

# Spring Getaway **Canceled** Spring Banquet **Postponed** After Hike dinners **Suspended**

Hi Hikers,

The government has enacted unprecedented measures to slow the spread of the Coronavirus.

Governor DeWine said "We're now at a critical time here in Ohio in regard to the coronavirus. The decisions that we make as individuals in the next few days, the next several weeks will really determine how many lives are going to be lost in Ohio."

Since most of our members fall in the age group most likely to have serious complications from getting the coronavirus, I felt it was prudent to take the following actions:

- I have canceled the Spring Getaway. **You must call the Salt Fork Lodge (740-435-9000) and cancel your reservations by March 30<sup>th</sup> to get a full refund of your deposit.**
- I have postponed the Spring Banquet. We will reschedule it for later this year.
- We are suspending after hike dinners for now. We will start them again when things improve.

However, we will still be doing our regular Hikes! So make sure you join us. There is no better way to relieve the anxiety of current events than getting out in the fresh air. All we ask is that if you are feeling "off" in any way, please think twice before coming.

See you on the trail,

John