

## Lyme Land Trust's 52 Trail Challenge

### 1 town~6 months~20 Preserves~52 Trails

The Lyme Land Trust challenges you to hike every trail in the Lyme Preserves trail network (preserves cooperatively owned and or managed by the Lyme Land Trust, the Town of Lyme and The Nature Conservancy). Many of the trails are contiguous so you can check off a few in one day. It is a pleasant way to socialize with a small group of friends. Make it a family event!

#### It's easy!

1. Print the list on page 2 and check off the trails as you hike them.
2. Check out the interactive trail map of the preserves on the Lyme Land Trust (LLT) website to choose your hike. <https://www.lymelandtrust.org/properties/> Printed brochures are available at the Lyme Library or the Lyme Town Hall. We encourage you to take a picture of the large maps posted at most trailheads with your cell phone.
3. **That's it!**
4. Optional: Donate to the Lyme Land Trust to support the protection of natural spaces. Indicate whether you would like to get a sticker or a hat ( while supplies last). Questions: [info@lymelandtrust.org](mailto:info@lymelandtrust.org) or 860 434-5051.

Mail this page with your check to Lyme Land Trust, PO Box 1002, Lyme CT 06371.

- \$15 – to get a sticker
- \$30 – to get a hat
- Donation \_\_\_\_\_

#### Be safe in the woods and help us with land stewardship.

Be sure to tell someone where you are hiking, especially if you are alone.

Practice social distancing.

Bring water and dress for the weather.

Use protective measures against ticks. Ticks overwinter under leaf matter and are active above 45°.

Wear bright clothing until January 31. Be aware of preserve closures for hunting.

<https://www.lymelandtrust.org/hunting-program/>

While you are hiking, please help us maintain the trails.

Carry clippers and a small bag for trash.

Cut back vegetation that is encroaching on the path. Cut saplings (baby trees) low to the ground or leave waist high so you do not leave trip hazards or spikes for people to fall on.

Remove branches and sticks that have fallen on the path.

Remove invasive plants along the path, if you can identify them.

If you see a trail issue, such as a fallen tree, that requires our attention, please fill out a trail report or email [stewardchair@lymelandtrust.org](mailto:stewardchair@lymelandtrust.org).

<b>Lyme Preserve Area</b>	<b>Trail</b>	<b>Length(miles)</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>Date walked</b>	
Banningwood Preserve	Red	1			
	Yellow	0.7			
Beebe Preserve	Orange	1			
	Yellow Spur	0.1			
Hadlyme Hills – <i>Brockway-Hawthorne (B/H) Preserve, Ravine Trail, Selden Creek Preserve</i>	B/H White	1.2			
	B/H Yellow	0.3			
	B/H Orange	0.1			
	Purple	1.5			
	Ravine Red	0.8			
	Ravine Blue	0.3			
	Ravine Yellow	0.2			
	Selden Blue	0.9			
	Selden White	0.8			
	Selden Orange	0.25			
	Selden Yellow	0.16			
	Chestnut Hill Preserve	Orange	0.7		
		Yellow Spur	0.1		
River to Ridgetop Preserves– <i>Johnston Preserve, Jewett Preserve, Pleasant Valley (P/ V) Preserve, Mount Archer Woods, Eno Preserve, Pickwick's Preserve</i>	Johnston White	0.6			
	Johnston Green	0.1			
	Johnston Fushia	2.6			
	Johnston Yellow	0.6			
	Johnston Blue	0.1			
	Jewett White	1.8			
	Jewett Red	2.3			
	Jewett Purple	0.5			
	Jewett Yellow	0.7			
	Jewett Blue	0.3			
	Jewett Orange	0.13			
	P/V Blue	0.5			
	P/V Red	0.4			
	P/V Yellow	2.7			
	P/V Orange	0.2			
	Lyme Corner Trails – <i>Hartman Park, Walbridge Woodlands, Young Preserve</i>	Mt Archer/Eno White	1.9		
Mt Archer/Eno Red		0.8			
Mt Archer Yellow		1.2			
Mt Archer/Pickwick's Blue		0.42			
	Hartman–Park Road	1.4			
	Hartman Red	2.4			
	Hartman Orange	2.9			
	Hartman Green	0.25			
	Hartman Blue	0.6			
	Yellow Connectors	3			
	Walbridge White	0.9			
	Young Red	1.04			
Young White	0.4				
Honey Hill Preserve	Red	0.9			
Patrell Preserve	Red	1.05			
Plimpton Preserve	Red	1.75			
Roaring Brook Preserve	Red	0.7			
Thach Preserve	Red	0.6			
	Yellow	0.3			
	Purple	0.1			
<b>Total Trails and Miles</b>	<b>52 trails</b>	<b>46.25 miles</b>			