



The massive stone stack of Split Rock Furnace still stands amidst the ruins of the village that once housed the workers needed to keep it in blast 24 hours a day. The remains of the forge, charcoal houses, and an ore roaster stand nearby.

SPLIT ROCK

Morris County's only Surviving Iron Furnace

Saturday, April 22 – 10:00 AM

Led by Joe Macasek and Bierce Riley

This walk offers a rare opportunity to visit Morris County's only standing iron furnace and to explore the remnants of the village that supported its operation. This site has had a long and complex history starting in the 1790s and lasting well into the 1880s. A tribute to several generations of family ownership and technical innovations. The visit will include a look at the impressive stone furnace stack, the forge site and an examination of the archeological remains of this once-thriving community. This is an archeology hike with a moderate amount of off-trail walking, sometimes over uneven terrain. Come equipped with sturdy shoes and a lot of imagination!

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Directions for the Splitrock Furnace – April 22

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