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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.

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**Oct. 01 (Sun.) - 9:30 p.m. - Bath Nature Preserve** - 4160 Ira Rd. Akron, OH 44333. Park trailhead north of Shade Rd. - Trails/APT, 5 miles, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

**Oct. 01 (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

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**Oct. 02 (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)

**Oct. 02 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Tallmadge Meadows** - APT, 6 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

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**Oct. 03 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Goodyear MP** - 2077 Newton St., Akron, OH 44305. On Newton St. west of SR 91 (rear lot near restrooms) - Trails, Hills, 5 miles, Lynn L.:330-606-8471

**Oct. 03 (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

**Oct. 03 (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

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**Oct. 4 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Gorge MP** - 1160 Front St. Cuyahoga Falls, OH. 44223. On Front St. just north of river in Cuyahoga Falls. - **Includes Glens Trail** - Trails, 5 miles, Marie: 330-618-4657

**Oct. 4 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Mustill Store** - 89 W. North St. Akron OH 44304.- APT, 5 miles, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

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**Oct. 5 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Richfield Heritage Park-** 4374 Broadview Rd. Richfield, OH 44286 - Hills, trails, BT, 5 miles, Karen:330-607-2394

**Oct. 5 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Nimisila Rim** - 4929 Christman Road, Akron. Park at the south end of the Chrisman Road parking lot near the access road to the boat launch. Hike will include a Fisherman's Trail - APT/trail, 5 miles, John: 330-472-3800, Shelly: 330- 608-6512

**Oct. 5 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Berlin Lake Trail** - 10228 St. Rt. 224, Deerfield, OH 44411 - APT, limestone trails, no restrooms, 5 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

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**Oct. 6 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - CVNP, Everett Rd** - 2370 Everett Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. Everett Rd. west of Riverview - **Includes Riding Run/Furnace Run** Trails/hills, 6 miles, Becky: 419-960-9305

**Oct. 6 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - Clinton** - 2749 North St., Clinton, OH 44216. On North St. in Clinton west of Van Buren. - OEC, 5 miles, Billy:330-968-7898

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**Oct. 7 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Sand Run MP** - 1400 Sand Run Pkwy, Akron, OH 44313. Wadsworth parking area (third area on Sand Run Parkway west of Portage Path), JT, 5 miles, Billy:330-968-7898

**Oct. 7 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Sand Run MP** - 995 Treaty Line Rd, Akron, OH 44313, Akron, OH. - **Includes Schumacher, Parcours**, - Trails, hills, 5 miles, Steve: 234-716-4910

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**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,

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**Oct. 8 (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, Colleen:330-331-7269 (H); 330-814-2621 (C)

**Oct. 8 (Sun.) - 2:00 p.m. - Mustill Store** - 89 W. North St. Akron OH 44304.- Trails/APT, 5 miles, Billy:330-968-7898

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**Oct. 9 (Mon.) - 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

**Oct. 9 (Mon.) - 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

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**Oct. 10 (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

**Oct. 10 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Botzum** - 2928 Riverview Rd., Akron, OH 44313. Trailhead on Riverview Rd. south of Bath Rd. - OEC, 5 miles, Billy:330-968-7898

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**Oct. 11 (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, Dean: 330-658-2623 (H); 330-690-8589 (C)

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**Oct. 12 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Lock 29** - 1648 Mill St., Peninsula, OH 44264. Parking lot behind train station, north side of SR 303. - OEC, 5 miles, Nan: 216-402-1352

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**Oct. 13 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - Wilbeth Rd** - 392 W. Wilbeth Rd., Akron, Oh 44301. Trailhead on Wilbeth Rd. west of S. Main St. - OEC, 5 miles, Billy:330-968-7898

**Oct. 13 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - Wilbeth Rd** - 4 miles, Jim: 330-858-8311

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**Oct. 14 (Sat.) - 10:00 a.m. - Goodyear MP** - 2077 Newton St., Akron, OH 44305. On Newton St. west of SR 91 - Trails, 5 miles, Billy:330-968-7898

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**Oct. 15 (Sun.) - 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, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

**Oct. 15 (Sun.) - 2:00 p.m. Wood Hollow** - 2121 Barlow Rd, Hudson, OH 44236, OH, Trails/APT, 5 miles, Sue: 330-990-0588

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**Oct. 16 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. Deep Lock Quarry MP** - 5779 Riverview Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. On Riverview Rd. south of SR 303. - **Includes Valley Picnic Area, Sylvan Pond** - Trails/OEC, 5 miles, Kathy: 330-923-2659 (H), 330-604-4869 (C)

**Oct. 16 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Deep Lock Quarry MP**- OEC, 5 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

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**Oct. 17 (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. – **Includes Boston Run** -Trails/Hills, 5 miles, Carol: 330-554-8991

**Oct. 17 (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

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**Oct. 18 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Brandywine Falls** - 8176 Brandywine Rd. Sagamore Hills, OH 44067. Located on Brandywine Rd. between Olde Eight Rd. and West Highland Rd. - Trails/hills, 5 miles, Colleen:330-331-7269 (H); 330-814-2621 (C)

**Oct. 18 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Big Bend** - 1337 Merriman Rd., Akron, OH 44313. Off of Merriman Rd. opposite Treaty Line Rd. - OEC, 5 miles, Chris: 330-524-9415

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**Oct. 19 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Richfield Heritage Preserve** - 4374 Broadview Road Richfield, OH 44286 (next to Giant Eagle). Proceed through gate and down long driveway to parking lot - Hills, trails, possible stream crossings 5 miles, Pam F. 216-650-8832

**Oct. 19 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. - Sand Run MP** - 1400 Sand Run Pkwy, Akron, OH 44313. Wadsworth parking area (3rd on Sand Run Parkway west of Portage Path) - **Includes Schumacher/Valley Link** -Trails/hills, 5 miles, Marie: 330-618-4657 (C)

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**Oct. 19 (Thu.) - 9:30 a.m. – Botzum/Leisure** - 2928 Riverview Rd., Akron, OH 44313. Trailhead on Riverview Rd. south of Bath Rd. - OEC, 4 miles, Jim: 330-858-8311

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**Oct. 20 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - Summit Lake/Spaghetti Warehouse** - 510 S Main St. bldg. 33, Akron, OH 44311. Park in the NW corner of the lot behind the restaurant - OEC/ Dirt and Grass trails, 5 miles, Carol:330-554-8991

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**Oct. 21 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. – N. Chagrin** - Use **Squires Castle** for your GPS. From I-271 take Mayfield Rd Exit (US 322) and go east approx. 2 miles on Mayfield Rd. At Chagrin River Rd (SR174), turn left (north) and go 3.9 miles to Hayes Dr. on your right. The park is on the left, opposite Hayes Dr. - Trails, hills, 5 miles, Steve: 234-716-4910

**Oct. 21 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Big Bend/Leisure** - 1337 Merriman Rd., Akron, OH 44313. Off of Merriman Rd. opposite Treaty Line Rd. - OEC, 4 miles, Jim: 330-858-8311

**Oct. 21 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Morgan Park** -8828 State Route 44, Ravenna, OH 44266 – Trails (crushed limestone), 5 miles, Sue: 330-990-0588, Billy:330-968-7898

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**Oct. 22 (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)

**Oct. 22 (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

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**Oct. 23 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - CVNP/Wetmore** - 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)

**Oct. 23 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. - Hunt Farm** - 2045 Bolanz Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. Parking lot on Bolanz Rd. east of Riverview Rd. - APT, 5 miles, Billy:330-968-7898

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**Oct. 24 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Portage Lakes State Park** - 5031 Manchester Road, Akron. Park in the lot closest to the bathrooms which are located by taking the first right after pulling into the park - Trails, 5 miles John (330) 472-3800 Shelly (330) 608-6512

**Oct. 24 (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

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**Oct. 25 (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)

**Oct. 25 (Wed.) - 9:30 a.m. - Ira Rd.** - 3801 Riverview Rd, Peninsula, OH 44264. On Riverview Rd. just north of Ira Rd.- OEC, 5 miles, Billy:330-968-7898

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**Oct. 26 (Thu.) - 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)

**Oct. 26 (Thu.) - 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

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**Oct. 27 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - Sand Run MP** - 1400 Sand Run Pkwy, Akron, OH 44313. Wadsworth parking area (third area on Sand Run Pkwy. west of Portage Path) - Trails, hills - **Includes Dogwood/Mingo/Seneca** - 5 miles, Steve: 234-716-4910

**Oct. 27 (Fri.) - 9:30 a.m. - Sand Run MP** - JT, 5 miles, Kincaid: 234-466-7363 (H), 330-815-8308 (C)

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**Oct. 28 (Sat.) - 9:30 a.m. - Mogadore Reservoir/West** - 2578 SR 43, Mogadore, OH 44260. Boathouse parking lot on SR 43 (south of I-76) - Trails, 5-8 miles, Elisabeth:330-760-384

**Oct. 28 (Sat) - 9:30 am. - Memorial Parkway/Leisure** - 499 Memorial Pkwy., Akron, OH 44310. Trailhead on Memorial Parkway east of Merriman Rd. - OEC, 4 miles, Jim: 330-858-8311

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**Oct. 29 (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, Pamela L.:330-666-3519

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**Oct. 29 (Sun.) - 2:00 p.m. - Brust Park** - 128 N. Main St., Munroe Falls, OH 44262. Meet at Brust Park gazebo on SR 91, just north of the river. - H & B, 6 miles, Sue: 330-990-0588

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**Oct. 30 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. – CVNP/Lock 29** - 1648 Mill St., Peninsula, OH 44264. Parking lot behind train station, north side of SR 303. - OEC & **Buckeye Trail**, 6 miles, Kathy: 330-923-2659; (H) 330-604-4869 (C)

**Oct. 30 (Mon.) - 9:30 a.m. – CVNP/ Lock 29** - OEC, 6 miles, Billy: 330-968-7898

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**Oct. 31 (Tue.) - 9:30 a.m. - Deep Lock Quarry MP** - 5779 Riverview Rd., Peninsula, OH 44264. On Riverview Rd. south of SR 303, OEC, 5 miles, Colleen: 330-331-7269 (H); 330-814-2621 (C)

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