

Dear Danielle,

We have been walking on Checkerberry Hill for years with the permission of John Renfrew. What is the school policy for use of Checkerberry by community members? We live 100 yards away and directly opposite NES. We would like to keep walking there.

Thanks,

David Tansey  
10/12/21

Mr. Tansey-

Thank you for reaching out. I believe that the board will be working on establishing a committee that will address signs and usage for the property. I will keep you posted as we move forward.

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David Tansey

Oct 13, 2021, 7:33 AM (8 days ago)

So does that mean that in the meanwhile that this property paid for with taxpayer money is off limits?

Danielle Corti <danielle.corti@oesu.org>

Oct 13, 2021, 9:11 AM (8 days ago)

to David, bcc: Emilie, bcc: Randall

Hello Mr. Tansey-

You are able to walk there. We are working to get signage so people are clear with the expectations as far as general usage leash laws and cleaning up after themselves, dogs and etc. We want to be respectful of all of the neighbors to the school.

Thank you-

David Tansey

Oct 13, 2021, 10:04 AM (8 days ago)

to me

Dear Danielle,

You can call me David. We always clean up after our dogs. Over nearly 10 years of walking around Checkerberry and continuing south along the ridge across the Labun property to the fields (we will ask the new owners for permission of this part if the closing goes through as the parcel is contingent now), we have not seen many others on the property. NES used to go sledding on these fields. We never walked there when the school had groups on the hill.

If you have not visited the property recently, Sukie Knight has signs all along the right of way as well as a rope along the meadow section. I would think that reasonable signage would be sufficient. If I were you, I would include a prohibition on motorized vehicles and perhaps a notice that school groups take priority.

Thanks,

David