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Trail/Hike name	Date & Time	How to Register	Cost / Person	Do I bring snowshoes?	Km Return	Trail difficulty	Directions / Hike Details	Organization / Contact
Corney Brook <i>Cheticamp</i>	January 18 10:00 AM Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)	No need to register	Free	Bring your own or rent or borrow locally	6.5	Moderate	Park by the Corney Brook Campground, across the road from the trailhead, 10 km north of Cheticamp Visitor Centre. Celebrate the wonders of winter as you follow a meandering brook through a hardwood forest to a small waterfall. Length may be reduced to suit weather conditions. Call 902-224-2306 / interpcb@pc.gc.ca for more information.	Cape Breton Highlands National Park
Warren Lake <i>Ingonish</i>	January 25 10:00 AM Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)	No need to register	Free	Bring your own or rent or borrow locally	5	Moderate	Park and meet at the beginning of Warren Lake Rd, off the Cabot Trail, just north of Ingonish. Please note, this walk will not follow the 'Warren Lake Trail', but rather, will be a loop from the Cabot Trail (near Broad Cove campground) to the lake and back along the Warren Lake Road (a short walk along the Cabot Trail from parking to the trail starting point will be required). Call 902-224-2306 / interpcb@pc.gc.ca for more information.	Cape Breton Highlands National Park
Summit Recreation Park Trail <i>New Waterford</i>	January 28 12:00 PM Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)	mfortune@acapcb.ns.ca	Free	Please bring your own but will have some for those without their own	8	Easy	Meet at the Summit Recreation Park entrance on Daley Road in New Waterford.	ACAP Cape Breton

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Salt Mountain - Scout Trail <i>Whycocomagh</i>	January 28 12:00 PM Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)	No need to register	Free	Yes, bring your own	4	Moderate	Parking available at the Whycocomagh Provincial Park. Meet Wasuek at the playground next to the parking lot. Storytelling included.	We'koqma'q First Nation
Moonlight Snowshoe Jaunt <i>Ski Ben Eoin</i>	February 3 6:00 PM Snowshoe event Cancelled if no snow	Call the retail office at 902-828-2804	\$15 to \$23.00	No, snowshoes will be provided for all who register	3	Moderate	Meet the trail guide at the bottom of the mountain near the chair lift. A headlamp is a must. Cost is \$23.00 for chair lift ticket and snowshoe rental. Snowshoe rental only is \$15.00.	Ski Ben Eoin
Celtic Shores Coastal Trail <i>Creignish</i>	February 11 10:00 AM Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)	At the Creignish Recreation Centre (hall) on the morning of the event	Free	A limited number of snowshoes available - bring your own if you have them	4	Easy	Meet at the Creignish Recreation Centre, located north along Route 19 from the rotary in Port Hastings next to the Canso Causeway. A fun event for socializing and exercise along the beautiful Celtic Shores Trail.	Ceilidh Coastal Trail Association
Mica Hill <i>South Mountain, between Neils Harbour and South Harbour</i>	February 15 10:00 AM Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)	No need to register	Free	Bring your own or rent or borrow locally	8	Moderate	Park at the large parking area just off the Cabot Trail at the beginning of Paquette Lake Road. Celebrate the Whimsy of Winter Winds as you walk or snowshoe along the Paquette Lake Rd. and along the first half of the Mica Hill Trail (length and turning point may be reduced due to weather conditions). Call 902-224-2306 / interpcb@pc.gc.ca for more information.	Cape Breton Highlands National Park
Benjie's Lake <i>French Mountain, between Cheticamp and Pleasant Bay</i>	February 22 10:00 AM Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)	No need to register	Free	Bring your own or rent or borrow locally	3	Easy	Park at trailhead by the Cabot Trail on top of French Mountain, 21.5 km north of Cheticamp Visitor Centre; 15 km south of Pleasant Bay. Celebrate the Whimsy of Winter Winds on top of the plateau on a short trek through boreal forest to a small lake. Call 902-224-2306 / interpcb@pc.gc.ca for more information.	Cape Breton Highlands National Park
Winterlude Snowshoe Hike <i>Whycocomagh</i>	February 25 2:00 PM Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)	No need to register	Free	Yes, bring your own	2	Moderate	Meet at the Whycocomagh Waterfront Centre. We will have an easy hike on the Trans Canada Trail in Whycocomagh and a moderate hike up Salt Mountain, conditions dependent. Following the hikes we will have chili and music at the Waterfront Centre (there is admission for this portion).	Whycocomagh Waterfront Centre

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Moonlight Snowshoe Jaunt <i>Ski Ben Eoin</i>	March 4 6:00 PM Snowshoe event Cancelled if no snow	Call the retail office at 902-828-2804	\$15 to \$23.00	No, snowshoes will be provided for all who register	3	Moderate	Meet the trail guide at the bottom of the mountain near the chair lift. A headlamp is a must. Cost is \$23.00 for chair lift ticket and snowshoe rental. Snowshoe rental only is \$15.00.	Ski Ben Eoin
Freshwater Lake <i>Ingonish Beach</i>	March 8 7:00 PM Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)	No need to register	Free	Bring your own or rent or borrow locally	2	Easy	Park at the Ingonish Beach Day Use Area parking lot and meet by the tennis courts. Celebrate Women and Wellness on International Women's Day, under a full moon on this moonlit snowshoe / hike along the shoreline of Freshwater Lake. Call 902-224-2306 / interpcb@pc.gc.ca for more information.	Cape Breton Highlands National Park
MacIntosh Brook <i>Pleasant Bay (Grand Anse Valley)</i>	March 8 10:00 AM Snowshoe event (or hike / walk if no snow)	No need to register	Free	Bring your own or rent or borrow locally	2	Easy	Park at the MacIntosh Brook Campground, 3 km west of Pleasant Bay, and meet at the trailhead. Celebrate Women and Wellness on International Women's Day on this stroll along a babbling brook through mature hardwood forest to a small waterfall. Call 902-224-2306 / interpcb@pc.gc.ca for more information.	Cape Breton Highlands National Park