

Trail Report: Fiscal Year 2016

Oct 10, 2015 Trail Day, rainy weather delayed start. Started work taking out the culvert at low section of East Kolb Farm Trail. (est. 40 volunteers)

Oct 11, 2015 Naval Reserve team came to continue work on culvert. Got the concrete culvert pieces out of the creek and put the bridge together. Tremendous effort, work accomplished. (est. 20 volunteers)

Oct 17, 2015 KSU Accounting Class work @ CCC- Invasive plant clearing (est. 35 volunteers)

Oct 22, 2015 Assist park staff in set up and teardown for Army Music Group concert. (est. 6 volunteers)

Oct 23, 2015 Bank of America volunteer group. Installed very large, heavy rocks at CCC steps to Big K (at road) and invasive plant work. (est. 15 volunteers)

Nov 14, 2015 Trail Day: Finish up WKF Bridge, drainage and invasive work. (est. 125 volunteers)

Dec 12, 2015 Trail Day: Very cold weather; started work on back side of Little K Trail (moved large rock) (est. 68 volunteers)

Jan 9, 2016 Trail Day: continued work on backside of Little K Trail. (est. 85 volunteers)

Jan 16, 2016 Lucy's Spin Class group: Started work on horse ramp crossing at Horse Trailer Lot. Also, cleaned up and felled several large trees at the lot. (est. 15 volunteers)

Jan 18, 2016 MLK Day @ Ken Mtn; inner city YMCA groups came to work on the Environmental Trail (est. 30 volunteers)

Feb 13, 2016 Trail Day: Very cold weather; continued work on backside Little K and group worked on ramp at Horse Trailer Lot (fencing & Rock). (est. 185 volunteers)

March 10, 2016 Phobio volunteer group: Installed very large rocks at base of Little K concrete steps. (est. 16 volunteers)

March 12, 2016 Trail Day: Base of Little K trail work. (est. 90 volunteers)

March 19, 2016 KSU Greeks: Clear and chip brush @ CCC (est. 30 volunteers)

April 2, 2016 Civil War Trust – Park Day: Visitor Center and picnic area cleanup & chipping. Thanks Bill Gurey for taking lead. (est. 80 volunteers)

April 9, 2016 Trail Day: Clean up and dress Environmental Trail and Visitor Center – prep for visit by Jon Jarvis, Head of NPS (est. 100 volunteers)

April 15, 2016 Crew Leaders special work; final cleanup and prep for NPS Head visit (est. 8 volunteers)

April 16, 2016 Jr Ranger Day, Set up and assist without door displays for this special event. Visit by Jon Jarvis and many top staff from district. (est. 150 participants)

May 14, 2016 Trail Day: scrape and rework assault trail from Cheatham Hill Rd to woods. Also, repair Rock supports at bridges and invasive plant work at hill crest. (est. 100 volunteers)

June 4, 2016 REI sponsored National Trails Day: Worked along the West Kolb Farm Trail. Cleared vegetation and worked the trail southwest of the steel tail bridge for some 200 yards. (est. 100 volunteers)

June 11, 2016 Trail Day: worked trail from canon by road to Texas Monument. Cleaned brush from canon areas and cleared logs from earthworks behind Illinois Monument (prep for 152nd) Cleared brush at area on yet to be completed Hawk crossing. (est. 60)

June 13, 2016 SCA Team arrives- 4 weeks of trail work and experiences! (10 volunteers + varied # of crew leaders)

June 24, 2016 Jr Civitan International convention work and hike : Afternoon project, did upper edge channeling and added wood chips to the visitor center trail (prep for Field of Flags), hike of varied length and pizza picnic @ picnic area. Excellent achievement ! (est. 200 volunteers)

June 25, 2016 152nd Commemoration – assist with set ups and hikes(est. 6 volunteers)

July 4, 2016 Marietta's 4th of July Parade. (est. 18 volunteers)

Aug 12, 2016 Walker School Day. Work along mid mountain fire road. (est. 100 volunteers)
Thank you to Bruce Rugg for being Lead for this event

August 13, 2016 Trail Day: Move 4 pallets of rock up the backside of Big K Trail, invasive plant work. (est. 90 volunteers)

August 20, 2016 Set up and teardown for "Movie Night 100th anniversary event. (est. 6 volunteers)

August 26, 2016 Bank of America volunteer group : Built reinforcement at Mtn Top end of asphalt trail. Carried almost a pallet of rock down trail (from Mtn Top). (est. 14 volunteers)

Sept 10, 2016 Assist set up of Field of Flags, installed rebar and opened fence (3 places), distributed bottled water: (est. 12 volunteers)

Sept 17, 2016 Assist with pulling Field of Flags (flags and rebar). (est. 8 volunteers)

Sept 23, 2016 Flight Works Aviation volunteer group (Included CEO). Added large rocks to Grand Stair Case (est. 11 volunteers)

Sept 24, 2016 Assist with set up and teardown Lucy's "Bike Your Park" event: (4 volunteers)

Sept 29, 2016 Assist with setup and teardown for "Grandparents Day" (4 volunteers)

Oct 1, 2016 Annual Meeting report presentation by Doug Tasse, President
Ken Hale Trails Director out of town (Arizona).