



FAIRBANKS TRAILS CHALLENGE, SUMMER 2017

How many trails can you explore this summer? Take the Fairbanks Trails Challenge!

Trails List, 2017 Summer Challenge:

#1. Flicker Trail @ Tanana Lakes Recreation Area

- Parking for the Flicker Trail is near the South Cushman park entrance or at the Picnic Pavilion off Northlake Lane. This is a non-motorized trail. **Trail Walk 8/21/2017.**

#2. Blue Loop @ Birch Hill Recreation Area

- Parking for the Jim Whisenhant Trails is at the Birch Hill Recreation Area and Ski Center, located at 101 Wilderness Drive. These trails are non-motorized. Please respect disc-golf players in the summer! **Trail Walk 6/19/2017.**

#3. Skarland "6-Mile" Trail @ University of Alaska Fairbanks Campus

- Nearby parking for the trail is off Yankovich Road at the Large Animal Research Station. The full Skarland Trail travels on both sides of Yankovich, but the "6-Mile" section is to the south across the road on UAF property. This is a non-motorized trail. **Trail Walk 6/26/2017.**

#4. Mike Agbaba Bike Path @ Chena Lake Recreation Area

- Part of the Mike Agbaba Winter Trail becomes a bike path in the summer! In North Pole, follow Laurance Road to Chena Lake. Turn Left onto the Lake Park Road and use the East Lake parking spot (the first pullout on your right). Take the 0.9km trail to the right to access the 4.9km loop. Non-motorized from April 1st-October 30th. **Trail Walk 7/3/2017.**

#5. Black Baron @ Birch Hill Recreation Area

- Parking for the Jim Whisenhant Trails is at the Birch Hill Recreation Area and Ski Center, located at 101 Wilderness Drive. These trails are non-motorized. Please respect disc-golf players in the summer! **Trail Walk 7/10/2017.**

#6. River Loop Trail @ Chena Lake Recreation Area

- In North Pole, follow Laurance Road to enter Chena Lake Recreation Area. Near the end of the road, turn left onto the River Park Road. Parking is at the pavilion on the left. This is a non-motorized trail. **Trail Walk 7/17/2017.**

#7. Secret Trail @ Skyline Ridge Park

- From Farmer's Loop Road, take Summit Drive to Cranberry Ridge, or Skyline Drive to the top of Crestline Drive. Follow Cranberry Ridge uphill to Noel Drive. Public access to the park is at the Skyline Ridge trailhead at the top corner of Noel Drive and M.I.A. Street. Parking is limited. This is a non-motorized trail. **Trail Walk 7/24/2017.**

#8. Eastside Upland Trail @ Isberg Recreation Area

- Parking for this trailhead and the Isberg Recreation Area is located off Oboe Court near the intersection of Isberg and Cripple Creek Roads. From the parking lot, take the powerline trail about 0.9mi to the east. Check out the trail north of the powerline. Rubber boots recommended! This is a multiple-use trail. **Trail Walk 7/31/2017.**

#9. Equinox Marathon Trail @ Ester Dome Road

- Travel up Ester Dome Road about 1 mile past the St. Patrick's Road intersection. Parking is on the left at the Happy Valley Singletrack trails. Walk down Ester Dome Road and look for the Equinox sign on the north (left/uphill) side of the road. This is a notoriously tough uphill section of the Equinox Marathon that takes runners around Ester Dome Road to Henderson Road. **Trail Walk 8/7/2017.**

#10. The "Mr. B" 1K Trail @ Two Rivers Recreation Area

- At Mile 18 Chena Hot Springs Road turn north onto Two Rivers Road. Parking for the ski trails is at the Two Rivers School building. Look for the non-motorized ski trails on the north side of the school road. **Trail Walk 8/14/2017.**

Trails Challenge Instructions: www.fnsb.us/pr/documents/2017SummerChallengeInstructions.pdf

Explore on your own or join the Trail Walks on Monday evenings @ 6PM-8PM!

For more information call the Parks and Rec office at 459-1070 or email park@fnsb.us.