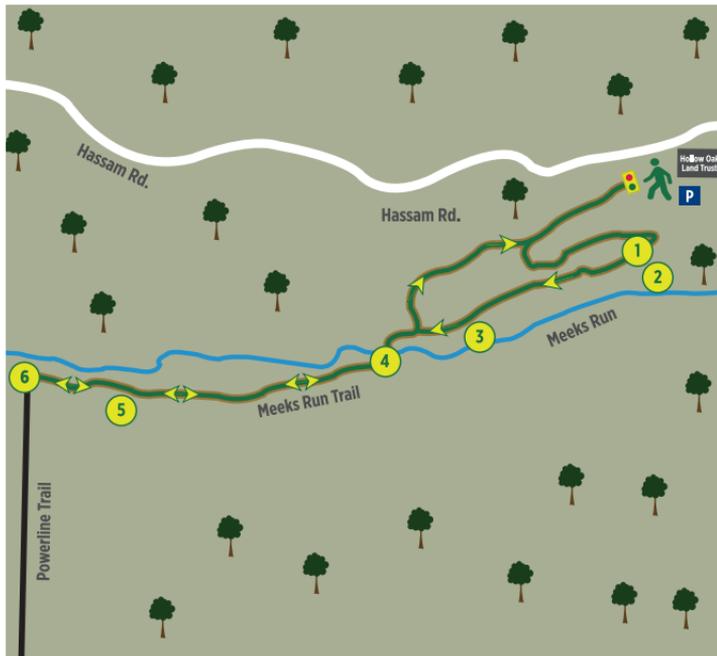


Meeks Run Trail Route



- ① Building Foundation
- ② Picnic Pavilion
- ③ Waterfall
- ④ Stream Crossing Without Bridge
- ⑤ Vernal Pool
- ⑥ Powerline Trail
- P Parking
- Start/Stop

..... Distance 1.45 Miles

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Building Foundation

This part of the Montour Woods Conservation Area was once a farm with chickens, cows and hayfields. The remains of one of the farm buildings can still be seen on the Trail.

2

Picnic Pavilion

Hollow Oak Land Trust installed the picnic pavilion in 2015, thanks to a grant from recreational equipment retailer: REI.

3

Waterfall

Meeks Run pours over a sandstone ledge forming a scenic waterfall just below a large, hollow sycamore tree. The stream is home to 25 species of fish, including successful spawning by brown trout from Montour Run.

4

Stream Crossing Without Bridge

Meeks Run is usually only ankle deep, so this stream crossing does not pose much of a challenge. Bridges will soon be built at this crossing and others, thanks to a grant from the Regional Asset District. The stream is the cleanest, healthiest stream in the Montour Run watershed.

5

Vernal Pool

A special breeding habitat for amphibians, vernal pools support wood frogs, spring peepers, Jefferson salamanders, slimy salamanders, red salamanders, spotted salamanders and other species that call Montour Woods Conservation Area home.

6

Powerline Trail

The Powerline Trail leads past a row of Osage orange trees (aka Monkeyballs) up and out of the stream valley to the wooded highlands, including Honeydew Trail, Hemlocks Trail, Highlands Trail and the Nike Trail.