ABOUT THE PRESERVE

In 2015, after five years of negotiations, the 73-acre Pinnacle property was finally protected thanks to a partnership between LGLC, the Town of Bolton, and the FUND for Lake George, which provided major financial support for its acquisition. In addition, nearly 300 individuals, families, businesses and foundations contributed to the project. The enormous outpouring of community support was essential to the project's success, and helped to make this a landmark achievement.

This trail system was expanded in 2021, when the LGLC and Town of Bolton partnered again to protect 62 acres connected to The Pinnacle known as Bradley's Lookout. Together, these properties provide spectacular views of Lake George with minimal effort, while also protecting the water quality of the lake.

These lands and the adjoining Bolton Community Center are at the epicenter of the Bolton Recreational Hub, a collaborative project created to promote conservation, recreation and community resilience. For more about the Hub, visit **lglc.org/projects/bolton-recreational-hub**.

GUEST RULES

- Park only in the designated areas.
- Stay on the marked trails to avoid damage to surrounding vegetation.
- Be courteous of other guests.
- **Dogs must be kept on a leash at all times. Please clean up after your dog; do not leave plastic dog waste bags on the property.**
- To protect the Preserve's natural resources and trail stability, horses are not permitted.
- No camping or fires.
- No unauthorized removal of plants or animals.
- No motorized or non-motorized vehicles beyond the parking area.
- Please help us keep the preserve clean; take out all trash with you. Do not litter.
- This property is owned by the Town of Bolton and managed by the Lake George Land Conservancy. To report trail damage or maintenance issues, please call 518-644-9673 or email stewardship@lglc.org.
- **In case of emergency, call 911.**

HOW TO VISIT

This preserve is a free resource, open to the public year-round, dawn to dusk.

Main Parking Area:
Edgecomb Pond Road, Bolton, NY 12814
(0.3 miles north of Bolton Community Center)
Coordinates: 43.557024, -73.681616

If the parking lot is full, please park at the Bolton Conservation Park, at 56 Edgecomb Pond Rd.

SUPPORT THE LGLC

Help us keep these trails safe and enjoyable for years to come. Scan or visit hikelakegeorge.org to make a tax-deductible donation online.

Get trail updates, event notices and more—follow us on Facebook and Instagram @HikeLakeGeorge and share with the hashtag, #HikeLakeGeorge.

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RED TRAIL TO THE PINNACLE

Moderate; mostly gradual inclines, 1/2-mile section of steeper, rocky ascent. Total elevation gain: 548 ft., average slope 13% (max: 45%).

1.1 miles to summit (ave. 60 minute hike to view)

Trail includes a wooden bridge; ends at an overlook with expansive view of Lake George.

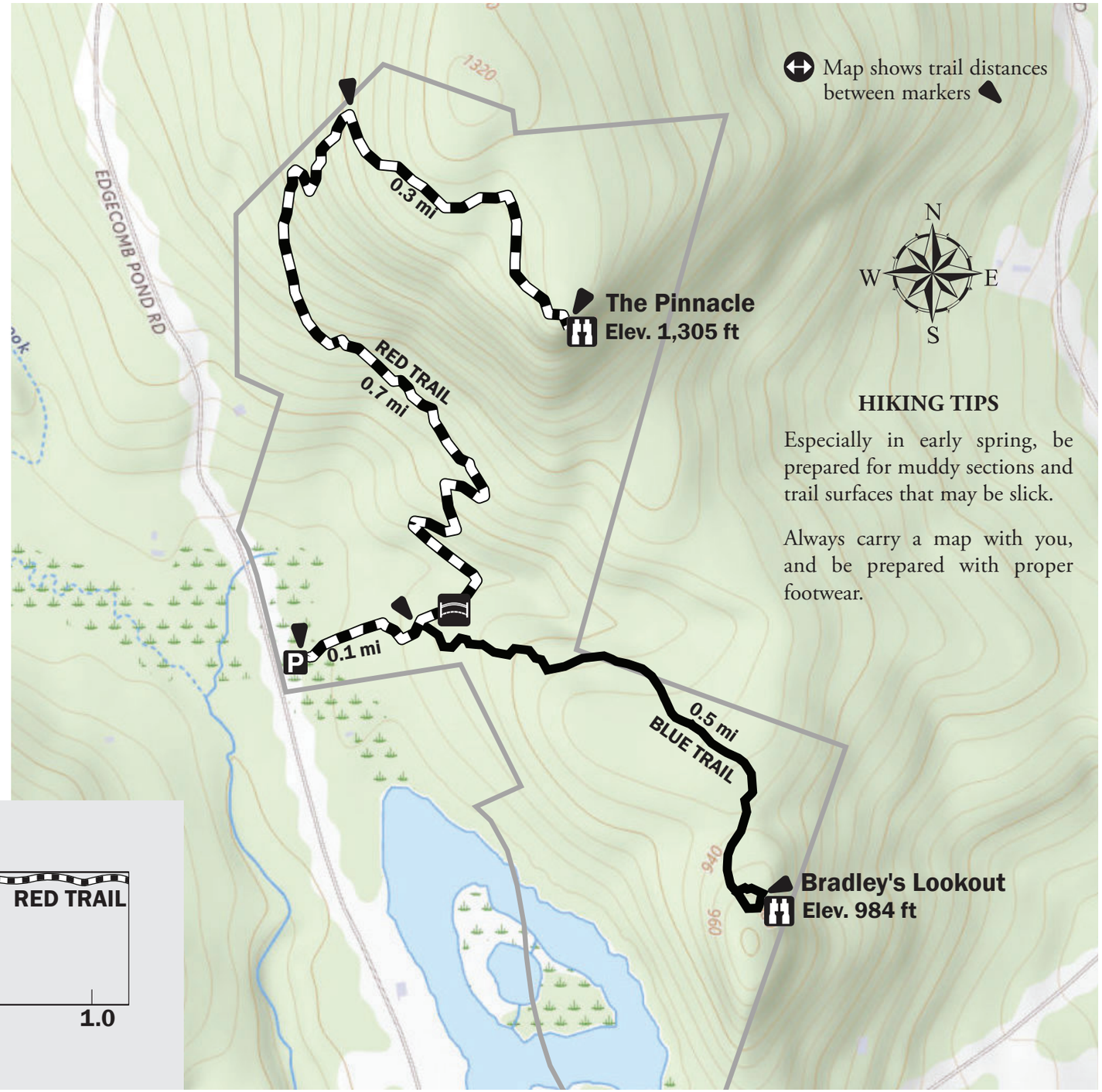
BLUE TRAIL TO BRADLEY'S LOOKOUT

Moderate; mostly gradual incline, short section of steeper ascent near the lookout. Total elevation gain: 144 ft., average slope 5% (max: 18%).

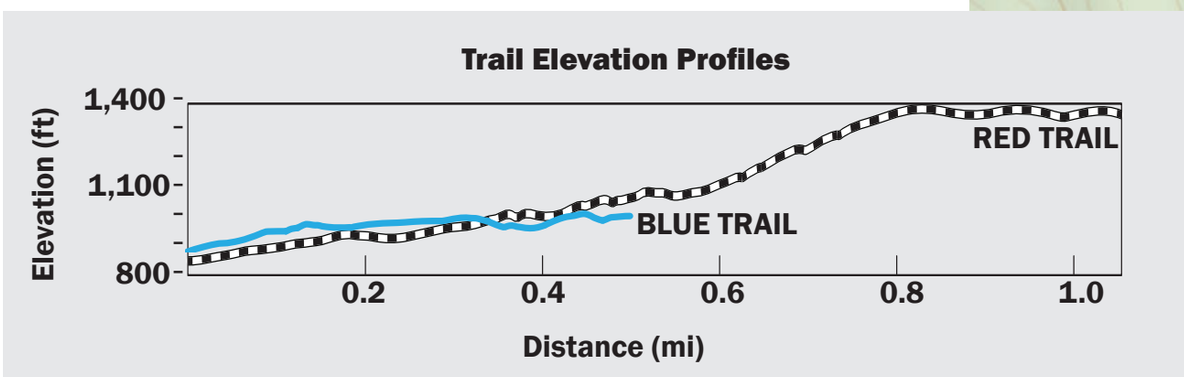
0.5 miles to view from Red Trail turnoff (total 0.6 miles from the parking lot) (ave. 20-30 minute hike to view)

Great, short option for families and those looking for an easier way to a great view of Lake George.

The view at Bradley's Lookout has a Chronolog station, a citizen-science effort to document our environment over time. Using your phone, take a picture from the platform and email it to **upload@chronolog.io** with the subject line "LGL102" to contribute. Check out the time lapse at **https://www.chronolog.io/site/LGL102**.



HIKING TIPS

Especially in early spring, be prepared for muddy sections and trail surfaces that may be slick.

Always carry a map with you, and be prepared with proper footwear.