

# OUR FAVORITE HIKES - No. 26

## NINE O'CLOCK RUN CIRCLE HIKE

PART ONE OF TWO.  
Suggested by Bob Keyes

For this hike, go north on PA Rte 225, over Peters Mountain, and take the first paved road to the right, in Halifax, toward Lykens. Past Minich Hit Picnic Area, park at a Game Commission parking area at Greenland Road.

Ly parking area going in on Greenland road, then taking the first woodland road to the right. Follow this to its end. . . . . 1.33 m  
This road now becomes a trail, and passes another trail to left. . . . . 1.52 m  
and crosses the Greenland Trail, . . . . . 2.48 m  
Trail gradually narrows into a foot-path, finally reaching the Hosler Trail, slashing in from the right. . . . . 4.48 m  
Follow the Hosler Trail to a junction with Greenland Road. . . . . 4.62 m  
Turn right on Greenland Road for about 500 feet. . . . . 4.71 m  
Hosler Trail turns left, follow it to an intersection with another north-south trail, with a sign marked: "Carls Crossroads." . . . . 5.71 m  
Turn right and follow this trail as it gradually descends into a valley, and crosses a small stream. About 100 feet beyond the stream, a narrow trail goes to the left. . . . . 6.05 m

Turn left and follow this trail, until you come to a small pond behind a dam. Just beyond the dam, another trail runs north-south. . . . . 6.81 m  
This is the Greenland Trail.  
Turn left and follow it along Mine O'Clock Run, reaching Greenland Road. . . . . 8.43 m  
Turn right on Greenland Road, and follow it back to your car.  
Greenland Trail leaves Greenland Road to the left. . . . . 8.52 m  
and another trail crosses the Greenland Road. . . . . 9.62 m  
At the parking area. . . . . 10.86 m  
This is a very pretty hike, through woods, along streams, and across fields, in Game Lands #210.

