

Old Lyme, CT Trail Passport

Explore

Place your stamps in the boxes below! (Staple booklet together)

Bartholomew	Champlain North
Champlain South	Goberis- Chadwick
Mile Creek	Griswold

...You've made it!!! Bring your stamped booklet to your P.E. teacher in Mile Creek or Center School!

2011 Girl Scout Gold Award Project
by Shannon Chapman

FYI:

Sign in boxes are at each trail on the map

*** Go to wooden box on tree:
observation sheets!

Tips: Be careful for: ticks, poison ivy,
bugs, long grass...

* Don't litter * Use sneakers

Animals allowed on trails under
supervision! Please clean up after pets.

Difficulty of trails:



1 tree= easy, 3= difficult!

Map= Not all to scale. General shape is shown.

Overall, respect the properties and wildlife.
Please observe all Old Lyme Open Space
and Old Lyme Land Trust rules and
regulations.

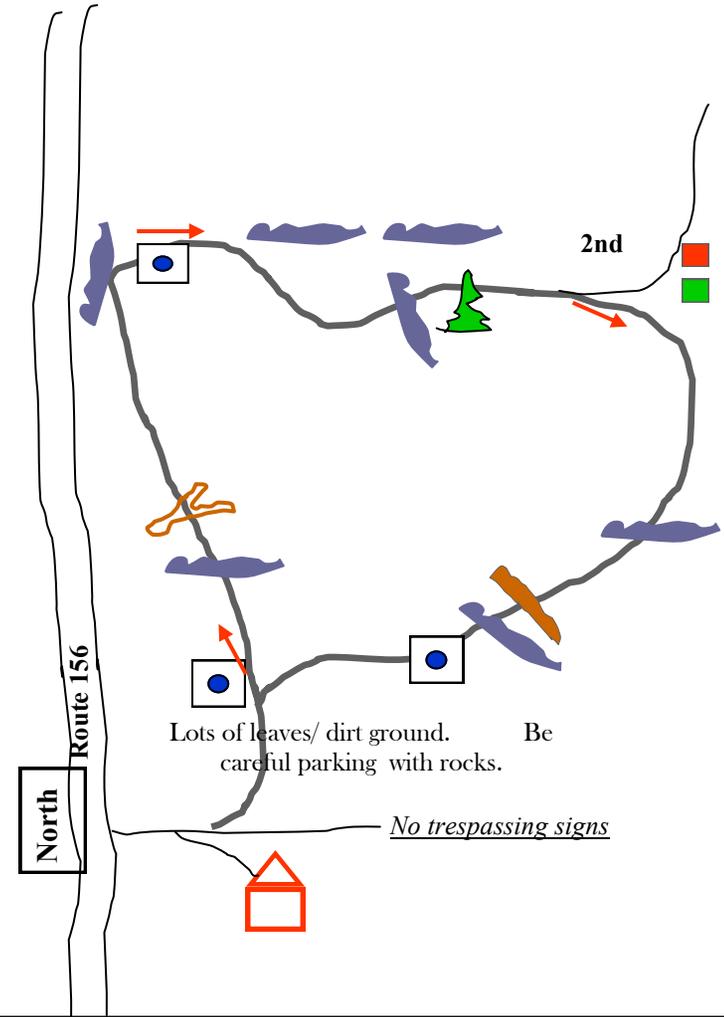
P.S.: Always walk with an adult!

Trail Passport Guide for Objects:

- Log
- Fish
- Bridge
- Water
- House
- Look at a cool tree!
- Stonewall
- Rock ledge
- Trail Markers
- A lot of ferns
- Grassy area
- Guiding Arrows

Goberis- Chadwick

Where is it located? At 372 Shore
Road/1-56. Pull into the driveway and stay
to the left side- please don't disturb the
house on the right.

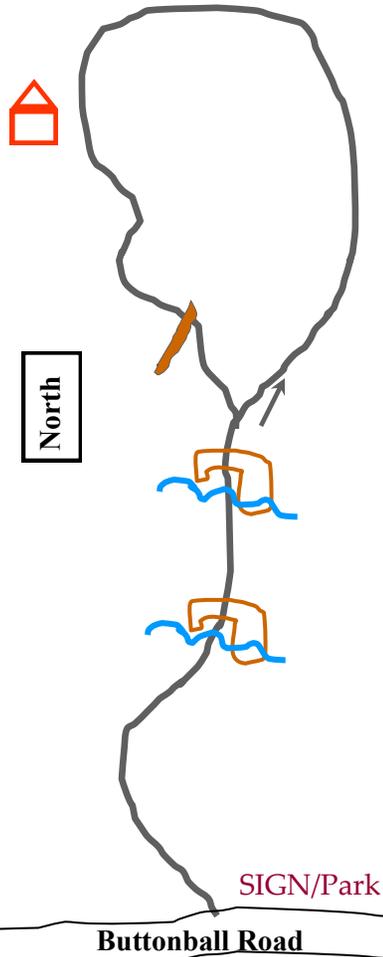


Time: 15 minute loop- follow white/
blue markers; a second loop is indicated
with green/red- it can be narrow.

Bartholomew Preserve



Where is it located? Off of Buttonball Road. From Rt 156, the Preserve is on the other side of the bridge. From Mile Creek Road it is on the left side of Buttonball, right before the bridge— easy to miss.
Small parking area.

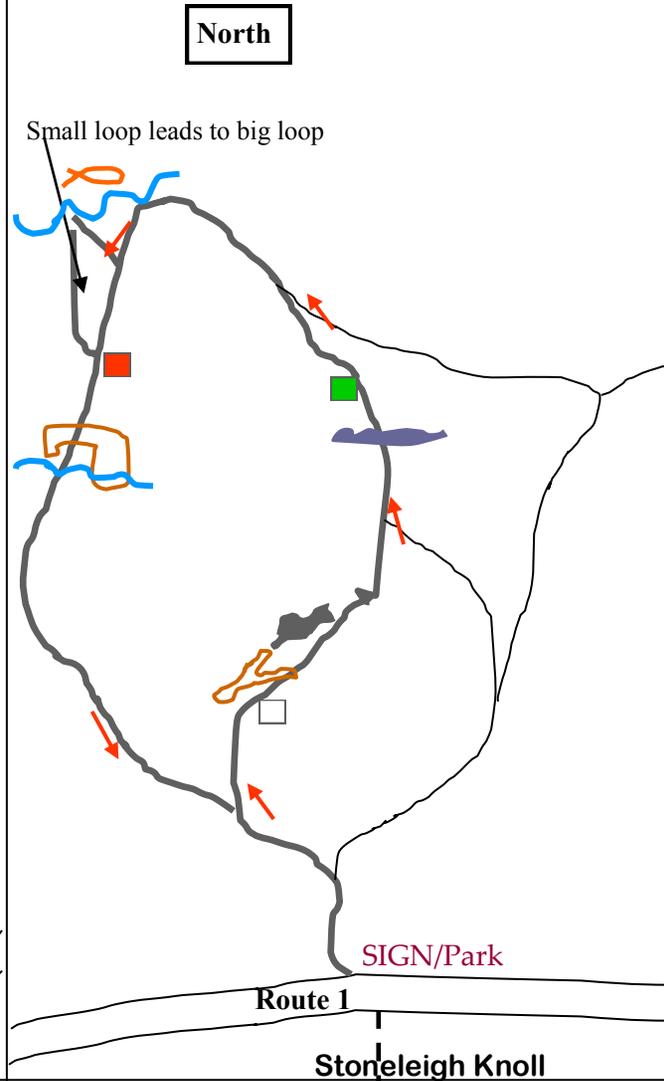


Time: 20- 30 minute walk

George & Woodward H. Griswold Preserve



Where is it located? It is off of Boston Post Road, across from Stoneleigh Knoll. There is a nice parking area. Enter to the left side of the trail.

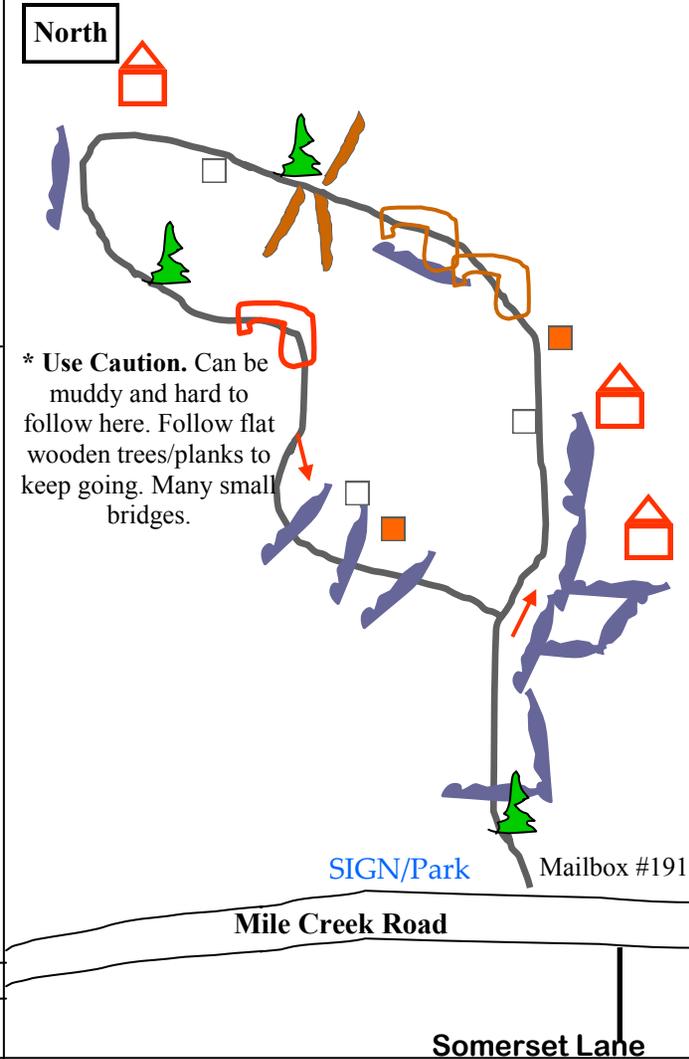


Time: 20-30 minute loop in bold to left- you can try the right side too.

Mile Creek Preserve



Where is it located? Next to 191 Mile Creek Road— look for the sign. There is a small parking area. Not great for big dogs— it can be muddy.
*It can be hard to follow. Stay where the flat planks are.

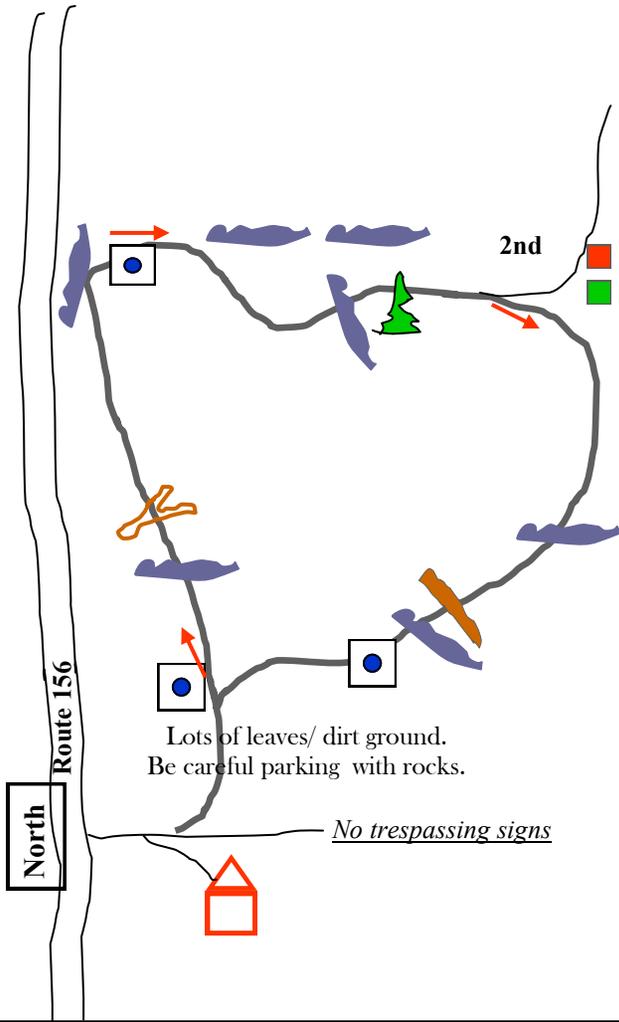


Time: 30- 40 minute walk

Goberis– Chadwick

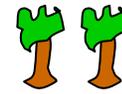


Where is it located? At 372 Shore Road/156. Pull into the driveway and stay to the left side– please don't disturb the house on the right.

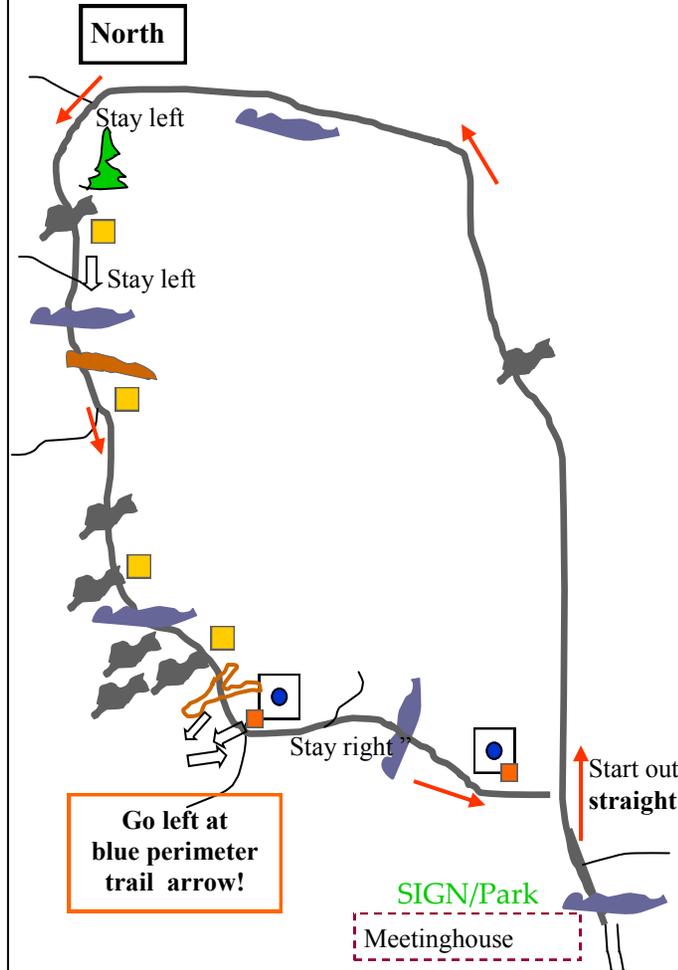


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Champlain South

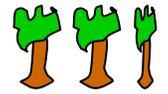


Where is it located? Drive from Lyme Street onto Johnny Cake Hill Road. Take Meetinghouse Lane to the top and park to the side of the circle.

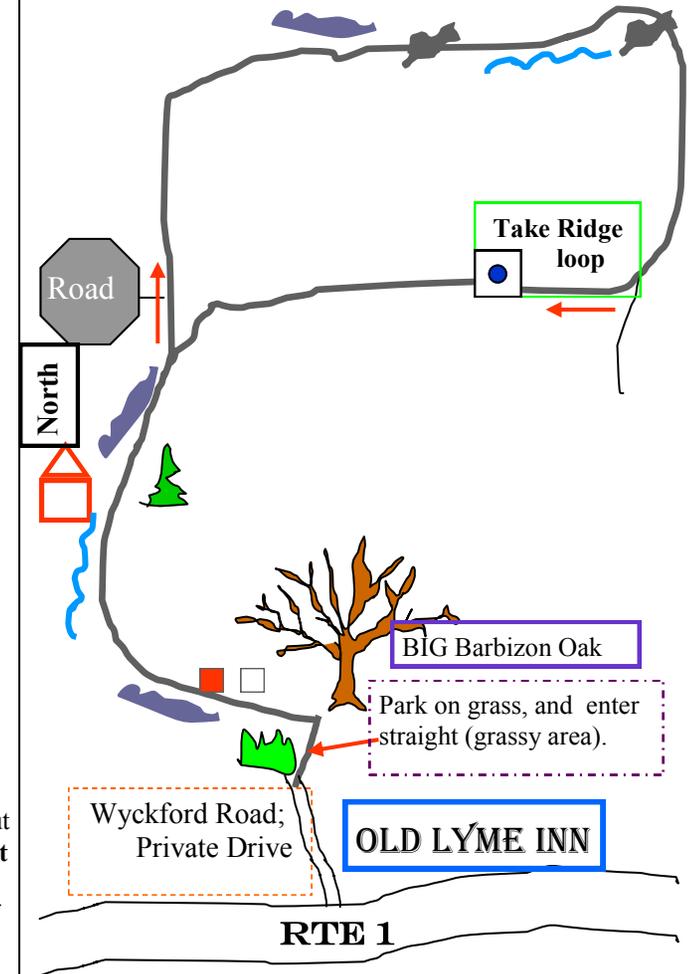


Time: ~30 minute loop– Follow **bold** lines.
*Trail will lead off in different directions; follow closely! Champlain South has a LOT of trails.

Champlain North



Where is it located? At the end of Wyckford Road (the private drive to the left of the Old Lyme Inn). Drive to the back and park in the grass.



Time: Plan about an hour.
***Ideal to walk after July, once nesting is over. The grass can get tall and is mowed after nesting. Watch out for ticks in the grass.