



CLIMBING ETIQUETTE TO REDUCE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

ECOLOGICAL DAMAGE

- Erodes tracks to and from route
- Impact to vegetation
- Disturbs birds, particularly their breeding
- May affect nesting
- Soil removal from brushing or cleaning rock

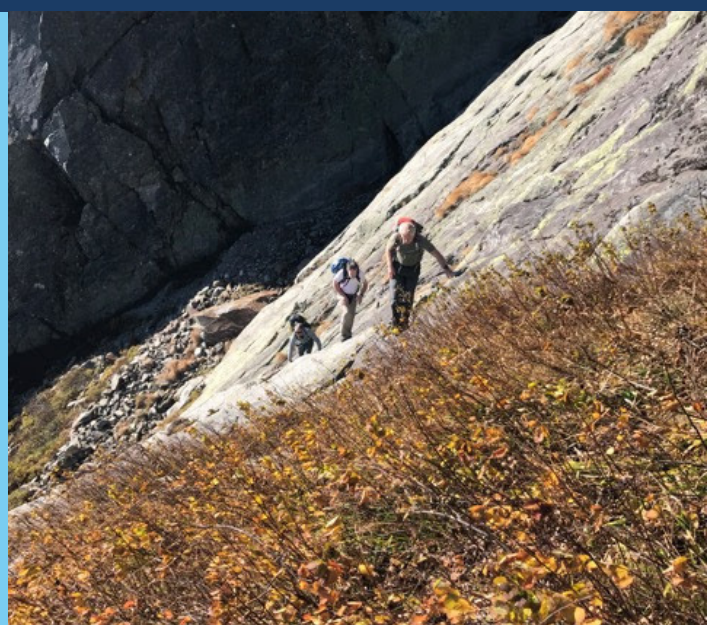


USE DEFINED OR CLEARED TRAILS

Try to avoid trampling on vegetation when going to and from the crag or boulder.
Be mindful of where you are standing when belaying.

IMPACTS ON VEGETATION

Rock climbing's popularity is growing worldwide. There is pressure on the vegetation of cliff ecosystems. Cliffs can harbour rare, endemic and endangered plant species.



TIPS TO REDUCE YOUR IMPACT

- Carry your litter out
- Use trails when possible
- Avoid trampling vegetation
- Place crash pads off of vegetation

AS RECREATIONAL USERS, WE ARE THE
STEWARDS OF THE LAND THAT WE PLAY ON

Practice environmental
etiquette for long-term
use