

# WEANTINOGE HERITAGE LAND TRUST

## Candlewood Mountain Preserve, New Milford, 3.3 ac

### OVERVIEW:

Moderate to difficult due to sections with steep topography and boulders. Sturdy footwear and microspikes are recommended when wet or icy.

### HIGHLIGHTS:

Weantinoge protects two small preserves between Pine Knob and Candlewood Mt. and sections of Connecticut Forest & Park Association's Blue-blazed Housatonic Range Trail. The other land along this Trail is private but not apt to be developed soon because of the steepness. Hikers will have to use their hands on this trek at the giant pile of talus boulders known as the "corkscrew." The trail does actually spiral up through the mammoth heap.

### DIRECTIONS:

From the traffic light at the Route 7 and Route 37 intersection, travel 0.1 mi westward along Rt. 37 to the small parking area at the Candlewood Mt. Rd. intersection. Higher clearance vehicles are recommended as the parking area is rocky.

### CONTACTS:

As with a visit to any Weantinoge preserve, if you have questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call the Weantinoge office at (860) 927-1927 or email us at [info@weantinoge.org](mailto:info@weantinoge.org). The Connecticut Forest & Park Association can be reached at (860) 346-TREE and [info@ctwoodlands.org](mailto:info@ctwoodlands.org).

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