# 2023 Ottawa County Outdoor Hiking



September I - November 30



## The Challenge

Complete 8 out of 12 Ottawa County hiking destinations to earn an Outdoor Hiking Challenge Winter Hat perfect for those cold days to come.

## The Details

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Record your hikes on the log sheet. Completed sheets must be received by December 8, 2023, to earn your Winter Hat. One entry per person. Hats will be distributed after December 8th. Submit your log sheet by:

- texting a photo to(419) 707-4051 OR
- emailing a photo to shill@ottawacountyparksoh.org OR
- returning completed log sheet to the Park District of Ottawa County Office located at 3979 E Knoll Crest Drive, Port Clinton.

## The Destinations (Self-Guided):



- I. East Harbor State Park ODNR
- 2. Marblehead Lighthouse ODNR
- 3. Meadowbrook Marsh Danbury Township
- 4. Cedar Meadow Preserve Catawba Township
- 5. Nehls Memorial Nature Preserve Black Swamp Conservancy/USFWS
- 6. North Coast Inland Trail Park District, Elmore, Genoa
- 7. Veterans Park Oak Harbor
- 8. Ottawa National Wildlife Refuge Main Unit USFWS
- 9. Ottawa National Wildlife Refuge Marinewood Unit USFWS
- 10. Magee Marsh Wildlife Area Boardwalk ODNR (closed Nov 17th-Dec 3rd)
- II. Massie Cliffside Preserve Put-in-Bay Township Park District
- 12. Port Clinton Waterfront Trail Port Clinton

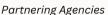
Please check rules and regulations at each destination regarding opening/closing times, pets, and trail adherence.

Take the Challenge up a notch and join Guided Walks throughout the fall season! Each Guided Walk may also be logged on hike sheet (see schedule on log sheet).

#### **Questions?**

Learn more at ottawacountyparksoh.org, contact the Park District of Ottawa County Office at (419) 707-4051 or email Administrative Specialist Sara Hill at shill@ottawacountyparksoh.org. Like the Park District of Ottawa County on Facebook for further Challenge updates & news. #outdoorhikingchallenge































#### **HIKING LOG SHEET**

#### NAME OF LOCATION AND DATE

I	7
2	8
3	9
4	10
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6	12
SIGNATURE:	
DATE: PARTICIPANT INFORMATION	
Name:	
Phone:	
Email:	
GUID	ED WALKS

Pre-registration is not required, all are welcome to attend. Each Guided Walk may also be recorded on Hiking Log Sheet!



Sunday, September 10 1 - 2 p.m. Ottawa National Wildlife Refuge Fox Unit

Saturday, September 16 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Lakeside Daisy State Nature Preserve, Marblehead

Sunday, September 17 1 - 2 p.m. Ottawa National Wildlife Refuge Main Unit Wednesday, September 27 9 - 10 a.m. Toussaint Wildlife Area, Carroll Township

Wednesday, October 4 10 - 11 a.m. Great Egret Marsh Nature Preserve, Marblehead

Wednesday, November 8 9 - 10 a.m. Depot Park, Elmore, on the North Coast Inland Trail



