



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
Musquodoboit Trailway Musquodoboit Harbour	February 2 10:00 AM <i>Walk event</i>	recreation.halifax.ca/entertainment/program/79839	Free	No, this is a walk only event	5	Moderate	Meet at 104 Park Rd. If registered, participants will receive an email the week before with all the information needed to attend the event.	Adventure Earth Centre www.halifax.ca/parks-recreation
Fitzpatrick Mountain Fitzpatrick Mountain - Smith Rock Chalets	February 3 10:00 AM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i> Cancelled	c2chikers@gmail.com	Free	Yes	5	Moderate	Meet at the parking lot at Smith Rock Chalets off Fitzpatrick Mountain Road by the trail entrance. The event will go from the chalets toward Millsville, looping around the backside of the mountain. The hike may be adjusted based on weather.	Cape to Cape Trails Committee, Pictou County Trails Association www.facebook.com/PictouCountyTrails capetocapetrail.ca
Deanery Nature Trail Lower Ship Harbour, Eastern Shore	February 4 10:00 AM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	thedeaneryproject@gmail.com	Free, donations welcome (\$5 suggested)	Yes, but a limited number of snowshoes available on request (contact in advance)	4	Easy	Meet by the Main Hall the Deanery Project (751 W Ship Harbour Rd, Lake Charlotte). See https://thedeaneryproject.com/directions/ . Lunch available for purchase on site. Open House at Deanery to follow 1:00-3:00.	The Deanery Project thedeaneryproject.com
Fox Lake Lookoff Halifax Regional Municipality	February 8 9:00 AM <i>Walk event</i> Cancelled	https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd0S0jYTmBsX8QMLuUBwvy2PufL_SXLqc8BsgE2w8liPi3QsQ1w/viewform?usp=sf_link	Free	No, this is a walk only event	3	Moderate	Meet at 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).	Friends of Blue Mountain-Birch Cove Lakes Bluemountainfriends.ca hiking@bluemountainfriends.ca

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Sackville Lakes Provincial Park Lower Sackville	February 9 10:00 AM <i>Walk event</i>	https://recreation.halifax.ca/enterprise/program/79837	Free	No, this is a walk only event	5	Moderate	Meet in the Sackville Lake Trails Parking Lot, 440 First Lake Drive. If registered, participants will receive an email the week before with all the information needed to attend the event.	Adventure Earth Centre www.halifax.ca/parks-recreation
Hebb's Lake Hebville	February 10 9:30 AM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	luncountyhikers@gmail.com	Free	Yes	7	Easy	Meet at 205 Century Drive, Hebbville Fire Department.	Lunenburg Co. Hikers www.facebook.com/groups/1273215446168081
Upper Clements Trail Upper Clements, Annapolis Co., NS	February 10 10:00 AM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	No need to register	Free	Yes. Snowshoes available from Digby Area Recreation https://digbyarearecreation.ca/equipment-loan-program-2/	5	Moderate	Meet at the Upper Clements Trail, 2958 Hwy 1, Upper Clements. This is a nice meander on a beautiful new trail system.	Fundy Erratics Hiking Group www.facebook.com/groups/fundyerratics
Summit Loop Antigonish	February 10 10:30 AM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	No need to register	Free, donations welcome	Bring own if possible. Some available first come first serve at \$4 per rental.	5	Moderate	Meet at Keppoch Mtn., 193 Keppoch Rd., Antigonish.	Positive Action For The Keppoch www.thekeppoch.ca
Summit Recreation Park Trail New Waterford	February 10 10:30 AM Postponed to Feb. 17 <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	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/ACAPCapeBreton
Upper Clements Trails Upper Clements	February 10 1:00 PM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	No need to register	Free	Yes, but snowshoes available on request (contact in advance)	3	Moderate	Traveling from Annapolis Royal, the Upper Clements parking lot will be on the left. Coming from Digby, the parking lot will be on your right. Once in the parking lot, head through the fenced-in area, and meet at the kiosk at the trailhead.	Annapolis County annapoliscounty.ca

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Mainland North Trail, Farnham Gate to Kearney Lake Road and return Clayton Park	February 11 2:00 PM <i>Walk event</i>	No need to register	Free	Yes	3	Easy	Meet at 251 Farnham Gate Road, Clayton Park, Halifax. HNWTA Nine Trail Challenge: Trail #3B.	Halifax North West Trails Association www.halifaxnorthwesttrails.ca
Coxheath Hills Trail Snowshoe or Hike Blackett's Lake / Coxheath, Sydney, CBRM	February 17 10:00 AM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	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
Summit Recreation Park Trail New Waterford	February 17 10:30 AM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	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/ACAPCapeBreton
Fitzpatrick Mountain Scotsburn	February 17 11:00 AM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	melindadasme@gmail.com	Free	No, snowshoes will be provided for all	6	Moderate	Meet at trailhead next to Scotsburn Elementary School for an up and down loop to the Chalets. Pictou Landing First Nation School Hike Club students will lead this hike.	Cape to Cape Trails Committee, Pictou County Trails Association www.facebook.com/PictouCountyTrails capetocapetrail.ca
Peace Trail Estuary House 2169 Crowley Rd Pugwash	February 17 1:00 PM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	902-243-2985 or witney.sarah@gmail.com	Free	Yes	5	Moderate	Meet at Estuary House in Pugwash, which has parking and facilities. We'll explore the woodlands along the Pugwash River.	Friends of the Pugwash Estuary www.pugwashestuary.com
Greenwood Golf Course Greenwood	February 17 1:00 PM Cancelled <i>Snowshoe event (cancelled if no snow)</i>	https://forms.office.com/r/YOBXNfGWwU	Free	Yes, but snowshoes available on request (contact in advance)	3	Easy	Meet to the right of the building when you arrive at the Greenwood Golf Course parking lot.	Village of Kingston www.kingstonnovascotia.ca
Causeway Trail Causeway Trail/Riverview Trail - Meet at Falmouth Mini Park: 2127 Highway 1, Falmouth	February 18 10:00 AM <i>Walk event</i>	No need to register	Free	No, this is a walk only event	2	Moderate	Meet at the Causeway Trail/Riverview Trail in the Falmouth Mini Park, 2127 Highway #1, Falmouth.	West Hants Regional Municipality www.westhants.ca/rec

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Frost Fest Snowshoe Pictou Fitness Trails	February 18 1:00 PM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	sally.oneill@townofpictou.ca or 902-485-4372	Free	No, snowshoes will be provided for all	3	Moderate	Meet at the McCulloch Education Centre parking lot, 350 Wellington St, Pictou. This is a pretty woodland excursion, easy pace, all ages welcome.	Town of Pictou www.townofpictou.ca
Five Islands Provincial Park Estuary Trail 618 Bentley Branch Rd, Five Islands, NS B0M 1K0	February 18 1:15 PM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	annahergert@me.com	Free	Yes	3.5	Moderate	Meet at the parking lot adjacent to the park gate at Five Islands Provincial Park. We'll finish trail loop between 3:30 and 4 pm. This is a joint event in conjunction with the Parrsboro Shore Winter Carnival 2024.	Tide Rollers & Mudlarkers and Cliffs of Fundy Geopark fundycontemplations.ca/cliffs-of-fundy-geopark-joint-events
Snowshoe Jaunt Ski Ben Eoin	February 21 6:00 PM <i>Snowshoe event (cancelled if no snow)</i>	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
Indian Path Common Bayport (Lunenburg)	February 23 9:30 AM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	luncountyhikers@gmail.com	Free	Yes	6	Moderate	Meet at 395 Fish Peddler Road, Bayport. There are 3 trails looping a main trail. Lots of options.	Lunenburg Co. Hikers www.facebook.com/groups/1273215446168081
Summit Loop Antigonish	February 23 6:30 PM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	No need to register	Free, donations welcome	Bring own if possible. Some available first come first serve at \$4 per rental.	5	Moderate	Meet at Keppoch Mtn., 193 Keppoch Rd., Antigonish.	Positive Action For The Keppoch www.thekeppoch.ca
Smelt Brook Trail Trenton	February 24 10:00 AmM <i>Snowshoe event (cancelled if no snow)</i>	jdvancee9@gmail.com	Free	Yes	8	Moderate	Meet on Main Street (Hwy 348) in Trenton, opposite Tim Horton's. This is an out and back trail, you may opt for a shorter distance.	Pictou County Trails Association www.facebook.com/PictouCountyTrails
Winter Jamboree Dog Walk Event Westville	February 24 12:00 PM <i>Walk event</i> POSTPONED TILL MAR. 9	No need to register	Free	No, this is a walk only event	2	Easy	Meet at the Acadia Park entrance on Drummond Rd. See highlandconnect.cioc.ca/record/WES0001 . This is an Ugly Sweater Winter Walk featuring Hoomans and Doggos in Sweaters! Dress in your holiday duds and come strut your ugly stuff with your pooch! The walk will be from 12:00-12:30pm. Dogs must be on leash at all times. Hoomans are required to pick up after their doggos.	Westville Recreation westville.ca/Departments/Recreation

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Mills Falls & Beach Grove Trails Kejimkujik National Park, Maitlant Bridge	February 24 1:00 PM <i>Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)</i>	No need to register	Free	Yes, but snowshoes available on request (contact in advance)	3	Moderate	Enter Kejimkujik Park and head down the main road, passing the Visitor Information Centre on the right. Continuing down the road take the next right to Mills Falls. Once in the parking lot, head towards washroom/change building. Meet in front of this building.	Annapolis County annapoliscounty.ca