

Winter Guided Hikes & Walks 2024









Hike Nova Scotia thanks its community partners for organizing these events, as well as Goose Lane Editions, Mountain Equipment Company and the NS Department of Communities, Culture, Tourism and Heritage for their support. The series is linked to the Take the Roof Off Winter initiative. Participants could 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	Do I bring snowshoes?	Km Return	Trail difficulty	Directions / Hike Details	Organization / Contact
Snowshoe Jaunt Ski Ben Eoin/Ben Eoin	January 24 6:00 PM Cancelled Snowshoe event (cancelled if no snow	902-828-2804 or tickets@skibeneoin.com	Trail pass is \$15, snowshoe rentals \$15, combo (pass & rental) \$25	Snowshoe rentals available for \$15	6	Easy	Meet by the chairlift at the bottom of the hill at Ski Ben Eoin in Ben Eoin. Please bring a headlamp.	Ski Ben Eoin www.skibeneoin.com
Summit Recreation Park Trail New Waterford	February 10 10:30 AM Postponed to Feb. 17 Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)	mtobin@acapcb.ns.ca (include name, phone number/email, if anyone else will join you)	Free	No, snowshoes will be provided for all	8	Easy	Meet at the Summit Recreation Park entrance on Daley Road in New Waterford. February 11 is the back-up date in case of inclement weather.	ACAP Cape Breton- Atlantic Coastal Action Program Cape Breton www.facebook.com/ACAPCapeBret on
Coxheath Hills Trail Snowshoe or Hike Blackett's Lake / Coxheath, Sydney, CBRM	February 17 10:00 AM Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)	To borrow snowshoes & poles (limited), register at coxheathhills@gmail.com	Free, donations welcome	Yes, but snowshoes and poles available on request (contact in advance)	6	Moderate	Meet/park at the Secondary Entrance at 1298 Coxheath Rd. The group will follow the gravel road up the hillside, take the Patterson Trail through mixed Acadian forest, up to the Cabin/toilets and on to the look-off on the Main Trail for a panoramic view over Blackett's Lake and beyond. Return via same route. Eager participants may wish to add the Northern Loop (2.7 km) to their itinerary (this will not be an "official" part of the sponsored hike event).	Coxheath Hills Wilderness Recreation Association - CHWRA www.facebook.com/Coxheathhills
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Snowshoe Jaunt Ski Ben Eoin	March 8 6:00 PM Snowshoe event (cancelled if no snow)	902-828-2804 or tickets@skibeneoin.com	Trail pass is \$15, snowshoe rentals \$15, combo (pass & rental) \$25	Snowshoe rentals available for \$15	6	Easy	Meet by the chairlift at the bottom of the hill at Ski Ben Eoin in Ben Eoin. Please bring a headlamp.	Ski Ben Eoin www.skibeneoin.com
St. Peter's Coastal Trail St. Peter's	March 24 10:00 AM Walk event	No need to register	Free	No, this is a walk only event	6	Easy	Meet at the Bonnie Brae Seniors Club, 12 Toulouse St., St. Peter's. We'll walk on an ocean beach, a tidal cove and a river bank.	St. Peter's Community Club www.facebook.com/StPetersTrails

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