

CENTRAL OHIO HIKING CLUB



Charles Alley Memorial Park

Saturday – March 11, 2017 @ 1:00 P.M.

Car Pool Time: 11:45 AM

Miles: 4 Level: 3-4

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Car Pool Location (Donation to Driver \$5.00):

Winchester Square Shopping Center in parking lot near McDonalds. Drive east on US-33, exit onto Rt. 674 (Gender Rd). Turn right/south and turn right into shopping center. **We will leave promptly at 11:45 AM!**

Directions to Hike (Round Trip Distance 60 Miles):

Return to US-33 and drive through Lancaster. (Do **NOT** take the bypass.) At the first traffic light south of the city (L.S. Discount Center on your right), turn right then immediately turn left on Old Logan Road. The Park entrance is 1.5 miles from the light. There is a composting style toilet near start of hike. If you want something more sophisticated, stop along the drive to the Park.

Hike Description:

Trails in this park are hilly, with some **very steep**. We plan to hike around Twin Lakes, along the Meadow Trail, Oak Trail and Alley Trail, then loop along Buck Run and Vulture Roost. Eagles have not yet returned to their nest, but perhaps by hike day.

Suggested Items to Bring:

Water, Hiking boots and sticks (steep hills). Dress for the weather.

Dinner Location and Directions:

Bob Evans, 2157 Schorway Dr., Lancaster (740-654-3710) Exit the park onto Stump Hollow Rd SE, drive about .5 mile and turn left onto US 33A. Stay on this road for about 4 miles into Lancaster, where it becomes South Memorial Drive. Cross Fair Ave. Watch for Hampton Inn **on right** just before Bob Evans/Schorway Dr. **on right**.

For more Info: Leader: Heide Sloan Sweep: Gisela French @740-739-2411