

**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.

MONDAY, AUGUST 1 — Cooper Mill, Chester, NJ

Leader: Carol Czajkowski, 973-539-4084, cell 973-723-3382 to be used day of event only, martinandcarol2@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. We will walk about 3 miles on a pleasant trail along the Black River. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: water, bug spray.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2

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.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3 — South Mountain Reservation, West Orange, NJ

Leader: John Jurasek, cell 845-519-4247, Jurasek@optonline.net

Meet: 10:00 AM. We will hike about 4 to 5 miles at a moderate pace on a variety of trails. Some elevation gain. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water, bug spray.

Directions: See TSR Directions #8, Tulip Springs.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4 — South Mountain Reservation, Millburn, NJ - **change in hike**

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

Meet: 8:30 AM. 6.5 mile hike with 1000 ft elevation gain at a brisk pace (2+ mph). Possible water crossings and some steep ascents/descents; this hike is not for beginners. 'Early out' options also available; 3 miles with 300 ft elevation gain, 4 miles / 600 ft elevation gain. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: at least 2L water, bug spray, snack. Port-a-John at trailhead and part way. Please note early start time.

Directions: See TSR Directions #4, Locust Grove.

ALT. THURSDAY, AUGUST 4

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 6 — Apshawa Preserve, West Milford, NJ

Leader: Charlie Stepnowski, cell 862-200-3956

Meet: 9:30 AM. Hike 5 to 6 miles on leader's choice of trails. Moderate elevation changes with some steep hills. Not for beginners. Steady rain cancels. No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water. Please note early start time.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7 — Ramapo Valley County Reservation, Mahwah, 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. This will be a 6-mile hike on leader's choice of trails with some nice views. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water, bug spray, sunscreen. Please note early start time.

MONDAY, AUGUST 8 — 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: 9:00 AM. A pleasant 1.5 hour walk starting at Visitor's Center. Note "Beat the Heat" start time. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: water. Please note early start time.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 11 — Ringwood State Park, Ringwood, NJ

Leaders: Nancy Sierra, cell 908-347-0690, nsmd_solo@yahoo.com, and Linda Laidlaw, cell 973-449-3977, linlaidlaw@yahoo.com

Meet: 10 AM at Parking Lot C. Hike this moderately strenuous 7-mile loop to Ilgenstein Rock and back. Total ascent 1,245 feet. Lunch on Ilgenstein rock.

Directions: From I-287 northbound, take Exit 57, turn left and pass through stoplight to continue straight onto Skyline Drive. Take Skyline Drive to its end and turn right onto Ringwood Ave., which becomes Greenwood Lake Turnpike. Turn right onto Sloatsburg Road, followed by right onto Morris Ave. Continue straight past the small entrance booth and parking lot A on the left, and follow signs to parking lot C.

ALT. THURSDAY, AUGUST 11

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 12 — Merrill Creek Reservoir, Phillipsburg, NJ

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

Meet: 10:00 AM at the boat launch. About a 6-mile paddle around this quiet reservoir. No paddle boards. Portable facilities available. Bring: lunch, water. See Paddling General Instructions; a personal flotation device MUST BE WORN.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13 — Tourne Park, East Entrance, Boonton, 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 in 1st parking lot on right. 5 miles over both flat and hilly terrain. No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water. Please

note early start time.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14 — Jackie Jones Mountain, Harriman State Park, NY

Leader: Jodi Ordober, cell 201-264-4206, jodi.ordover@gmail.com

Meet: 9:00 AM. Moderately strenuous 7-mile hike with 1100 feet elevation gain. No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water, bug spray. Please note early start time.

Directions: Google maps: Big Hill and Jackie Jones Mountain Trail. 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).

MONDAY, AUGUST 15 — Lewis Morris Park, Morristown, NJ

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

Meet: 9:30 AM. We will start at the lowest parking lot for Sunrise Lake and walk along the Whippany River on Patriots' Path, either up to the Dismal Brook or branch off on the Brookside Trail. About 1.5 hours. Basically flat trails. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: water, bug spray. Please note early start time.

Directions: See TSR Directions #2, Sunrise Lake.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 16 — Reeves Meadow, Harriman State Park, NY - added hike

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

Meet: 9:00 AM. We will hike 7 miles at the leader's moderate pace. Expect the usual Harriman terrain with scrambling, several ascents and nice views. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, adequate water, insect repellent and sunscreen. Facilities available. Please note early start time.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17 — Fanny Area, Rockaway, NJ - added hike

Leader: Paul Augustyniak, cell 973-219-4807, paugust586@aol.com

Meet: 10:00 AM in the Wildcat Ridge parking lot. We will hike 6.5 miles to Wildcat Ridge and Beaver Pond on various trails at a moderate pace. Not for beginners; 945 ft. elevation gain. A few hundred feet from the start, we'll make a short stop to check out the Batcave. Lunch stop at Hawkwatch Wildcat Ridge. On the way back, we'll make a brief stop at the defunct St. Patrick's Cemetery, the site of an old mining town abandoned in the late 1800s. No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

Directions: See TSR directions #1 (Four Birds South Lot).

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18 — Reeves Meadow, Harriman State Park, NY

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

Meet: 9:30 AM. Strenuous 7+ mile hike with 1800 ft elevation gain on the Seven Hills trail to Diamond Mtn, including several rock scrambles. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water, bug spray. Please note early start time.

ALT. THURSDAY, AUGUST 18 — Colonial Park, Somerset, NJ - added hike

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

Meet: 9:30 AM at Parking Lot A near the Rose Garden inside Colonial Park. We will walk along the Delaware and Raritan Canal for 6 miles at a moderate pace on a flat path. Facilities available. Bring: snack, water. Please note early start time.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20 — Jockey Hollow National Park, Morristown, NJ

Leader: John Jurasek, cell 845-519-4247, Jurasek@optonline.net

Meet: 10:00 AM. Hike 5 to 6 miles at a moderate pace on a variety of trails. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21 — Lusscraft Farms, Wantage, NJ - change in description

Leader: Alan Breach, cell 973-600-3846, abreach@ptd.net, Joyce Breach, cell 845-545-7754, jbreach@ptd.net

Meet: 9:30 AM. We will hike on the upper trails, returning by approximately 12:15. We will then have lunch followed by a docent led tour (\$8.00 donation).

Only register if doing both the hike and tour. Optional visit to the Barn Sale afterwards (open until 3 pm). Items are very nice and it is name your own price.

Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water, bug spray, sunscreen. Please note early start time.

Directions: Lusscraft Farms, 50 Neilson Rd., Wantage, NJ (Google Maps).

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21 — South Mountain Reservation, Millburn, NJ - added hike

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

Meet: 9:00 AM. 8+ mile hike with 1400 ft elevation gain at a brisk pace (2+ mph). Some water crossings and steep ascents/descents; this hike is not for beginners. 'Early out' options also available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: plenty of water, bug spray, lunch or snack. Port-a-John at trailhead and part way. Please note early start time. Additional parking across street at train station.

Directions: See TSR Directions #4, Locust Grove.

MONDAY, AUGUST 22 — Holmdel Park Annex (Ramanessin section), Holmdel, NJ

Leader: Ron Horowitz, cell 732-757-5110, ronhorowitzesq@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. Hike will start from Bell Works and hike towards Bayonet Farms, then onto the Ramanessin trails. When returning to our start, we will be at the huge and attractive Bell Works. Formerly known as Bell Labs, it was the Disney prototype for Epcot and now offers several restaurants for the 5- to 6-mile hike. This is not the normal Monday hike. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water.

Directions: From the Garden State Parkway Exit 114, make a right turn onto Red Hill Road (left if coming from the south). Cross over Crawfords Corner Rd. at the 1st light and after 1/4 mile on the right there is one of several entrances to Bell Works. The Bell Works parking lot is huge like the building & are surrounded by a ring road. Please be patient w/ them. Park in the lot that has RED signs on the light poles. Park closer to the building that has 3 yellow charging stations alongside. This should be the south side of the building. To the right of the charging stations is a flag pole w/ a flag stating: ICIMS. Our parking area is just across the ring road where our 1st trail begins.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 23 — Pyramid Mountain, Boonton, NJ - change in leader and start time

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

Meet: 9:30 AM. A 6-mile moderate hike on the Kincaid Trail to Bear Rock, then the yellow and blue trails to an overlook for a snack break before returning.

No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water. Please note early start time.

Directions: See TSR Directions #3, Kincaid Parking.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24 — Pyramid Mountain, Boonton, NJ

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

Meet: 10:00 AM. Hike 5+ miles on moderate trails to Bear Rock and return. No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water.

Directions: See TSR Directions #3, Kincaid Parking.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25 — Sterling Forest State Park, Tuxedo, NY

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

Meet: 9:30 AM. We will hike an 8+ mile loop on the Bare Rock Trail to the Greenwood Lake overview. We will return via a strenuous scramble to the fire tower. Facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water, bug spray. Please note early start time.

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

ALT. THURSDAY, AUGUST 25 — Terrace Pond, Abram S. Hewitt State Forest, Hewitt, NJ - added hike

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

Meet: 10:00 AM. 5 mile point-to-point hike from Clinton Rd. to Warwick Turnpike via Terrace Pond. Shuttle required. The climb to Terrace Pond is strenuous. The rest of the hike is moderate. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

Directions: See Abram S. Hewitt State Forest #2.



FRIDAY, AUGUST 26 — Paulinskill Lake, Newton, NJ

Leader: Jean Fletcher, 973-285-5263, cell 973-452-1567 day of event only, jfletc@optonline.net

Meet: 10:00 AM. We will paddle in the waters upstream of the Paulinskill Lake cottage community, either going upstream, until it becomes too shallow, enjoying the wildlife and historic artifacts, or downstream, in the lake above the cottage colony. Wear good water/walking shoes. Portable facilities available. Bring: lunch, water, a short rope — we might want to pull the boats over the pebble bars. You MUST PRE-REGISTER with the leader by the day before the event. See Paddling General Instructions; a personal flotation device MUST BE WORN.

Directions: Paulinskill Fishing Parking Area, Plotts Rd., Newton, NJ. GPS 41.0834, -74.7826.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 26 — Washington Valley Park, Martinsville, NJ - added hike

Leader: Debby Bronner, cell 201.563.1648, debbybronner@gmail.com

Meet: 9:30 AM. We will walk approximately 6 miles with an early out available at 2 and 4 miles. The terrain is mostly flat. Boots/poles recommended. Portable facilities at location. Bring: snack or lunch, water. Please note early start time.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27 — Pyramid Mountain, Montville, NJ

Leader: Charlie Stepnowski, cell 862-200-3956

Meet: 9:30 AM. Hike 5 miles at a moderate pace. Portable facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water. Please note early start time.

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

SUNDAY, AUGUST 28 — Mahlon Dickerson Reservation, Jefferson, NJ

Leader: Bill LaChance, cell 973-216-8748, bill@wiladvisors.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. This will be an approximately 4-mile hike at a moderate pace. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: snack, water, bug spray, sunscreen.

Directions: See TSR Directions #2, Saffin Pond.

MONDAY, AUGUST 29 — Rutgers Env. 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 in Rutgers Preserve. Alternate add-on 2-mile loop. Wear boots, minor hill/brook crossing No facilities available. Boots/poles recommended. You MUST PRE-REGISTER with the leader by the day before the event.

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 Rutgers Ecological Preserve parking lot.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 30 — Huber Woods, Middletown, NJ

Leader: Ron Horowitz, cell 732-757-5110, ronhorowitzesg@gmail.com

Meet: 10:00 AM. Beautiful 5-mile hike on former estate overlooking Navesink River. Mostly flat with some rolling hills. Mostly shaded. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.

Directions: 25 Browns Dock Rd., Locust, NJ 07760.

~~WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31 — Shepherd Lake, Ringwood, NJ - added hike, cancelled~~

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

~~*Meet:* 10:00 AM at the large upper parking lot. 5 miles over mostly hilly, rocky terrain. Some nice views. There are no State Park fees this year. Boots/poles recommended. Bring: lunch, water.~~

~~*Directions:* Meet at the large upper parking lot.~~