



CELEBRATING 31 YEARS

MAY 2024 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.

Guests, if you intend to show up on a hike that is not a designated lap hike, please be advised that it should be your goal to complete the miles that are board approved for that hike. You should be able to complete a 3-mile hike in 1 hour and a 5-mile hike in less than 2 hours. Showing up to a hike and asking the hike leader to modify their hike based on your personal agenda, time constraints or skill level is putting our hike leaders in a very uncomfortable position. Please use good judgment by reading the start times correctly, the miles listed and the intended skill level to complete the hike.

MAY 1 WEDNESDAY 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**

MAY 1 WEDNESDAY 10 AM 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: Deb Withnell**

MAY 1 WEDNESDAY 6 PM RESERVOIR PARK WALKING TRACK (A.K.A. MASSILLON TRACK) Level 1, up to 5 miles, lap hike, RR. Meet at the first parking lot in front of the restrooms at the walking track. Address: [905 Sippo Blvd. NE, Massillon](#). Directions: Take Rt. 241 (Wales Rd.) to Hankins St. east on Hankins to park entrance on the right. Turn onto Phillips Rd. NE then right into the parking lot. **Leader: Sue Bennett**

MAY 2 THURSDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE FRY FAMILY PARK (Dogs not required) Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Hilly terrain on rolling fields, mostly grass trails, beautiful views. Address: [2533 Farber St. SE, Magnolia](#). Directions: I-77 south, take the Cleveland Ave./Rte. 800 exit (exit # 103). Turn south onto Rte. 800 and after approximately 8.5 miles turn left onto Farber St. SE. The park will be 3/10 of a mile on the left. Drive through the park to the picnic shelter on the hill. **Leader: Mary Lee**

MAY 2 THURSDAY 6 PM CANTON PARKS FROM THE GARDEN CENTER Level 1, up to 5 miles, RR. This is a lap hike. 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: Colleen Logan**

MAY 3 FRIDAY 9:30 AM GORGE Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Address: [1160 Front Street, Cuyahoga Falls](#). Meet at Gorge parking lot off of Front St. Directions: Take I-77/8 north to Cuyahoga Falls Ave. exit. Make a left turn at end of ramp. It will become Gorge then Front St. at traffic light. Park entrance is on the left side after crossing the other side of the bridge. **Leader: Lena Earles**

MAY 4 SATURDAY 9:30 AM MASSILLON LINCOLN PARK (17th 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: Dana Durr**

MAY 4 SATURDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE QUAIL HOLLOW STATE PARK (Dogs not required) Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Meet at the first large parking lot on the left (go left at the fork). Follow signs for the playground, pond and parking lot. Address: [13480 Congress Lake Ave., Hartville](#). Directions: Go north on Rte. 43 or east on Rte. 619 to the square of Hartville. Go north on Congress Lake Rd. for approximately 1 mile to the park entrance on the right. Go about ¼ mile, then make left at the fork to the parking lot. **Leader: Karla Bedard**

MAY 5 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: Rosanne Swigart**



MAY 5 SUNDAY 2 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE/ CINCO DE MAYO PINE HOLLOW TRAILHEAD (Dogs not required) Level 3/4, 5 miles, RR. Meet at the Pine Hollow Trailhead off Quick Road in CVNP. **Wear your sombrero!** We will hike Salt Run and Kendall Lake Trails. This is a pretty hike in the woods with some challenging hills. Address: [5465 Quick Road, Peninsula](#). Directions: Take I-77/8 north and exit at Steels Corners Rd. (exit 9). Turn left (west). Go until you intersect State Rd./Akron-Cleveland Rd. Turn right and go a short distance to where Quick Rd. branches off to the left. Take Quick Rd. about 2 miles to Pine Hollow Trailhead on the right. Optional early dinner following the hike. **Leader: Ann Dolvin**

MAY 6 MONDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE VETERANS COMMUNITY PARK (Dogs not required) 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: Brenda Ball**

MAY 6 MONDAY 6 PM JACKSON COMMUNITY PARK Level 1, up to 5 miles, lap hike, RR. Address: [7660 Fulton Dr. NW, Massillon](#). Meet at the parking lot at Jackson Park Track by the gazebo and pond. Directions: Reach it from Fulton or Wales Rd. (241). Parking lot is ½ mile west of Wales Rd. on the right. **Leader: Dana Durr**

MAY 7 TUESDAY 9:30 AM CRYSTAL SPRINGS TRAILHEAD Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Address: [4503 Erie Ave. NW, Massillon](#). Meet at the Crystal Springs parking lot on Erie St. across from Bocca Grande Restaurant between Canal Fulton and Massillon close to High Mill. We will hike the Towpath. **Leader: Rosanne Swigart**

MAY 7 TUESDAY 4:30 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE SOUTHGATE PARK IN GREEN (Dogs not required) Level 2, 3 miles, RR. Address: [5300 Massillon Rd, North Canton](#). Meet at the Boettler Park 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. We will hike the Southgate trails. **Leader: Erica Richardson**

MAY 8 WEDNESDAY 10 AM SIPPO LAKE EXPLORATION GATEWAY Level 2/3, 3 miles. RR at the library. Address: [5712 12th St. NW, Canton](#). Directions: Get to the intersection of 12th St. NW and Perry Dr. NW. Go west on 12th St. to the entrance to Exploration Gateway at Sippo Lake Park on the left. Meet at the first parking lot on the right as you arrive. **Leaders: Lola Bender & Ted Bender**

MAY 8 WEDNESDAY 10 AM BOSTON MILL VISITOR CENTER/CVNP Level 3, 6 miles, RR. We will head to Brandywine Falls on the Stanford Trail and the Brandywine Gorge trail. Address: [6947 Riverview Road, Peninsula](#). Directions: Take I-77 north to Rte. 8 north. Get off at Rte. 303 and head west to Peninsula. Turn right onto Riverview Rd. (north), after going under freeway bridges, make a right into the Visitor Center Parking Lot. If you pass Boston Mills Road you went too far. Overflow parking available on the west side of Riverview Rd. just north of Boston Mills Rd. intersection. Second large overflow parking available east on Boston Mills Rd. Meet near the visitor center to sign in. **Leader: Carla Vondrak**

MAY 8 WEDNESDAY 6 PM RESERVOIR PARK WALKING TRACK (A.K.A. MASSILLON TRACK) Level 1, up to 5 miles, lap hike, RR. Meet at the first parking lot in front of the restrooms at the walking track. Address: [905 Sippo Blvd. NE, Massillon](#). Directions: Take Rt. 241 (Wales Rd.) to Hankins St. east on Hankins to park entrance on the right. Turn onto Phillips Rd. NE then right into the parking lot. **Leader: Sue Bennett**

MAY 9 THURSDAY 10 AM TALLMADGE MEADOWS PARK/MUNROE FALLS Level 2/3, 5 miles, RR. Address: [1088 North Ave., Tallmadge](#). THIS IS A DIFFERENT START LOCATION THAN OUR OLD START LOCATION IN MUNROE FALLS METRO PARK. Directions: Take Rte. 8 North to Portage Trail exit. Turn right (east) and go to Munroe Falls Avenue (at first traffic light). Turn left onto Munroe Falls Ave. Travel approximately 2 miles where it dead ends into State Route 91. Turn (south) on State Rte. 91. Make a left onto North Ave. across from Northmoreland Ave. We will hike Tallmadge Meadows and Munroe Falls Metro Park. **Leader: David Kulik**

MAY 9 THURSDAY 6 PM CANTON PARKS FROM THE GARDEN CENTER Level 1, up to 5 miles, RR. This is a lap hike. 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: Colleen Logan**

MAY 10 FRIDAY 9:30 AM BOLIVAR AQUEDUCT MCDONNELL TRAILHEAD (on route 212). Level 2, 5 miles, no RR. Restroom is located 1 ½ miles away on Towpath which we will pass on our hike or you can stop at DQ/Bell Stores. gas station just off I-77 exit. Address: [715 OH-212, Bolivar](#). Directions: Take I-77 south to Bolivar exit #93. Turn right (west) following Rte. 212 through 212 through Bolivar. Go a short distance on Rte. 212 and just before the Tuscarawas river, the parking lot

will be on the right. (If you go over the river and pass Shepler Church Road you went too far. **Leader: Lena Earles**

MAY 11 SATURDAY 9 AM TAM O'SHANTER PROPERTY Level 2/3, 5 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: Kathy Dimos**

MAY 11 SATURDAY 10 AM ATWOOD LAKE Level 3, 5 miles, RR. [9280 Atwood Lake Rd. NE](#), Mineral City. Directions: Take I-77 south to the Bolivar exit, turn left and follow Rte. 212 through Zoar and to Rte. 800. Turn left on Rte. 800 for a short distance, then turn right to continue on Rte. 212. Just past New Cumberland turn left at the Marina sign (custard stand on the corner.) After you pass the Marina go .8 mile to Shop Rd. and turn right toward the park office and entrance. Go beyond the park office and across the road from the Activity Center is the parking lot on the left. Park near the trailhead and old Amphitheater. Lunch at Towpath Tavern after the hike is optional. **Leader: Rich Aeling**

MAY 12 SUNDAY 9:30 AM SIPPO LAKE EXPLORATION GATEWAY Level 2/3, 5 miles. RR at the library. Address: [5712 12th St. NW, Canton](#). Directions: Get to the intersection of 12th St. NW and Perry Dr. NW. Go west on 12th St. to the entrance to Exploration Gateway at Sippo Lake Park on the left. Meet at the first parking lot on the right as you arrive. **Leader: Lena Earles**

MAY 12 SUNDAY 2 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE 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 the 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: Karla Bedard**

MAY 13 MONDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE VETERANS COMMUNITY PARK (Dogs not required) 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: Brenda Ball**

MAY 13 MONDAY 6 PM JACKSON COMMUNITY PARK Level 1, up to 5 miles, lap hike, RR. Address: [7660 Fulton Dr. NW, Massillon](#). Meet at the parking lot at Jackson Park Track by the gazebo and pond. Directions: Reach it from Fulton or Wales Rd. (241). Parking lot is ½ mile west of Wales Rd. on the right. **Leader: Dana Durr**

MAY 14 TUESDAY 9:30 AM CRYSTAL SPRINGS TRAILHEAD Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Address: [4503 Erie Ave. NW, Massillon](#). Meet at the Crystal Springs parking lot on Erie St. across from Bocca Grande Restaurant between Canal Fulton and Massillon close to High Mill. We will hike the Towpath. **Leader: Rosanne Swigart**

MAY 14 TUESDAY 4:30 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE SOUTHGATE PARK IN GREEN (Dogs not required) Level 2, 3 miles, RR. Address: [5300 Massillon Rd, North Canton](#). Meet at the Boettler Park 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. We will hike the Southgate trails. **Leader: Erica Richardson**

MAY 15 WEDNESDAY 10 AM CANTON PARKS FROM THE GARDEN CENTER Level 2, 3 miles, RR. This is not a lap hike. 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. **Leaders: Lola Bender & Ted Bender**

MAY 15 WEDNESDAY 10 AM LEDGES HIKE FROM THE LEDGES SHELTER Level 3, 6 miles, RR. Address: [405 Kendall Park Road, Peninsula](#). Directions: North on I-77/8 to Seasons Road exit. At the stop sign, turn left. Go to the first stop sign (Wyoga Lake Rd.) turn right. Go a short distance to the next stop sign on State Street, turn right. Go to the traffic light. Turn left onto Truxell/Kendall Park Rd. Turn right into the driveway to Ledges Shelter. **THIS IS NOT OUR NORMAL START AT OCTAGON SHELTER!** **Leader: Carla Vondrak**

MAY 15 WEDNESDAY 6 PM RESERVOIR PARK WALKING TRACK (A.K.A. MASSILLON TRACK) Level 1, up to 5 miles, lap hike, RR. Meet at the first parking lot in front of the restrooms at the walking track. Address: [905 Sippo Blvd. NE, Massillon](#). Directions: Take Rt. 241 (Wales Rd.) to Hankins St. east on Hankins to park entrance on the right. Turn onto Phillips Rd. NE then right into the parking lot. **Leader: Sue Bennett**

MAY 16 THURSDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE BIG BEND DOUBLE LOOP Level 3/4, 5 miles, RR. This is a very scenic hike off the towpath through beautiful woods over moderately challenging hills and steps. Address: [1337 Merriman Rd., Akron](#). Meet at the 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 Sandrun Big Bend metro park sign is a little difficult to see from the road as it is halfway down the big hill and it is a sharp right at the entrance sign. **Leader: Mary Lee**

MAY 16 THURSDAY 6 PM CANTON PARKS FROM THE GARDEN CENTER Level 1, up to 5 miles, RR. This is a lap hike. 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: Colleen Logan 330-495-4150**

MAY 17 FRIDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE WALBORN RESERVOIR (Dogs not required) Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Address: [11324 Price St., Alliance](#). Go north on Rte. 44 (Ravenna Ave.) to the intersection of Pontius Rd. in New Baltimore. Go right (east) on Pontius and continue east until you get to Walborn. Turn right into the park then take the left lane to park in the rear lot back near the pavilion. **Leader: Mary Lee**

MAY 18 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. We will go North on the new section of the Olde Muskingum trail. **Leader: Margie Baker**

MAY 18 SATURDAY 10 AM SALT FORK STATE PARK Level 4, 8 miles, RR. Address: [14755 Cadiz Rd, Lore City, OH](#). Address and gps link is to the park entrance only. Directions: Take 77 S to exit 47, US 22 Cambridge/Cadiz. Continue on Cadiz Rd until you turn left on 22 E/ Cadiz Rd. Turn left into the park. After entering the park, stay on "R-1". Prior to the Horseman's Campground, turn left onto R-3. Continue on R-3 until you come to R-67 (Sugartree Marina entrance). Turn right at R-68 off of R-67 (Marina parking area). **NOTE: THIS IS A DIFFERENT START LOCATION THAN OUR LAST HIKE.** Drive is approximately one hour from Canton. Hiking poles are recommended due to elevation and stream crossings. Bring lunch/snack for a midway stop at the Horse Campground (4 miles in). Dave

will transport your lunch from trailhead to the Horse Campground prior to the start of the hike. **Leader: David Kulik**

MAY 19 SUNDAY 9:30 AM LAKE AVE. TRAILHEAD FROM ERNIE'S Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Hike the Towpath. Address: [135 Lake Avenue NW., Massillon](#). Directions: From Rte. 30: Follow Rte. 21 into Massillon and exit at Lake Ave. Ernie's is on the southwest corner of Rte. 21 and Lake Ave. **Leader: Rosanne Swigart**

MAY 19 SUNDAY 2 PM MILL CREEK PARK Level 3, 6 miles, RR. We will meet at Lily Pond Circle Trailhead in Mill Creek Park. We will view Lanternman's Mill, the Covered Bridge and the Suspension Bridge. Address: [Lily Pond Circle Trail, Youngstown](#). Directions: Take I-77N to I-76 E toward Youngstown. Take I-76 east to I-80 east. Then go right on I-680 South (at Rte. 11 intersection). Take exit 5 toward Glenwood Ave./Mahoning Ave. Turn right onto High St. Make left onto Glenwood Ave. and right onto Memorial Hill Dr. Turn right onto West Dr., turn left onto W. West Dr., turn right onto Birch Hill Dr. and then right to the parking lot. **Leader: Erica Richardson**

MAY 20 MONDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE VETERANS COMMUNITY PARK (Dogs not required) 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: Brenda Ball**

MAY 20 MONDAY 6 PM 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. **Leaders: Cathie Fithian & Ana Diehl**

MAY 21 TUESDAY 9:30 AM CRYSTAL SPRINGS TRAILHEAD Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Address: [4503 Erie Ave. NW, Massillon](#). Meet at the Crystal Springs parking lot on Erie St. across from Bocca Grande Restaurant between Canal Fulton and Massillon close to High Mill. We will hike the Towpath. **Leader: Rosanne Swigart**

MAY 21 TUESDAY 4:30 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE SOUTHGATE PARK IN GREEN (Dogs not required) Level 2, 3 miles, RR. Address: [5300 Massillon Rd, North Canton](#). Meet at the Boettler Park 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. We will hike the Southgate trails. **Leader: Erica Richardson**

MAY 22 WEDNESDAY 10 AM VETERANS COMMUNITY PARK Level 2, 3 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. **Leaders: Lola Bender & Ted Bender**

MAY 22 WEDNESDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE HAMPTON HILLS (Dogs not required) 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: Mary Lee**

MAY 22 WEDNESDAY 6 PM RESERVOIR PARK WALKING TRACK (A.K.A. MASSILLON TRACK) Level 1, up to 5 miles, lap hike, RR. Meet at the first parking lot in front of the restrooms at the walking track. Address: [905 Sippo Blvd. NE, Massillon](#). Directions: Take Rt. 241 (Wales Rd.) to Hankins St. east on Hankins to park entrance on the right. Turn onto Phillips Rd. NE then right into the parking lot. **Leader: Sue Bennett**

MAY 23 THURSDAY 10 AM TOWNER'S WOODS Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Approximate address: [2195 Ravenna Rd., Kent](#). DIRECTIONS ARE FROM THE EAST TO AVOID A BRIDGE CLOSURE! MAKE SURE YOU READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS. YOU MUST TAKE LAKE ROCKWELL RD. OFF OF BRADY LAKE. IF YOU TAKE RAVENNA RD. OFF OF BRADY LAKE YOU WILL BE ON THE WRONG SIDE OF THE BRIDGE CLOSURE. Directions: Take 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. At Ravenna Rd, make a sharp right onto Ravenna Rd (there is a road closed barrier here but go around it). Just before the closed bridge, make left into the parking lot. (37 miles from Canton.) Beautiful views of the lake, hilly mostly wooded trails. **Leader: David Kulik**

MAY 23 THURSDAY 6 PM CANTON PARKS FROM THE GARDEN CENTER Level 1, up to 5 miles, RR. This is a lap hike. 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: Colleen Logan**

MAY 24 FRIDAY 9:30 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. **Leader: Lena Earles**

MAY 25 SATURDAY 9:30 AM CLINTON TRAILHEAD Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Approximate address: [2749 North St., Clinton](#). Directions: Take Erie St from Canal Fulton to Clinton and turn left on North St. Parking lot on the right. **Leader: Kathy Dimos**

MAY 25 SATURDAY 10 AM SEIBERLING NATURE REALM Level 3/4, 5 miles. RR in the 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**

MAY 26 SUNDAY 9:30 AM SIPPO LAKE EXPLORATION GATEWAY Level 2/3, 5 miles. RR at the library. Address: [5712 12th St. NW, Canton](#). Directions: Get to the intersection of 12th St. NW and Perry Dr. NW. Go west on 12th St. to the entrance to Exploration Gateway at Sippo Lake Park on the left. Meet at the first parking lot on the right as you arrive. **Leader: Lena Earles**

MAY 26 SUNDAY 2 PM GOODYEAR HEIGHTS METRO PARK Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Address: [2077 Newton St., Akron](#). Meet at the 2nd parking lot north of Newton St. Directions: Take Cleveland Ave./Canton Rd. north (becomes Rte. 91/Darrow Rd.) to Newton St. Turn west (left) on Newton to entrance just west of the shelter, go to 2nd parking lot. This hike will be in the woods and will include hills. **Leader: David Kulik**



MAY 27 MONDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG MEMORIAL DAY HIKE VETERANS COMMUNITY PARK (Dogs not required) Level 2, 5 miles, RR. **Wear red, white and blue, dogs too!** 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: Brenda Ball**



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MAY 29 WEDNESDAY 10 AM HOOVER COMMUNITY RECREATION COMPLEX Level 2, 3 miles, no RR at trailhead. The closest restrooms are available at Giant Eagle, Starbucks and Jimmy Johns. Address: [1325 E. Maple St., North Canton](#). Directions: From Main Street in North Canton go east on Maple about 1.2 miles. Complex will be on the north side of the street. Turn into the complex and drive to the rear of the parking lot. The trailhead is at the rear of the parking lot. We will hike the Hoover trail.

Leaders: Lola Bender & Ted Bender

MAY 29 WEDNESDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE O'NEIL WOODS STARTING AT IRA RD TRAILHEAD (Dogs not required) Level 3/4, 6 miles, RR. This hike has a little of everything. Towpath, Buckeye Trail, and a loop through O'Neil Woods. Meet at Ira Road Trailhead on Riverview Road. Address: [3801 Riverview Rd., Peninsula](#). Directions: Take I-77/8 north to Graham Rd. exit then turn west (left) on to Graham Rd. Then right on to Bath Rd. past Krieger's Market. Take Bath Rd. to Riverview Rd., turn right onto Riverview and go approx. 1 mile to Ira Rd. trailhead on the right. The parking lot fills up and carpooling is encouraged. **Leader: Mary Lee**

MAY 29 WEDNESDAY 6 PM RESERVOIR PARK WALKING TRACK (A.K.A. MASSILLON TRACK) Level 1, up to 5 miles, lap hike, RR. Meet at the first parking lot in front of the restrooms at the walking track. Address: [905 Sippo Blvd. NE, Massillon](#). Directions: Take Rt. 241 (Wales Rd.) to Hankins St. east on Hankins to park entrance on the right. Turn onto Phillips Rd. NE then right into the parking lot. **Leader: Sue Bennett**

MAY 30 THURSDAY 9:30 AM SAND RUN METRO PARK Level 3/4, 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: Lena Earles**

MAY 30 THURSDAY 6 PM CANTON PARKS FROM THE GARDEN CENTER Level 1, up to 5 miles, RR. This is a lap hike. 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: Colleen Logan**

MAY 31 FRIDAY 9:30 AM HUSTON BRUMBAUGH NATURE CENTER Level 3, 4 miles, RR. Lots of hills and boardwalks. Meet at the Huston Woods parking lot on Daniel St. south of Alliance. Address: [16146 Daniel St. NE, Minerva](#). Directions: 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 the parking lot on the right. **Leader: Paul Hobe**