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ABOUT US

Trail Works, Inc., a not-for-profit organization, was founded in Wayne County New York in 1997 by a small group of individuals who are dedicated trail users who are interested in trail development and expanding trail use.

OUR PURPOSE

Trail Works purpose is to provide a unified voice for Wayne County trail users as well as to coordinate the development and maintenance of high-quality, year-round multi-use trails. Our purpose also embodies public education about trails and public awareness of trail issues. To carry out our purpose, we recognize the importance of the relationships Trail Works has established with local and county governments. These relationships are vital to moving ahead on any plans for trail development.

Whether we are planning trails, cutting trails, maintaining them, posting signage or using trails by hiking, riding, kayaking, snowshoeing, skiing or biking... we are all about trails.

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Can you identify all the birds? Let us know.

MEET THE TWI BOARD

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Trail Works First Day Hike



Trail Works continued the tradition of a First Day Hike to ring in the New Year! This year we met at historic Alasa Farms, now home to Cracker Box Palace, to hike their trails. A bonus was that we got to meet several of the farm residents; donkeys, horses, goats and an enthusiastic rooster who was crowing a welcome. Thankfully the weather decided to cooperate and we had a fantastic turnout!

The conditions were a bit “mushy,” but a hike in the woods with friends is always a good thing. Alasa Farms has over seven miles of trails through their forests, wetlands and orchards. In the woods, you will find sugar maple, yellow birch and hemlock trees, and a rich collection of native plants.

Cracker Box Palace owns the Alasa Farms property and invites all to be part of the farm operation through its festivals, activities, tours, camps, and opportunities to care for and love the animals. The animals love treats, so make sure you bring apples, carrots, peppermints or animal crackers to share! We had a lively group of hikers and a very pleasant time was had by all.

For more information, contact Cracker Box Palace at 315-483-2493, or visit their website www.crackerboxpalace.org. Also visit www.geneseelandtrust.org to learn more about the conservation easement at Alasa Farms.

Rachel Wizeman



Spring newsletter deadline for articles is April 30th.

Please have newsletter articles and photos sent to Trailworks@trailworks.org

Winter Hiking 101

There are many websites which provide great tips and tricks for hiking this winter. They span from the short rural or local trails to hiking the high peaks. If there is an internet connection, it's almost impossible to not get the information you need to be safe, yet, it is amazing how many people go unprepared and unfortunately get in trouble or hurt. Much of this information is common sense regardless of the season for the hike.

When hiking with a group, such as Trail Works, stay together and look out for one another. The last thing you need is to go off trail and get lost. This would leave the rest of the group stressed out about where that member could have gone or in a quandary on how to search for them, when all you wanted to do was enjoy the hike. That one lost soul impacts everyone in the group. Be considerate.

Keep an eye on the slower and faster members of the group to be sure that they aren't limping, thirsty or acting odd. Many people think "it's a short hike", and "what should I care?" But a group hike includes people of various abilities, age and interests. Stop to allow everyone to catch up periodically and if someone needs to go back, make sure another member can go with them. A sprain or fall, could leave one in really tough shape if they're alone.

New York State DEC's website is one of the best sites and should be looked at before you go. <https://www.dec.ny.gov/outdoor/28708.html>

Use Maps, Guides, or DEC's Website to Plan Your Trip:

Plan where you're going and plan when you expect to return.

Check trail conditions before hiking: Adirondacks area, Catskills area or Finger Lakes area .

Be extremely conscious about your abilities, your skills, the weather, dressing appropriately and what to do in case of an emergency. Hypothermia is one of the obvious concerns, avoiding dehydration and being safe, sounds simple but often taken for granted.

There is just so much information out there, consider these Winter Hiking sites: (to cite a few.)

7 Essential Rules for Winter Hiking - <https://www.reserveamerica.com/articles/hiking/7-essential-rules-for-winter-hiking>

Winter Hiking Tips: How to Hike in Snow - <https://bearfoottheory.com/winter-hiking-tips/>

How to Winter Hike: 5 Tips to Get You Started - <https://www.outdoors.org/resources/amc-outdoors/outdoor-resources/how-to-winter-hike-5-tips-to-get-you-started/>

Essential Winter Hiking Gear - <https://www.freshoffthegrid.com/winter-hiking-gear/>

Cold-Weather Hiking Tips - <https://www.rei.com/learn/expert-advice/cold-weather-hiking.html>

A Simple Guide to Winter Hiking - <https://www.backcountry.com/explore/a-simple-guide-to-winter-hiking?>

Rich Ross, TWI & ADK/Black River Chapter member



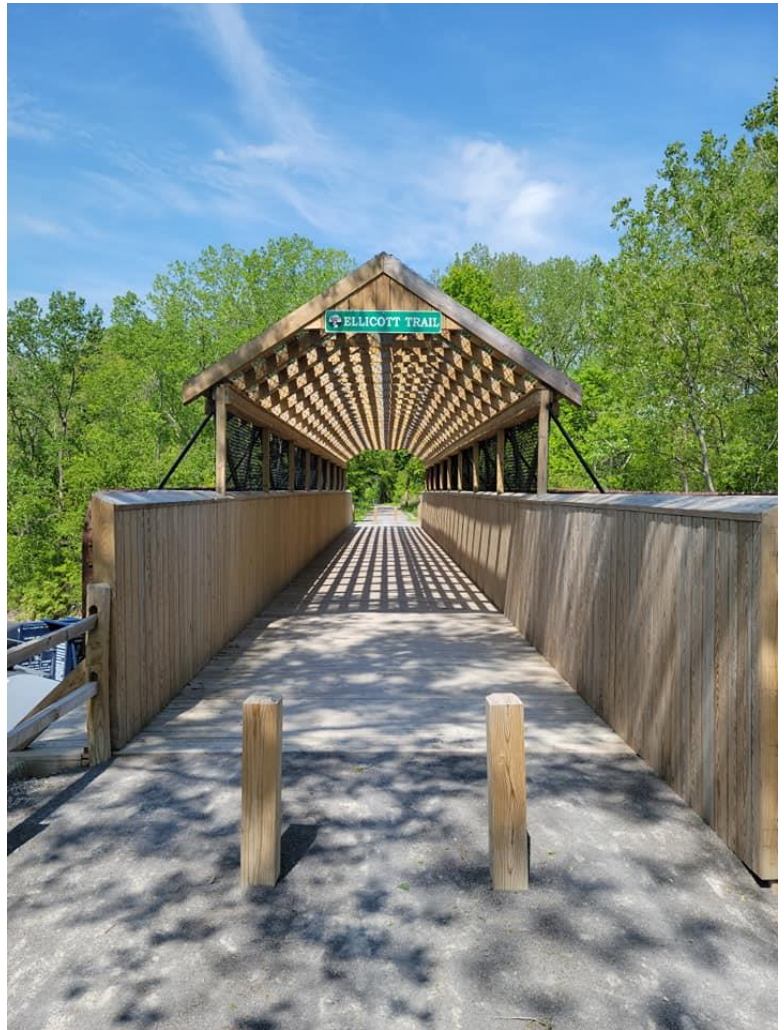
Rail Trails

Trail Link has been a great asset to me when planning most of my travel. Trail Link, the Rails to Trails Conservancy app, includes over 36,000 miles of trails in the United States. This includes the Empire State Trail, west of Wayne County to Lyons, which follows canals; not a railway. Trail Link includes on their site: repurposed canal paths and trolley beds, greenways and even routes along power lines, as well as rail trails.

A rail trail is the conversion of a dis-used [railway](#) track into a [multi-use path](#), typically for walking, cycling, and X-country skiing, and sometimes for horse riding and snowmobiling. They can often accommodate wheelchairs. Occasionally I run across a “Rail with Trail” trail which lies alongside an active railway. Locally, both the Lauraville Landing Trail, part of the Empire State Trail, and the Sodus-Wallington Rail Trail, are Trail Works Passport trails, but not included in the Trail Link app. So, while including some non-rail trails, the Trail Link app does not include all rail trails.

My interest is mainly in road biking on trails. Using the Trail Link app, I’m able to locate suitable trails in areas I’m about to travel to or, more likely, make the trails my destination. The app helps with a description of the trail, suggested trail uses, a user rating average based on provided reviews that you should read before heading out, and a trail map. When you become a member of the Rails to Trails Conservancy, you also get their quarterly publication dealing primarily with existing and in-progress trails nationwide.

This fall, after being a Conservancy member for twenty years, I wrote my first trail review. I’d been depending more and more on the reviews of others. As part of a short vacation in the area east of Buffalo, I was surprised to find the Ellicott Trail, new in 2019, in Batavia. My wife and I had a wonderful day in Batavia, with the



trail the centerpiece. And since no one had yet reviewed it, I was able to add to the information provided on the app.



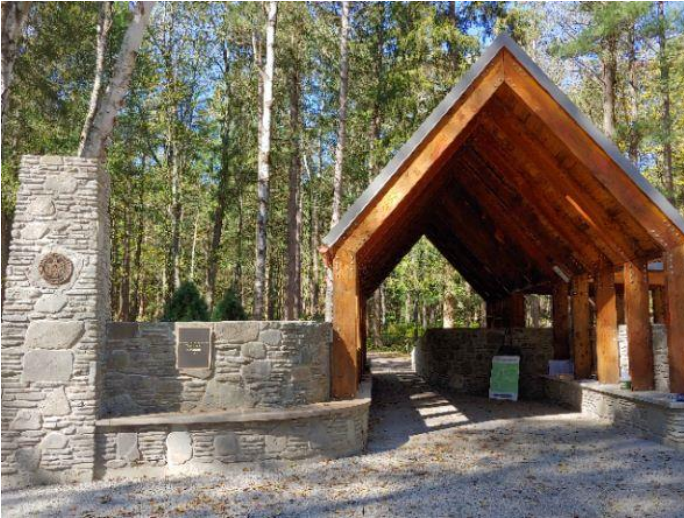
Rail trails are appealing because they usually go where the railroad went and the history of the area may still be seen, often with accompanying signage. The trails feature only slight inclines because trains did not do well on hills. Sometimes an on-road section must be cycled to connect parts of a trail. The Albany-Hudson Electric Trail, which follows a repurposed trolley line, is a bit hillier. I sometimes leave the trail in order to find a restaurant, to return to my car without riding the same piece of trail just travelled, or just to explore. Then, the hills may abound.



Glenn Wallis

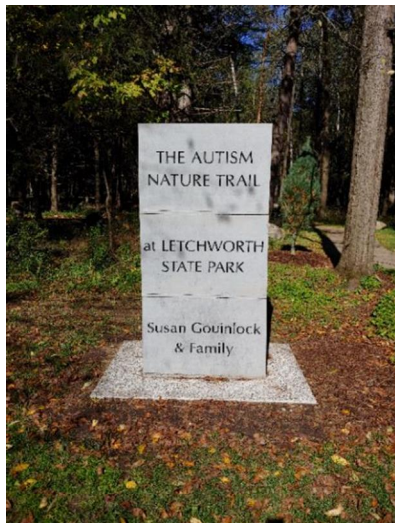
Autism Nature Trail at Letchworth State Park

This October found me at Letchworth State Park for a yearly fall lunch at the historic Glen Iris Inn. After lunch, I always locate a trail to work off the cheesecake I had for dessert! Instead of the traditional hike this year, I was delighted to visit the new Autism Nature Trail located at the Humphrey Nature Center within the Park, not far from Glen Iris Inn.



The Autism Nature Trail was the vision of three special ladies; Susan Herrnstein, Loren Penman and Gail Serventi, and it took several years and over \$3.5 M to develop and construct. With the grand opening in October 2021, this trail will offer many years of a natural outdoor experience to those of all abilities and ages.

I learned about this new trail from our local newsman, John Kucko. As you may know, John takes many trips each year to Letchworth to photograph the beauty of the park in all four seasons. After seeing his many news segments on the progress of this new trail, and even participating in his calendar project to help fund it, I made it my primary hike destination for the day. Our group found the trail virtually unoccupied at the time of our visit.



surrounding pine woods, the *Sunshine Slope* with a maze and hanging “cuddle” swings, and a *Sensory Station* with

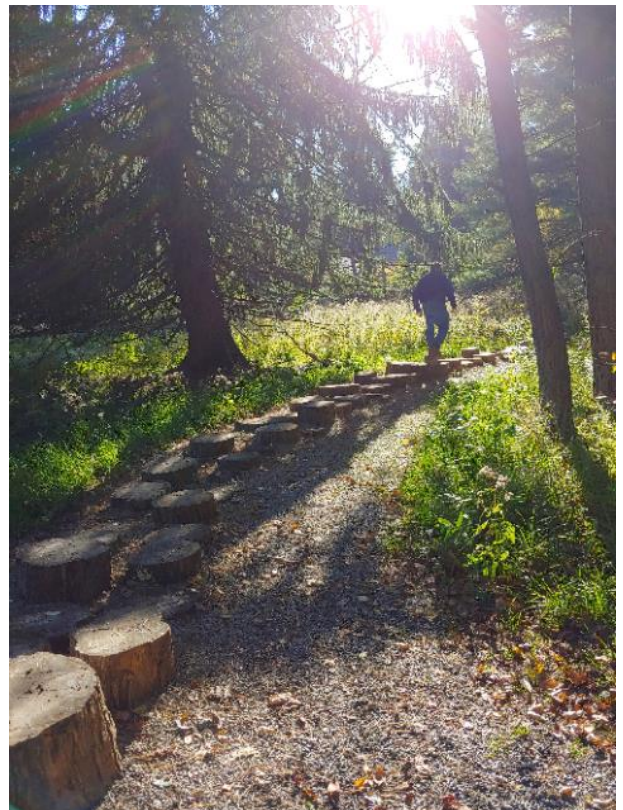
different things from nature to hold, touch and smell. Sorting is a favorite activity at this station! The *Meadow Run & Climb* offers a more physical experience for the younger set, as does a spider-web type climbing area, and the *Playful Path*, a series of loops with various objects to walk, hop and climb over. A favorite area of mine was the *Music Circle* with nature-inspired instruments to try out.



To learn more about this amazing new trail, check out www.Autismnaturetrail.com, or follow their Facebook page, *The Autism Nature Trail at Letchworth State Park*. Often referred to as the ANT, we found this to be a wonderful experience for anyone who loves nature and being outdoors. Before you visit, be sure to check their website or FB page, as I recently learned that the cuddle swings and hanging benches have been removed for the winter months, and the musical instruments have been covered while the snow flies.

A trip to Letchworth State Park never needs a reason. This new trail just offers another incentive. Add it to your list for 2022!

Nancy Snyder



IMPACT: Trails Improving Allegany County, Inc.



The major event of the year here in Allegany County, NY, was the formation of **IMPACT: Trails Improving Allegany County, Inc.**, which is a non-profit organization dedicated to advocate for the improvement and expansion of equestrian and multi-use trails here in Allegany County, NY. With over 46,000 acres of State forest land in Allegany County, there is tremendous opportunity to have more than the 40



miles of equestrian/multi-use trails that exist at Coyle Hill State Forest and the West Almond Trail System.

In September, IMPACT sponsored their first trail maintenance day with 50 people and three horses participating. Students from Alfred State College and Alfred University attended with team leaders from IMPACT. There are plans to groom existing cross-

country ski trails this winter. A map is available at the NYSDEC web site for the West Almond Trail System [Philips Creek State Forest - NYS Dept. of Environmental Conservation](#).

The best trail head for access for snowshoeing and cross-country skiing is from the parking lot on the north side of State Route 244, just a few miles from the Village of Alfred, NY. If you would like more information regarding their events and post, please go to the Facebook page at IMPACT Friends Group.

Submitted by Pauline Burnes

Great Backyard Bird Count & Bird Feeding Seminar

Hosted by Trail Works and Pine Creek

Members of Trail Works and the community at large were treated to a wonderful and engaging power point presentation with over 30 in attendance at the Lyons Community Center from Josh Stasik of Aspen Seed. Josh's presentation was funny and very informative. He talked about how to attract winter birds to your feeding stations with a variety of seeds, from black oil sunflower and striped sunflower seeds for cardinals, to Niger seed which attracts a variety of finches.



Someone asked about squirrels, and he said, "We at Aspen love them...that means you are buying more seed!" He also spent time talking about how to attract hummingbirds in the summer.

He talked about how he developed his own natural hummingbird food using a turkey cooker in his driveway.

Throughout the presentation, he would ask the audience to guess the name of a particular bird in the presentation. It wasn't long before Nancy Snyder and I were cut off from



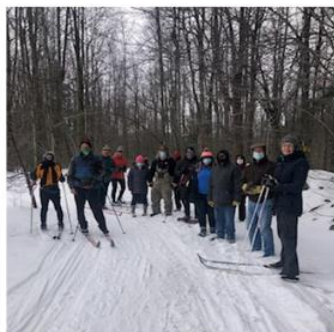
answering. You see, Nancy and I have been in stiff competition during the annual Great Backyard Bird Count. I won in 2019 and Nancy won in 2020.

Speaking of the Great Backyard Bird Count, Pine Creek will again be giving away a bag of bird seed for the most bird species (males and females) tallied during a 15-minute span during President's weekend, which this year is February 18-21.

Besides a wonderful presentation from Josh, everyone in attendance received a bag of bird seed and a package of hummingbird nectar. He also gave out five bird feeders to those who correctly guessed the birds in his presentation. As a result, the Trail of Hope now has a new bird feeder!



Mark De Cracker



Winter Hike/Ski/Showshoe @ May's Farm Sunday, February 13, 2022 2-4 p.m.

Jim & Carol May's Farm
7304 Stoney Lonesome Road, Williamson NY 14589

Terrain suitable for all abilities and a
fire pit for warming!



Please contact c4js17@yahoo.com
with any questions about this event.

Visit our website: trailworks.org
to see upcoming events!



Winter Badges

We have the best skiing and snowshoeing conditions in years. There is over a foot and a half of snow on all of the passport trails.

The weather moving forward looks good to enjoy the outdoors. So grab your skis and snowshoes and "Hit the Trails" and collect your winter badges.



Canal Clean Sweep and Mural Dedication

Trail Works and Mural Mania are joining forces this year for Canal Clean Sweep 2022 on Saturday, April 23rd at 9:00 a.m. We will start by clearing brush around the historic Erie Canal Lock E-56 which is on Dry Dock Rd. in Lyons. At



11:00 a.m. we will break and move over to the back of the canal Dry Dock office on Old Lyons Rd, for a formal dedication of two iconic murals. The Dipper Dredge No.3 mural was installed during the Canal Clean Sweep in 2021, and the E-56 mural was installed in early November. These two murals are side by side and only 15 feet from the Empire State Bike trail.

The mural Dipper Dredge No.3, the tugboat DeWitt Clinton, and a barge were used for the canal spill. Dipper Dredge No.3 is in the Lyons dry dock, but has not been operated since 1985. It was built in 1929, but has some “recycled” components from 1909. As a steam powered vessel, it is unlikely that Dipper Dredge No.3 will ever return to functioning condition. What makes the Dipper Dredge No. 3 mural so intriguing is that this is where my great grandfather was working on the day I was born. Through a friend, I was given some photos of her father’s who worked for the Canal Corporation in the 1950’s. Along with these photos was my great grandfather. As a result of these wonderful references, they are included in this mural. Across the top of the mural will be the words “Honoring those who worked on the Erie/Barge Canal.” We used a sepia background overlayed with color to bring the focus to the workers. This mural, by Mural Mania Inc., is made possible in part by contributions from the following: R.J. Boehmler Community Foundation Inc., Golden Artist Colors, Brian Manktelow, and Sean Dobbins.

Mark DeCracker

Behind the Scenes-Third Creek Trail Maintenance

What is your favorite trail? Why do you enjoy it so much? Do you have to deal with lots of mud or roots that make it difficult to walk on? What about going over a stream? Do you like getting your feet wet to get a better view? Let's not forget why that trail is so nice or your favorite, and when we think of that, let's remember how that came to be. How much effort was made to carry all the lumber, the tools or number of hours expended to make that bridge? What happens when the weather decides to relocate that bridge when you least expect it? Well.... Take a moment and give it a thought, and more than that, to thank one of our quiet members of Trail Works who helps build these trails and keep them in place. That member is Gary Abbott.

At the last board meeting "*Gary reported that the new bridge he constructed over Third Creek has washed away and needs to be put back in place. He found the bridge intact but moved by the water. He feels it's an easy fix and will work on it. There is also a tree down on the south trail off of Shaker Tract Rd. and Gary feels he can take care of that with hand tools.*"

As we highlighted some of the work he has done, he remembered when he first built that bridge, what he did, and as he spoke, his feelings were modest, almost to the point he could have said, "ah shucks, it was nuttin." Or a revision to the Nike commercial to be: "I got-her done."

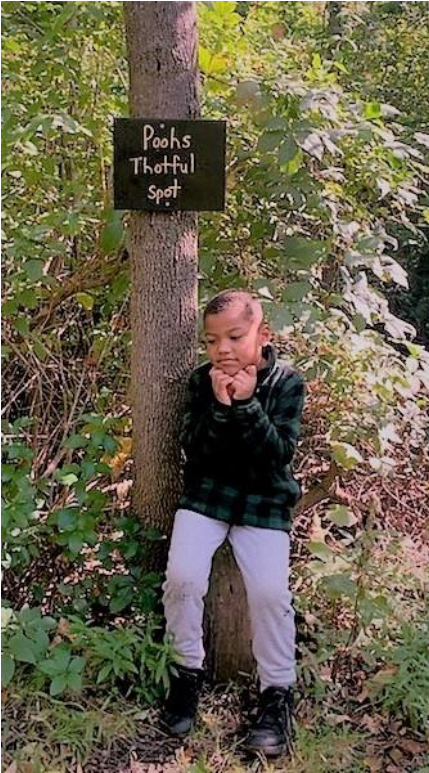


Thank you, Gary!

Just to see some of the photos, it's amazing!

Past Tracks

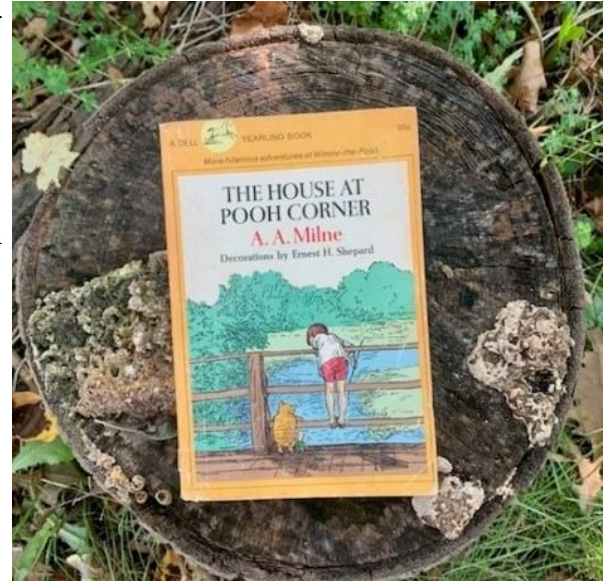
Trail Works Family Hike at the Winnie the Pooh Trail



Have you heard of Ontario Pathways Winnie the Pooh Trail? Most of the families who attended had not! It is a little known gem located off County Road 10 in Canandaigua NY.

We had one of those rare days in Upstate NY when the weather fully cooperates and the sun shines brightly overhead. A lively group of small folks brought their guardians for a run and romp through the woods!

The older children read quotes from Pooh and his friends, located all along the trail, and the littler ones ran ahead, pointing out new finds! They enjoyed opening the door to Pooh's treehouse and finding the bear himself standing there! We also found Pooh's bouncy friend Tigger, his best friend Piglet, Kanga and Roo, Rabbit and even Gopher! A special treat was coming upon Eeyore and his stick house and locating Owl high up in a tree.



My grandson Noah loves Pooh's "Thottful Spot" and always stops to ponder deep things. We stopped to enjoy a well-earned snack next to the "Heffalump Trap" on the way back.

A happy (and tired) group of children tumbled along and raced each other to get to the gate that marked the end of the trail. They allowed me to capture a photo there that will sum up our adventure nicely!

I highly recommend this trail for people of all ages who love Winnie the Pooh, his Woozles, Jagulars and Heffalumps!

~Rachel Wizeman



Past Tracks

Trail Works, SOAR and Clyde SPAN Host “Spooky” Paddle Event

Trail Works teamed up with SOAR Clyde/Savannah/Galen (Strengthening Our Area Residents) and Clyde/SPAN (Strategic Planning Action Network) for a “Spooky” paddle during SOAR’S “Halloween in the Park” event Saturday, October 2.



Over 25 people, both newbies and experienced paddlers, showed up with kayaks, canoes and paddles at the Lauraville Landing boat launch for an early evening paddle along the Erie Canal.

Balloons and glow necklaces were passed out at the launch, and the group headed west into the sunset along the canal for a delightful evening of fun.

Special thanks to Rachel Wizeman and her husband, Tim Wizeman, for being our kayak leader and sweeper, Amy Bullard at SOAR, members of Clyde/SPAN, and the Clyde Fire Department for standing by at our canal event to help out and keep the paddlers safe.



Trail Works at Sodus Farmer’s Market

Organizers for the Sodus Farmer’s Market invited Trail Works to participate as part of its promotion of health and wellness. The weather cooperated nicely in early October, and Trail Works board members Nancy and Rachel were



busy visiting with people, and spreading the good word about the physical and mental health benefits of hiking, walking, and enjoying the great outdoors.



They educated folks about Wayne County trails, the Wegman’s “Hit the Trail” Passport booklet, and our new phone App. Those who stopped by to chat never knew so many trails existed in Wayne County, and were learning more about Trail Works. New connections were made and new members signed up.

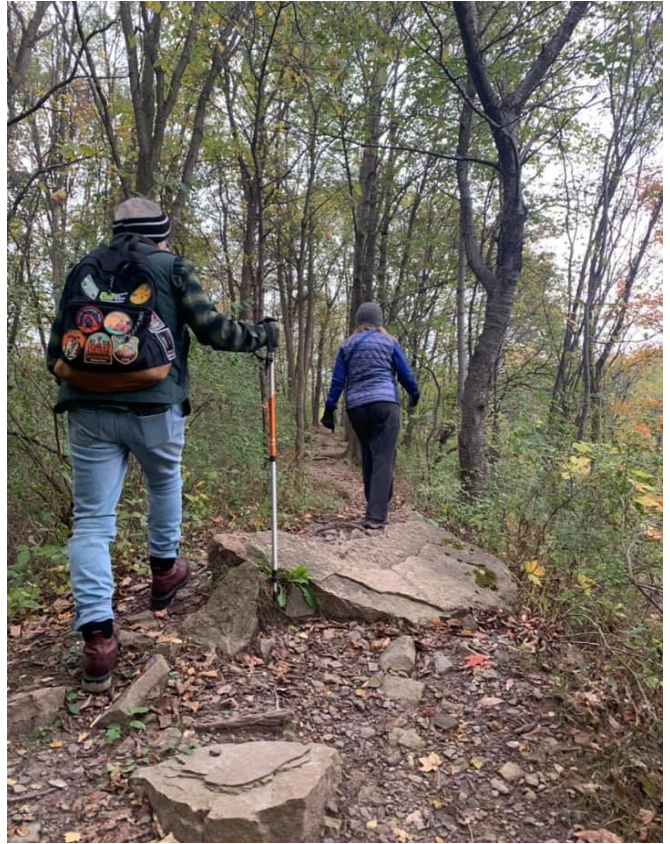
Trail Works generated a lot of interest, and it did not go unnoticed by the organizers who invited Trail Works to come back the following Wednesday for the last market day of the season. Look for Trail Works at the Sodus Farmer’s Market again next year!

Past Tracks

Fall Foliage Hike & Paddle at Casey Park

Our annual Fall Foliage Hike had a different twist this year, and we promoted a fall hike with a paddle option simultaneously. The fall colors were slow to come out and the event was a week later than our normal mid-October hike.

It was a cold, damp day with a small enthusiastic group, but the hike along the north and south trails of this historic ore bed at Casey Park was lovely, and those kayaking enjoyed the colors from the water. After the activities, cider and donuts were enjoyed by all.



Black Friday Hike-Macyville Woods Nature Preserve

We don't shop on Black Friday...we hike! Many joined us at this relatively new Genesee Land Trust trail in Sodus Point for a brisk, late fall hike around its one-mile loop. Early on, we looked north to spot a couple of eagle's nests along the tree line of Lake Ontario.

This 34-acre property has a diverse variety of trees including maple, cherry, oak, birch, beech, eastern hemlock, and tulip poplar trees. The highlight of the hike was the Macy tree, a huge old oak that is most likely more than 250 years old! As we weaved our way through the trees towards the marsh wetlands, we were able to spot the old Genesee Brewery malt house in the distance.



This "malt marsh" shows signs that beavers have certainly been present over time. Finishing up our hike, we noticed an old tree that had been notched out by woodpeckers and was now in two pieces. You never know what you will find at Macyville!

To learn more about the Macyville Woods Nature Preserve, please visit www.geneseeandtrust.org.



Past Tracks

A Day of Giving @ Books, ETC.

Trail Works, Inc participated in “A Day of Giving” on Sunday, November 28, 2021, at Books, ETC. in Macedon, NY. Four Wayne County non-profits had been invited to participate this year. The three in attendance were Trail Works, Inc, Wounded Warrior of Wayne County, and Literacy Volunteers of Wayne County. Each dollar received in our jar counted as one vote. The organization with the most votes received was given an extra \$50.00 from Books, ETC.

I am proud to say that Trail Works, Inc received the most votes. Our Board of Directors voted to donate that money to the Beechwood State Park which is part of the “Hit the Trail” passport trails program to help with their projects to improve the park and trails there.

It is interesting to see how different organizations actually intertwine. For example, the Butterfly Nature Trail located at the Lock 30-Canal Park in Macedon has a story book trail that promotes literacy for children and adults. It also has two benches donated to remember all armed forces and Vietnam veterans. So together, we are helping each other. It is not about competition with each other, but more to bring awareness and respect for each other.

Save the date for our next “A Day of Giving” enjoying the fresh air on the sidewalk @ Books, ETC. 78 W. Main Street, Macedon, NY on Saturday, May 21, 2022, from Noon-4pm.

Submitted by,

Marie Cramer

BOD and Trail Works, Inc member



Beechwood Fund Donations

Please consider [making a donation directly to Camp Beechwood.](#)



Beechwood State Park Update

Hey Y'all,

2021 was an incredibly positive and productive year here at the park. Daily attendance was at an all-time high, as well as camping numbers.

Great strides have been made in planning out the future, allowing for greater access to the entire park for the whole community. I'm proud to say that through a lot of hard work on the ground by the Town of Sodus and the NYS Park Service, the "clean up" phase of the plan is at an end, and the "rebuild and expansion" phases are beginning.



In October, 2021, a new pavilion was built on top of the bluff in the Pixie area, and will be dedicated in honor of the late Sodus Town Councilman, John Faulks, who was instrumental in getting the ball rolling for us down here.

In December, any delinquent buildings were removed from the park, clearing out new areas for camping and other activities. We also will be receiving a grant from the State to help with the expansion into the west side of the park.

A new access road, parking area, and new trails will be added to the west side of the park essentially doubling the area of the park for easy public access.

Two new trails were added already, one through the woods between the two current entrances, and the other connecting the two trails through the pine forest.

Six new park benches have been installed so far (with more on the way), picnic tables, new fire rings, mulch, flower beds, new trails, and family activity areas are all on the way this upcoming year.



Starting on April 1st, there will be a fee for camping at Beechwood. Camping will be \$15 per night with all proceeds raised going directly to the rebuilding of the park. Small changes are being made to the park rules, and when they are finalized, I will let everybody know.

This year will be another year of great positive change here at the park, and I would like to thank Sodus Town Supervisor Scott Johnson, Councilperson Cathy Wilmott, the Sodus Town Board, the NYS Park Service, the Beechwood Committee, and Trail Works for all the time and effort put into securing a great future for Beechwood State Park. I'd also like to thank everybody who comes down here, whether it is to hike, camp, walk your dog, whatever it may be. Thank you for helping to save this park! I'm truly grateful for every second here at this beautiful place, and for all of you amazing people that come here.

Thank you again!

Sal, the Beechwood Guy





TRAIL WORKS 2022 MEMBERSHIP

Dear Trail Works Members and Friends,

If you have not yet renewed your Trail Works membership for the 2022 year, your membership will soon expire. Thank you for your previous support for Trail Works' mission, and we hope we can continue to count on your support for the coming year.

Please take a moment to return your membership dues (Individual-\$15.00, Family-\$25.00, and Corporate- \$50.00), along with the renewal form.

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We strive to preserve Wayne County heritage and green spaces for the enjoyment and recreation of our future generations. Please renew your membership today.

Happy Trails, Trail Works Membership Team

Trail Works, Inc, 2022 Membership Form

Please check the type of membership:

- ☐ single (\$15)
☐ corporate (\$50)
☐ family (# of family members: _____) (\$25)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____

Email: _____

Please make all checks payable to:

Trail Works, Inc.
ATTN: Membership
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www.trailworks.org

Trail Works Event Calendar February-June 2022

Date	Event
Feb 13	Winter Event @ May's Apple Farm, 2-4 pm
Feb 15	Annual Meeting & Monthly Meeting, 7 pm via Zoom
Feb 18-21	Great Backyard Bird Count (birdcount.org)
Feb 19	XC Ski Event, Beechwood, 2 pm
Mar 15	Monthly Meeting, 7 pm via Zoom
Apr 19	Monthly Meeting, 7 pm via Zoom
Apr 23	Canal Clean Sweep E-56 (9 am) & Mural Dedication (11:30 am)
May 1	Wildflower Hike, Zurich Bog, 1:30 pm
May 5	Cinco de Mayo Paddle at Widewaters Canal Park, Newark, 5:30 pm
May 17	Monthly Meeting, 7 pm via Zoom
May 21	Pomeroy Historical Marker Dedication @ Alasa Farms 10:30 am
May 21	Day of Giving Fundraiser @ Books, ETC., Macedon, 12 noon – 4 pm
June 4	National Trails Day Hike with Passport Drawing (Trail and time, TBD)
June 11	ADK Outdoor Expo @ Mendon Ponds Park, 9:30 am - 3:30 pm
June 11	Morning Paddle at Lock 30, Macedon, 10:00 am
June 18	Family Hike & BYO Picnic, Manchester Gateway Trail, 11:00 am
June 21	Monthly Meeting, 7 pm via Zoom