

10TH ANNUAL PASSPORT

Catskill Fire Tower Hikes

MAY 12 - OCT. 8, 2018

Balsam Lake Mountain

Moderate:
3.5 - 6 mi. R.T.
elev. 3,723'

Date

Red Hill

Moderate:
3 mi. Round Trip
elev. 2,990'

Date

Tremper Mountain

Moderate to Difficult:
6 mi. Round Trip
elev. 2,740'

Date

Hunter Mountain

Moderate to Difficult:
4 - 7 mi. R.T.
elev. 3,723'

Date

Overlook Mountain

Moderate:
6 mi. Round Trip
elev. 3140'

Date

Turn in this form by
2:00pm Mon., Oct. 8, 2018
to enter the drawing

Name of Adventurer

From City, State

Phone

Email

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HIKE & ENTER TO WIN:

Osprey Daylight Pack



Darn Tough VT Socks



Luci Solar Light



Fire Tower Hikes Passport Guidelines

- Hike** to **ONE** or more of the five Catskill Fire Towers between May 12 - October 8, 2018
- Enter** hike details on your Morgan Outdoors Five Fire Tower Hikes Passport.
- Turn in** your Passport at Morgan Outdoors by **Monday, October 8, 2:00pm** to enter the drawing for three great prizes!

HISTORY:

Years ago, fire observers watched over the Catskill forests from 23 towers, searching for signs of forest fires. Today, only 5 steel towers remain in the 287,500-acre Catskill Park; restored by volunteers so you can enjoy amazing views. Restorations made possible through partnership between volunteers, NYSDEC, and the Catskill Center.

DIFFICULTY:

Hikes range from "kinda easy" to "gosh darn tough." Red Hill is a great beginner choice.

MAPS:

The NY/NJ Trail Conference produced a special brochure for each Fire Tower, with a trail map and hiking guidelines. Available at Morgan Outdoors or online: <https://www.nynjtc.org/map/catskill-fire-tower-maps>

PASSPORT:

On weekends from Memorial Day to Columbus Day, all 5 fire towers are open. Volunteers on duty will be happy to provide you information about the views, the history of the fire tower, information on the surrounding forest preserve, and a card to remind you of your visit.

BADGES:

You may earn a Catskill Fire Tower badge when you turn in your Passport at Morgan Outdoors or by mail (with a stamped, self-addressed envelope). First 100 people to turn in Passports receive a badge.

What are you waiting for?! Get hiking! If you need driving directions we're happy to help.

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