

ED SIDOTE: INTRODUCTION OUTDOORSMAN HALL OF FAME APRIL 24, 2010

HIKING CAREER

Northville-Placid Trail (backpacking and weekends)

Scoutmaster

Joined the FLT 1977

Finished trail 1990 at the age of 73 with hiking partner Rufus Perkins

The hiking Septuagenarians (#3, #4)

Pres. of FLTC, VP, Trail Coordinator, BOM

Est. Cross County Hike Series

Work parties –Alley Cats 1992

AWARDS

-FLT Awards, National Trails Day, Ed Sidote Day Chenango CTY, dedication of Rufus Perkins Shelter, Centennial Celebration at Morrisville **“Promoting Stewardship into the next Century”**

Currently

FLT End to End Coordinator

-car spotter network, Pres. of Bullthistles (2004)

-Chenango Land Trust, Bird Club, Local Volkssport, Healthy Heart Coalition

Membership in 14 hiking organizations

-meets many hikers to present end to end patches

-attends many hiking events

-promotes hiking, FLT – school, wellness, scouting events

90th BD- NO PRESENTS!! September 12, 2007

-gave \$1250. Bond to est. FLT Forever Society to preserve the trail

-currently over \$50,000 has been paid to this account another \$3,000 pledged

Promote the fun of hiking to others

Mr. Finger Lakes Trail, Ed Sidote