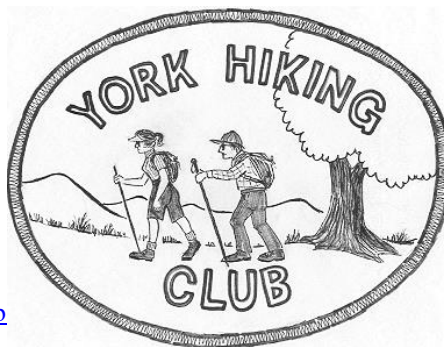


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Inclement Weather: Please contact the hike leader or check our Facebook page for cancellation information.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6 – KTA “CODE ORANGE” DAY – Come out and help the Keystone Trails Association with trail improvements at Gifford Pinchot State Park. Opportunities for free camping and a tailgate lunch will be provided.

Meeting Location: Campground Entrance, 800 East Camping Area Rd. Wellsville, PA 17365 **Meeting Time:** 8:30 AM
Crew Leader: Steve Stroman, 717-350-0437 or stevestroman@hotmail.com

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7- LONG HIKE (8-10 MILES): We'll start at Swatara State Park then hike north on AT to Rausch Gap shelter and back. This area is called St. Anthony's Wilderness from a missionary who traveled here for miner families long ago. We'll see an old gold miner's cemetery from an abandoned town, beautiful Rausch Creek w/ waterfalls and view the history here. If hikers want a couple more miles, we can return along a bike path to Middle Patch Path to a lookout, or stay north on AT to Sand Spring Trail and back. There is one hill which looks mild for moderate hikers.

Meeting Location: Boscov's lot near Red Robin **Departure Time:** 8:00 AM **Carpool Fee:** \$5.00
Hike Leader: Janine Zell, home phone 717-684-7891, day of hike cell phone 717-371-6743, email: zellfam@embarqmail.com

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13 - LONG HIKE (12 MILES): This hike around Lake Redman will include crossing under I-83 at two separate locations which requires walking through water for over 100 feet or more. The first water crossing is through a rocky stream bed, and the second stream crossing is through a four-and-a-half-foot high culvert. The trail has several hills, rocky in sections, and can be muddy depending on the previous day's weather. Recommend sturdy trail shoes or hiking boots. Bring a lunch, snacks, and water. A flashlight or headlamp may be useful when crossing through the low culvert. Please contact the hike leader if planning on meeting at Lake Redman instead of the meeting location.

Meeting Location: York County High School of Technology **Departure Time:** 8:00 AM
Hike Leader: Alan Noble, 717-758-8470 or amnoble38@gmail.com **Carpool Fee:** \$0.25

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21 - SHORT HIKE (3-4 MILES): We will hike an easy to moderate trail at Cromwell Valley Park, located just north of Towson, Md. The park is over 400 acres of farmland, woods, orchards, and gardens. It is known for its many white-tailed deer and birds of prey. The park hosts a maze of interconnected short trails so we can determine our route at the time, depending on which parts of the park the group would prefer to see. Just bring hiking boots and water.

Meeting Location: York County High School of Technology **Departure Time:** 1:00 PM
Hike Leader: Jean Wolf, 717-650-7831 or Irishwolf55@rocketmail.com **Carpool Fee:** \$1.00

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21 – LONG HIKE (11 MILES): We'll return to the Horse-Shoe Trail for a hike that will take us from Rannels Kettle Run Preserve to Middle Creek Wildlife Management Area. There will be ups and downs, roots and rocks. Much of the trail is described as forest roads and jeep trails, so those areas should make for a pleasant stroll. At about lunch time we will walk past the Pretzel Hut, which along with ice cream and pretzels, has a petting zoo. This isn't the big migration time at Middle Creek, but we'll return here for that in the winter. After the hike, those who are interested can join me in finding the "Potato Patch" a big boulder scramble near Rannels Kettle Run. Bring good hiking boots/shoes, water, snacks, and lunch.

Meeting Location: Boscov's Lot near Red Robin **Departure Time:** 8:00 AM
Hike Leader: David Lukes, 717-818-4751 or captainskit@gmail.com **Carpool Fee:** \$5.00

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27 – SHORT HIKE (3-4 MILES): The hike will be start and end at Breezyview Overlook in Columbia. There's a steep hill to start and finish, but will be on a flat trail otherwise. There are beautiful views of the Susquehanna from the overlook. Bring good hiking boots/shoes, snacks and water.

Meeting Location: Boscov's Lot near Red Robin

Hike Leader: Suzette DeStevens, 717-495-5286 or suzettedestevens@yahoo.com

Departure Time: 9:30 AM

Carpool Fee: \$1.00

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28 – SHORT FAMILY HIKE (4 MILES): This will be a pleasant hike at Richard Nixon County Park. There are some hills to climb but nothing that a young child cannot handle. Minor children must be accompanied by an adult.

Meeting Location: Nixon Park Nature Center, 5922 Nixon Dr, York, PA 17403

Hike Leader: Allen Britton, 717-741-0624 or loralhiker@verizon.net

Departure Time: 1:30 PM

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Welcome New Member: Vincent Tempera, 443-562-7990, vtempera@comcast.net

SAVE THE DATE - ANNUAL THANKSGIVING DINNER: Falling leaves, pumpkins, cool evenings and soon the annual Thanksgiving turkey dinner. The date this year will be **Sunday November 18th**. Be sure to mark your calendars and think about what you would like to bring. We need lots of food, turkeys, potatoes, stuffing, vegetables, rolls, and butter; and while we do love the desserts, we only need a limited number of them. So please call early and let us know what you will bring. We also need volunteers to help with set up, clean up, and serving the food. Call me at **717 764-6822** or e-mail me at pamorley@comcast.net.

Hike Leaders are still needed for November. We are looking for hike leaders for November 4th, 11th and 25th. Take your pick whether you want to do a short, medium or long hike. Also feel free to lead a hike on a Saturday rather than a Sunday. The bugs will be gone and the weather should still be nice, so get out and enjoy it before the snows come. Call Tom or Phyllis Morley at 717 764-6822 or e-mail us at pamorley@comcast.net. We will be happy to hear from you!!!

Thursday Weekly Trail Maintenance: Contact Jim Hooper at j.e.hooper@ieee.org to get on the email list of announcements for the weekly work hikes.

Card Committee: If you know of someone with a serious illness, having surgery, etc., please notify Linda Bean at walktodq@gmail.com or 717-764-1091 and she will send them a card from the club.

New Email Address: Contact Bernie Frick (bernardfrick@alum.lehigh.edu). This information is held by the club only. It will be used to send club information and for inclusion in our yearly logbook. Thank you for your cooperation.

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