

**ALL TSR organized activities are operating WITH MODIFICATIONS
until further notice!!**

By signing up for an event, members agree to the same waiver included on the paper sign-in sheet and also agree to abide by the procedures for our MODIFIED activities.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1 — Ken Lockwood Gorge, High Bridge, NJ

Leader: Debby Bronner, cell 201-563-1648, debbybronner@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. The hike will be 8 miles. Mostly flat along the Columbia Trail and through Ken Lockwood Gorge. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2 — Watchung Reservation, Berkeley Heights, NJ - change in leader

Leader: Ken Donhauser, cell 732-616-7409 to be used day of event only, kendonhauser@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. 5 miles, moderate hike with one long uphill. Note: If you are coming west on Route 22, Bowcraft is no longer a landmark as stated in the TSR directions. Now a housing development. Portable facilities sometimes available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water.

Directions: See TSR Directions #2, Seeley's Pond.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3 — Storm King Mountain, Cornwall On Hudson, NY

Leader: Bill Correa, cell 917-656-3015, correa.bill@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM at Storm King parking lot. This hike has 18 stars with some of the best views of any hike we do. This strenuous hike is approximately 7 miles long and will have 2500' of elevation gain. There is one big climb of 1000'. No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

ALT. THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3 — Bald Pate Mtn. in Ted Stiles Preserve, Titusville, NJ

Leader: Gordon Thomas, cell 609-977-0267 to be used day of event only, thomasg@njit.edu

Meet: 10:30 AM. 6 miles, 3 hills, elevation gain of 760' at a moderate pace. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water. Please note later start time.

Directions: Meet at parking lot on Fiddler's Creek Rd. (GPS 40°19'06.1"N 74°53'25.6"W).

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5 — Long Pond Ironworks State Park, Hewitt, NJ

Leader: Jay Dibble, 908-289-8813, cell 908-209-2936 to be used day of event only, no texts please, jaydib41090@peoplepc.com

Meet: 9:00 AM. 6 miles over hilly, rocky terrain. Lots of ups and downs. No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

Directions: 287 North to Exit 55. Go north on 511 for 11 miles. After passing Monksville Reservoir bridge and Long Pond Ironworks visitor center the parking lot is on the left opposite East Shore Drive. Please note early start time.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6 — Norvin Green State Forest, Ringwood, NJ

Leader: Sheree Bennett, cell 973-932-9466 to be used day of event only, no texts please, shereestarrett@yahoo.com and Philip Ross, cell 732-221-9668,

skyking72@gmail.com

Meet: 9:30 AM. This will be a 7- to 8-mile hike with 1500 feet of elevation gain at the leader's moderate pace. Note that cell service is very poor/nonexistent at the trailhead. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water. Please note early start time.

Directions: See TSR Directions #4, New Weis Center.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7 — RR-Greenway Trail, Metuchen, NJ

Leader: Debby Bronner, cell 201-563-1648, debbybronner@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. A 3-mile walk on level paved former RR bed. Great for beginners. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended.

Directions: 701 Middlesex Ave., Metuchen. 3 miles west of Exit 132 Garden State Parkway, opposite former Fulton Bank and next to Whole Foods.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7 — India Brook Park, Mendham, NJ - added hike

Leader: Stan and Bev Kaltnecker, cell 201-602-4074, kaltnecs1@aol.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. This will be a loop hike down to and along India Brook and up to the abandoned Mendham Water Company goldfish ponds with stop at Buttermilk Falls on the return. There are several short hills. The hike will be about 3 miles and take about 2 hours with stops. Portable facilities are available.

Boots/poles recommended. Bring: water.

Directions: Use TSR # 2. Do not follow GPS as it brings you to the wrong parking lot.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8 — Cheesequake State Park, Matawan, NJ

Leader: Yanling Cheng, cell 732-485-9922, yanlingcheng@yahoo.com

Meet: 10:30 AM. This is a 6- to 7-mile easy to moderate hike on a variety of trails over some level terrain, rolling hills, and boardwalks. Enjoy the beautiful autumn colors at this time of the year! Dress warm in layers. Meet at the Hooks Creek Lake parking lot. Indoor bathrooms available at the park entrance.

Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, snack, water. Please note later start time.

Directions: Follow TSR Directions to Park Entrance. Pass through tollbooth, then past Park Office to T-intersection with State Park Rd. Turn left on State Park Rd. Continue on State Park Rd., bearing left at 2 circles/intersections, following signs for Hooks Creek Lake Parking (GPS coordinates: 40.4407, -74.2702).

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8 — Pyramid Mountain, Montville, NJ - added hike

Leader: Willard Dye, 973-697-6823, cell day of hike only 973-570-7518

Meet: 10:00 AM. This Turkey Mt loop hike will be approximately 4-6 miles long. Hike the 100 steps to the yellow and take the wide loop to the falls, with trails of leader's choice after that. There are a couple of options. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

Directions: See TSR Directions #1, Visitor's Center.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9 — Jockey Hollow National Park, Morristown, NJ

Leader: Stan and Bev Kaltnecker, cell 201-602-4074, kaltnecs1@aol.com

Meet: 10:00 AM at the Visitor Center. We will hike about 4 miles on various trails with some mild hills. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring water.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10 — Lake Sebago Boat Launch, Harriman State Park, NY - change in leader

Leader: Dianne Jones, cell 973-224-3967, diannejones428@gmail.com

Meet: 9:45 AM. This will be a strenuous 6- to 7-mile hike covering the full Seven Hills trail. Expect a lot of elevation gain and rock scrambles. A shuttle is required. Note that cell service is very poor/nonexistent at the trailhead. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water. Please note early start time.

ALT. THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10 — Washington's Crossing Bridge, Titusville, NJ

Leader: Gordon Thomas, cell 609-977-0267 to be used day of event only, thomasg@njit.edu

Meet: 10:30 AM. 5 miles at a moderate pace with historical commentary and a movie. Portable facilities available. Bring: snack, water. Please note later start time.

Directions: GPS coordinates 40.297401, -74.867807. Meet at parking lot on right off NJ 546 just before the bridge and next to the historic Nelson House.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12 — South Mountain Reservation, Millburn, NJ

Leader: Philip Ross, cell 732-221-9668, skyking72@gmail.com

Meet: 9:00 AM. Fairly strenuous 9-mile loop at a brisk pace with 1100 feet elevation gain, possible water crossings and some steep ascents/descents. This hike is not for beginners. Early out possible. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water. Please note early start time.

Directions: See TSR Directions #4, Locust Grove.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13 — Farny Area, Rockaway, NJ - change in start time

Leader: Jerry Giordano, cell 973-634-1457, GMGLIV@MSN.com

Meet: 10:30 AM. We start this 8.5-mile hike at Green Pond Road and follow the Four Birds Trail to the Hawk Watch and back to the Four Birds Trail, then head onto the Red Trail to the Orange Trail. Closing the loop, it's back on Four Birds Trail to the Orange Trail and then to our parking lot. Perhaps we will see the bat cave and forgotten cemetery. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water. Please note early start time.

Directions: See TSR Directions #1, Four Birds South Lot.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14 — Shepherds Lake, Ringwood, NJ - cancelled

Leader: David Sutter, cell 973-568-2724 to be used day of event only, dsuttr@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. 3 flat miles as we search for NY/NJ boundary marker from 1873 survey. Truly a search for needle in haystack as we recount history of boundary wars between NY and NJ. No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14 — Six-mile Run, Somerset, NJ - added hike

Leader: Debbie Stuart. 908-768-8044, debstuart19@gmail.com

Meet: 10:30 AM. This is a 6 mile loop of gently rolling hills with streams, woods, and fields. There is one place where we must walk along a road for less than an eighth of a mile. Moderate pace. There are no early outs. Portable facility should be available in the lot. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: water, lunch. Please note later start time. Not a typical Monday hike.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15 — Wawayanda State Park, Hewitt, NJ

Leader: Carolyn and Jim Canfield, 973-728-9774, cmjwcanfield@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. A moderate 7-mile hike to Lookout Lake for lunch. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

Directions: See TSR Directions #3, Boat Launch.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15 — Reeves Meadow, Harriman State Park, NY - added hike

Leader: Dianne Jones, cell 973-224-3967, diannejones428@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. This is a moderate 6- to 7-mile lollipop hike. We will go to and around Pine Meadow Lake, returning on the Poached Egg, Raccoon Brook, Kakiat and Pine Meadow trails. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16 — Jockey Hollow National Park, Morristown, NJ

Leader: Gail Biggs, 973-401-1262, cell 973-769-6860 day of event only, biggs_gail@yahoo.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. Hike 4 to 5 miles on moderate trails in our National Historic Park. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17 — Bear Mountain Inn, Harriman State Park, NY - change in hike and leader

Leader: Bill Correa, cell 917-656-3015, correa.bill@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. This strenuous hike is 10+ miles with over 2000 feet of elevation gain. We will take the AT to the top of Bear Mt. Perkins Tower. Then continue to the SBM Yellow trail and back to Bear Mt. Inn. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

ALT. THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17 — Jonathan Woods, Denville, NJ

Leader: Diane Willer, cell 973-713-3066, dwiller34@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. We will hike 5 to 6 miles on various trails at a social pace. No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

ALT. THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17 — Pyramid Mountain, Montville, NJ - added hike

Leader: Louis Thompson, cell 732-239-1012, ltpt1@yahoo.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. We will hike 5- to 6- miles at a moderate pace, elevation gain ~1,000 ft. We will pass bear rock, tripod rock, and whale head rock. Hike should end about 1:30 PM. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

Directions: See TSR Directions #1, Visitor's Center.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18 — Duke Farms, Hillsborough, NJ - added hike

Leader: Debbie Stuart. 908-768-8044, debstuart19@gmail.com

Meet: 10:30 AM in front of the orientation center. 6 miles at a leisurely pace. Mostly flat. Wear waterproof boots because we will go off the pavement and it could be wet in spots. Early outs available. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water. Please note later start time.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19 — South Mountain Reservation, West Orange, NJ

Leader: Charlie Stepnowski, cell 862-200-3956

Meet: 10:00 AM. Hike 4-5 miles on leaders choice of trails at a moderate pace. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water.

Directions: See TSR Directions #8, Tulip Springs.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20 — Pyramid Mountain, Kinnelon, NJ - change in meeting location

Leader: Lynn Tucholke, cell 908-938-8645, lynnt2@mac.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. This will be a 6-mile hike with 800 feet of elevation gain No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

Directions: See TSR Directions #2, Parking lot #2.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21 — Rutgers Eco Preserve, Livingston College, Piscataway, NJ

Leader: Ken Donhauser, cell 732-616-7409 to be used day of event only, kendonhauser@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. We will hike the 3+ mile loop. Alternate add-on 2-mile loop. Minor hill/brook crossing. No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended.

Directions: From Route 27 in Highland Park take River Road 0.6 miles, turn right on Cedar Lane [opposite Johnson Park Entrance] for 0.5 miles, left on Road #1 for 0.4, left on Road #3 for 0.1 miles to Ecological Preserve Parking lot.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21 — Sourland Mountain Preserve, Hillsborough, NJ - added hike

Leader: Debbie Stuart. 908-768-8044, debstuart19@gmail.com

Meet: 10:30 AM. 6 miles at a moderate pace. Some elevation and rocky terrain. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

Please note later start time. Not a typical Monday hike.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 22 — South Mountain Reservation, Millburn, NJ - change in start time

Leader: Louis Thompson, cell 732-239-1012, ltpt1@yahoo.com

Meet: 9:30 AM. 6-7 miles at a moderate pace on the Lenape trail to Hemlock Falls; return on the Rahway trail. The hike starts with a long steep uphill, and is mostly flat for the rest of it. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

Directions: See TSR Directions #4, Locust Grove.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23 — Cedar Grove Community Center, Cedar Grove, NJ

Leader: Fred Bennett, 973-857-0543, cell 973-204-0253, starben62@yahoo.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. Approximately 5 miles on the Lenape Trail. There is some elevation and the last mile is on residential sidewalks. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water, traction devices.

Directions: 199 Fairview Ave. GPS coordinates: 40°51'17.1"N 74°14'33.8"W.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24 — HAPPY THANKSGIVING

No event is scheduled as of this printing. Leaders wishing to post an event are encouraged to do so at least two days prior to this date. Send the listing to TSRregistration@outlook.com.

ALT. THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24 — Ramapo Valley County Reservation, Mahwah, NJ - added hike

Leader: Sheree Bennett, cell 973-932-9466 to be used day of event only, no texts please, shereestarrett@yahoo.com

Meet: 9:30 AM. This will be a six mile hike with two ascents in the first half of the hike. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water. Please note early start time.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25 — Washington Valley Park, Martinsville, NJ - added hike, cancelled

Leader: Debby Bronner, cell 201-563-1648, debbybrunner@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. We will walk approximately 6 miles with an early out available at 2 and 4 miles. The terrain is mostly flat. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack/lunch, water.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26 — Tatum Park, Middletown, NJ - change in leader

Leader: Lorrie Vece, cell 201-970-1000 to be used day of event only, Dixonlowe@aol.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. Seven miles at a moderate pace with opt out at 3 miles. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water.

Directions: Take NJ-24 E to GSP South to Exit 114. Drive to 151 Red Hill Rd.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26 — Norvin Green State Forest, Ringwood, NJ - added hike

Leader: Nancy Sierra, cell 908-347-0690, NSMD_solo@yahoo.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. Hike 6 to 7 miles on leader's choice of trails at a moderate pace. Bring: lunch, water.

Directions: See TSR Directions #4, New Weis Center.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27 — Mahlon Dickerson Reservation, Jefferson, NJ - change in hike and start time

Leader: Jay Dibble, 908-289-8813, cell 908-209-2936 to be used day of event only, no texts please, jaydib41090@peoplepc.com

Meet: 9:00 AM. 5-mile moderate hike. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water.

Directions: See TSR Directions #3, Saffin Rock Rill.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28 — Jockey Hollow National Park, Morristown, NJ - change in leader

Leader: Stan and Bev Kaltnecker, cell 201-602-4074, kaltnecs1@aol.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. Pleasant 1.5-hour hike. Some small elevation. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: water.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29 — ~~Big Hill and Jackie Jones Mtn., Harriman State Park, NY~~ - rescheduled to September 6

Leader: Kaat Higham, cell 862-221-0170, khigham@verizon.net

Meet: 9:30 AM. 7-mile moderate hike on the S-BM trail south passing the ORAK ruins, fire tower on Jackie Jones Mountain, Big Hill Shelter, Third reservoir and Second reservoir. Return on woods trails, the Long Path and the S-BM. No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water. Please note early start time.

Directions: Big Hill and Jackie Jones Mountain Trailhead, GPS coordinates: 41.2301, -74.0612. Go east on Rt. 106 (Kanawauke Dr.) from Seven Lakes Drive. Parking is on the right in 3.2 miles (about 0.4 miles after Lake Welch Beach, just beyond a bridge over a stream).

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29 — White Bar Trail head, Rte 106, Harriman State Park, NY - rescheduled from September 6

Leader: Kaat Higham, cell 862-221-0170, khigham@verizon.net

Meet: 9:30 AM. This moderately strenuous hike climbs Car Pond, Parker Cabin, Tom Jones, and Black Rock mountains. We will cover 5.5 miles, with quite a few scenic viewpoints. Although this is not a long hike, we will climb 4 mountains with a cumulative elevation gain of 1,640 ft. Note early start time. No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water, bug spray. Please note early start time.-

Directions: From NYS Rt. 17N, north of Tuxedo, turn left at the light for Rt. 17A. At the stop sign, instead of turning left onto 17A, turn right onto Rt. 106, which goes over Rt. 17 and the NYS Thruway. Continue on Rt. 106 for approximately 2.5 miles to the parking area on the right.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29 — Pyramid Mountain, Montville, NJ - added hike

Leader: Russ Bangs, 973-838-9160 landline, fdutch@aol.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. We will hike 5- to 6- miles on the Turkey Mt side at a moderate pace, on the usual trails except the colors of the blazes have changed, passing a beaver dam, hopefully some cascades, and the Lake Valhalla overlook. Hike should end about 1:30 PM. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

Directions: See TSR Directions #1, Visitor's Center.

~~WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30 — Pyramid Mountain, Montville, NJ - cancelled~~

Leader: Lynn Tucholke, cell 908-938-8645, lynnt2@mac.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. This is a 4+ mile hike with 700 ft. elevation gain. We will hike past Tripod Rock and the Taylorstown Reservoir. Portable facilities available.

Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water, bug spray.

Directions: See TSR Directions #1, Visitor's Center.