

## Peaked Mountain Trails, Monson

Peaked Mountain, a 296-acre Trustees of Reservations property, offers spectacular views of undisturbed forested landscapes from its 1,227-foot summit. Visitors can hike the top of Peaked Mountain through a trail network (3.5 miles) or take an easy walk around Linden Pond (1.5 miles) at the Miller Forest Tract.

<b>Location:</b>	From Route 32 in Monson turn right onto High St.; left on Ely Rd, then go straight at stop sign on Lower Hampden Rd, in .25 mile turn left onto Butler Rd.; continue 0.5 miles to entrance.
<b>Trail Type:</b>	Marked off-road (old fire roads) and dirt single track
<b>Length/Difficulty:</b>	5 miles, involving 8 trails; Strenuous on Peaked Mountain; easy walking on Miller Forest Tract trails
<b>Permitted Uses:</b>	Walking, hiking, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, horseback riding, and bird watching
<b>Parking:</b>	Miller Forest Tract: designated parking for up to 6 cars Peaked Mountain Tract Entrance: designated parking for up to 20 cars.
<b>Facilities:</b>	Picnic tables near the Peaked Mountain Tract parking lot and near the Linden Pond in the Miller Forest Tract
<b>Information:</b>	<a href="http://www.thetrustees.org/places-to-visit/pioneer-valley/peaked-mountain.html">http://www.thetrustees.org/places-to-visit/pioneer-valley/peaked-mountain.html</a>