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OUTINGS SCHEDULE · MARCH 2023

Saturday, 3/4  
Mt. Beacon/Scofield & Fishkill Ridges  
Mary Gelber  
midgelber@gmail.com  
917-922-3203  
Meet at Mt. Beacon Park (GPS 41.493547, -73.959854). Casino and Breakneck Ridge Trails to the fire tower, then along the ridges on the Wilkinson and Fishkill Ridge Trails, to return on the Yellow and Casino Trails. TC East Hudson Trails Map 102.

Tuesday, 3/7  
West Mountain  
Roland Autran  
autran@msn.com (pref)  
201-886-9119, (c) 201-699-3388  
Meet at 9:00 AM at Anthony Wayne Recreation Area (1st parking lot from the Palisade Parkway Exit 17). Hike starts at 9:15AM sharp going north to the Anthony Wayne (W) and the start of the Fawn (R) Trail to catch the Appalachian Trail after .6 mile. We stay on the A.T. for .7 mile. We make a right at the merge of the A.T. and the 1777 W and proceed on the A.T./77 for 0.1 mile. Then we continue on the 77 for 0.1 mile and make a right on the unmarked woods road, the Doodletown Bridle Path to the Fawn Trail for .55 mile. Then we make a right on the Suffern-Bear Mountain Trail all the way to the Timp-Tome Trail on the right and back to Fawn and the parking lot. This hike is described in Don Weise's "Circuit Hikes in Harriman". This hike is moderate to strenuous. Severe inclement weather cancels. Please register by email. TC Harriman-Bear Mountain North Trails map 119.

Thursday, 3/9  
Hogencamp Mountain  
Rich Scala  
jerseysilver393@gmail.com  
9 AM at Lake Skannatati parking lot off Seven Lakes Drive. We will hike the Arden-Surebridge, Dunning, Ramapo-Dunderberg, and Long Path trails. This hike is described in Don Weise's "Circuit Hikes in Harriman". Email registration is required. Heavy rain cancels. TC Northern Harriman-Bear Mountain Northern Trails map 119.

Saturday, 3/11  
West Mountain  
Mike Prestia  
prestia.michael@gmail.com  
917-841-0120  
Meet at 8:45 AM at the first (north) parking lot at Anthony Wayne Recreation Area (GPS 41.29779, -74.02710). Hike begins at 9:00 AM. We will start on the Anthony Wayne Trail, then follow the Fawn, Suffern Bear Mnt, and Timp Torne trails. This hike offers views of the Hudson River, Bear Mnt, as well as views of the Timp, Bald Mtn, and Dunderberg Mtn. Steady rain cancels. Registration by email with release required. TC Northern Harriman-Bear Mountain Trails map 119.

Hogencamp Mountain · Facebook Photo
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Tuesday, 4/18
Jackie Jones Mountain and Big Hill
Roland Autran
autran@msn.com (preferred)
201-886-9119, (c) 201-699-3388
Meet at 9:15 AM at the parking lot on Rt 106 that you can find at “Big Hill and Jackie Jones Mountain Trail” in Stony Point, NY. Parking spaces are on both sides of the road. We start at 9:30 AM sharp going south on the S-BM Trail to the Third Reservoir on the Woods Road back to the Big Hill on the S-BM and then on to the Long Path crossing the Old Turnpike, making a left on the Woods Road and a right soon after to the S-BM and the parking lot. Please look at the attached hike’s description from Don Weise’s “Circuit Hikes in Harriman” page 33. Severe inclement weather cancels. Please register for this hike by email. TC Harriman-Bear Mountain North Trails map 119.

Thursday, 4/20
Munsee-Eagle Trail
Roy Wooters
rfwoot@gmail.com
(c) 845-304-0867
Meet 10:00 AM at the Caretakers Parking at 1028 County Road 84, Tuxedo Park, NY (GPS N41°12’40.1’’ W74°14’32.5’’). Hike in and out on the Munsee-Eagle Trail in Sterling Forest. Register by email, include phone number. Rain cancels. TC Sterling Forest Trails map 100.

Saturday, 4/22
Giant Stairs Long Path Loop
Bob Fiscina
fis6973@tutamail.com
This loop follows the Long Path and Shore Trail across the Giant Stairs and along the river. An early out is available. Meeting time and place provided upon registration. Rain or wet conditions cancels. TC Hudson Palisades Trails maps 108 & 109.

Saturday, 4/22
Bombay Hook Palisades Park
Peter Reiner
psr7777@gmail.com
845-323-7697
Meet 9:30 at the Kearney House at Alpine Picnic Area & Boat Basin. Hike along the Shore Trail with a challenging slope up the Forest View Trail to the Long Path. Stops at historic ruins of houses on the Palisades cliff. Must register for hike with the leader. TC Hudson Palisades Trails map 108/109.

Sunday, 4/23
Lunch at Black Rock Mt. (Nurian Trail)
Geoff Fonseca
geofffonseca@yahoo.com
845-357-9366
9:00 AM at Lake Skannatati. We will hike the ASB to Times Square and on the RD to the Black Rock Mountain for lunch. We will return on the RD, Dunning, and Long Path Trails. This 7.5-mile hike has an elevation gain of about 1200 feet. Precipitation of any kind cancels. Please email leader to register. TC Northern Harriman-Bear Mt. Trails map 119.

Tuesday, 4/25
Abram S. Hewitt State Forest
Roland Autran
autran@msn.com (preferred)
201-886-9119, (c) 201-699-3388
Meet by 9:15 AM at “22 Warwick Turnpike, West Milford, NJ”. We will start at 9:30 AM sharp on the Bearfort Ridge Trail taking it to the Ernest Walter Trail. We then hike east on the Ernest Walter Trail to the intersection with the Quail Trail which we hike back to where we began. This hike is moderately strenuous. Severe inclement weather cancels. Please register for this hike. This is Hike 51 of “Hike of the Week” by Daniel Chazin. TC Northern New Jersey Highlands Trails map 152.

Thursday, 4/27
Lunch at the Second Reservoir
Paul Margiotta
pjmm1177@gmail.com (pref)
201-693-6705 (day of hike)
9:30 AM at the parking area off Diltzes Lane in Ladentown, Town of Pomona, Rockland County, NY. We will hike the T-MI and S-BM trails and a woods road along the north shores of the Third and Second Reservoirs before stopping for lunch. Our return will be via Woodtown Road and the Red Arrow and T-MI Trails. TC Southern Harriman Trails map 118.

Sunday, 4/30
Jackie Jones Mountain and Big Hill
Mike Prestia
prestia.michael@gmail.com
917-841-0120
We will meet at 8:30AM at parking area on Rt 106 (right side of road) coming from Kanawauke Circle Parking GPS coordinates 41.22978, -74.06042 Hike will start at 8:45. This will be a single loop hike following the Suffern-Bear Mountain, Long Path Trails, and woods roads. Don Weise describes the hike in his book “Circuit Hikes in Harriman”, chapter 6. We will hike as a group; leader will adjust pace of hike to accommodate participants. Steady rain cancels. Leader will notify participants by 7AM day of hike. Registration by email required. TC Northern Harriman Trails map 119.

Tuesday, 5/2
Boston Mine Stahahe High Peak
Roland Autran
autran@msn.com (preferred)
201-886-9119, (c) 201-699-3388
Meet at 9:15 AM at the parking lot on Rt 106 that you can find at “1369 Kanawauke Road, Southfields, NY”. We will start at 9:30 AM sharp going north on the White Bar to the Nurian then north on the Ramapo-Dunderberg to the Lichen, then west on the A-SB then south on the White Bar and west on the Dunning around Green Pond then south on the Island Pond Road and then back on the White Bar and to the parking lot. This hike is strenuous. Severe inclement weather cancels. Please register for this hike by email. TC Harriman-Bear Mountain North Trails map 119.
Saturday, 5/6

Bull Hill (Mt. Taurus)
Mike Prestia
prestia.michael@gmail.com
917-841-0120

We will meet at 8:30AM at parking lot on right side of 9D (traveling north from Bear Mt. Bridge). Type Bull Hill, NY into Google Maps and your GPS will lead you to parking lot. Hike will start at 8:45 AM. This will be a loop hike following the Washburn, Notch, Brook, and Cornish Trails. The hike offers panoramic views of the Hudson Highlands, dramatic ledges and some minor rock scrambles, as well as some old ruins. This hike has something for everyone. We will hike as a group; leader will adjust pace of hike to accommodate participants. You can find a detailed hike description in "50 Hikes in the Upper Hudson Valley", chapter 2, by Derek Dellinger. Steady rain cancels. Leader will notify participants by email. Hike registration required. TC Harriman-Bear Mt. South Trails map 118.

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Sunday, 5/7

Pine Meadow Lake from Kakiat Park
Geoff Fonseca
gefffonseca@yahoo.com
845-357-9366

9:00 AM at Kakiat parking lot on Rt 202. We will hike on the Mountain, Kakiat, Raccoon Brooks, and Egg Trails to Pine Meadow Lake. We return on the Pine Meadow, Conklin Crossing, S-BM and Kakiat trails. This 7.5-mile hike has an elevation gain of about 1700 feet. Precipitation of any kind cancels. Please email leader to register. TC East Hudson Trails map 118.

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Tuesday, 5/9

Pine Swamp Mountain
Roland Autran
autran@msn.com (preferred)
201-886-9119, (c) 201-699-3388

Meet at 9:15AM sharp at the Lake Skannatati parking lot on Seven Lakes Drive. We will start at 9:30AM sharp going west on the Long Path to the A-SB west to the Bottle Cap Trail east to the RD south to Time Square. From there we return to the parking lot via the A-SB going east. Please look at the attached hike's description in Don Weise's "Circuit Hikes in Harriman" page 113. Severe inclement weather cancels. Please register for this hike by email. TC Harriman-Bear Mountain North Trails map 119.

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Thursday, 5/11

Cats Elbow
Rich Scala
jerseysilver393@gmail.com
201-819-6101

Leave 9:30 AM from the south end of the (2nd) Anthony Wayne Rec. Area parking lot off Exit 17 of the PIP. We will hike the route described in Chapter 23 of "Circuit Hikes in Harriman" which includes the Horn Hill Bike Path, Ramapo-Dunderberg, Timp Torne, and AT Trails. Views of Hudson River and NYC. Rain cancels. Email registration required. TC Northern Harriman-Bear Mt. Trails map 119.

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Saturday, 5/13

Sebago Stony Brook Special
Mary Gelber
midgegelber@gmail.com
917-922-3203

8:00 AM at Lake Sebago Boat Launch Parking Area. Seven Hills to TMI to Stony Brook, then east on Kakiat to Seven Hills up and around Chipmunk Mt. on the HTS, then back to Seven Hills up Diamond Mt. and back to cars. Registration by email required. TC Harriman-Bear Mt. South Trails map 118.

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Sunday, 5/14

Harriman Highlands Trail
Bob Fiscina
fis6973@tutamail.com

This loop makes use of the RD, Dunning, ASB, AT and Nurian Trails. Meeting time and place provided upon registration. Rain cancels. TC Northern Harriman-Bear Mountain Trails map 119.

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Sunday, 5/14

Pine Meadow Lake and the Ramapo Escarpment
Howard Basch
howanorb@gmail.com

Meet 8:45 AM at Ramapo Equestrian Center (41.174788, -74.08526). Park alongside Equestrian Center Rd before the bridge. Meet at the back of the Equestrian Center by the barn. Hike starts at 9:00 AM sharp. We hike the Pine Meadow Trail to Pine Meadow Lake and return to the Equestrian Center via Conklin's Crossing, S-BM, and Pine Meadow Trails. This hike is described in Don Weise's "Circuit Hikes in Harriman" p. 27-32. TC Southern Harriman-Bear Mountain Trails map 118.

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Tuesday, 5/16

Lake Sebago, Diamond Mountain
Roland Autran
autran@msn.com (preferred)
201-886-9119, (c) 201-699-3388

Meet at 9:15AM sharp at the parking lot at the Circle at the end of Johnstown Road in the town of Sloatsburg, NY off the Seven Lakes Drive in Harriman Park. We will start at 9:30AM sharp going north on the White Bar and then to Lake Sebago using the T-MI going east to cross the Seven Lakes Drive, to Diamond Mountain on the Seven Hills, then west on the HTS to go back on the T-MI and the White Bar to the parking lot. This hike is a modification of the hike's description in Don Weise's "Circuit Hikes in Harriman" page 19. This hike is moderate to strenuous. If rain, we will cancel. Please register for this hike by email. TC Harriman-Bear Mountain South Map 118.

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Wednesday, 5/17

Chapter Membership Meeting
6:30-8:00PM
Native and Invasive Plants Found on the Trails Meeting will be held via Zoom. See the meeting notice on page 4 of the newsletter for more information. To register, email your full name and telephone number to membership@adknjr.org.

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Breakneck Mountain, Harriman
Geoff Fonseca
geofffonseca@yahoo.com
845-357-9366
9:00 AM at parking at Diltzes Lane, Pomona, NY (GPS 41.18512, -74.07453). Hike the T-MI, S-BM, T-MI and Breakneck Mountain Trails to the Third Reservoir. Return on the S-BM, Red Arrow and T-MI Trails. This 7-mile hike has an elevation gain of about 1500 feet. Please register via email with phone number. Rain cancels. TC Southern Harriman map 118.

Sunday, 6/11 Trip to Governors Island (Rain Date 6/18)
Mario Medici
marioamedici@gmail.com
See page 3 of newsletter for details.

Tuesday, 6/13
Surebridge Mountain Circular
Roland Autran
autran@msn.com (preferred)
201-886-9119, (c) 201-699-3388
Meet 9:00 AM at the parking lot on Rt 106 that you can find at 1369 Kanawauke Road, Southfields, NY. We start at 9:15 AM sharp going north on the White Bar for about 2.15 miles to the A-SB Trail east and then south on the Lichen to the RD, and the Nurian to go back to the parking lot. This hike is strenuous due to 5 peaks. Severe inclement weather cancels. Please register for this hike. TC Harriman-Bear Mountain North Trails map 119.

Thursday, 6/15
Raccoon Brook Hills
Rich Scala
jerseysilver393@gmail.com
201-819-6101
Leave 9:30 AM from Reeves Meadow Visitor Center. We will do the Raccoon Brook Hills hike as described in Chapter 3 (2nd edition) of “Circuit Hikes in Harriman” traversing the Pine Meadow, Stony Brook, Kakiat, Raccoon Brook, Kakiat and Pine Meadow Trails. This hike has some interesting features including the “ladder” and some city views. Steady rain cancels. Registration by email required. TC Southern Harriman-Bear Mt. Trails map 118.

Sunday, 6/18
Cat’s Elbow
Mike Prestia
prestia.michael@gmail.com
917-841-0120
We will start from the far south parking lot (2nd lot) at Anthony Wayne Recreation Area. Meet at 9:15 AM at the kiosk. Hike will start at 9:30. Parking GPS coordinates 41.28866, -74.02306. From the parking lot we will hike along the Horn Hill Bike Path then hike a loop using the Ramapo Dunderberg, Timp Torne and Appalachian Trails. This hike offers some of the park’s best panoramic views. Steady rain cancels. Registration by email with release required. TC Northern Harriman Trails map 119.

Tuesday, 6/20
Dutch Doctor, Blauvelt Mountain, Pound Mountain
Roland Autran
autran@msn.com (preferred)
201-886-9119, (c) 201-699-3388
We meet at 9:00 AM at the parking lot at the Circle at the end of Johnsontown Road in the town of Sloatsburg, NY off the Seven Lakes Drive in Harriman Park. We start at 9:15 AM sharp going north on the White Bar to Dutch Doctor Shelter to the White Cross and back on the Blue Disc through Almost Perpendicular to the parking lot. This hike is moderate. Severe inclement weather cancels. TC Harriman-Bear Mountain South Trails map 118.

Thursday, 6/22
Pine Meadow Lake & Diamond Mountain
Paul Margiotta
pjmm1177@gmail.com (pref)
201-693-6705 (day of hike)
9:30 AM at the Sebago Boat Launch off Seven Lakes Drive. Utilizing the 7 Hills Trail and woods roads, we will hike to and around Pine Meadow Lake, where we will have lunch. After lunch we will climb up Diamond Mountain on the Diamond Mountain Tower Trail, and return to the parking area via the 7 Hills Trail. TC Southern Harriman Trails map 118.

Sunday, 6/25
Hudson Highlands Loop
Bob Fiscina
fis6973@tutamail.com
This loop hike encompasses the Overlook, Fishkill Ridge, Casino and Wilkinson trails. Meeting time and place provided upon registration. Rain cancels. TC East Hudson Trails map 102.

Tuesday, 6/27
Ramapo Lake & Castle Loops
Roland Autran
autran@msn.com (preferred)
201-886-9119, (c) 201-699-3388
Meet at 9:00 AM at the parking lot “Ramapo Mountain State Forest” on Skyline Drive, Oakland, NJ 07436. We start at 9:15 AM sharp going to the north corner (Cannonball Trail) of the parking lot (same side of the road) part of the Castle Loop (W). Pass the Stone Tower, the Castle Ruins, proceed to the Cannonball & Ramapo Lake Loops (R) (B), then to LeGrande-Lake Connector (RB), make a right on the (R) fork to cross the dam and return to the parking lot via the right side of the Castle Loop. This hike is moderate. Severe inclement weather cancels. Please register for this hike by email. TC Northern New Jersey Highland Trails map 150.

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