

Natural Bridge Appalachian Trail Club

Hike Report Form



Hike Number _____ Date _____ Total miles hiked _____

Hike Description _____

Leader _____ Co-leader _____

Notes on views, plants and wildlife _____

In case of an emergency, call 911. Report the emergency and ask the dispatcher to call the Shenandoah Communications Center at 800-732-0911. File an Incident Report form.

Take that extra step. Write a short paragraph or so about your hike for submission to The Virginia Hiker. Pictures are always welcome. Include hiker's names with pictures. Contact Tom Morgan at tom.morgan.100@gmail.com. (Space limitations may apply.)

Introduce all guests and make them feel welcome. Inform them of Club Web Site and ways to obtain membership information.* Inform hikers of fee to be paid to volunteer drivers.

Note condition of trails and structures observed on your hike and report to Sam Ripley (434)237-4015 or David Helms (434)237-2180 or email [davidahelms@verizon.net](mailto: davidahelms@verizon.net). Even if no needed work is observed an "all clear" report is still helpful to maintainers. When reporting maintenance needed be sure to note exact location. For blowdowns please note size and type of tree, and whether it can be stepped over or must it be walked around by hikers. Report A.T., Blue Blaze, and BRP Trails.

Report volunteer hours for scouting and leading your hike by visiting NBATC.org; contacting Emily Helms via phone (434)237-2180 or email Helms50@verizon.net.

Mail Completed Hike Report Form to: **NBATC, P.O. Box 3012, Lynchburg, VA 24503**

IMPORTANT PLEASE READ

Responsibility for Safety: There are certain risks which are inherent in any hike or other Club activity. Each NBATC member, guest, or non-member hiker agrees to accept personal responsibility for his or her safety and the safety of minors accompanying such persons. The Club can not ensure the safety of any participant on hikes. In participating in Club hikes, each such person agrees to hold harmless and free of blame the hike leaders, and the NBATC, Inc, its officers and members, for any accident, injury, or illness which might be sustained from participation in hikes or other Club activities.

Signature	Printed Name	Member	Guest*	Emergency Contact Information
1.		Hike Leader		
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* **Guests: Visit NBATC.org or call Membership Chairperson Bill Bishop at 385-6349 to Request Membership Packet**