

# happy trails.



**Our Parks**  
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## Manchester Trails Day 2018

All hikes are rain or shine. Please bring water and dress appropriately. [Cancellations will be made on-site.]

### JUNE 1

#### Doug Smith Island Dedication | 10:45 AM

*Hockanum River Linear Park Committee*  
Ceremony. Hike on your own.

**Distance:** 0.4 miles **Rating:** Easy  
155 Tolland Turnpike, Kohl's Parking Lot (NE Corner)

### JUNE 2

#### Early Childhood Hike | 10 - 11:30 AM

*Manchester Plays On!*  
Nature walk & trails mix at Northwest Park.

**Distance:** 0.25 miles **Rating:** Easy  
448 Tolland Turnpike, Early Childhood Center

#### Oakland Trail Hike | 10:00 AM

*Hockanum River Linear Park Committee*  
A riverside loop hike along the Hockanum River.

**Distance:** 2 miles **Rating:** Easy  
155 Tolland Turnpike, Kohl's Parking Lot (NE Corner)

#### Charter Oak Greenway | 1:00 PM

*Manchester Cycle Shop & Manchester Rec Division*  
Electric pedal assist demo & Yellow Bike Program information.

**Distance:** Varies **Rating:** Varies  
55 Charter Oak Street, East Coast Greenway Trail (Charter Oak Park)

#### Center Springs Loop Trail & Cheney Rail Trail Orientation | 1:00 PM

*Manchester Land Trust*  
Explore Center Springs Park, from the ancient gorge to the brand new entryway.

**Distance:** 1.5 miles **Rating:** Easy  
39 Lodge Drive, Center Springs Lodge Lot

#### The Highland Trail | 1:00 PM

*Manchester Conservation Commission*  
Summit Case Mountain for stunning views of Hartford and the Hartford River Valley.

**Distance:** 1.8 miles **Rating:** Moderate  
671 Spring Street, Case Mountain Spring Street Lot

### JUNE 3

#### Hop River Linear Trail | 9:00 AM

*Manchester Recreation Division*  
Out and back along the Hop River Trail.

**Distance:** 1-2 miles **Rating:** Easy  
178 Colonial Road, Manchester, CT 06042

#### Case Mt. Dog Hike | 10:00 AM

*Manchester Dog Owners Group*  
2 hour hike on Case Mountain. Dogs welcome.

**Distance:** 3 miles **Rating:** Moderate  
Case Pond Lot, Birch Mountain Road

#### New State Road Trail | 10:00 AM

*Hockanum River Linear Park Committee*  
Riverside hike. Must be able to negotiate a ladder.

**Distance:** 2.8 miles **Rating:** Easy  
791 Middle Turnpike West, Cheney Tech Lot (West)

#### Risley Park Hike | 1:00 PM

*Manchester Land Trust*  
Explore MLT's largest parcel with links to the CFPA's Blue Trail system.

**Distance:** 3.3 miles **Rating:** Strenuous  
366 Lake Street, Vernon CT 06066

#### Case Mt. Bike Ride | 1:00 PM

*New England Mountain Bike Association, Central CT Chapter*  
Guided hike for experienced mountain bikers. Helmets and appropriate gear required.

**Distance:** 10-15 miles **Rating:** Intermediate/Expert  
Case Mountain Line Street Lot

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For information contact the Department of Leisure, Family & Recreation

