TRAIL DETAILS

In German, Kolonieweg translates to "Colony Way" which perfectly describes this trail that connects the villages of Amana and Middle Amana. In the future, Kolonieweg trail will link up all seven villages. In the meantime, you'll find exhibits, activities, and history while you explore.

LENGTH: 5 miles Depot/Lily Lake Loop – 3.1 miles

ACTIVITIES: Biking & walking Winter - cross country skiing & snowshoeing

DIFFICULTY/SKILL LEVEL: Easy

TRAIL SURFACES: Mixed

Asphalt or concrete with a short section of crushed stone on the levee between Lily Lake and Millrace.

HOURS: Sunrise to sunset Open year-round

PUBLIC RESTROOMS: Off-site

Located at the Amana Colonies Convention & Visitors Center.

TRAIL ENTRANCE & PARKING:

- Amana Depot Trailhead One block south of Hotel Millwright & Millstream Brewery. Seasonal restrooms also available.
- Lily Lake Picnic Area On the "north shore" along Highway 220 between Amana & Middle Amana.
- Clear Creek Elementary Elementary school's east parking lot. (primarily used for overflow parking)

LANE WADLIFE +

The Lily Lake, which blooms from July to August with yellow lotus lily flowers, offers trail goers many opportunities to spot a large variety of birds and wildlife. Eagles and Pelicans are common in the spring and Canadian Geese and Trumpeter Swans are often sited year-round.

East Amana and the Amana Colonies Golf Course are also accessible via a marked bike route.

SUPPORT THE TRAIL

The Kolonieweg Trail was built by the passion and hard work of Amana Colonies Trails, Inc., a local non-profit organization whose mission is to improve the health and well-being of local community members and visitors through the enjoyment of the outdoors.

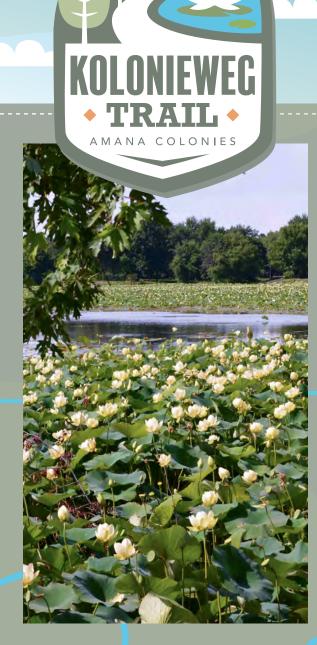
Your generous donations provide people opportunities to get out in nature to decompress and enjoy the beauty of nature while improving their overall wellness. We can't do it without your help.

You may choose to donate money to ongoing maintenance or give a gift for a larger project, by:

- Making a cash donation.
- Attending one of our annual fundraising events including the Amana Freezer Run or the Rock the Trail dance.
- Purchasing a commemorative trail brick or paver to mark a special occasion or in memory or celebration of a loved one.
- Becoming a volunteer and participating in trail projects and fundraising events.

Any amount of support is welcome and appreciated. Visit our website for more detail: amanacoloniestrails.weebly.com

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