



Fall Guided Hikes & Walks 2023



Halifax

Hike Nova Scotia thanks its community partners for organizing these events, as well as [Goose Lane Editions](#) and the [NS Department of Communities, Culture, Tourism and Heritage](#) for their support. All participants have the opportunity to win a 'trail' prize. Some events require pre-registration and most are free or low-cost. See the details below for each hike. When hiking, walking or snowshoeing, always be prepared for the conditions. [Learn how here.](#)

Trail/Hike name	Date & Time	How to Register	Cost / Person	Km Return	Trail difficulty	Directions / Hike Details	Organization / Contact
Charlies Lake Bedford	September 16 10:00 AM Cancelled	https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc0zDby1hy-yz6o-2dYMJ52Fiy-XJqu15tReawqbPbedw-lxw/viewform?usp=sf_link	Free	3	Moderate	Starting from the cul de sac at the end of Colins Road, which is at the end of Belle Street, which is off of Larry Uteck Boulevard. https://www.google.ca/maps/@44.6952409,-63.7054505,19.69z	Friends of Blue Mountain-Birch Cove Lakes hiking@bluemountainfriends.ca https://drive.google.com/file/d/1g3zfR4cT1YXZkrSlueO669y71m1NVO6R/view?usp=sharing
Sunday In The Heritage Park Cole Harbour	September 17 10:00 AM	weebitwit@gmail.com	Free, donations welcome	4.5	Moderate	256 Bissett Rd, Cole Harbour - Turn off the #207 Cole Harbour Rd on to Bissett pull into the parking lot where the Red Program And Maintenance Buildings are on your left. This is the Heritage Park -there are many looping trails to enjoy, as well as some history and natural protected areas in the park.	Cole Harbour Parks & Trails Association www.Chpta.Org
Susies Lake Flagpole Hill Halifax	September 24 10:00 AM	https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfgRVzgG_7FwZLnmpLFX6_og4cATovOaGLVX-Fp6b6jGugzQ/viewform?usp=sf_link	Free	3	Moderate	Starting from the gravel parking lot of Kent Building Supplies, Chain Lake Drive, Halifax https://goo.gl/maps/af3daQoTHzvGmCvE8	Friends of Blue Mountain-Birch Cove Lakes hiking@bluemountainfriends.ca https://drive.google.com/file/d/18Jx0S_vTBISx0iITeSCPCdu-DMAMv6Xl/view?usp=sharing

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Blue Mountain Summit Hammonds Plains	October 15 10:00 AM	https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdyNrYsLHgxvplulq8Pf5JVPqbwiWSdZcC32rZl9gQUvtSSow/viewform?usp=sf_link	Free	3	Moderate	Starting from the end of Lakeshore Drive in the Kingswood subdivision. https://goo.gl/maps/JJYVh5gJpnN7V4bp7	Friends of Blue Mountain-Birch Cove Lakes hiking@bluemountainfriends.ca https://drive.google.com/file/d/1R7Kz6szg_W5IHk_1hNbSYqZ9VJBlvH1V/view?usp=sharing
Salt Marsh Trail Cole Harbour	October 15 10:00 AM	weebitwit@gmail.com	Free, donations welcome	6.5	Easy	806 Bissett Rd Cole Harbour - Turn off the #207 Hwy Cole Harbour Rd onto Bissett Rd. Smt trailhead is at the intersection between The Shearwater Flyer Trail And The Salt Marsh Trail. You will be crossing the Cole Harbour - Salt Marsh via a causeway - Please be prepared for cold winds	Cole Harbour Parks & Trails Association www.Chpta.Org
McNabs Island Fall Foliage Tours McNabs Island, Halifax	October 15 9:30 AM	Tickets available via Eventbrite September 1st. Details and link to tickets on website mcnabsisland.ca/events . Tickets to cover transportation \$40 adults; \$30 members of Friends of McNabs Island; \$20 children & youth under 16; babies and toddlers free	Tickets for boat \$20 to \$40	7	Moderate	Transportation to McNabs Island from Ambassatours Cable Wharf 1751 Lower Water Street on the Halifax Waterfront. Departure is at 9:30 and return at 4:00. Details on website: https://mcnabsisland.ca/events . McNabs Island Fall Foliage Tours include Heritage, Nature, Adventure, English Gardens and a Hangman's Beach guided tours. Animators in military costumes will be stationed at Fort McNab National Historic Site. Bring lunch and drinking water. Rain date is October 22.	Friends of McNabs Island Society mcnabsisland.ca/events
Ash Lake Halifax	October 21 9:00 AM Cancelled	https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe5k-mEPWpMGGav0b3tFwG-DW6nER2ENXv5dNh-GsrMle92qg/viewform?usp=sf_link	Free	7	Challenging	Starting from the cul de sac at the end of Colins Road, which is at the end of Belle Street, which is off of Larry Uteck Boulevard. https://www.google.ca/maps/@44.6952409,-63.7054505,19.69z	Friends of Blue Mountain-Birch Cove Lakes hiking@bluemountainfriends.ca https://drive.google.com/file/d/1OSK8bAhTxdsvpFI2QmZWjzKRWlv2XMn/view?usp=sharing
Susies Lake West Halifax	October 29 9:00 AM	https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeqiffmT9EdxCsQNN0tG2UN-uRI4ve7G4HlVwQZqMvtO7bMkg/viewform?usp=sf_link	Free	9	Challenging	Starting from the gravel parking lot of Kent Building Supplies, Chain Lake Drive, Halifax https://goo.gl/maps/qf3daQoTHzvGmCvE8	Friends of Blue Mountain-Birch Cove Lakes hiking@bluemountainfriends.ca https://drive.google.com/file/d/19uPV4XVJHUaRyb5tbSgCdyNMauIVFbT/view?usp=sharing

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Bissett Trail Etc Cole Harbour	November 19 10:00 AM Cancelled	weebitwit@gmail.com	Free, donations welcome	6	Easy	256 Bissett Rd Cole Harbour - Turn off the #207 Hwy Cole Harbour Rd onto Bissett Rd and turn left into parking lot at 256 Bissett - Red Program And Maintenance Buildings. We will be exploring the Bissett Trail opposite the park and climb the hill where the new recreational park will be.	Cole Harbour Parks & Trails Association www.Chpta.Org