**Hikes and Outings Committee Report**

**Open Board Meeting**

**9/10/2022**

This year has been an interesting one between the reorganization of our club, covid, hot weather, lack of rain and other odds and ends. But hikes are still going out even during some of the heatwaves the northeast experienced this summer.

Our hikes this year have been varied and interesting including many with historical themes including the Torrey Memorial hike. Ray did a great presentation on Raymond Torrey the night before his hike.

Our annual Palm Sunday hike had an incredible turnout (20+ participants?)  This has been going since the mid 1930s.

Lewis will be leading an evening hike this month which should be interesting.

We're still looking for those interested in leading qualifying hikes as well as more casual hikes around camp or elsewhere in the park. The fall will hopefully bring some decent foliage and the winter may offer the possibility of snowshoeing (hopefully we'll have some winter weekends at camp).

Thanks to Ray, Stephanie, and Lewis for leading hikes this year. I hope to get out when the weather cools off a bit.

Thanks to committee members Ray and Ingrid as well.

* Glen Nison