 234-716-4910

Jan. 31 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Lakemore - 1492 Canton Rd., Akron, OH 44312. Meet at north end of Lakemore Plaza on SR 91 South of US 224 -Trails/roads. - 5 miles, Diane L: 234-788-5469.
