

CELEBRATING 29 YEARS!

NOVEMBER 2022 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.

NOVEMBER 1 TUESDAY 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

NOVEMBER 1 TUESDAY 4 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE SOUTHGATE PARK IN GREEN

(Dogs not required) Level 2, 3 miles, RR. Address: <u>5300 Massillon Rd, North Canton</u>. 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

NOVEMBER 2 WEDNESDAY 10 AM FRY FAMILY PARK Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Hilly terrain on rolling fields, mostly grass trails, beautiful views. Address: <u>2533 Farber St. SE, Magnolia</u>. 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: Glen Whipple**

NOVEMBER 2 WEDNESDAY 6 PM JACKSON COMMUNITY PARK Level 1, up to 5 miles. This is a lap hike. RR. Address: <u>7660 Fulton Dr. NW, Massillon</u>. 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: Cathi Swallen**

NOVEMBER 3 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 the first parking lot on the left. Leaders: Lola Bender & Ted Bender

NOVEMBER 3 THURSDAY 10 AM HAPPY DAYS Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Meet in the parking lot across the street from Happy Days. Address: 500 West Streetsboro Rd., Peninsula. We will hike to the ledges. Directions: Take I-77/8 north to Rte. 303. Turn west (left) to the parking lot on the right about one mile from Rte. 8. **Leader: David Kulik**

NOVEMBER 4 FRIDAY 9:30 AM BOLIVAR AQUEDUCT MCDONNELL TRAILHEAD (on route 212). Level 2, 5 miles, no RR. Restroom is located 1½ 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

NOVEMBER 4 FRIDAY 5 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE TAM O'SHANTER PROPERTY, (No dog required) Level 2/3, 3 miles, RR. Address: <u>5055 Hills and Dales Rd NW, Canton</u> 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**

NOVEMBER 5 SATURDAY 10 AM BATH NATURE PRESERVE Level 2/3, 5 miles, RR. We hike limestone and grass trails in shade and sun. Address: 4160 Ira Rd., Akron (38 miles from Canton). Directions: Take I-77 north. Take exit 138, Ghent Rd., turn left onto Ghent. Then a slight right onto N. Cleveland Massillon Rd. Left onto Ira. Rd. One mile to Hickory Farm Lane on the left. Follow Hickory Farm Lane to the parking lot. Bath Nature Preserve is 410 acres formerly part of the Raymond Firestone Estate. Physical features range from open fields to old growth forests and wetlands, including a Tamarack Bog. Leaders: Deb Withnell & Kathy Blinco

NOVEMBER 5 SATURDAY 10 AM HUSTON BRUMBAUGH NATURE CENTER Level 3, 5 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 the 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 the parking lot on the right. Leader: Mary Lee

NOVEMBER 6 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

NOVEMBER 6 SUNDAY 2 PM BEACH CITY WILDLIFE AREA (Dundee Falls) Level 3/4, 5 miles. No RR. Meet at BCWA parking lot on County Road 96 (Dundee Wilmot Rd). PARKING IS NOT AT CAMP RD PARKING LOT. Approximate address: 8265-8581 Dundee Wilmot Rd. NW, Dundee. Directions: Take I-77 south to Bolivar/212 exit. Turn right onto Rte. 212 West then left following Rte. 212 West. Turn left onto Rte. 21 South. Turn right on to Rte. 250 West for 2 miles to (look for a Camp Buckeye sign). Turn left onto County Road 97 (Chestnut Ridge Road). Turn and go 1.5 miles to Camp Road NW. Turn left (south), go 1.6 miles to Dundee Wilmot Road (County Road 96). Turn left to BCWA parking lot on the left. No restroom at trailhead so stop at gas station or fast food along the way. This hike has two waterfalls, water crossings and some rocky areas to climb over. We may be able to hike upstream/downstream depending on the water level. Leader: Karla Bedard

NOVEMBER 7 MONDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE VETERANS COMMUNITY PARK

(Dogs not required) Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Address: <u>1714 Schneider St. NE, Canton</u>. 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

NOVEMBER 7 MONDAY 6 PM NIGHT HIKE THE CHAPEL Level 2, up to 5 miles. This is a lap hike. No RR. Chapel on Raber Road in Green. Address: <u>1800 Raber Rd.</u>, <u>Uniontown</u>. Directions: From Canton take I-77 North to Massillon Road. Make a right onto Massillon Rd, then make a right turn on Raber Rd. and go about 4/10 mile to Chapel. Park on the South-East side. The trail is partially lit and we will have an almost full moon. BRING A FLASHLIGHT for unlit areas. **Leader: Mary Gaiani**

NOVEMBER 8 TUESDAY 9:30 AM LAKE AVE. TRAILHEAD FROM ERNIE'S Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Hike the Towpath. Address: <u>135 Lake Avenue NW., Massillon</u>. 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**

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Leader: Erica Richardson

NOVEMBER 9 WEDNESDAY 10 AM WICKED WEDNESDAY BOSTON MILL VISITOR

CENTER/CVNP Level 3, 5 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 new 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**

NOVEMBER 9 WEDNESDAY 6 PM JACKSON COMMUNITY PARK Level 1, up to 5 miles. This is a lap hike. RR. Address: <u>7660 Fulton Dr. NW, Massillon</u>. 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: Janice LaRocca**

NOVEMBER 10 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**

NOVEMBER 10 THURSDAY 10 AM MUNROE FALLS METRO PARK/TALLMADGE

MEADOWS 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 ½ mile. Turn left onto South River Road. Go about 1 mile to the Park Entrance on the right. Follow the driveway around the lake. About ½ mile to the "Trails" parking lot on the right. We will hike the Indian Spring trail and Meadow trail.

Leader: David Kulik

NOVEMBER 11 FRIDAY 10 AM CLINTON TRAILHEAD VETERANS DAY HIKE Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Approximate address: <u>2749 North St., Clinton</u>. Directions: Take Erie St from Canal Fulton to Clinton and turn left on North St. Parking lot on the right. To honor our veterans, we will take a short walk over to the Ohio Veterans Memorial in Clinton and then finish on the towpath.

Leaders: Ann Warren & Bill Warren

NOVEMBER 12 SATURDAY 9:30 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 the end of the ramp. It will become Gorge Blvd. then Front St. at the traffic light. Park entrance is on the left side on the other side of the bridge. Leader: Lena Earles

NOVEMBER 12 SATURDAY 3 PM FRY PARK AND WINERY Level 3, 4 miles. Hilly terrain on rolling fields, mostly grass trails, beautiful views. Address: <u>2533 Farber St. SE, Magnolia</u>. 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. After the hike, join us at Creekside Cottage Winery, with an outdoor area which has heaters and bubble tents. Address for <u>Creekside Cottage Winery: 8818 Cleveland Ave. SE, Magnolia</u>. **Leader: Erica Richardson**

NOVEMBER 13 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 the parking lot on the left.

Leader: Rosanne Swigart

NOVEMBER 13 SUNDAY 2 PM ME AND MY DOG HIKE QUAIL HOLLOW STATE PARK

(Dogs not required) Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Meet at first large parking lot on the left. Follow signs for the playground, pond and parking lot. Address: <u>13480 Congress Lake Ave.</u>, <u>Hartville</u>. 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 ½ mile, then make left to the parking lot. **Leader: Karla Bedard**

NOVEMBER 14 MONDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE VETERANS COMMUNITY PARK (Dogs not required) Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Address: <u>1714 Schneider St. NE, Canton</u>. 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

NOVEMBER 14 MONDAY 6 PM NIGHT HIKE SPRINGFIELD BOG METROPARK Level 2, up to 5 miles. This is a lap hike. RR. Address: <u>1400 Portage Line Rd., Akron.</u> Directions: Take Cleveland Ave./Canton Rd. north, turn right on Tisen Rd., becomes Cleveland Ave./Portage Line Rd after the left curve. Go about a mile to the entrance on the left. This is a nice trail with bogs and prairies. BRING A FLASHLIGHT **Leader: Bob Haren**

NOVEMBER 15 TUESDAY 9:30 AM LAKE AVE. TRAILHEAD FROM ERNIE'S Level 2, 5 miles, RR. Hike the Towpath. Address: <u>135 Lake Avenue NW., Massillon</u>. 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**

NOVEMBER 15 TUESDAY 4 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

NOVEMBER 16 WEDNESDAY 10 AM WICKED WEDNESDAY 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. Leader: David Kulik

NOVEMBER 16 WEDNESDAY 6 PM JACKSON COMMUNITY PARK Level 1, up to 5 miles. This is a lap hike. RR. Address: <u>7660 Fulton Dr. NW, Massillon</u>. 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: Janice LaRocca**

NOVEMBER 17 THURSDAY 9:30 AM CAMP TUSCAZOAR, Level 4, 6 miles. RR Meet at the parking lot at the entrance for Camp Tuscazoar. Address: 6066 Boy Scout Rd NE.

Dover. Directions: Take I-77 south to Bolivar/Zoar exit. Take Rte. 212 left (east) through Zoar to Rte. 800, turn left (north), go a short distance, turn right (east), go over a bridge, turn right onto Boy Scout Rd. and go to camp entrance on the right. Leader: Mary Lee

NOVEMBER 17 THURSDAY 10 AM CANTON PARKS FROM THE GARDEN CENTER Level 1, 3 miles, RR. Meet at the Garden Center Parking Lot. Address: <u>1615 Stadium Park Dr. NW, Canton</u>. 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**

NOVEMBER 18 FRIDAY 9:30 AM WALBORN RESERVOIR Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Address: <u>11324</u> 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: Lena Earles**

NOVEMBER 19 SATURDAY 10 AM EVERETT COVERED BRIDGE RIDING RUN TRAIL

Level 4, 5 miles, RR. Meet at Everett Covered Bridge <u>2370 Everett Rd, Peninsula</u>. Trail has several hills, roots and rocks, but is a gorgeous scenic shaded trail. 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 2.8 miles then make a right onto Everett Rd. heading west. Parking lot about ½ mile on the left.

Leader: Deb Withnell

NOVEMBER 19 SATURDAY 10 AM PORTAGE LAKES STATE PARK Level 2, 5 miles,

RR. Address: <u>5031 Manchester Rd., Akron</u> Directions: Take I-77 north to the Rte. 241/619 exit. Go north (right) on Rte. 241, then turn left onto Rte. 619. Go to Rte. 93 and turn south (left) for about a mile to the park entrance on the left. Follow the park road, turn right at the first road on the right. Follow this to the parking lot. THIS IS NOT THE NORMAL MEETING PLACE BUT IT IS THE PARKING LOT CLOSER TO THE RESTROOMS. **Leader: Dave Lenart**

NOVEMBER 20 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**

NOVEMBER 20 SUNDAY 2 PM WEST BRANCH STATE PARK NORTH Level 3, 5 miles, RR. We will use the restroom in the campgrounds at the start of the hike. Loop trails along the lake. North side of Michael J. Kirwan Reservoir. We are starting from the West Branch State Park overflow parking lot just before the campground entrance. Address: <u>5349 Esworthy Rd., Ravenna</u>. Directions: I-76E. Take exit 38B OH-5/OH-44 N, then make right onto Rte. 5 Bypass. Right onto Rock Spring Rd. then left onto Copeland Rd. Copeland Rd. becomes Esworthy Rd. Parking lot on the left just before the campground entrance on Esworthy Rd. (45 miles from Canton.) **Leader: Karla Bedard**

NOVEMBER 21 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

NOVEMBER 21 MONDAY 6 PM NIGHT HIKE MOGADORE RESERVOIR WEST Level 2, 5 miles, RR available seasonally. Address: <u>2578 SR 43, Mogadore</u>. 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. BRING A FLASHLIGHT **Leader: Bob Haren**

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NOVEMBER 23 WEDNESDAY 10 AM WICKED WEDNESDAY GOODYEAR HEIGHTS

METRO PARK Level 3, 5 miles, RR. Address: <u>2077 Newton St., Akron</u>. 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 (shady) and will include hills. **Leader: David Kulik**

NOVEMBER 23 WEDNESDAY 6 PM JACKSON COMMUNITY PARK Level 1, up to 5 miles. This is a lap hike. RR. Address: <u>7660 Fulton Dr. NW, Massillon</u>. 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: Janice LaRocca**

NOVEMBER 24 THURSDAY 9:30 AM THANKSGIVING PIE HIKE 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. Enjoy a slice of pie after the hike! Leader: Rosanne Swigart

NOVEMBER 25 FRIDAY 9:30 AM FIRESTONE METRO PARK Level 2, 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**

NOVEMBER 26 SATURDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG 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: Brenda Ball

NOVEMBER 26 SATURDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE PINE HOLLOW TRAILHEAD (Dogs not required) Level 3/4, 5 miles RR. Meet at the Pine Hollow Trailhead off Quick Road in CVNP. We will hike Kendall Lake and Cross Country 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. Leader: Ann Dolvin

NOVEMBER 27 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 the parking lot on the left.

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NOVEMBER 28 MONDAY 10 AM ME AND MY DOG HIKE METZGER PARK (Dogs not 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 the center of Louisville, turn east (left) on to Main St. (Rte. 153). Go to 2nd 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

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NOVEMBER 30 WEDNESDAY 10 AM WICKED WEDNESDAY HUNT FARM/CVNP Level 4, 6 miles, RR. Heading north on the Valley Bridle Trail. Hills, trails, and stream crossings. Meet at Hunt Farm Trailhead parking lot on Bolanz Rd. Address: 2045 Bolanz Rd., Peninsula. Directions: Take I-77/8 to Steels Corner Rd. exit, turn left (west). Follow Steel's Corner Rd., after 3 miles make right on to Northampton Rd. After 2.5 miles, make left onto Akron Peninsula Rd. Go to Bolanz Rd. (about ½ mile) and turn right, parking lot on your left. If you get to Szalay's Farm market at Riverview Rd., you went too far. Leader: Carla Vondrak

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