

THE TEN MILE RIVER HISTORICAL TRAILS AWARD



THE TEN MILE RIVER SCOUT MUSEUM

TMR has 12,000 acres & 60 miles of named trails!

Black Ash Swamp Trail (Blue) – 0.8 mi.

Conklin Lookout Trail (Blue) – 2.0 mi.

Crystal Lake Trail (Blue) – 1.5 mi.

Davis Lake Hayden Loop Trail (Blue) – 2.8 mi.

Fox Lake Trail (Unmarked) – 2.2 mi.

Icy Pine Trail (Unmarked) – 3.2 mi.

Pisces Pond Trail (Unmarked) – 0.7 mi.

Ranachqua Lookout Trail (Unmarked) – 2.1 mi.

Rim Trail (Blue-Partial) – 5.7 mi.

Roosevelt Hill Trail (Unmarked) – 1.3 mi.

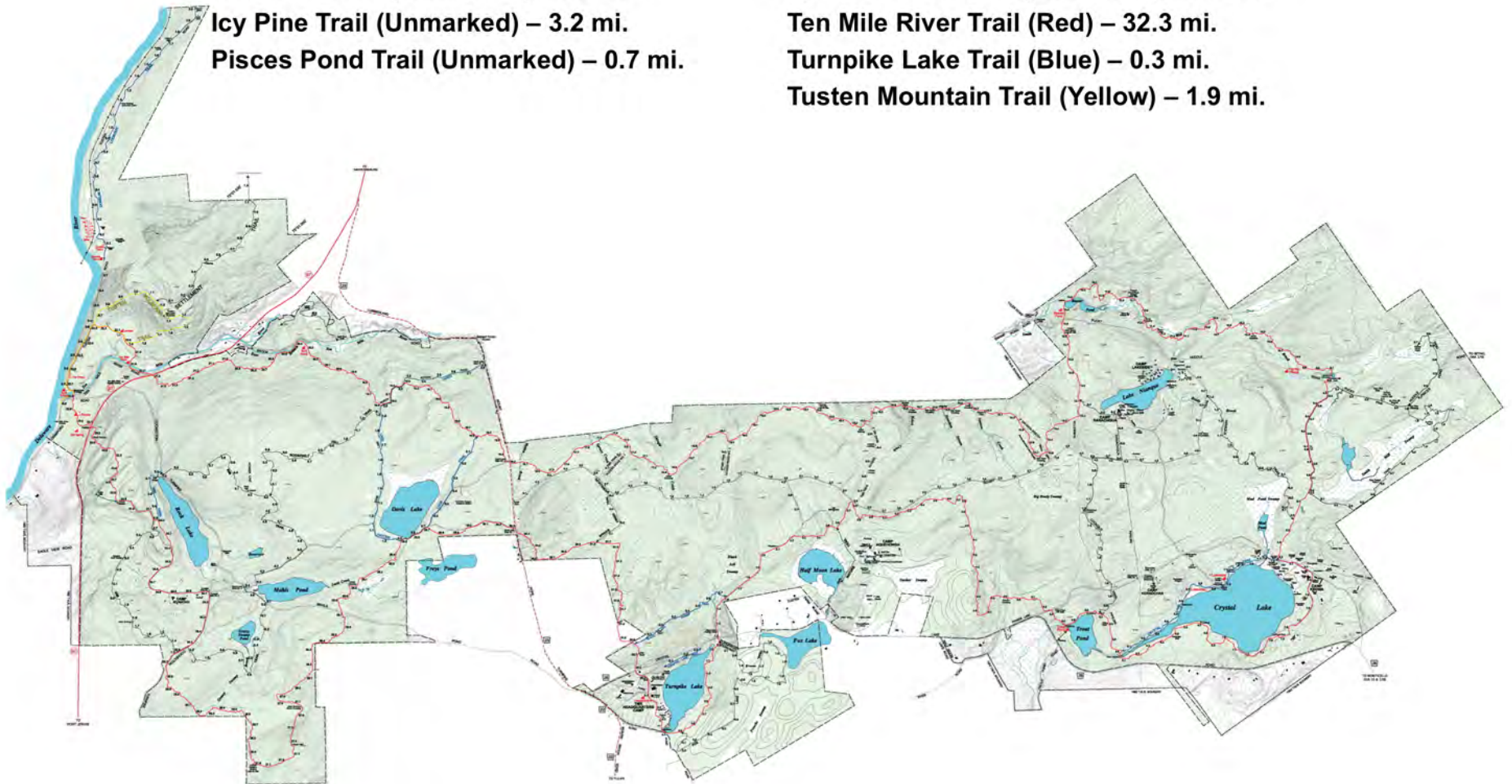
Settlement Trail (Unmarked) – 1.2 mi.

Spruce Creek Trail (Unmarked) – 0.4 mi.

Ten Mile River Trail (Red) – 32.3 mi.

Turnpike Lake Trail (Blue) – 0.3 mi.

Tusten Mountain Trail (Yellow) – 1.9 mi.



TMR has 17 Trailside Lean-to & Tent Sites!:



Lean-to Sites

Arch Bridge	Lenape
Beaver Pond	Old Spring
Conklin Farm	Ranger
Frontier Village	Split Rock
Headquarters	Ten Mile River
Lakeside	Trout Pond



Tent Sites

Conklin Farm
Lakeside
Ranger
River Sites
The Pines

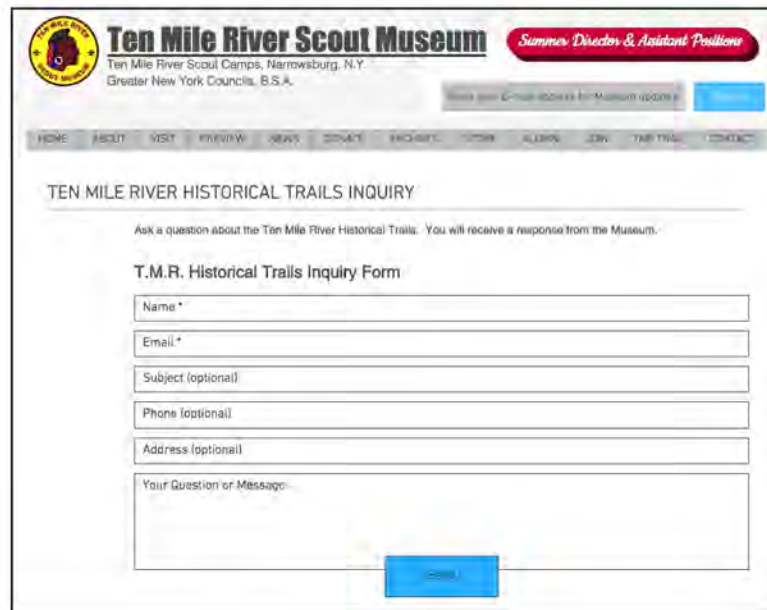


**The Ten Mile River Historical Trails is approved
by the National Council, Boy Scouts of America
and is managed by the
Ten Mile River Scout Museum.**

**All inquiries regarding the operation of the
The Ten Mile River Historical Trails
should be directed to the
Historical Trails Committee,
Ten Mile River Scout Museum.**

GET INFORMATION

- Registration info kits, including maps, are available from the www.tmrmmuseum.org and www.tenmileriver.org/hike websites. Paper copies can be requested through the www.tmrmmuseum.org website, or picked up at the Ten Mile River Scout Museum or the G.N.Y.C. office.
- Send inquiries to the Museum's website: www.tmrmmuseum.org



The screenshot shows the homepage of the Ten Mile River Scout Museum. The header includes the museum's logo, name, and location. A navigation menu is visible below the header. The main content area features a section titled "TEN MILE RIVER HISTORICAL TRAILS INQUIRY" with a brief description and a form titled "T.M.R. Historical Trails Inquiry Form". The form contains fields for Name, Email, Subject (optional), Phone (optional), Address (optional), and a large text area for the question or message. A "Send" button is located at the bottom of the form.

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TEN MILE RIVER HISTORICAL TRAILS INQUIRY

Ask a question about the Ten Mile River Historical Trails. You will receive a response from the Museum.

T.M.R. Historical Trails Inquiry Form

Name *

Email *

Subject (optional)

Phone (optional)

Address (optional)

Your Question or Message

Send

TRAIL AWARD REQUIREMENTS

To Earn the Basic Trail Medal

- Hike the TMR Trail system for at least ten miles.
- Visit the TMR Scout Museum.
- Take the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Quiz.
- Write an essay of at least 100 words about what you learned about history from this hiking experience.



To Earn the 14-miler Device

- **Camp in the vicinity of the TMR Trail in an established campsite at TMR for at least two days and one night.**
- **Hike 14 miles on the TMR Trail System during the two-day period, not exceeding ten miles per day.**
- **Visit the TMR Scout Museum.**
- **Take the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Quiz.**
- **Write an essay of at least 100 words about what you learned about history from this hiking experience.**



To Earn the 30-miler Device

- **Camp in the vicinity of the TMR Trail in an established campsite at TMR for at least three days and two nights.**
- **Hike the complete TMR Trail or any other series of trails within the TMR Reservation totaling 30 miles, not exceeding ten miles per day.**
- **Visit the TMR Scout Museum.**
- **Take the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Quiz.**
- **Write an essay of at least 100 words about what you learned about history from this hiking experience.**



OR

- **Camp in the vicinity of the TMR Trail for at least one day and one night.**
- **Hike 10 miles on the TMR Trail System.**
- **Camp in the vicinity of the Delaware River for at least two days and one night.**
- **Canoe 20 miles on the Delaware River during the two-day period.**
- **Visit the TMR Scout Museum.**
- **Take the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Quiz.**
- **Write an essay of at least 100 words about what you learned about history from this hiking experience.**



To earn the 50-miler Device

- Hike the complete TMR Trail and a Delaware River canoe trip.
- The total hike afoot/afloat must be 50 miles and must be taken within a continuous period of no more than seven days with foot trail hiking not to exceed ten miles per day.
- Visit the TMR Scout Museum.
- Take the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Quiz.
- Write an essay of at least 100 words about what you learned about history from this hiking experience.



Notes

- Units can complete the hiking/canoeing requirement and the Museum visit on different days and in any order. Both must be completed within eight months of each other. This means that Units can:
 - Visit the Museum during summer camp and complete the hike/canoe requirement in the Fall.
 - Complete the hike/canoe requirement during the Spring and visit the Museum during summer camp.
- Earning a device also earns the trail medal and the option of purchasing the lesser devices. For example, if you earn the 50-miler pin, you can also purchase the 30-miler and 14-miler pins.





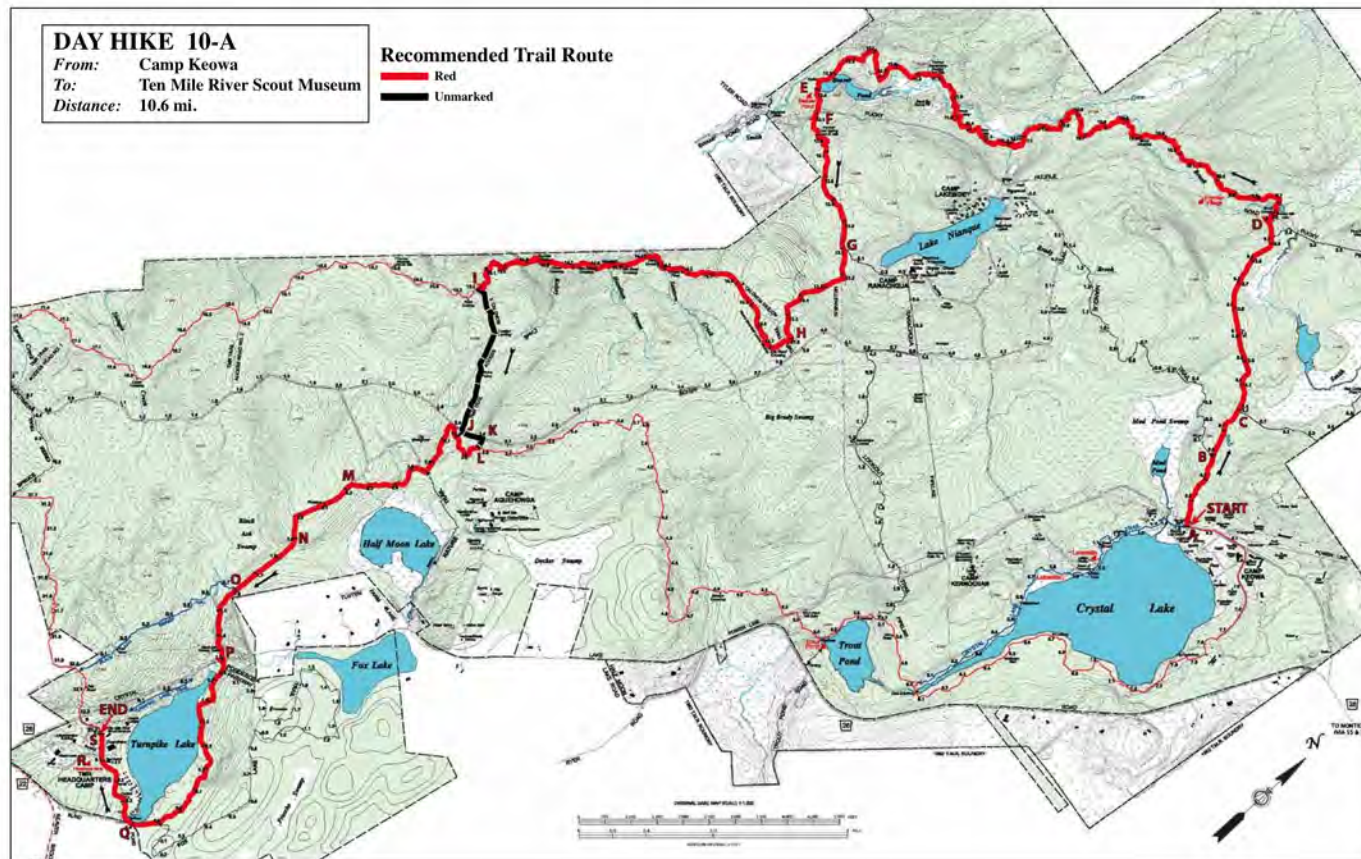
- **You must complete the entire hiking/canoeing requirement on one trip. You cannot, for example, complete the requirements for the 14-miler pin on one trip, and then hike an additional 16 miles on a subsequent trip to earn the 30-miler pin. You must complete the hiking requirement for the 30-miler pin on one trip.**
- **No backtracking. You can't hike 5 miles out and 5 miles back to complete the 10-mile hike requirement.**

EARN THE TRAIL AWARD AT SUMMER CAMP

Get Ready!

- **Before camp, discuss the different trail award options with your Junior Leaders. Earning the medal requires a minimum 10-mile day hike, usually with a stop at the Museum at Headquarters Camp.**
- **You can earn the medal plus a 14-miler pin by hiking a minimum of 14 miles over two days and camp overnight along the trail at a recognized TMR campsite. This might be best for your older Scouts with previous hiking and camping experience.**
- **Earning the medal plus 30-miler or 50-miler pins will take up most or all of your week at TMR. We recommend that Units desiring to earn these pins during summer camp participate in the TMR Trek program, which provides all necessary food, patrol camping equipment and staff support.**

- While any trails at TMR can be used to satisfy the hiking requirement, the Museum recommends certain routes in the **RECOMMENDED HIKE ROUTES BOOK**. Each of these routes is designed to satisfy one of the trail award options (medal, 14-, 30-, 50-miler pins). Review the various hike routes and decide which one is best for you or design your own.



Register for the Trail

- At Sunday TMR check-in, meet with your camp's Program Director and schedule the trail award as part of your week's program. If transportation is required, you should plan to provide your own. You can also request it from your Program Director, but TMR cannot guarantee transportation.
- For a **Day Hike** (10-miler), your Unit should request a bag lunch or cookable "BBQ" meal. The "BBQ" meal can be cooked on charcoal stoves in the Museum's picnic area.
- For an **Overnight Hike** (14-miler), your Unit should coordinate acquisition of food with your camp's Program Director.
- Your Unit should bring your own packs, tents, patrol cook kits and camp stoves.



- **If you require an overnight campsite, contact the Reservation Program Director at Headquarters Camp and reserve one.**
- **Contact the Ten Mile Scout Museum with a proposed hike route and schedule a date and time to visit:**
 - **845-252-2063 (T.M.R. internal phone system)**
 - **845-252-3775 (Public phone number)**
- **Note: Not all hike routes might be viable due to trail conditions.**

Complete the Trail Award Requirements

- **Complete the hiking/canoeing requirement.**
- **Before, during or after your hike, visit the Museum at the scheduled date and time.**
- **While at the Museum, your Scouts answer the quiz questions.**
- **Your Scouts write the 100+ word essays.**

Purchase the Trail Awards

- **After your Unit completed all trail award requirements, call the Museum and arrange a date and time to submit all required paperwork (answers to quiz questions & essays) and purchase the awards.**
- **At the Museum, submit the paperwork and an application to order trail awards. Pay for and receive your trail awards.**



Note

- The Unit can complete the hiking/canoeing requirement during the Winter or Spring and visit the Museum during summer camp.
- In this case, after visiting the Museum, the Unit submits the required paperwork (answers to quiz questions and essays), pays for and receives the trail awards.



EARN THE TRAIL AWARD OUTSIDE OF SUMMER CAMP

Reserve Your Camp Facilities

- **Open Season:** The Ten Mile River Historical Trails is open to hikers whenever TMR is open for Boy Scout camping. (Note: TMR is closed during the NYS Hunting Season, from mid-November to mid-December each year.)
- Units can visit the www.tenmileriver.org website to determine when TMR is open for Boy Scout camping.
- For a **Day Hike** (10-miler), the Unit informs GNYC Camping Services (212-651-3077, Hedwig.Debonet@scouting.org) that it wants to satisfy the Ten Mile River Historical Trails award requirements.

- For a **Multi-Day Hike** (14-, 30-, 50-miler), the Unit reserves TMR lean-to and/or tent sites via the www.tenmileriver.org website or by contacting GNYC Camping Services (212-651-3077, Hedwig.Debonet@scouting.org).
- Units can arrange a Delaware River canoe trip by calling 845-252-2011 (TMR Main Office).



Register for the Trail Award

- **The Unit registers for the Ten Mile River Historical Trails through the Museum's www.tenmileriver.org website, at least three weeks before their earliest hike date.**

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- **The Ten Mile River Historical Trails Committee replies to the Unit, confirming their hike date and route, and schedules a date and time to visit the Museum, if open that date.**

At TMR

- **Upon arrival in camp, Day Units pay the \$1 per person day-use fee.**
- **The Unit completes the hiking/canoeing requirement.**

If the Museum is Open

- **Before, during, or after the hike, the Unit visits the Museum, answers the quiz questions and completes the essays.**
- **Once all trail award requirements have been completed, the Unit submits the application form to order trail awards, pays for and receives the trail awards.**

If the Museum is Closed

- **The Unit has eight months to visit the Museum, answer the quiz questions, write the essays and purchase the trail awards.**

If the Unit Previously Visited the Museum

- **The Unit mails the quiz answers, essays, application to order trail awards, and payment for trail awards (check made out to “Greater New York Councils, BSA”) to:**

**Greater New York Councils, B.S.A.
350 5th Ave. Suite #7820
New York, NY 10018
Attn: Ten Mile River Historical Trails**

- **The Museum mails the trail awards to the Unit.**



Trail Awards Order Form

Greater New York Councils, B.S.A.

Ten Mile River Scout Museum

TEN MILE RIVER HISTORICAL TRAILS TRAIL AWARDS ORDER FORM

Unit _____ B.S.A. Council or Non-Scouting Organization _____

N.Y.C. Borough or Community _____

Unit Leader Name _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone _____ Cell Phone _____

E-Mail Address _____

HIKE REPORT

The above Unit completed the following requirements for the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Award:

MUSEUM VISIT

____ Youths and ____ Adults (18+) from the Unit visited the TMR Scout Museum on _____

QUIZZES & ESSAYS

The Unit Leader must confirm that:

The Ten Mile River Historical Trails quizzes are answered correctly. Unit Leader Initials _____
The essays are adequate. Unit Leader Initials _____

HIKING/CANOEING

____ Youths and ____ Adults (18+) from the Unit completed the hiking/canoeing requirement for the following trail award (check one):

☐ **BASIC TRAIL MEDAL**
Hike the TMR Trail system for at least ten miles.

☐ **14-MILER DEVICE**
Camp in the vicinity of the TMR Trail in an established TMR campsite for at least two days and one night. Hike 14 miles on the TMR Trail system during the two days.

☐ **50-MILER DEVICE**
Camp in the vicinity of the TMR Trail in an established TMR campsite for at least three days and two nights. Hike the complete TMR Trail or any other series of trails within TMR totaling 50 miles.

(Over)

☐ **30-MILER DEVICE**
Camp in the vicinity of the TMR Trail in an established TMR campsite for at least one day and one night. Hike 10 miles on the TMR Trail System.
Camp in the vicinity of the Delaware River for at least two days and one night.
Canoe 20 miles on the Delaware River during the two-day period.

☐ **50-MILER DEVICE**
Hike the complete TMR Trail and a Delaware River canoe trip totaling 50 miles. Must be taken within a continuous period of no more than 7 days.

ITINERARY (Fill in days as needed)

Day	Date	From/To	Mileage	Campsite (if used)
1	_____	_____	_____	_____
2	_____	_____	_____	_____
3	_____	_____	_____	_____
4	_____	_____	_____	_____
5	_____	_____	_____	_____
6	_____	_____	_____	_____
7	_____	_____	_____	_____

To the best of my knowledge the above information is correct:

Unit Leader Signature _____ Date _____

Note: Earning a device gives you the option of purchasing the trail medal and the lesser devices. For example, if you earn the 50-miler pin, you can also purchase the 30-miler and 14-miler pins. If you earn the 30-miler pin, you can also purchase the 14-miler pin.

TRAIL AWARDS ORDER

_____ Trail Medals @ \$8.00 ea.	\$ _____
_____ 14-miler devices @ \$3.00 ea.	\$ _____
_____ 30-miler devices @ \$3.00 ea.	\$ _____
_____ 50-miler devices @ \$3.00 ea.	\$ _____
_____ Total	\$ _____

Mail check or money order made out to "Greater New York Councils, BSA" and mail to:

Greater New York Councils, B.S.A.
350 5th Ave. Suite #7820
New York, NY 10018
Attn: Ten Mile River Historical Trails

Include the quiz answer forms and the signed essays with payment.

Ten Mile River Scout Museum



- Exhibits on TMR and local history, including historic sites you visited while hiking around TMR.

The Ten Mile River Scout Museum Website

www.tmrmuseum.org/tmr-historic-trails-info



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TEN MILE RIVER HISTORICAL TRAILS AWARD



50-miler,
30-miler,
14-miler pins

The 12,000-acre Ten Mile River Scout Camps in Sullivan County, New York has over 60 miles of hiking trails, including the famous 33-mile Ten Mile River Trail. The Ten Mile River Scout Museum sponsors the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Award for registered Troops, Packs, Venture Crews and qualified non-scouting groups hiking these trails. Hikers satisfying trail requirements can earn a beautiful medal with pins for miles hiked.

The Museum is definitely worth a visit. We have extensive exhibits on local history, archeology, wildlife and the lumbering/bluestone mining era.

PDF



TEN MILE RIVER HISTORICAL TRAILS PRESENTATION - Overview on award requirements, maps, resource materials, how to register to earn the award during TMR summer camp and the rest of the year. **START HERE.**



TRAIL AWARD REQUIREMENTS

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

EARN THE TRAIL AWARD AT TMR SUMMER CAMP

QUESTION ON THE T.M.R. HISTORIC TRAILS

TMR TRAIL MAPS, HIKE ROUTES, HIKING & HISTORICAL INFORMATION

Trail Award Requirements



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TEN MILE RIVER HISTORIC TRAILS REQUIREMENTS (DRAFT)

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- Write an essay of at least 100 words about what you learned about history from this hiking experience.

To earn the 14-miler device:

- Camp in the vicinity of the TMR Trail in an established campsite at TMR for at least two days and one night.
- Hike 14 miles on the TMR Trail System during the two-day period, not exceeding ten miles per day.
- Visit the TMR Scout Museum.
- Take the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Quiz.
- Write an essay of at least 100 words about what you learned about history from this hiking experience.

To earn the 30-miler device:

- Camp in the vicinity of the TMR Trail in an established campsite at TMR for at least three days and two nights.
 - Hike the complete TMR Trail or any other series of trails within the TMR Reservation totaling 30 miles, not exceeding ten miles per day.
 - Visit the TMR Scout Museum.
 - Take the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Quiz.
 - Write an essay of at least 100 words about what you learned about history from this hiking experience.
- OR
- Camp in the vicinity of the TMR Trail for at least one day and one night.
 - Hike 10 miles on the TMR Trail System.
 - Camp in the vicinity of the Delaware River for at least two days and one night.
 - Canoe 20 miles on the Delaware River during the two-day period.
 - Visit the TMR Scout Museum.
 - Take the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Quiz.
 - Write an essay of at least 100 words about what you learned about history from this hiking experience.

To earn the 50-miler device:

- Hike the complete TMR Trail and a Delaware River canoe trip.
- The total hike afoot/afloat must be 50 miles and must be taken within a continuous period of no more than seven days with foot trail hiking not to exceed ten miles per day.
- Visit the TMR Scout Museum.
- Take the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Quiz.
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Notes:

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4. The Museum recommends specific hike routes to complete the 10-mi., 14-mi., and 30-mi. hike requirement. See the TMRHT literature.

How to Earn the Trails Award at TMR Summer Camp

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Earn the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Award at TMR

The Ten Mile River Scout Museum is introducing the Ten Mile River Historical Trails award, a National B.S.A.-approved historical trail. The easiest way for your Scouts to earn this new award is this summer at TMR. Here is how to do it:

Obtain Trail Award Information

Registration info kits, including maps, are available from the www.tmr-museum.org and www.tenmileriver.org/hike websites. Paper copies can be requested through the www.tmr-museum.org website, or picked up at the Ten Mile River Scout Museum or the G.N.Y.C. office.

Discuss the different trail award options with your Junior Leaders before camp. Earning the medal requires a minimum 10-mile day hike, usually with a stop at the Museum at Headquarters Camp.

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Earning the medal plus 30-miler or 50-miler pins will take up most or all of your week at TMR. We recommend that Units desiring to earn these pins during summer camp participate in the TMR Trek program, which provides all necessary food, patrol camping equipment and staff support.

While any trails at TMR can be used to satisfy the hiking requirement, the Museum recommends certain routes, which are in our trail literature and on our website. Each of these routes is designed to satisfy one of the trail award options (medal, 14-, 30-, 50-miler pins). Review the various hike routes and decide which one is best for your Unit.

Register for the Trail Awards

At Sunday TMR check-in, meet with your camp's Program Director and schedule the trail award as part of your week's program. If transportation is required, you should plan to provide your own. You can also request it from your Program Director, but TMR cannot guarantee transportation.

For a day hike (10-miler), your Unit should request a bag lunch or cookable "BBQ" meal. The "BBQ" meal can be cooked on charcoal stoves in the Museum's picnic area.

For a two-day hike (14-miler), your Unit should coordinate acquisition of food with your camp's Program Director.

Your Unit should bring your own packs, tents, patrol cook kits and camp stoves.

If you require an overnight campsite, you should contact the Reservation Program Director at Headquarters Camp and reserve one.

Contact the Ten Mile Scout Museum with a proposed hike route and schedule a date and time to visit.

Complete the Trail Award requirements

Complete the hiking requirement. Visit the Museum at the scheduled date and time. Your Scouts receive and answer the quiz questions.

Receive the Trail Awards

After your Unit completed all trail award requirements, call the Museum and arrange a date and time to submit all required paperwork (answers to quiz questions & essays) and purchase awards.

At the Museum, submit the paperwork and an application to order trail awards. Pay for and receive your trail awards.

For additional information or to ask questions, visit: www.tmr-museum.org/tmr-historic-trails-info.

Online Registration Form

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REGISTER FOR THE TEN MILE RIVER HISTORIC TRAILS

You must submit this form at least three weeks before your earliest requested hike date.

Ten Mile River Historical Trails Registration Form

* Unit	* BSA Council or Non-BSA Organization
* NYC Borough/Community	
* Contact Name	
* Street	* City
* State	* Zip Code
* Telephone	Cell Phone
* E-Mail Address	* No. Adults
* No. Youths	* 1-3 Hike Start Dates Requested (in order of preference)
* Select Type of Hike	
☐ 10-Mile Hike ☐ 18-Mile Hike ☐ 30-Mile Hike ☐ 50-Mile Hike	
Do you require overnight accommodations at T.M.R.T?	
☐ YES ☐ NO	
Your message or question	
Submit	

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Ask a question about the Ten Mile River Historical Trails. You will receive a response from the Museum.

T.M.R. Historical Trails Inquiry Form

Name *

Email *

Subject (optional)

Phone (optional)

Address (optional)

Your Question or Message

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Summer Camp at Ten Mile River, from mid-June through August, units attending camp can satisfy all TMR Historic Trail Medal award requirements on a day hike from their camp to the TMR Museum.

Scouting Units not attending summer camp at TMR can still satisfy all award requirements throughout the year. For further information and to reserve a time for your visit, please call or email us. Awards can also be purchased at the Museum.

Non-Scouting Groups can also complete requirements for the award but will be required to have a letter of agreement and certificate of insurance to hike on Ten Mile River property. Contact G.N.Y.C. Camping Department (212)651-3077 for further information.

Hiking groups can select any hiking route on T.M.R. property to satisfy the award requirements. To simplify this process, we recommend specific hike routes and these can be found at www.tenmileriver.org/hike.

Note: Earning the 14-miler, 30-miler and 50-miler pins will require one or more nights camping along the hike route.

While hiking the T.M.R. Trails, you can visit a variety of historic sites, structures and markers documented in our literature:

Bluestone Mines	Bridge No. 9	Brooklyn Camps Gateway	Camp Brooklyn Infirmary
Camp Central	Camp Chappagat	Camp Hayden	Camp Ithetonga
Camp Kemochan	Camp Kotohke	Camp Kunatah	Camp Lakeside
Camp Manhattan	Camp Manhattan Gateway	Camp Nianque Office	Camp Ranachqua Unit A
Camp Ranachqua Unit C/Camp Stillwaters		Camp Ranachqua Unit E/Camp Nianque	
Camp Rondack	Camp Waramaug/Camp Davis Lake Cayuga/Kotohke Cabin	C.C.C. Camp Ten Mile River	
C.C.C. Plaque	Chimney (Old Camp Aquehonga)	Crystal Lake Resort	Doughnut Farm
Eagle Rock Rock Shelter	Erie Railroad	Frederic Kemochan Monument	Half-Moon Lake Hotel
Indian Caves	Kemochan Blockhouse	Kunatah Rock Shelter	Kunatah Trading Post
Landship Amochol	Landship Jonas Bronc	Lumbering Camp	Lumbering Chute
Mt. Hope & Lumberland Turnpike	Old Camp Aquehonga	Old Headquarters Camp	Paul Wallingford Todd Museum
Picture Window	Protestant Chapel	Ranachqua Blockhouse	Rock Lake Country Club
Roosevelt Amphitheater	Stag Hall	Stone Arch Bridge	Temple in the Woods
Ten Mile River Colony/Bob Landers	The Minisink Company	TMR Massacre	TMR Scout Museum
TMR Village	Tower of Friendship	Town of Tusten	Tusten Settlement Church
Tusten Railroad Station	Van Allen Grange		

To obtain detailed information please visit the Ten Mile River Scout Museum website at: www.tmr-museum.org.

Ten Mile River Historic Trails
c/o Greater New York Councils, B.S.A.
350 Fifth Avenue, Suite 7820
New York, NY 10118

Or call:

- (212) 651-3077 (year-round)
- (845) 252-3775 (during summer camp only)

Trail Maps, Recommended Hike Routes, History & Hiking Info

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TMR TRAIL MAPS, HIKE ROUTES, HIKING & HISTORICAL INFORMATION



The 24 in. x 27 in. T.M.R. Trails Map separated into three letter-sized sections (in one PDF). Unlike the full-sized version, this can be printed on a typical color printer, then taped together to form a complete T.M.R. map.



This is the complete shade-relief version of the 24 in. x 27 in. T.M.R. Trails Map.



Ten Mile River Historical Trails Map Book - This 24-page book includes a 14-page TMR Trail Map (in sections) with historic sites identified and 8-pages of historic site history.

These are recommended 10-mile, 14-mile and 30-mile hike routes that will satisfy the hiking requirement for the Ten Mile River Historical Trails award. Both documents are used together.

**MAP BOOK**

**TURN-BY-TURN
HIKING INSTRUCTIONS**

You can purchase the georeferenced T.M.R. Trail Map for your compatible cellphone or tablet. This requires downloading the free Avenza Maps (formerly PDF Maps) app to your handheld device. This is especially useful when hiking the T.M.R. Trail. The app will show your location on the T.M.R. Trail and the Trail Map with great accuracy.

For more information, visit the Museum's Avenza Map store: <https://www.avenzamaps.com/vendor/86@ten-mile-river-scout-museum/>



The History of the Upper Delaware Region and the Ten Mile River Scout Camps. 36 pgs. Includes the history of all historic sites in the Ten Mile River Historical Trails Map Book.



Ten essential things to have on every hike.



B.S.A. Historical Trails Award application form.



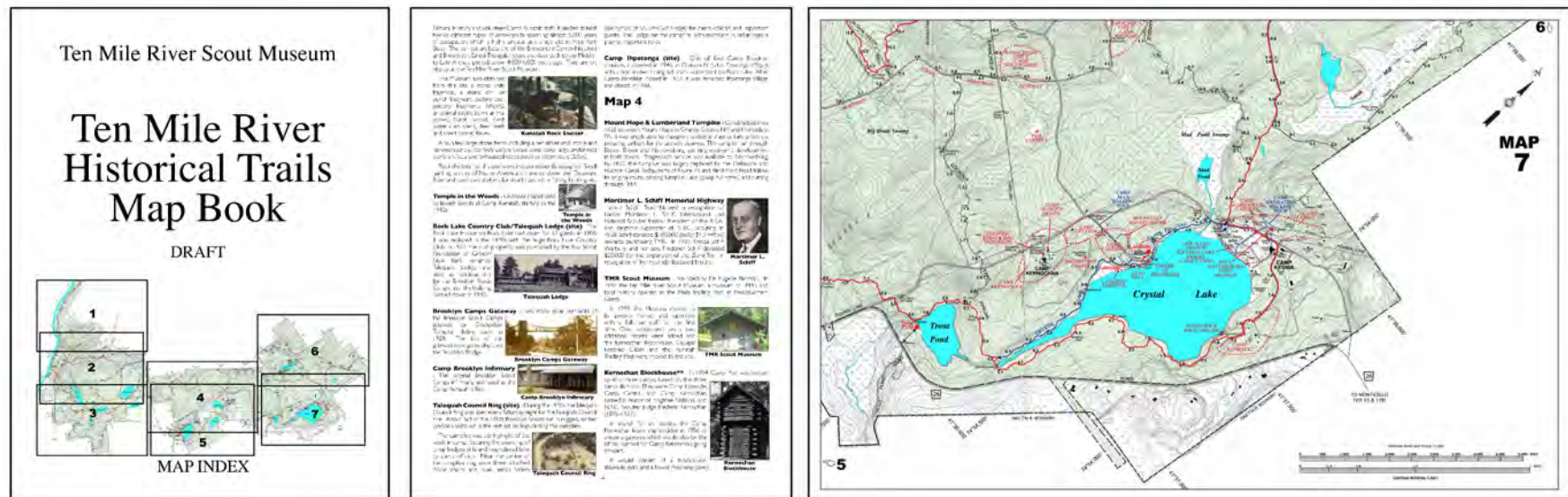
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Additional Resource Materials

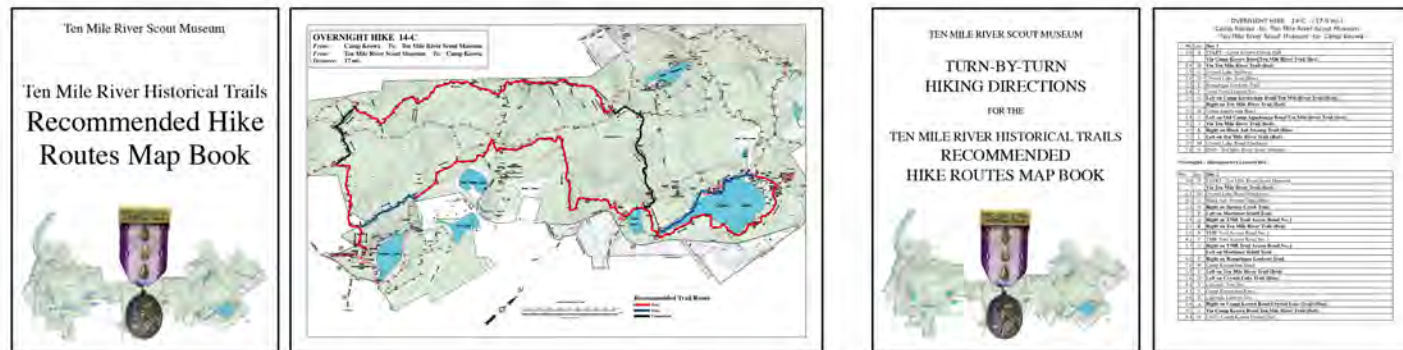
Ten Mile River Historical Trails Map Book



- Detailed trail maps of the Ten Mile River Scout Camps with historic sites.
- Short histories of all historic sites on TMR property.

Recommended Hike Routes Map Book

Turn-by-turn Hiking Instructions for the Recommended Hike Routes Map Book



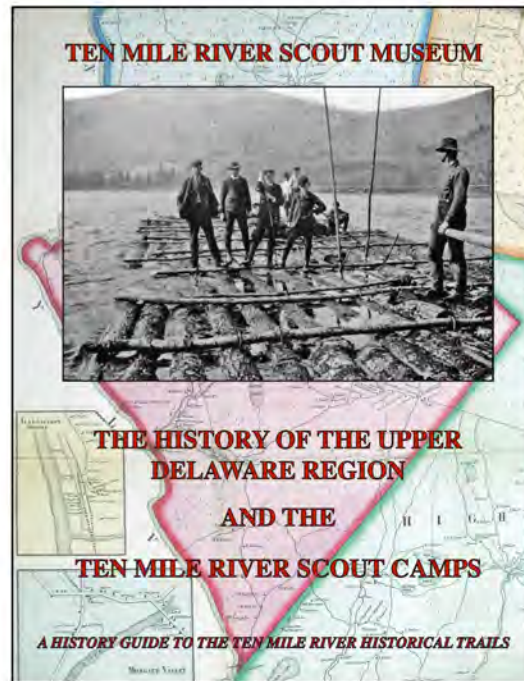
- **Recommended hike routes that satisfy the hiking requirements for the Ten Mile River Historical Trails award.**
- **One book has detailed trail maps and the other has turn-by-turn hiking instructions for the same hike routes.**

Georeferenced TMR Trails Map for cellphones/tablets



- **Utilizes free Avenza Maps cellphone App.**
- **Georeferenced TMR Map shows all TMR Trails and your location within 20 ft.**
- **Sold by TMR Scout Museum.**
- **Free TMR Road Map also available.**
- **www.avenzamaps.com/vendor.969/ten-mile-river-scout-museum**

The History of the Upper Delaware Region and the Ten Mile River Scout Camps



THE ERIE RAILROAD

The **Erie Railroad** was the first long-line railroad in the United States. It was organized as the New York and Erie Railroad in July of 1833 but was not completed to Dunkirk, N.Y. until 1851. It was built to enable the New York southern tier counties to compete effectively with the central counties served by the Erie Canal.

The first train on the Delaware Division passed through Narrowsburg on December 22, 1848. The Erie Railroad was constructed largely through the labor of Irish and German immigrants, many whom settled in the region.

The railroad brought additional prosperity and growth to the region, especially north of the Lackawaxen River where the Delaware & Hudson Canal turned west. The railroad, more than the canal before it, boosted the local economy and the development of small towns along its route.

The "Erie" opened a fast and direct connection with New York City. The railroad provided both passenger and freight service and shipped to the New York City market coal, lumber and agricultural products, including large quantities of milk, eggs, butter and poultry. It also competed with the Delaware & Hudson Canal, carrying coal, lumber and other produce from the region to major markets. The railroad had an advantage since it operated year-round while the canal closed for the winter.

Starting in 1884, the Erie promoted the region as an economical vacation for N.Y.C. residents. Passenger service brought tourists to the region in huge numbers and created the entire vacation industry, initially to boarding houses and small hotels.

Two miles above Port Jervis, the Erie Railroad crossed into Pennsylvania because the Delaware & Hudson Canal, which occupied the east bank of the river, obtained a permanent injunction that preempted all rights to the riverbank upon which the canal was built. It recrossed the Delaware River back into New York State above Tusten on **Bridge No. 9**.

When the railroad first came through in the 1840s, the Ten Mile River Village merited a flag stop at Bridge No. 9. The Erie Railroad later erected a station about a mile above the Ten Mile River Village, where its tracks crossed the Delaware from Pennsylvania to New York. This station was first called Delaware Bridge and then **Tusten Station**.

In 1928, the first Brooklyn Scouts to go to TMR took a ferry to Jersey City, the Erie Railroad to Tusten Station, and then hiked several miles to Talequah Lodge at the north end of Rock Lake, to check-in for camp. Their camp luggage came up separately via Railway Express.



Bridge No. 9



Tusten Station



Scouts Departing Railroad

- Illustrated history of TMR and the Upper Delaware Region.
- History of all known historic sites on TMR property.

B.S.A. Historic Trails Award

To earn the award, members of your unit must plan and participate in a historic activity. A unit historic activity requires members to:

1. Locate a historic trail or site and study information relating to it. (The information may be obtained from an adult historic society, public library, or people living near the trail or site.)
2. Hike or camp two days and one night along the trail or in the vicinity of the site.
3. Cooperate with an adult group such as a historic society to restore and mark all or part of this trail or site. (This may be done during the hike or overnight camp.) Or cooperate with such a group to plan and stage a historic pageant, ceremony, or other public event related to this trail or site – such event should be large enough to merit coverage by the local press.
4. Your unit leader must then file the Historic Trails Award application with your council service center.



B.S.A. 50-Miler Award

The 50-Miler Award is presented to each qualifying individual for satisfactory participation in an approved trip. In order to qualify for the award the group of which the individual is a member must fulfill all of the following requirements.



1. Make complete and satisfactory plans for the trip, including the possibilities of advancement.
2. Cover the trail or canoe or boat route of not less than 50 consecutive miles; take a minimum of five consecutive days to complete the trip without the aid of motors. (In some areas pack animals may be used.)
3. During the time on the trail or waterway, complete a minimum of 10 hours each of group work on projects to improve the trail, springs, campsite, portage, or area. If, after checking with recognized authorities, it is not possible to complete 10 hours each of group work on the trail, a similar project may be done in the unit's home area. (There should be no unauthorized cutting of brush or timber.)
4. Unit or tour leader must then file a 50-Miler Award application with the local council service center. This application gives additional details about planning the trip.

Ten things to have on every hike

(American Hiking Society)

1. **Appropriate footwear.** For a short day hike that doesn't involve a heavy pack or technical terrain, trail shoes are great. For longer hikes, carrying heavier loads, or more technical terrain, hiking boots offer more support.
2. **Map and compass/GPS.** A map and compass not only tell you where you are and how far you have to go, it can help you find campsites, water, and an emergency exit route in case of an accident. While GPS units are very useful, always carry a map and compass as a backup.
3. **Extra water and a way to purify it.** Without enough water, your body's muscles and organs simply can't perform as well. Consuming too little water will not only make you thirsty, but susceptible to hypothermia and altitude sickness.



4. **Extra food.** Many things could keep you out longer than expected: getting lost, an injury, or difficult terrain. Extra food will help keep up energy and morale.
5. **Rain gear and extra clothing.** Because the weatherman is not always right. Dressing in layers allows you to adjust to changing weather and activity levels. Two rules: avoid cotton (it keeps moisture close to your skin) and always carry a hat.
6. **Safety items: fire, light, and a whistle.** The warmth of a fire and a hot drink can help prevent hypothermia. Fires are also a great way to signal for help if you get lost. If lost, you'll also want the whistle as it is more effective than using your voice to call for help (use 3 short bursts)



7. **First aid kit.** Prepackaged first aid kits for hikers are available at any outfitter. Double your effectiveness with knowledge: take a first aid class with the American Red Cross or a Wilderness First Aid class.
8. **Knife or multi-purpose tool.** These enable you to cut strips of cloth into bandages, remove splinters, fix broken eyeglasses, and perform a whole host of repairs on malfunctioning gear.
9. **Sun screen and sun glasses.** Especially above treeline when there is a skin-scorching combination of sun and snow, you'll need sunglasses to prevent snow blindness and sunscreen to prevent sunburn.
10. **Daypack/backpack.** You'll want something you can carry comfortably and has the features designed to keep you hiking smartly. Don't forget the rain cover; some packs come with one built-in. Keep the other Essentials in the pack and you'll always be ready to hit the trail safely.





Any Questions?