

So Many Ways to Have Fun

Explore, play, relax... just be.
Free and open to all



Discover 60 miles of trails and over 12,000 acres of BNRC reserves

Swim, paddle, and fish



Find adventures at every time of year

Experience the beauty and magic of wildlife, flowers, birds

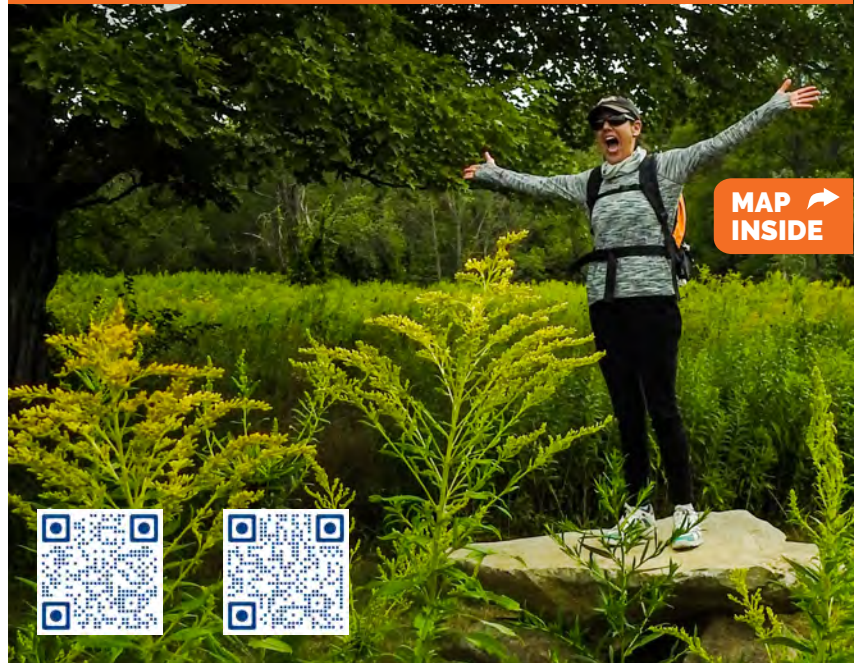


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GO WILD!

Explore nature in the Berkshires



MAP INSIDE

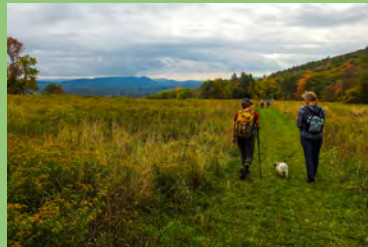


Download the free BNRC Trails App at bnrc.org/app.

BNRC is donor funded. Join the team at bnrc.org/donate.



Berkshire Natural Resources Council



BNRC and the Berkshires

For nearly 60 years, Berkshire Natural Resources Council (BNRC) has been conserving land, protecting wildlife, supporting local farmers, building climate resilience, and providing free access to the Berkshire outdoors for everybody.

BNRC is a community effort of people like you.

Some **volunteer** for trail upkeep and other land stewardship tasks. Some work with BNRC staff to **conserve land** and ensure that the natural beauty and ecological integrity of the Berkshires is protected forever. Some **donate** financially to BNRC to make all the above possible.

To learn more about how you can get involved, please use the information on the back of this brochure to **get in touch**.



THE HIGH ROAD

A Vision for a Walkable Berkshires

THE HIGH ROAD is a long-term initiative of BNRC, made possible by generous donors and land partners. Primarily a recreational route for hikers, The High Road complements many types of outdoor recreation while supporting local businesses that serve visitors and residents. By linking town to town and town to trail, The High Road significantly broadens outdoor accessibility for all Berkshire communities.

For current route information visit bnrc.org/thehighroad.



High Road Hiking Route



Suggested On-Road Connection

TOP BNRC TRAILS

BNRC Trails are waiting for you! For detailed descriptions and downloadable maps of all BNRC reserves across Berkshire County, please check out bnrc.org.

Download the free **BNRC Berkshire Trails app**, featuring real-time navigation along BNRC trails. The app includes info about other land to explore in the Berkshires, too. Available in mobile app stores.

LEGEND

Explore all BNRC trails on foot. Hunting in season is allowed on most BNRC reserves. Other activities are...

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| | Picnicking | | Accessible trail |
| | Canoeing | | Horseback riding |
| | Fishing | | Snowshoeing |
| | Bicycling | | Cross-country skiing |
| | High Road | E | Easy |
| | Other BNRC Reserves | M | Moderate |
| | | D | Difficult |
| | | A | Accessible |

Parking lot full!
Use the BNRC Berkshire Trails App to find a nearby alternative.



1 Hoosac Range

North Adams | Florida
Two ridgeline walks offer views, geology, beaver ponds
1.6 – 6 miles **E + D**



2 Constitution Hill

Lanesborough
Two historic hikes around spiny ridgeline quartz outcrops
1 – 1.7 miles **E + M**



3 The Boulders

Dalton | Lanesborough | Pittsfield
Four trails close to town for multiple activities
0.5 – 7 miles **E + M**



4 Old Mill Trail

Dalton | Hinsdale
Easy crushed stone-surfaced trail on East Branch of Housatonic River
1.4 – 3 miles **E + M**



7 Parsons Marsh

Lenox
Diverse forest and marsh habitats on 1,800-foot accessible trail
0.6 mile **A**



8 Olivia's Overlook

Lenox | Richmond | Stockbridge
Four-way trailhead, photo-op site and picnic spot, connects to High Road
0.5 – 6 miles **M + D**



11 Alford Springs

Alford
Three hilly and ridgeline trails with backcountry skiing
2 – 8 miles **M + D**



12 Housatonic Flats

Great Barrington
Easy walk through floodplain forest with river views
1 mile **E**



15 Mt. Hunger NEW!

Monterey
Short walk through the forest with two great views from Konkapot Ridge.
1.4 miles **M**



16 Bob's Way

Monterey | Sandisfield
Pleasant series of loops highlighted by beaver pond
1.75 – 2.5 miles **M**



5 Mahanna Cobble

Pittsfield
Superb views and summit rest spot, northern trailhead for High Road
3.2 – 10+ miles **D**



9 Stevens Glen

Richmond | West Stockbridge
Unique path to cantilevered platform above waterfall
1.5 miles **M**



6 Hollow Fields

Richmond
Sunny meadow path and dense forest with memorable views
3+ miles **M**



10 Basin Pond

Lee
Pathway through dramatic boulder fields to beautiful dam site
2 – 2.5 miles **M**



13 Thos. & Palmer Brook

Great Barrington
Accessible trail through meadow and woodland trail with great views
0.5 – 2.3 miles **A + M**



14 Steadman Pond

Monterey | Tyringham
Short walk to tranquil pond by majestic forest
0.25 mile **E**



17 Steepletop

New Marlborough | Sandisfield
Pair of lovely walks in quiet woods by wetlands
2 – 4.5 miles **E**



18 Clam River

Sandisfield
Three river walks—the most beautiful in the Berkshires
1.5 – 6 miles **E + M**

