

Chapter 1 : National Trails System

The National Trails System Act of , as amended, calls for establishing trails in both urban and rural settings for people of all ages, interests, skills, and physical abilities. The act promotes the enjoyment and appreciation of trails while encouraging greater public access. It establishes four.

The FNST Coalition is composed of land management, academic, non-profit and other government agency partners that have a stake in the future of the Florida Trail. Speakers Friday, October 5th 3: The water quality of the river directly affects the recreational attributes of the system, i. Watershed management is directly related to this aquatic trail in Seminole County. Tina McIntyre will be talking about Florida Friendly Landscaping and the benefits of a native shoreline to the river trail. As the Florida State Projects Director, she provides outreach, and technical support throughout the state. She serves as a community organizer and planner to local communities offering project assistance such as grant writing support, facilitation and organizational development on conservation, recreation and health based projects. She also worked for the state of Florida Coastal Management Program. Prior to the state, she worked for the Nature Conservancy where she specialized in grassroots organizing and legislative issues. She began her career in environmental resource management at the Collier Conservancy, in Naples, Florida, where she worked on land acquisition programs to restore hydrologic flow to the Everglades. She is coming to Seminole County with over 10 years of experience in the environmental realm. Prior to coming to Seminole County, Shannon worked with the South Florida Water Management District where she was involved in the environmental resource permitting regulatory program, including wetland delineations, mitigation assessments and permit compliance. She received her B. Shannon has been working on and in Florida waters and wetlands for over 22 years. Jay Exum received his Ph. Exum has provided ecological expertise on projects related to threatened and endangered species, wetlands ecology and large-scale conservation planning. Jay has led ecological investigations in the Wekiva basin for more than 20 years. A Pilot Study Daniel J. Smith is a research associate and member of the graduate faculty in the Department of Biology at the University of Central Florida. His primary focus is studying movement patterns and habitat use of terrestrial vertebrates and integrating conservation, transportation and land-use planning. They will be launching and signing this book from 3: Jacksonville contains the largest urban park system in the nation. Each event highlights a different city, state or national park in the region. National Trails Coast to Coast: They are tenacious advocates for breaking the color barrier and integration of our natural treasures as a way for all Americans, including children, youth, adults and seniors regardless of ethnic heritage to better appreciate our collective history and achieve a truly democratic society. Saturday, October 6th 1: The Purpose Behind Every Park: He is a career conservationist and is recognized as an accomplished advocate for Everglades restoration, water resource protection and land conservation. Matt was the first employee of Zpacks in Matt leads their customer experience team. They can run 35 mph " about as fast as a deer. Bears are also coming back in numbers in Florida. After dropping to just a few hundred bears in the s, there are now more than 4, in the state with over one thousand here in SW Florida. Join us to learn the best ways we can live together with these large carnivores from one of the leading experts in the state. For the past twenty years, Orlando has studied the behavior of the Florida black bear. Brian is an Orlando native and moved back home after returning from the military in Brian will be talking about Warrior Expeditions and its positive impact on veterans and the community, including how the program has impacted him. He will also be discussing the benefits associated with being part of diverse groups that have activities based on adventure and low impact principles. Mayowa will be sharing how Outdoor Afro has helped him grow in many respects and why we need more adventure groups. Scorpions and their bizarre cousins, the whip scorpions and wind scorpions, will also be shown, as well as daddy-long-legs, ticks, and other relatives of spiders. John Serrao received his M. He has written 7 books about wildlife and natural history, created dozens of Nature Trails with Self-Guiding Booklets, led thousands of nature walks and slide presentations, and conducted Wildlife Surveys for state parks, nature centers, resorts, and private natural areas. His photos have appeared in hundreds of magazines, textbooks, field guides, and museums. He lives in

DeLand, Florida. The Pursuit of Endurance: Saturday, October 6th Sit in on this meeting to learn how the Coalition brings a diversity of perspectives, interests and expertise to the Florida Trail to ensure that the trail is a truly public asset that is accessible for all to enjoy. Experts will be on hand answering all your outdoor questions, demoing some of their favorite gear, sharing product samples, and leading Campfire Sessions on topics ranging from caring for your gear to hiking with your pup! Hammocking REI hammocking experts will share tips and tricks for properly hanging your hammock and adhering to the principles of Leave No Trace, all while getting the most comfort and functionality out of your setup. Hiking with Your Dog There are few things better than getting outside with your furry best friend. REI will take the mystery out of proper gear care and show you a range of options for preventing and fixing issues with your gear—whether major or minor. Trail Runners REI experts will delve into this heated footwear debate and discuss how to pick the right shoes for individual needs. Proper bear hang techniques will also be discussed. Food and Bear Safety A number of factors are bringing bears and humans into closer proximity with one another in the wild. Come listen to the REI team share considerations for proper food storage as well as tips for recreating safely in bear territory. Topics include tools of the trail, Volunteer Work Parties, and trail administration. This is a great time to ask questions about getting involved with the organization as a volunteer and hear about upcoming projects throughout the state that might be a great place to start. To find out more about Crystal and her hiking adventures with her family, visit her blog. Hike Like A Woman is an online community full of inspiration and fun to encourage women to get outdoors and enjoy themselves — just the way they are! Want to learn to use moleskin, drain a blister and prevent infection while staying on the trail? She is native to Florida has lead hiking and kayaking expeditions throughout the Americas and beyond. Girls Who Hike FL was created to get more women out on the trails here in the beautiful state of Florida. Their goal is to unite women of all ages and backgrounds who love to hike and explore. Together, group members show one another how to face our fears regardless of what the fear may be. Hiking Basics Are you new to hiking and looking to learn what to do or not do out on the trails? This basic hiking workshop can help you understand hiking in Florida. A range of topics will be covered including what to wear, what to pack, types of trails, leave no trace principles, Florida wildlife and even how to find the perfect trail for you. This one hour workshop is great for beginners and families. Where to Go There are so many places to hike here in Florida but for many when you think of Florida the only thing to come to minds are our swamps. Florida is so much more! Join Girls Who Hike FL for an hour workshop where we will discuss the different places to hit the trails!

Chapter 2 : National Trails Conference | Partnership for the National Trails System

In , America will be celebrating the 50th anniversary of the National Trails System Act as well as the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act. Join the celebration by sharing your stories, photos, or favorite memories, or by simply getting out on the trail - and maybe bringing along a friend.

Chapter 3 : 16 U.S. Code Chapter 27 - NATIONAL TRAILS SYSTEM | US Law | LII / Legal Information Ins

The National Trails System was created by the National Trails System Act (Pub.L. , 82 Stat. , enacted October 2,), codified at 16 U.S.C. Â§ et seq. The Act created a series of National trails "to promote the preservation of, public access to, travel within, and enjoyment and appreciation of the open-air, outdoor areas and.

Chapter 4 : National Trails System - Wikipedia

In , we celebrate the 50th anniversary of the National Trails System Act, which provided an incredible legacy for all Americans. The law allowed for the establishment of long-distance National Scenic Trails (spanning more than miles) and National Recreation Trails, which can be found in.

Chapter 5 : National Trails System Act Legislation

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The Appalachian Trail, which travels more than 2, miles, is a National Scenic Trail, and was created with the passage of the National Trails System Act of (Photo by George Rose/Getty Images).

Chapter 6 : National Recreation Trails Database

National Trails Conference Â· October 22 - October 25, Â· Vancouver, Washington National Trails Conference Join us for the 16th National Trails System Conference (formerly National Scenic and Historic Trails Biennial Conference) in Vancouver, WA from October 22nd through October 25th,

Chapter 7 : Partnership for the National Trails System

These experiences, and hundreds more, can be found in every state across the nation, on America's National Trails System. National Trails System Conference.

Chapter 8 : Celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the National Trails System | Florida Trail Association

The FTA invites all nature lovers and outdoor enthusiasts to come celebrate the 50th anniversary of the National Trails System Act, October in Deland, FL.

Chapter 9 : October celebrates 50 years of the National Trails System Act | Hernando Sun

National Trails Strategy. The Forest Service's national trail strategy inspires a different way of thinking and doing and lays-out 26 high-leverage actions that will move the agency toward a sustainable trail system achieved through collaborative stewardship with partners and volunteers.