

The ADK is a non-profit organization dedicated to **protecting New York State wild lands and waters**

Adirondack Mountain Club



- **Founded in 1922**
- **Main Club Office:** 814 Goggins Road, Lake George.
- **30,000 members, 24 Chapters**

ADK Mission: Protect all Wild Lands in NYS

- **Manage Stewardship Programs:** provide hiker safety information and protect fragile alpine ecosystems
- **Advocate** - forest land preservation and environmental funding.



Summit Stewards" on high-use mountain summits encourage walking on durable surfaces

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ADK Mission:

- **Provide Leadership in Sustainable Trail Design, and Trail Maintenance**
 - Funding for the Pro-Crew of 6-8 people, organizes Volunteer trail work events
 - Built and maintains the 138-mile Northville-Placid Trail.



Pro-Crew in action



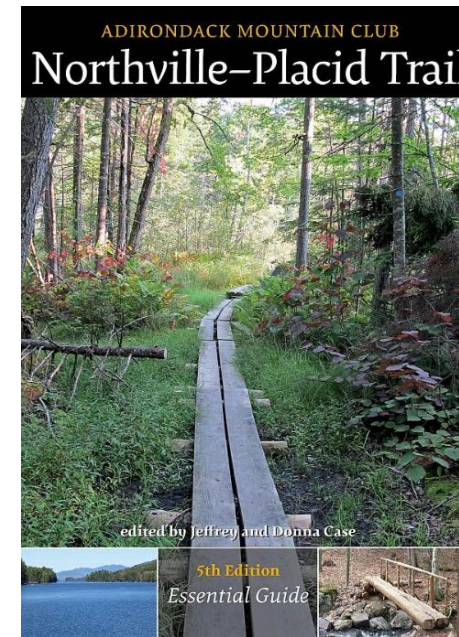
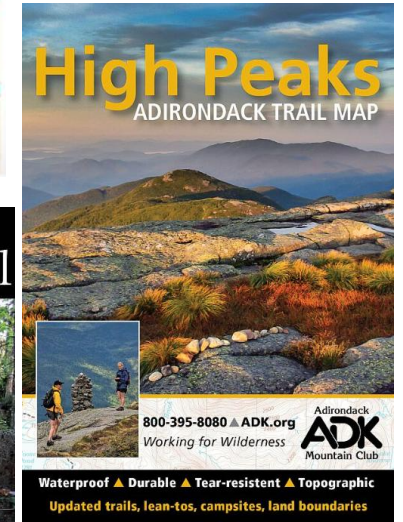
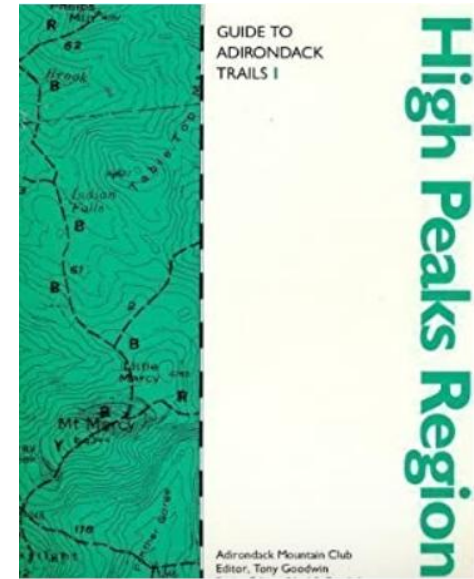
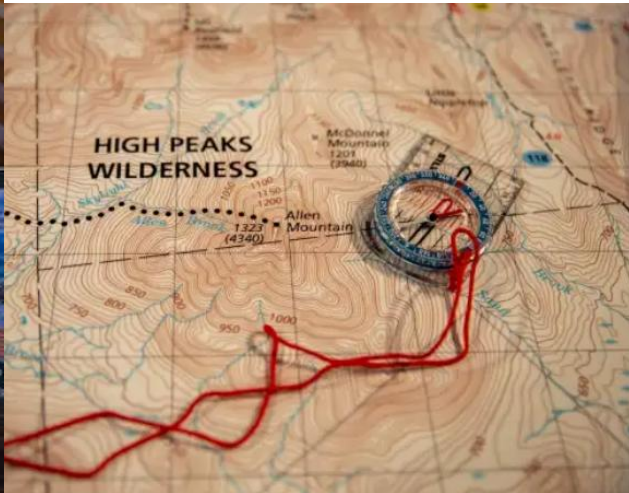
New sustainable trail to Mt Jo

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ADK Mission:

Publications - Provide guidebooks and maps for the Adirondacks and Catskills to help people safely and responsibly enjoy the outdoors.

Educational Programs, Workshops, Skills-based courses offered: Leave No Trace Principles, map & compass basics, wilderness first aid, beginner backpacking, guided high peak hikes.



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ADK Mission:

- **Lodging and Visitor Services** - Provide outdoor recreational activities, camping, and information for the High Peaks region.
- **Adirondack Loj and Wilderness Campground**
 - High Peaks Information/Education Center
 - Hungry Hiker Food Service





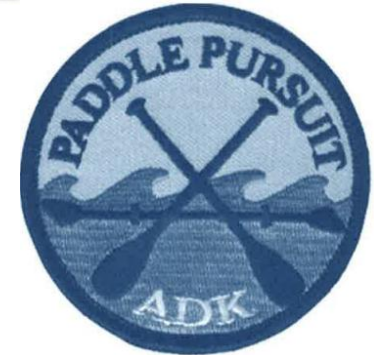
John's Brook Lodge

- 3.5 mile hike from Keene Valley
- Bunkrooms, Summer Food Service
- Access to many High Peaks



ADK Activities

- **Adirondack & Catskill Fire Tower Challenge**
 - 18 Adirondack mountains, 5 Catskill mountains
- **Adirondack Paddle Pursuit Challenge**
 - 48 waterways: choice of large lakes, small lakes and ponds, rivers and streams
- **Annual ADK Cycle Outing**
 - Bicycle touring week, various daily rides in the northern Adirondacks
- **Annual Paddle Outing based at Paul Smiths College**
 - Paddle a variety of local waterways



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Membership benefits

- **Adirondac Magazine and Newsletter**– club news, conservation updates, outdoor recreation insights.
- **Exclusive Discounts**
 - 50% off hiker parking at ADK Loj/Heart Lake Program Center
 - 20% off ADK guidebooks, maps, calendars, and publications
 - 10% off outdoor education programs, ADK logo merchandise, and lodging at ADK properties.
- **Education Programs** – Access to 200+ programs & workshops
- **Enrollment in a local Chapter** - Join outings and chapter-led events in any of the 24 chapters.

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Binghamton Chapter Events

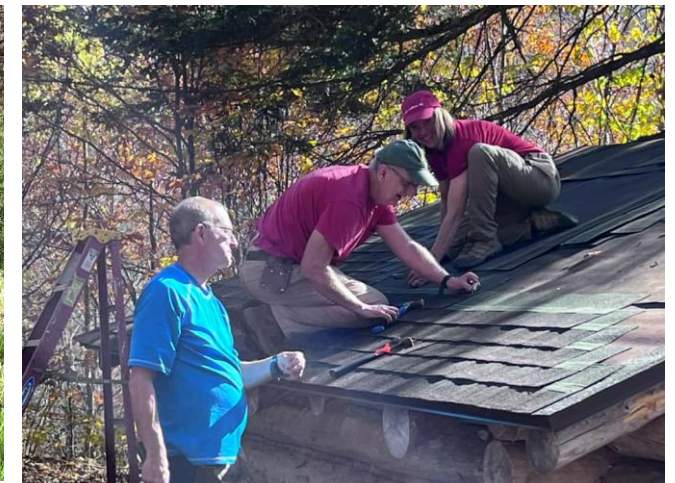
- **Conservation Projects**

- Rock Rift Fire Tower/Finger Lakes Trail work
- Local Trail Maintenance at County Parks, State Forests

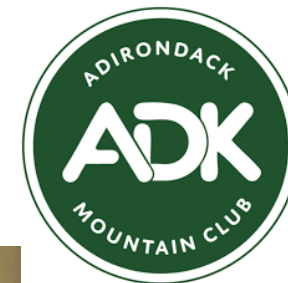
- **Broome County Riverbank Clean Up – Otsiningo Park**

- **LeanTos Adopted**

- Tirrell Pond – Adirondacks
- Long Pond – Catskills
- Work includes trash removal, fire pit ash clean up, moving privies, assisting with roof replacement



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Binghamton Chapter Events

- ADK Loj & John's Brook Lodge Camping
- Speakers – Naturalists, ADK 46ers, Fire towers, Authors
- Hikes, Paddles, Social Gatherings
- Upcoming Events: Tony Goodwin, National Trails Day



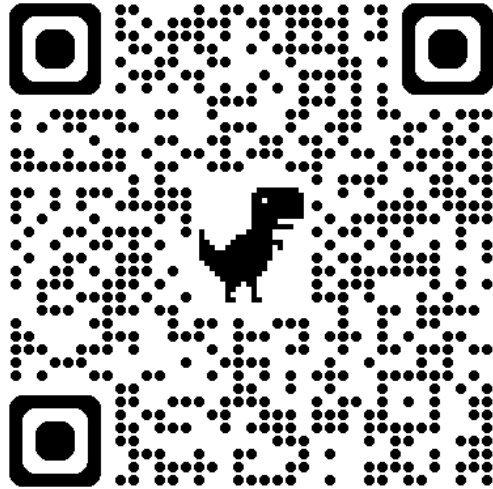
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