

THURSDAY JULY 1 – Farny area, Splitrock Reservoir, Rockaway

Leader: Dave Hogenauer 973-762-1475 (day of hike only: cell 973-901-0824

Meet: 10AM Fisherman's Parking area at Splitrock Reservoir. We will hike in and out along the Four Birds Trail on the western shore of the reservoir. Some steep parts. About 9 miles.

ALT. THURSDAY JULY 1 - Kincaid Trail, Pyramid Mountain, Boonton, NJ

Leader: Diane Willer, 973-627-4046; CELL: 973-713-3066; dwiller34@gmail.com

Meet: 10am Kincaid Trail parking area at the corner of Powerville Road and Kincaid Road, in Boonton Twp. This will be a 5-6 mile, out-and-back hike on this new Pyramid Mt. trail. Bring lunch and water.

MUST REGISTER with the leader the day before the hike. DIRECTIONS: I-287N to exit 45, Wooton Street, Boonton...make first left; go under I-287 following Wooton Street straight uphill to blinker light; turn right onto CR511/ Boonton Ave.; go 2miles; turn left onto Rockaway Valley Road; proceed 1.3miles; turn right onto Powerville Road; continue 1.2miles to Kincaid Road; turn right into parking lot.

SATURDAY JULY 3 -- Watchung Reservation, Mountainside, NJ

Leader: Mae Deas, 908-233-6641

Meet: 10AM Trailside Nature Center parking lot on Coles Ave., where it intersects with New Providence Rd. Enjoy a moderately paced 5-6 hike suitable for intermediate hikers, on a variety of scenic trails. Rain cancels.

SUNDAY JULY 4 -- South Mountain Reservation, South Orange

Leader: Gail Waimon, 973-467-4761

Meet: 10AM Locust Grove parking lot, corner of Glen Ave. and Lackawanna Pl, across Millburn RR station. Enjoy a 4 to 5 mile brisk hike with some rocky sections and possibly a steep climb at the beginning. Rain cancels.

MONDAY, JULY 5 -Tourne Park, Boonton

Leader: Susan Jacobs, 973-402-2555

Meet: 10AM See front of schedule for directions. A pretty hike to Birchwood and Crystal Lakes. Bubbling springs? Rain cancels.

TUESDAY JULY 6 - Ringwood Manor, Ringwood

Leader: Kathie Grifone 201-891-5161 (cell 201-819-0460)

Meet: 9:30 AM Parking Lot A for a 5-7 mile moderate hike. There will be easy outs along the way. Note early start to beat the heat. Rain cancels

TUESDAY JULY 6 - Beat the Heat: Watchung Reservation, Mountainside

Leader: Eck Khoon Goh 908-790-0939

Meet: 8:30AM. Trailside Nature Center for a 4-6 mile hike at a moderate pace. Rain cancels.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 7—Watchung Reservation, Mountainside

Leader: Ellie King, 908-233-8411

Meet: 10AM at Trailside Nature Center parking lot on Coles Avenue (see map in directions). We'll walk on woods roads in the shade, at a pace dependent on the weather. Steady rain cancels.

THURSDAY JULY 8 - Sterling Forest trails, Hewitt

Leader Eric Singer. 973-744-7147

Meet: 10AM at parking lot on Route 511 in Hewitt by the cell tower. DIRECTIONS: Rt 287 to Exit 55 Wanaque-Follow Rt 511 north about 8 miles to Ringwood Iron Works Museum on right. Parking lot is on left by cell tower. We will hike on the Hasenclever mine trail – then on the Number 6 trail and finally back on the Sterling Trail. About 8 miles of moderately strenuous going.

ALT. THURSDAY JULY 8 - AT/Millbrook Rd, Blairstown, NJ

Leader: Anne Mattei 610-837-7066; CELL (day of hike only) 732-763-6627.

Meet: 10am AT parking lot atop hill on Millbrook Rd. Beginning at Millbrook Rd.,we will hike on the AT along the ridge, past the Fire Tower to Camp Mohican and lunch; return on the Orange Trail. About 6miles. Moderate pace with up-and-down terrain. Bring lunch and water. **MUST REGISTER with the leader the day before.**

SATURDAY, JULY 10 -- Turkey Mountain, Montville

Leader: Al Verdi, 973-263-8569

Meet: 10AM at Pyramid Mt parking lot. See front of schedule for directions. 4 to 4 1/2 miles on hard packed and rocky trails with several ups and downs. We follow yellow to the Falls (stop for views) to Green and up Red (250 ft gain); then Red to Blue down; cross Yellow to White/Yellow back to cars. Moderate to Brisk 2 miles/hour. Not for beginners. No lunch stop. No registration needed. Bring water.

SATURDAY, JULY 10 - Watchung Trail Maintenance, 9:30am - Noon

Pre-register by calling Betty Kelly 908-789-3683. Meet at the old Trailside Museum Building (left side of building). Bring water, gloves, clippers, lopping shears or a bag for trash. Have fun "giving back" a little something to those hiking trails! Meet new people, learn a new skill while working in the out of doors. Trail work is held unless severe weather occurs.

SUNDAY, JULY 11 – Tourne Park, Boonton

Leader: Whoever volunteers

Meet: 10AM See front of schedule for directions. Leader's choice of a moderate 5 mile hike through this beautiful county park. After hike send list of participants to Terry Kulmane.

MONDAY, JULY 12 - Painters Point, South Mountain Reservation, Millburn

Leader: Joe McLaughlin, 973-263-2799

Meet: 10AM A favorite in either direction, following the Rahway River. See map in directions. Off of Brookside Drive

TUESDAY JULY 13 - Turkey Mountain, Montville, NJ

Leader: Terry Kulmane terrykayhiker@yahoo.com

Meet: 10AM Pyramid Mountain Visitors' Center parking lot. Hike 6 moderate miles on various scenic trails. Lunch at a shady, cool spot. Falling rain cancels.

TUESDAY JULY 13 - Beat the Heat: Locust Grove, South Mountain Reservation, Millburn

Leader: Gail Waimon 973-467-4761

Meet: 8AM Locust Grove parking area. Hike 3 hours including Hemlock Falls.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 14—Sourland Mtn. Preserve, Somerset.

Leader: Alan Marks (cell 908-202-8757) and Pierre Rein.

Meet: 10AM Preserve parking area. Either follow the Club's Directions on-line or on paper, or

LEADER'S DIRECTIONS: From the Princeton area make a LEFT

onto AMWELL ROAD or a RIGHT if coming from the North (I-287). Pass Beekman

Avenue and make a left at the next light at East Mountain Road. The parking

lot is on the right in about one mile. Enjoy a walk through boulder fields, rolling hills and over streams, mostly in the shade. Bring a snack to enjoy as we might return after 12. Steady rain cancels.

THURSDAY July 15 - Reeves Meadow, Harriman State Park, NY

Leader: Ron Kuhn 201-836-5256

Meet: 10AM Reeves Meadow parking lot on Seven Lakes Drive. A moderately strenuous hike of 7.5 miles on various trails depending on the conditions

ALT. THURSDAY JULY 15 - Millbrook Village/Van Campen Glen, Blairstown, NJ

Leader: Alistair MacLennan; ajmclennan@verizon.net 973-451-1435

Meet: 10AM Millbrook Village parking lot. 6+mile hike following the Orchard, Hamilton Ridge and Pioneer Trails to lunch beside a beautiful cascade along Van Campens Brook; return to Millbrook Village on the Van Campen Glen Trail. Bring lunch and water. **You MUST REGISTER the day before the hike.**

SATURDAY JULY 17 -- Patriots Path, Speedwell Lake, Morristown

Leader: Jeffrey Sovelove. Hiker_Dood@yahoo.com

Meet: 10 AM Speedwell Lake parking lot across from Historic Speedwell. DIRECTIONS: From Morristown Square, take Rt. 202 North (Speedwell Ave). Go 1.3 miles to bridge. Parking on left before crossing bridge. Come take an easy 3 to 5 mile stroll on Patriots Path in Morristown. The path is wide, partly paved, partly crushed stabilized gravel with very little in the way of elevation gains. Very moderate pace. Please bring plenty of water and a light snack. Great for beginners. Heavy/steady rain cancels. Optional lunch afterwards.

SUNDAY JULY 18 -- Liberty State Park, Jersey City

Leader: Lynn Gale, 973-763-7230

Meet: 10AM at the north end of the parking lot nearest the Visitors Center. DIRECTIONS: Take I-78 East to its end at the NJ Turnpike near Newark Airport. Then take the NJ Turnpike spur toward the Holland Tunnel (NOT the Turnpike North or South). You are going to exit 14B. After paying your toll, turn left on Morris Pesin Drive and follow it straight to the Visitors Center. Turn right into the north end of the parking lot. We will walk the beginning of the Liberty Water Gap Trail and see the fabulous scenery of the Statue of Liberty and the New York harbor and skyline. This will be sidewalk walking, in this breezy area. Heavy rain cancels.

MONDAY, JULY 19 – Watchung Reservation, Mountainside

Leader: Clotilde Lanig 732-549-4977

Meet: 10AM Trailside Nature and Science Center parking lot on Coles Avenue where it intersects with New Providence Road. (see map on front cover). A pleasant, nearly level walk through the woods and around Surprise Lake. Steady rain cancels.

TUESDAY JULY 20 - High Mountain Preserve, Wayne

Leader: Eric Singer 973-744-7147

Meet: 10 AM Parking Lot on top of College Ave next to Wm Paterson University - go to Wm Paterson's western most area. A moderate hike of about 6 miles.

TUESDAY JULY 20 - Beat the Heat: Jockey Hollow National Historical Park, Morristown

Leader: Mae Deas 908-233-6641

Meet: 8:30AM A 3 hour hike at a moderate pace.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 21-- South Mountain Reservation Historical tour, Millburn

Leader: Dave Hogenauer 973-762-1475 (day of hike only: cell # 973-901-0824).

Meet: 10AM. Locust Grove parking area (see map). We will walk along the RR right-of-way for the old Jersey West Line, visit two old paper mills ponds and an old farmer's pond, hearing the story of this section of Millburn in its factory days and how the park was formed.

THURSDAY JULY 22- High Point State Park, Monument Trail, Sussex

Leader: Wayne Frey 732-537-9190 (on day of hike: cell 973-214-9657)

Meet:10AM Steenykill Boat Launch area on the right side of Rt23 about 1 1/2 miles past the entrance to High Point State Park. We will hike up to the Monument (the only climb-otherwise an easy, moderate hike) then follow the Monument Trail, add a loop in the Dryden Kuser Natural Area on the marked Cedar Swamp Trail. Back to the cars via the Monument and Steenykill Trails- about 5 miles.

ALT. THURSDAY JULY 22 - Johnstown Rd, Harriman State Park, NY

Leader: Bob McCluskie rwueasecy@msn.com

Meet: 10AM Johnstown Rd. parking lot. We will hike at a moderate pace, through the woods and lunch at a scenic lake. Bring lunch and water. Falling rain cancels.

SATURDAY JULY 24 -- South Mountain Reservation, South Orange

Leader: Whoever volunteers

Meet: 10AM Locust Grove parking lot, corner of Glen Ave. and Lackawanna Pl, across Millburn RR station. Enjoy a 4 to 5 mile brisk hike with some rocky sections and possibly a steep climb at the beginning. Rain cancels. After hike send list of participants to Terry Kulmane.

SUNDAY JULY 25 -- Jockey Hollow National Historical Park, Morristown

Leader: Jim Schlegel 973-731-4339

Meet: 10AM Visitor Center parking lot. A moderate hike over many trails in the park. Perhaps visit the cemetery located in this national park. Rain cancels.

MONDAY, JULY 26 - Cedar Grove Community Park, Cedar Grove

Leader: Roz Bloom, 973-364-0186

Meet: 10AM A railroad bed, a hemlock gorge, and the reservoir. An easy, level hike. DIRECTIONS: From Bloomfield Ave. & route 23 intersection in Verona, go north on Rt. 23 for 2.2 mi. to Little Falls Rd on right (just past bridge). Turn right and follow double yellow line 0.5 mi. to sign "Cedar Grove Community Park" on right just after bridge. Turn right and go 0.3 mi. to parking lot at end.

TUESDAY JULY 27 - South Mountain Reservation, Maplewood

Leader: Dave Hogenauer 973-762-1475 (day of hike only cell # 973-901-0824)

Meet: 10AM Tulip Springs parking area. We will walk along the Rahway River and the shore of the Orange Reservoir at a moderate pace covering about 6 ½ miles of mostly level terrain. Length will be shorter if heat is extreme.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 28—Jockey Hollow National Park, Morristown

Leaders: Don and Jeane McLellan, 908-464-6246

Meet: 10AM Visitors Center parking lot off Tempe Wick Road. A moderate 5-mile hike on a variety of trails and terrains. Rain cancels.

THURSDAY JULY 29 Lake Skannatati, Harriman State Park, NY

Leader: Jim Conlon 914-591-6079

Meet: 10AM Lake Skannatati parking lot for an 8 mile moderately strenuous hike.

ALT. THURSDAY JULY 29 - Frelinghuysen Arboretum, Morristown, NJ Hike into History

Leader: Gail Biggs: biggs_gail@yahoo.com 973-401-1262; Cell: 973-769-6860-day of hike only

Meet: 10AM Frelinghuysen Arboretum. Walk a cool and comfortable 4miles along the Patriots Path, to Morristown's Acorn Hall...headquarters of the Morris County Historical Society. We will enjoy a tour there (\$6 or \$5 for seniors), and then return to the Arboretum for an early lunch. Bring lunch and water. You MUST REGISTER with the leader the day before the hike.

SATURDAY, JULY 31- Watchung Reservation, Mountainside, NJ

Leader: Ellen Jeydel, 908-868-7510

Meet: 10AM Trailside Nature Center parking lot on Coles Ave., where it intersects with New Providence Rd. Enjoy a moderately paced 5-6 hike suitable for intermediate hikers, on a variety of scenic trails. Rain cancels.