

## 2023 Friends of the Hennepin Canal Hike Schedule

You need not be a member of the Friends to join us in any of the hikes. There is no fee for the hikes.

We ask that you dress weather appropriately. For more detailed information to locate the meeting/parking site refer to [hikes@friends-hennepin-canal.org](mailto:hikes@friends-hennepin-canal.org) or phone Ed Herrmann at 815-664-2403 (home phone).

<b><u>Date</u></b>	<b><u>Hike Route</u></b>	<b><u>Length</u></b>	<b><u>Meet/Park @</u></b>	<b><u>Hike Name</u></b>
Jan. 15	<i>Bridge 52 to Bridge 56</i>	4.2 miles	<i>Bridge 56 (IL. Rt. 92)</i>	Red Squirrel
Feb. 19	<i>Lock 30 to Lock 32</i>	4.6 miles	Lock 30(Steel Dam/Milan)	Bald Eagle
Mar. 19	<i>Lock 6 to Lock 3</i>	4.5 miles	<i>Lock 3 (Il. Rt. 29)</i>	Great Blue Heron
Apr. 16	<i>Lock 21 to Bridge 15</i>	5.4 miles	<i>Br. 15 (Visitor's Ctr.)</i>	Raccoon
May 21	<i>Lock 33 to Br. 47</i>	4.9 miles	Lock 33 Rock Falls	Indigo Bunting
June 11	<i>Br. 41 to Lock 29</i>	3.7 miles	<i>Lock 29 (Colona)</i>	Woodchuck
July 16	<i>Br. 34 to Br. 37</i>	3.5 miles	<i>IL. Rt. 82 (Geneseo Campground)</i>	Woodcock
Aug. 20	<i>Br. 59 to Br. 56</i>	3.8 miles	<i>Br. 56 (IL. Rt. 92)</i>	Red Tail Hawk
Sept. 17	<i>Br. 50 to Br. 52</i>	4.1 miles	<i>Bridge 50 (IL. Rt. 172)</i>	Cottonwood
Oct. 15	<i>Br. 15 to Br. 17A</i>	4.8 miles	<i>Br. 15 (West Parking Lot, Visitor's Ctr.)</i>	Water Snake
Nov. 19	<i>Br. 62 to Lock 22</i>	4.7 miles	<i>Lock 22</i>	Red Winged Blackbird
December	No Hike – Happy Holidays			