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Newcomb Trail System

For some of the highest trails in the Adirondacks, Newcomb trail system is it. For further information on the trail, services and conditions, contact the Newcomb Town Hall.

Minerva Trail System

Currently the Minerva Trail system consists of three trails. All trails are considered back country trails and are not groomed. Some parking is available at the trail heads. Services are not on the trails, but available in Minerva and Olmstedville. The Stony Pond Trail (2) starts in Minerva and continues north to Stony Pond. The Channey Pond Trail (3) begins on Irishtown Road about two miles north of town. The Fourteenth Road Trail (1) starts at the beginning of an abandon town road. For further information about the Minerva trail system, contact the Minerva Town Hall.

North Hudson Trails

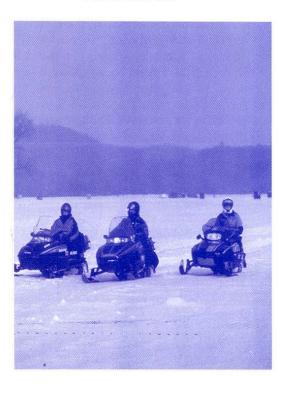
The trail system is currently undergoing an extensive rebuilding and expansion. Plans are in the works to connect this system with the Schroon Lake Trail System. For further information and conditions, contact the North Hudson Town Hall.

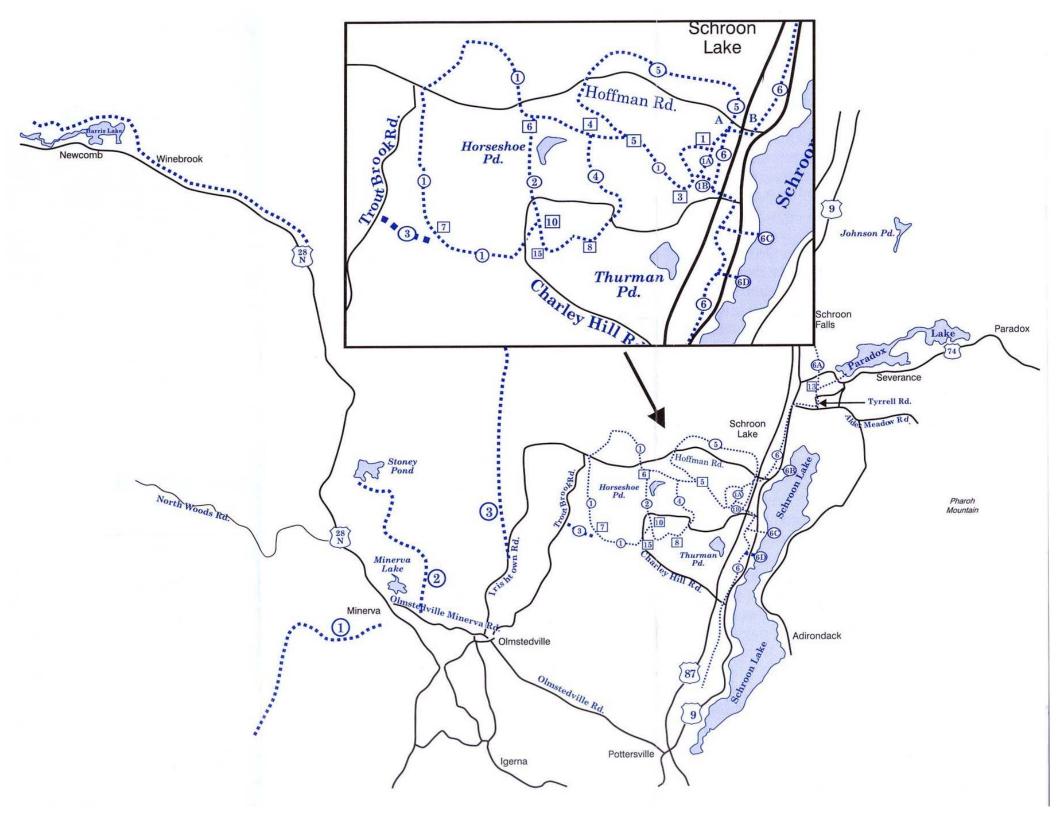
To all Snowmobilers

The trail systems in the Schroon Lake Region are possible thru the efforts of the local snowmobile clubs and private land owners. Please respect the trail systems and the land owners property. Remember the use of the trail systems is a PRIVILEGE not a RIGHT. Please stay on the marked trails.

Circle - Trail Numbers Square - Intersections A - Parking at Golf Course

B - Parking at the Fish & Game Club





Schroon Lake Trail System

Trail One

This trail begins at the Schroon Lake Municipal Golf Course, which has large parking area and provides most direct access to trails in this system. This is the longest trail that offers the widest variety of terrain, with the smoothest and widest of the trails. They have permitted large open riding areas on the Golf Course, be aware of the fenced off areas. Lake is accessible by traveling approximately 1/4 mile down Hoffman Road and crossing Route 9, where the lake is visible. After crossing the bridge at intersection two, you will have an excellent overlook of the lake and village. The old bridge, approximately 200 feet from the golf course, leads to a trail that parallels the Northway.

Trail Two

This trail connects on both ends to Trail 1. It is very hilly and has many dips and turns. The southern end of this trail is Drake's Pond, a small beaver-enlarged pond. You can generally cross the pond, conditions permitting, or backtrack to ride around it, but beware of the short, steep hills in this section. At intersection 8, you can take Trail 4 back to Trail 1.

Trail Three

At intersection 7, Trail 3 goes to Trout Brook Road. When at Trout Brook Road, you may turn right using the side of the road to go to Hoffman Road intersection. Turning left on Hoffman Road/Irishtown Road, you will be able to travel to the Minerva Trail System

Trail Four

This trail connects to Trail 1 and intersects with Trail 2 at Drake's Pond and has a large snowmobile parking area. The trail travels along a small cliff that overlooks the outlet of the beaver pond and into the Seagle Music Colony before crossing Charley Hill Road and meeting with Trail 1 near Horseshoe Pond.

Trail Five

Trail 5, opened in 2001 with a newly constructed bridge, is easily reached from the Town Garage/Golf Course parking lot. Ride the access trail on the north side of Hoffman Road near the Highway Department sand pile slowly, because this is a driveway. Once in the abandoned sand pits, the trail bears to the left. The main trail travels through the sand pits and up a long, fairly steep hill before turning back across Hoffman Road. It will then pass near the new town water tower before returning you to Trail 1. If conditions permit you can travel to the right and access two non-maintained trails: the first will take you through the tunnels under the Northway to the Schroon Lake Fish and Game Club. There is a small bridge on the right and the Club is visible across it. The second is a dead end that parallels the Northway for approximately 1.5 miles.

Trail Six

This trail provides the most direct connections to restaurants, motels, gas and oil, parts/service, and shopping in the Town center. The northern end of Trail 6 is Paradox Lake, but is best reached from Dave Whittey Sales and Service. Travel south to intersection 13, and bearing right onto 6A will bring you across our largest

bridge and into the "On the River Campground." Continuing south you will cross Alder Meadow Road near the Schroon Lake Airport and meet Route 9 near the Mount Severance Trail head. Trail turns left (south) at the rear of this parking area. Just past Dun Roamin' Cabins there is a well-marked side trail on your left that leads to the Mt. Severance General Store. The main trail passes through the Schroon Lake Campground into an abandoned sand pit, on the left (east side). Trail 6B provides access near Maypine Marina to the north end of the lake. The main trail continues south through more sand pits and past the Schroon Lake Fire Department. Continue farther and you will cross a bridge to the Fish and Game Club with access to a tunnel which will take you to Trail 5. Continue on Trail 6 to the Schroon Lake Fish & Game to Hoffman Road, crossing over the Interstate bridge to Town Garage parking and Golf Course. When continuing on Trail 6, Trail 1B connects Trail 1A which connects to Trail 1. This opens the way to head south to the Warren County trail system. Trail 6C provides lake access by crossing Route 9 and riding past the Davis Motel and down the hill to the lake. Trail 6D provides access to the lake at the Narrows. Trail 6 ends at Scaroon Manor.

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