

# Hike / Bike: Stony Hill Loops

formally White #4 bike & Blue/Orange hike loop

**Class 1 3.7 miles 720' vertical 1.9 hours 75% bike trail 100% combo loop**



The hike begins from the parking area on either side of Scoville Road near the stop sign for route 69. ( 41.742389, -72.972278 ). Follow the White (W) trail east across route 69, bearing to the left to go around 2 sides of Lamson Corner Cemetery. The W trail meanders through the forest with little elevation change & marked by only a few painted blazes. At 0.6 miles you reach the sign at the White/Yellow (W/Y) bike trail. Follow the sign direction to the Ball Field to stay on the W trail. At 1.4 you reach the White/Purple (W/P) bike trail junction sign. Continue toward the Ball Fields which is where the W trail ends. Cross the Blue/Orange (B/O) trail at 1.6 miles and continue south on the W trail. At 2.1 miles turn left at a "T" junction with a sign to follow the W trail toward the Ball Field. (There is also a sign pointing 0.7 miles to the W/P trail you passed earlier) At 2.6 miles, you reach the wide Blue/Yellow (B/Y) trail. Turn left (north) and follow it to the junction with the B/O trail at 2.9 miles Turn 90 degrees west to follow the B/O trail on Stony Hill Road back to your car. You will soon discover why "stony" is a very appropriate name.

Two alternative distance options:

2.4 miles: At the junction with with the B/O trail at 1.6 miles, turn right (west) and follow the B/O back to your car.

5.5 miles: After crossing the B/Y trail at 2.5 continue straight on the W trail to its junction with the B/O at 4.2.

Turn west & follow the B/O back to your car (note the directions for Reservoir Ridge)

The W blaze is a painted white rectangle marking the original bike trail. Hikers should respect this trail by stepping aside to allow any bikers to pass. Bikers can respectfully use this 100% combo loops, since these hiking trails are dirt roads and wide enough for both. The hiking B/O hiking trail is marked with blue plastic rectangles with orange at the bottom. The B/Y trail has yellow at the bottom.