



**CELEBRATING 28 YEARS!**

**AUGUST 2021 HIKING SCHEDULE**

**ALL VISITORS MUST BE 18 YEARS OR OLDER.**

**VISITORS, PLEASE WRITE DOWN YOUR PHONE NUMBER AND AN EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBER ON OUR SIGN UP SHEET PRIOR TO HIKING. BEST TO ARRIVE 15 MINUTES AHEAD OF THE HIKE. THE LEADER WILL LEAVE THE TRAILHEAD ON TIME.**

**AUGUST 1 SUNDAY 9:30 AM CRAIG PITTMAN TRAILHEAD (NAVARRE) ON THE TOWPATH** Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Meet at Craig Pittman Memorial Park by the water treatment plant on Canal St. in Navarre. Approximate address: [8062 Hudson Dr. SW, Navarre](#) (Hudson Dr. also called Canal St.). Directions: Take Rte. 21 to Canal St. in Navarre, turn east on Canal St., pass Bethlehem Park. Parking lot is on the right. Or take I-77 to Fohl Rd. exit. Turn right and follow to Navarre. Cut through Bethlehem Park (a left off Fohl) and turn left onto Canal St. and right into Craig Pittman Park. **Leader: Lena Earles**

**AUGUST 1 SUNDAY 2 PM HUSTON BRUMBAUGH NATURE CENTER** Level 3, 4 miles, RR. Meet at the Huston Woods parking lot on Daniel St. south of Alliance. Address: [16146 Daniel St. NE, Minerva](#). Directions #1: Take Route 62 east to Route 44. Turn right onto Route 44 south. Continue to Louisville. At Route 153 (E. Main St.) by the gas station, turn left. Continue to Route 183 (Union Ave.). Turn right and continue to Daniel Street. Turn left on Daniel and go a short distance to parking lot on the right. Alternate Directions #2: Take Maple Street (which becomes Easton) to the roundabout at Paris Ave. Turn right and continue to Route 153 (by Motts). Turn left. Continue to Route 183 (Union Ave.). Turn right and continue to Daniel Street. Turn left on Daniel and go a short distance to parking lot on the right. **Leader: Paul Hobe**

**AUGUST 2 MONDAY 9 AM WASHINGTON SQUARE** Level 2, 5 miles. Restroom at Starbucks or Jimmy John's or Giant Eagle. Approximate address: [2197 E Maple St, North Canton](#). Directions: From Main Street in North Canton go east on Maple about 1.2 miles to Washington Square shopping plaza. Park behind Starbucks, back parking lot between 91 Wood Fired Oven and the bank. There is a nice parking lot near the trailhead. We will hike the Hoover trail. **Leader: Brenda Ball**

**AUGUST 2 MONDAY 6 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE METZGER PARK** (No dog required) Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Meet at Metzger Park on Nickleplate Rd. in Louisville. Address: [1420 S. Nickelplate St., Louisville](#). Directions: Take Rte. 62 to Louisville exit. Take Rte. 44

south (Ravenna Ave.) to center of Louisville, turn east (left) on to Main St. (Rte. 153). Go to 2<sup>nd</sup> light (Nickleplate), then turn right (south) to the park on the left. This is past the high school and across from the YMCA. **Leader: Karla Bedard**

**AUGUST 3 TUESDAY 9 AM BRIDGEPORT QUARRY TRAILHEAD** Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Address: [3455 Erie Ave. NW, Massillon](#). On Erie Ave. between Forty Corners Rd. NW and Lake Ave. NE. **Leader: Rosanne Swigart**

**AUGUST 4 WEDNESDAY 9:30 AM WICKED WEDNESDAY WILDERNESS CENTER** Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Address: [9877 Alabama Ave SW, Wilmot](#), OH 44689. Meet in the parking lot near the nature center building. Directions: Take Rte. 62 west to Wilmot. At first light turn right onto Rte. 250. Go straight through the next light, go about a mile and then just across a bridge is the sign for the Wilderness Center on the right. Bring a lunch for a picnic after the hike (optional). **Leader: Erica Richardson**

**AUGUST 4 WEDNESDAY 6 PM PRICE PARK**, Level 1, up to 5 miles, RR. Directions: Meet at Price Park parking lot on West Maple Street in North Canton. Address: [946 W. Maple St., North Canton](#). Directions: Go north on Whipple Rd. from Jackson Twp. and turn right onto West Maple St. to park entrance on the right. Park in the east parking lot. Or from the square of North Canton, go west on West Maple to the park entrance on your left. **Leader: Barb Hoot**

**AUGUST 5 THURSDAY 10:00 AM BOETTLER/SOUTHGATE PARK IN GREEN** Level 2, **3 miles**, RR. Address: [5300 Massillon Rd, North Canton](#). Meet at the parking lot just after the basketball court. Directions: Take I-77 to the Shuffel St. exit. Go west on Shuffel to Wales Rd. (241) Turn right on Wales and go north to Green to Boettler Park on the left. There is an orthodox church on your right. Turn left into the park. Take the first road on your left just before you reach the basketball court to the parking area. **Leader: Larry Kempf**

**AUGUST 5 THURSDAY 6 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE/ ICE CREAM HIKE WASHINGTON SQUARE** (Dogs not required) Level 2, 5 miles. Restroom at Starbucks or Jimmy John's or Giant Eagle. Approximate address: [2197 E Maple St, North Canton](#). Directions: From Main Street in North Canton go east on Maple about 1.2 miles to Washington Square shopping plaza. Park behind Starbucks, back parking lot between 91 Wood Fired Oven and the bank. There is a nice parking lot near the trailhead. We will hike the Hoover trail. **Leader Lena Earles**

**AUGUST 6 FRIDAY 9 AM THE GORGE** Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Address: [1160 Front Street, Cuyahoga Falls](#). Meet at Gorge parking lot off of Front St. We will hike the Gorge and across the street. Directions: Take I-77/8 North to Cuyahoga Falls Ave. exit. Make a left turn at end of ramp. It will become Gorge Blvd. then Front St. at traffic light. Park entrance is on the left side on the other side of the bridge. **Leader: Lena Earles**

**AUGUST 6 FRIDAY 7 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE TAM O'SHANTER PROPERTY**, (No dog required) Level 2/3, **3 miles**, RR. Address: [5055 Hills and Dales Rd NW, Canton](#) 44708. Directions: Go South on Dressler Road from Belden Village, then turn right onto Hills and Dales road and go west for about 1 mile. Turn right into the Tam O'Shanter Property. Go to the parking lot on the right side of the entrance. **Leader: Erica Richardson**

**AUGUST 7 SATURDAY 9:30 AM CANAL FULTON ST. HELENA HERITAGE PARK** Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Address: [125 Tuscarawas St. NW, Canal Fulton](#). Directions: Take I-77 to

Portage, turn west to Canal Fulton and Rte. 93. Turn left on Rte. 93 and turn left into the park.

**Leader: Sue Bennett**

**AUGUST 7 SATURDAY 9:30 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE AT TOWNER'S WOODS**

(No dog required.) Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Approximate address: [2195 Ravenna Rd., Kent](#). Directions: Directions are from the east to avoid a bridge closure. Take I-77 north to I-76 east. Take exit 33 for Rte. 43 north. In Kent, continue straight then follow Water St. to Lake St. Lake St. becomes Brady Lake Rd. After 2.5 miles, make left onto Lake Rockwell Rd. You will pass Beckwith Orchards. Turn right onto Ravenna Rd. Just before the closed bridge, make left into the parking lot. (37 miles from Canton.) **Leader: Karla Bedard**

**AUGUST 8 SUNDAY 9:30 AM JOHN GLENN GROVE TRAILHEAD (WARMINGTON RD.)**

Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Approximate address: [8000 Warmington Rd. SW, Massillon](#). Meet at the Warmington Rd. parking lot on the south side of the road. Directions: Take Rte. 21 south out of Massillon to Warmington Rd. and turn right (west) to parking lot on the left. **Leader: Rosanne Swigart**

**AUGUST 8 SUNDAY 2 PM DOUGHTY GORGE** Level 4, 5 miles, no RR at trailhead. Meet at Guggisberg Cheese House where we carpool to trailhead. Use RR at Guggisberg Cheese House. Address: [5060 State Route 557, Millersburg](#). Directions: Take Rte. 62 south, turn right at Berlin, go approximately 3 miles west of Berlin on Rte. 39 to Rte. 557. Then go south 3 miles on Rte. 557 to the Guggisberg Cheese House. We meet at the Cheese House and then carpool over to the hike location. This is a beautiful, rugged and wet hike. Bring extra shoes (water shoes or old athletic shoes) to walk in the water and perhaps clothes to change into if what you are wearing gets wet. We walk in the stream part of the time. Convertible or long pants and long sleeves are recommended because the trail is narrow. Also, there is poison ivy in places. Plan on 3 hours for the hike. Insect spray is advisable. **Leader: Augie Schmitthener**

**AUGUST 9 MONDAY 9 AM WASHINGTON SQUARE** Level 2, 5 miles. Restroom at Starbucks or Jimmy John's or Giant Eagle. Approximate address: [2197 E Maple St, North Canton](#). Directions: From Main Street in North Canton go east on Maple about 1.2 miles to Washington Square shopping plaza. Park behind Starbucks, back parking lot between 91 Wood Fired Oven and the bank. There is a nice parking lot near the trailhead. We will hike the Hoover trail. **Leader: Brenda Ball**

**AUGUST 9 MONDAY 6 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE METZGER PARK** (No dog required) Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Meet at Metzger Park on Nickleplate Rd. in Louisville. Address: [1420 S. Nickelplate St., Louisville](#). Directions: Take Rte. 62 to Louisville exit. Take Rte. 44 south (Ravenna Ave.) to center of Louisville, turn east (left) on to Main St. (Rte. 153). Go to 2<sup>nd</sup> light (Nickleplate), then turn right (south) to the park on the left. This is past the high school and across from the YMCA. **Leader: Karla Bedard**

**AUGUST 10 TUESDAY 9 AM BRIDGEPORT QUARRY TRAILHEAD** Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Address: [3455 Erie Ave. NW, Massillon](#). On Erie Ave. between Forty Corners Rd. NW and Lake Ave. NE. **Leader: Rosanne Swigart**

**AUGUST 11 WEDNESDAY 9:30 AM WICKED WEDNESDAY LOCK 29/CVNP OVERFLOW PARKING** Level 4, 6 miles, RR. RR at main lot but hike begins at the overflow parking area. Trails, hills, and stream crossings. Address: [1787 Mill St W,](#)

[Peninsula](#). Directions: Take I-77/8 north to Rte. 303 exit. Turn west (left) onto Rte. 303. Follow Rte. 303 for 3.5 miles to Peninsula. Make a right at the first stop light onto N. Locus St., then left onto Main St. W. Overflow parking lot is the second lot on the left (across from lumber company) past the main parking area. **Leader: Gary Dolch**

**AUGUST 11 WEDNESDAY 6 PM PRICE PARK**, Level 1, up to 5 miles, RR. Directions: Meet at Price Park parking lot on West Maple Street in North Canton. Address: [946 W. Maple St., North Canton](#). Directions: Go north on Whipple Rd. from Jackson Twp. and turn right onto West Maple St. to park entrance on the right. Park in the east parking lot. Or from the square of North Canton, go west on West Maple to the park entrance on your left. **Leader: Barb Hoot**

**AUGUST 12 THURSDAY 10 AM TAM O'SHANTER PROPERTY**, Level 2/3, **3 miles**, RR. Address: [5055 Hills and Dales Rd NW, Canton](#) 44708. Directions: Go South on Dressler Road from Belden Village, then turn right onto Hills and Dales Road and go west for about 1 mile. Turn right into the Tam O'Shanter Property. Go to the parking lot on the right side of the entrance. **Leaders: Lola Bender & Ted Bender**

**AUGUST 12 THURSDAY 6 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE/ ICE CREAM HIKE WASHINGTON SQUARE** (Dogs not required) Level 2, 5 miles. Restroom at Starbucks or Jimmy John's or Giant Eagle. Approximate address: [2197 E Maple St, North Canton](#). Directions: From Main Street in North Canton go east on Maple about 1.2 miles to Washington Square shopping plaza. Park behind Starbucks, back parking lot between 91 Wood Fired Oven and the bank. There is a nice parking lot near the trailhead. We will hike the Hoover trail. **Leader Lena Earles**

**AUGUST 13 FRIDAY 9 AM FIRESTONE METRO PARK** Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Meet at the first parking lot (Tuscarawas Meadows) after entering the park from the south on Harrington Rd. Address: [2620 Harrington Rd., Akron](#). Directions: Take I-77 north to the Arlington Rd. exit. Turn north (right) onto Arlington Rd. then left onto Warner Rd. Turn right (north) onto Harrington Rd. to entrance of park just across the bridge on the left. Hills and trails. **Leader: Lena Earles**

**AUGUST 13 FRIDAY 7 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE TAM O'SHANTER PROPERTY**, (No dog required) Level 2/3, **3 miles**, RR. Address: [5055 Hills and Dales Rd NW, Canton](#) 44708. Directions: Go South on Dressler Road from Belden Village, then turn right onto Hills and Dales road and go west for about 1 mile. Turn right into the Tam O'Shanter Property. Go to the parking lot on the right side of the entrance. **Leader: Erica Richardson**

**AUGUST 14 SATURDAY 9 AM IRON HORSE TRAIL IN ALLIANCE** Level 2, 6 miles, seasonally RR. Address: [1141 W. Beech St., Alliance](#). Directions: Take US 62 east towards Alliance. Turn right on Beech, the first street past the PARIS light on US 62. Go east on Beech approximately 4.2 miles (past stops at Easton and Beechwood) to First Christian Church on left. Trailhead and parking is adjacent to the church. **Leaders: Cheryl Paine & Lin Wu**

**AUGUST 14 SATURDAY 10 AM WOOSTER MEMORIAL** (former Spangler Park) Level 4, 5 miles, RR. Meet at the main entrance to the park. Address: [4801 Silver Rd., Wooster](#) (Township Hwy 4). Directions: Take Rte. 30 west to Wooster. Take Rte. 30/250 west to the 30/250 split, then take Rte. 250 west 1 to 2 miles to Jefferson Rd. and turn right. The park entrance is right at the intersection of Jefferson and Silver Roads. Sign will say Wooster

Memorial Park. Overflow parking of 13 spots at Kenwood Entrance [4782-4772 Silver Rd.](#) just east of main lot. Hills and water crossings. **Leader: Karla Bedard**

**AUGUST 15 SUNDAY 9:30 AM CRAIG PITTMAN TRAILHEAD (NAVARRE) ON THE TOWPATH** Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Meet at Craig Pittman Memorial Park by the water treatment plant on Canal St. in Navarre. Approximate address: [8062 Hudson Dr. SW, Navarre](#) (Hudson Dr. also called Canal St.). Directions: Take Rte. 21 to Canal St. in Navarre, turn east on Canal St., pass Bethlehem Park. Parking lot is on the right. Or take I-77 to Fohl Rd. exit. Turn right and follow to Navarre. Cut through Bethlehem Park (a left off Fohl) and turn left onto Canal St. and right into Craig Pittman Park. **Leader: Lena Earles**

**AUGUST 15 SUNDAY 2 PM BOETTLER/SOUTHGATE PARK IN GREEN** Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Address: [5300 Massillon Rd, North Canton](#). Meet at the parking lot just after the basketball court. Directions: Take I-77 to the Shuffel St. exit. Go west on Shuffel to Wales Rd. (241) Turn right on Wales and go north to Green to Boettler Park on the left. There is an orthodox church on your right. Turn left into the park. Take the first road on your left just before you reach the basketball court to the parking area. **Leader: Larry Kempf**

**AUGUST 16 MONDAY 9 AM WASHINGTON SQUARE** Level 2, 5 miles. Restroom at Starbucks or Jimmy John's or Giant Eagle. Approximate address: [2197 E Maple St, North Canton](#). Directions: From Main Street in North Canton go east on Maple about 1.2 miles to Washington Square shopping plaza. Park behind Starbucks, back parking lot between 91 Wood Fired Oven and the bank. There is a nice parking lot near the trailhead. We will hike the Hoover trail. **Leaders: Bill Warren & Ann Warren**

**AUGUST 16 MONDAY 6 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE METZGER PARK** (No dog required) Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Meet at Metzger Park on Nickleplate Rd. in Louisville. Address: [1420 S. Nickelplate St., Louisville](#). Directions: Take Rte. 62 to Louisville exit. Take Rte. 44 south (Ravenna Ave.) to center of Louisville, turn east (left) on to Main St. (Rte. 153). Go to 2<sup>nd</sup> light (Nickleplate), then turn right (south) to the park on the left. This is past the high school and across from the YMCA. **Leader: Karla Bedard**

**AUGUST 17 TUESDAY 9 AM BRIDGEPORT QUARRY TRAILHEAD** Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Address: [3455 Erie Ave. NW, Massillon](#). On Erie Ave. between Forty Corners Rd. NW and Lake Ave. NE. **Leader: Rosanne Swigart**

**AUGUST 18 WEDNESDAY 9:30 AM WICKED WEDNESDAY HIKE AT HAMPTON HILLS/CVNP** Level 3/4, 5 miles, RR. Meet in Hampton Hills parking lot on Peninsula Road. Address: [2925 Akron-Peninsula Rd., Akron](#). Directions: Go north on Rte. 77/8 to Steels Corner exit. Turn left. Go until Steels Corner dead ends. Turn left. Entrance to the main parking lot is the next left. Challenging hills and stream crossings. **Leader: Lynn Lenart**

**AUGUST 18 WEDNESDAY 6 PM PRICE PARK**, Level 1, up to 5 miles, RR. Directions: Meet at Price Park parking lot on West Maple Street in North Canton. Address: [946 W. Maple St., North Canton](#). Directions: Go north on Whipple Rd. from Jackson Twp. and turn right onto West Maple St. to park entrance on the right. Park in the east parking lot. Or from the square of North Canton, go west on West Maple to the park entrance on your left. **Leader: Barb Hoot**

**AUGUST 19 THURSDAY 10 AM MARTINDALE PARK** Level 2, **3 miles**, RR. Meet at Martindale Canton Park. Address: [4053 Martindale Rd. NE, Canton](#). Directions: Take I-77 into



Canton, then Rte. 62 east to Middlebranch Rd. Turn left at the light. Then left onto Martindale Road. Trailhead is on the right. We will hike the Middlebranch trail. **Leaders: Lola Bender & Ted Bender**

**AUGUST 19 THURSDAY 6 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE/ ICE CREAM HIKE WASHINGTON SQUARE** (Dogs not required) Level 2, 5 miles. Restroom at Starbucks or Jimmy John's or Giant Eagle. Approximate address: [2197 E Maple St, North Canton](#). Directions: From Main Street in North Canton go east on Maple about 1.2 miles to Washington Square shopping plaza. Park behind Starbucks, back parking lot between 91 Wood Fired Oven and the bank. There is a nice parking lot near the trailhead. We will hike the Hoover trail. **Leader Lena Earles**

**AUGUST 20 FRIDAY 9 AM MOGADORE RESERVOIR WEST** Level 2, 5 miles, RR available seasonally. Address: [2578 SR 43, Mogadore](#). Meet at the parking lot just off of Rte. 43 approximately 2 miles north of Rte. 224. If that parking lot is full, there is more parking by the Boathouse. Directions: Take Rte. 43 north through Hartville, past Rte. 224, to parking lot on the right. Restrooms are available in Hartville at gas stations or fast food restaurants, or 3 miles north of the trailhead on Rte. 43 at McDonalds. We will hike the west side of the reservoir. **Leader Lena Earles**

**AUGUST 20 FRIDAY 7 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE TAM O'SHANTER PROPERTY,** (No dog required) Level 2/3, **3 miles**, RR. Address: [5055 Hills and Dales Rd NW, Canton 44708](#). Directions: Go South on Dressler Road from Belden Village, then turn right onto Hills and Dales road and go west for about 1 mile. Turn right into the Tam O'Shanter Property. Go to the parking lot on the right side of the entrance. **Leader: Erica Richardson**

**AUGUST 21 SATURDAY 9 AM WASHINGTON SQUARE** Level 2, 5 miles. Restroom at Starbucks or Jimmy John's or Giant Eagle. Approximate address: [2197 E Maple St, North Canton](#). Directions: From Main Street in North Canton go east on Maple about 1.2 miles to Washington Square shopping plaza. Park behind Starbucks, back parking lot between 91 Wood Fired Oven and the bank. There is a nice parking lot near the trailhead. We will hike the Hoover trail. **Leader Mary Lou Reiman**

**AUGUST 21 SATURDAY 9:30 AM MOHICAN STATE PARK** Level 3, 7 miles plus an additional Level 4, 3 miles (optional addition), RR. Meet at the parking lot closest to the Class B Campground near the Covered Bridge. NOTE- this is a different starting point from past hikes. We will hike the Lyons Falls Loop, visiting the Big Lyons and Little Lyons Falls and The Pleasant Hill Lake Dam. We will hike back on the opposite side of the Mohican River and then hike the Hemlock Gorge Trail. This is an out and back trail. We will cross the new Suspension Bridge which was just completed this year. Bring a packed lunch to enjoy either along the way or after we return to our cars. Those wishing to do the optional 3 miles on the Gorge Overlook Trail will drive to the Gorge Overlook Parking lot to do this challenging hike. This trail was reopened this year after being closed for 4 years and also leads to the suspension bridge. It is a steep, narrow descent down the gorge, requiring the use of a hillside ladder at one point and a steep climb back up via a series of switchbacks. Directions: Follow US 30 west towards Wooster. Exit at OH-3 South and stay on OH-3S towards Loudonville. At Loudonville there will be a series of turns. Stay on OH-3South. Pass McDonald's and continue of OH-3 S, pass the entrance to the Class A campground and then turn right onto OH-97W. Follow OH-97W. At

the first intersection, turn right onto (Mohican Rd 51/Park Rd). Stay on 51 and follow the signs to the Covered Bridge. Cross the bridge and make an immediate right into the parking area of the Class B campground area. (60 miles from Canton)

**Leaders: Dave McClain and Penni McClain.**

**AUGUST 22 SUNDAY 9:30 AM JOHN GLENN GROVE TRAILHEAD (WARMINGTON RD.)** Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Approximate address: [8000 Warmington Rd. SW, Massillon](#). Meet at the Warmington Rd. parking lot on the south side of the road. Directions: Take Rte. 21 south out of Massillon to Warmington Rd. and turn right (west) to parking lot on the left. **Leader: Rosanne Swigart**

**AUGUST 22 SUNDAY 2 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE BIG BEND DOUBLE LOOP** (No dog required.) Level 3, 5 miles, RR. This is a very scenic hike off the towpath through beautiful woods over moderately challenging hills. Address: [1337 Merriman Rd., Akron](#). Meet at parking lot, Big Bend Trailhead on Merriman Road. Directions: Take Rte. 77/8 to Tallmadge Road exit. Turn left (west). Follow Tallmadge to Merriman Rd. Turn right onto Merriman. The trailhead is about 1.5 miles on the right. The park entrance sign is a little difficult to see from the road. **Leader: Karla Bedard**

**AUGUST 23 MONDAY 9:30 AM SAND RUN METRO PARK** Level 3, 5 miles, RR. We will hike the Valley Connector trail and the Schumacher Trail in Cascade Valley Metro Park. Meet at Sand Run's Wadsworth Parking Lot. Address: [1400 Sand Run Pkwy., Akron](#). Directions: Take I-77/8 to Tallmadge Rd., turn west (left), it becomes Memorial, go to Portage Path and turn right (north). At the bottom of a long hill, you will see the entrance to the park on the left side. Turn left. The third parking area is the Wadsworth Parking lot. There is a sign for the Wadsworth Parking area. **Leader: Rosanne Swigart and Lena Earles**

**AUGUST 23 MONDAY 6 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE METZGER PARK** (No dog required) Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Meet at Metzger Park on Nickleplate Rd. in Louisville. Address: [1420 S. Nickelplate St., Louisville](#). Directions: Take Rte. 62 to Louisville exit. Take Rte. 44 south (Ravenna Ave.) to center of Louisville, turn east (left) on to Main St. (Rte. 153). Go to 2<sup>nd</sup> light (Nickleplate), then turn right (south) to the park on the left. This is past the high school and across from the YMCA. **Leader: Karla Bedard**

**AUGUST 24 TUESDAY 9 AM CANTON PARKS FROM THE GARDEN CENTER** Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Meet at the Garden Center Parking Lot. Address: [1615 Stadium Park Dr. NW, Canton](#). Directions: Enter the park from 12th street, make left onto Stadium Park Dr. and go to the Garden Center Lot. **Leader: Denver Fitzgerald**

**AUGUST 25 WEDNESDAY 9:30 AM WICKED WEDNESDAY CARRIAGE TRAIL STARTING AT RED LOCK (CVNP)** Level 3, 6 miles, RR. Address: [1175 West Highland Rd., Sagamore Hills](#). GPS may expect Northfield for the city. After crossing the river, Highland Rd. becomes Vaughn Rd. Directions: Take I-77 north to Rte. 8 north. Keep right to stay on Rte. 8 north. Do not take I-271. Turn left onto Highland Rd at the stop light. Turn right onto Olde 8 Rd. then turn left onto West Highland Rd. Trailhead is 2 miles on the right before crossing the river. Overflow parking is on the right past the river at Jaite Trailhead parking, approximate address: [15700 Vaughn Rd](#), Brecksville. **Leader: Lynn Lenart**

**AUGUST 25 WEDNESDAY 6 PM PRICE PARK**, Level 1, up to 5 miles, RR. Directions: Meet at Price Park parking lot on West Maple Street in North Canton. Address: [946 W. Maple St., North Canton](#). Directions: Go north on Whipple Rd. from Jackson Twp. and turn right onto West Maple St. to park entrance on the right. Park in the east parking lot. Or from the square of North Canton, go west on West Maple to the park entrance on your left. **Leader: Barb Hoot**

**AUGUST 26 THURSDAY 10 AM PETROS PARK** Level 2, **3 miles**, RR. Address: [3519 Perry Dr. SW, Canton](#). Meet at the Parking Lot on Perry Road. Directions: Take Rte. 77 to Faircrest Exit south of Canton. Turn west, go to Perry Road, turn north to parking lot on the left. **Leaders: Lola Bender & Ted Bender**

**AUGUST 26 THURSDAY 6 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE/ ICE CREAM HIKE WASHINGTON SQUARE** (Dogs not required) Level 2, 5 miles. Restroom at Starbucks or Jimmy John's or Giant Eagle. Approximate address: [2197 E Maple St, North Canton](#). Directions: From Main Street in North Canton go east on Maple about 1.2 miles to Washington Square shopping plaza. Park behind Starbucks, back parking lot between 91 Wood Fired Oven and the bank. There is a nice parking lot near the trailhead. We will hike the Hoover trail. **Leader: Lena Earles**

**AUGUST 27 FRIDAY 9 AM VETERANS COMMUNITY PARK** Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Address: [1714 Schneider St. NE, Canton](#). Directions: South on Main Street from North Canton, then east (left) onto Schneider St NE. Go across Market and continue on Schneider to the Park, across from Glen Oak HS. We will hike the Middle Branch Trail. **Leader: Lena Earles**

**AUGUST 27 FRIDAY 7 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE TAM O'SHANTER PROPERTY**, (No dog required) Level 2/3, **3 miles**, RR. Address: [5055 Hills and Dales Rd NW, Canton 44708](#). Directions: Go South on Dressler Road from Belden Village, then turn right onto Hills and Dales road and go west for about 1 mile. Turn right into the Tam O'Shanter Property. Go to the parking lot on the right side of the entrance. **Leader: Erica Richardson**

**AUGUST 28 SATURDAY 9:30 AM SEIBERLING NATURE REALM** Level 3, 5 miles. RR in visitor center. Meet at the main parking lot off Smith Rd. Address: [1828 Smith Rd., Akron 44313](#). Directions: Take I-77 north to Rte. 18. Take Rte. 18 east towards Fairlawn. Make a left onto Smith Road. Nature Realm will be on the right. **Leader: Deb Withnell**

**AUGUST 28 SATURDAY 9:30 AM MUNROE FALLS METRO PARK** Level 2/3, 5 miles, RR. Address: [521 South River Road, Munroe Falls](#) Directions: Take Rte. 8 North to Portage Trail. Turn right (east) and go to Munroe Falls Avenue (at first traffic light). Turn left onto Munroe Falls Ave. Travel approximately 2 miles where dead ends into State Route 91. Turn right (south) on State Rt 91 to South River Rd. (approximately ¼ mile. Turn left onto South River Road. Go about 1 mile to Park Entrance on right. Follow the driveway around the lake. About ½ mile to "Trails" parking lot on right. **Leaders: Paul and Jenni Meyer**

**AUGUST 29 SUNDAY 9:30 AM CRAIG PITTMAN TRAILHEAD (NAVARRE) ON THE TOWPATH** Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Meet at Craig Pittman Memorial Park by the water treatment plant on Canal St. in Navarre. Approximate address: [8062 Hudson Dr. SW, Navarre](#) (Hudson Dr. also called Canal St.). Directions: Take Rte. 21 to Canal St. in Navarre, turn east on Canal St., pass Bethlehem Park. Parking lot is on the right. Or take I-77 to Fohl Rd. exit. Turn right



and follow to Navarre. Cut through Bethlehem Park (a left off Fohl) and turn left onto Canal St. and right into Craig Pittman Park. **Leader: Lena Earles**

**AUGUST 29 SUNDAY 2 PM OAK HILL/CVNP** Level 3, 5 miles (and additional 2 mile), RR. Address: [3901 Oak Hill Road, Peninsula](#). Directions: Take I-77/8 to Rte. 303, turn left (west) to Peninsula. Go straight through town, cross the river, then left onto Riverview Rd. (south). Go .6 mile south then make right onto Major Rd. Go about 1.5 mile then make left onto Oak Hill Rd. Parking lot less than a mile on the left. Trails and hills. We will first hike the Plateau Trail and then for those wishing additional miles, we will hike the Oak Hill Trail for a total of 7 miles. **Leader: Lynn Lenart**

**AUGUST 30 MONDAY 9:30 AM MASSILLON LINCOLN PARK** (17<sup>TH</sup> ST.) Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Address: [644 17th Street NW at Lincoln Park Ave. NW, Massillon](#). Get to Massillon via Rte. 21. Take Cherry Ave. west from Rte. 21 and then turn left onto 17th St. Parking is on the left. We will hike the Sippo Valley Trail. **Leader: Sue Bennett**

**AUGUST 30 MONDAY 6 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE METZGER PARK** (No dog required) Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Meet at Metzger Park on Nickleplate Rd. in Louisville. Address: [1420 S. Nickelplate St., Louisville](#). Directions: Take Rte. 62 to Louisville exit. Take Rte. 44 south (Ravenna Ave.) to center of Louisville, turn east (left) on to Main St. (Rte. 153). Go to 2<sup>nd</sup> light (Nickleplate), then turn right (south) to the park on the left. This is past the high school and across from the YMCA. **Leader: Karla Bedard**

**AUGUST 31 TUESDAY 9 AM CANTON PARKS FROM THE GARDEN CENTER** Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Meet at the Garden Center Parking Lot. Address: [1615 Stadium Park Dr. NW, Canton](#). Directions: Enter the park from 12th street, make left onto Stadium Park Dr. and go to the Garden Center Lot. **Leader: Denver Fitzgerald**