



# 2015 Trail Building Season at a Glance

DATE	PROJECT NAME	THE BIG PICTURE	REGISTERED
March 27-29	<b>Crew Leader Retreat, Marathon County</b>	Crew leaders are at the leading edge of the Ice Age Trail Alliance's successes. If you're leading crews, or you've attended MSC Crew Leadership & Skills or Camp Chef trainings, this retreat is for you. Talk over tips and tricks with fellow crew leaders, refresh and learn new skills, and learn how to apply these techniques on and off trail. Base camp, with indoor facilities, is near Wausau.	
April 30 - May 3	<b>Stonework Workshop, Columbia County</b>	This event is for trail builders with a keen interest in gaining experience placing, shaping, moving and using rock. Space is limited – please go to <a href="http://iceagetrail.org/event/stonework-workshop-columbia-county/">iceagetrail.org/event/stonework-workshop-columbia-county/</a> to download an application if you're interested in attending.	
May 27-31	<b>Rib Lake Segment, Taylor County</b>	A thousand-mile journey happens one step at a time. The first on-the-ground step in restoring a 5-mile portion of the Rib Lake Segment, this project digs deep into terrific glacial terrain. Join with young and old and help kick off the first large-scale trail building event of the year.	
June 24-28	<b>Storrs Lake Segment, Rock County</b>	Since first opening in 2004, a key design element and compelling story of the Storrs Lake Segment of the Ice Age National Scenic Trail has been hidden from view – the Milton Moraine, courtesy of the last continental glaciation. Let's change that! Help craft a half-mile reroute among glacial kettles, restore an oak savanna and woodland and complete trail maintenance needs.	
July 22-26	<b>Ice Age Trail University, Columbia County</b>	Summer school is in session at Gibraltar Rock. Learn new skills and hone techniques at a variety of sessions, including Working with Youth, Tread 101, First Aid, Camp Chef and more – there's a training for you!	
Aug 18-23	<b>Lapham Peak Segment, Waukesha County</b>	One of the most heavily used sections of Ice Age Trail needs a facelift. Major restoration work has opened new possibilities to reroute and upgrade badly eroded sections of the Ice Age Trail to create a sustainable, more enjoyable experience. Boardwalk construction, rock work and the legacy of Increase Lapham will make this project a blockbuster!	
Sept 15-20	<b>Rib Lake Segment, Taylor County</b>	Early fall in the Northwoods promises to be a treat, both in the field and around the campfire! We return to Rib Lake and continue crafting new trail in this wonderful glacial landscape.	
Sept 16-19	<b>Boardwalk Workshop, Taylor County</b>	Always wanted to know how and why a boardwalk is built? Are you hungry for a hands-on learning experience focused on working with wood? At this event, help build 200 feet of elevated boardwalk and leave with the ability to use this knowledge elsewhere on the trail. Space is limited – please go to <a href="http://iceagetrail.org/event/boardwalk-workshop/">iceagetrail.org/event/boardwalk-workshop/</a> to download an application if you're interested in attending.	
Oct 13-18	<b>Hartman Creek Segment, Portage &amp; Waupaca Counties</b>	This project gives the Ice Age Trail its own home within popular Hartman Creek State Park, enabling year-round use by hikers and snowshoers. Kettles, erratics and towering oak and pine present a beautiful setting for this 1.5-mile trail reroute. The last project of the year is always a hoot – don't miss out!	



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