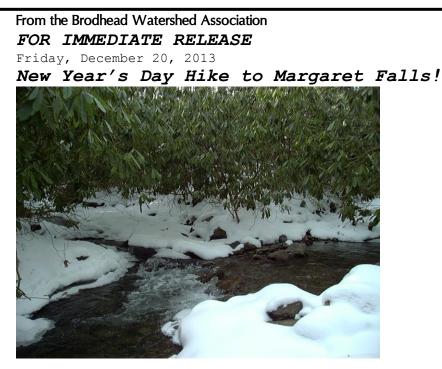
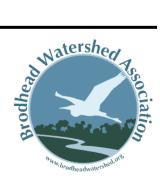
NEWS RELEASE





The Brodhead Watershed Association invites everyone to join naturalists Darryl and Jackie Speicher on New Year's Day for a hike to Margaret's Falls.

What better way to celebrate the dawn of a new year than on a walk along the beautiful Buck Hill Creek. Designated an Exceptional Value stream by the PA Department of Environmental Protection the Buck Hill Creek is one of the three major headwater streams that join in Canadensis to form the Brodhead Creek. At Margaret's Falls the swift flowing water of the creek courses over exposed bedrock drops creating a signature Pocono picture. Imagine, the immediacy of the water spilling over sandstone millions of years old all set against the quiet of a winter's day.

We will meet in the parking lot of the Buck Hill community pool at 1 pm for this 1 ½ hour walk. Fee for this walk on the first day of 2014 is \$5/ BWA members and \$10/ nonmembers. To register for the walk and directions to the parking lot call Darryl and Jackie Speicher at 570-595-9324.

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The Brodhead Watershed Association is a non-profit environmental organization formed in 1989. BWA is dedicated to protecting and preserving water resources and the environment of the Brodhead watershed and the water quality of the Brodhead, Cherry, Marshalls, McMichael, Paradise and Pocono creeks and their tributaries. The BWA assists municipalities, residents, businesses and groups with protecting natural resources through education, workshops, seminars, public programs and stream monitoring.