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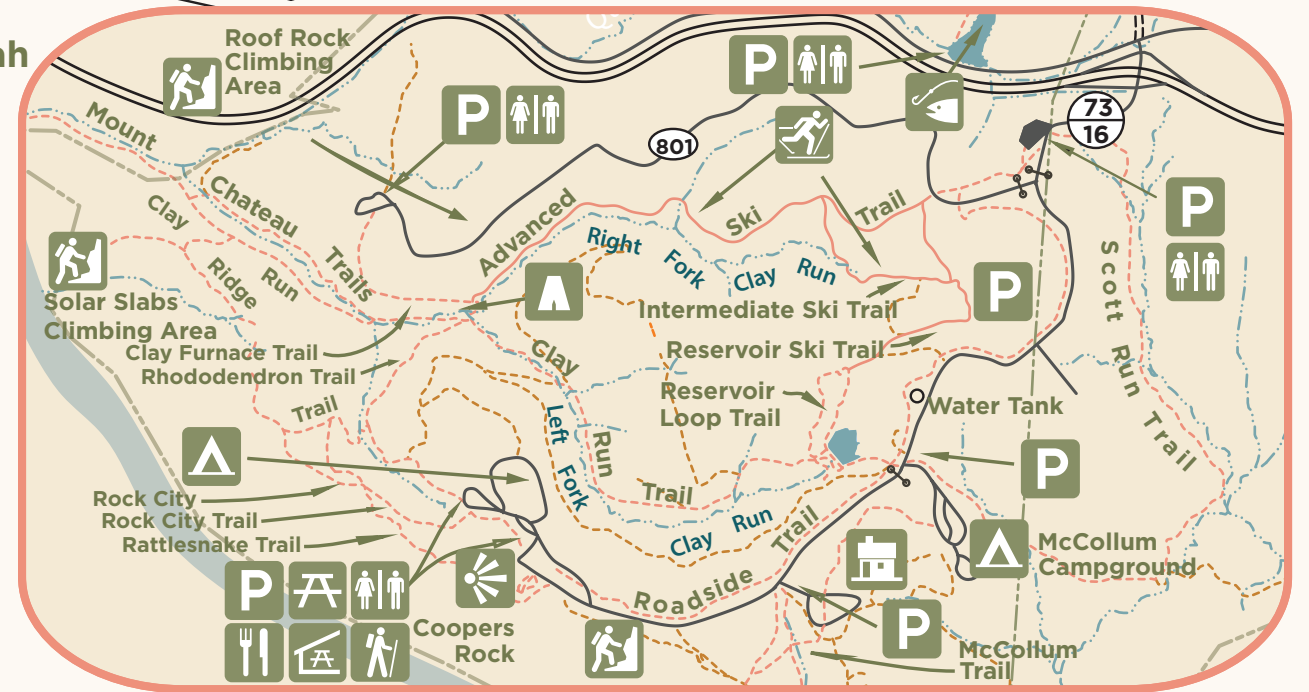
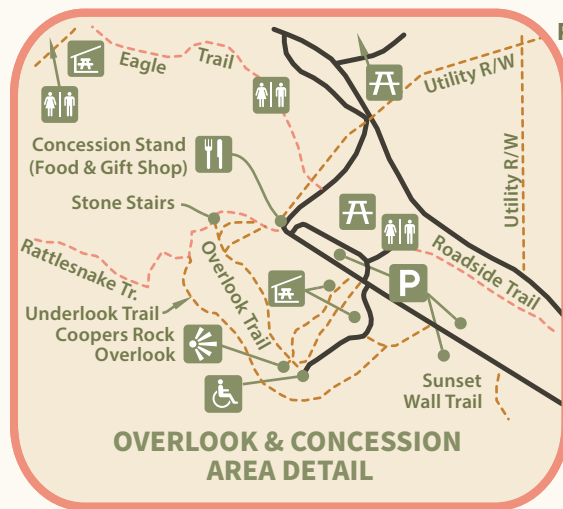
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COOPERS ROCK
STATE FOREST

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Legend

- Park boundary
- Paved road
- Improved road
- Unimproved road
- Hiking trail (official / signed)
- Hiking trail (unofficial / unsigned)
- Cross country ski trail
- Stream
- Lake/river
- Parking area
- Gate
- Structures
- Cabin Area
- Campground
- Concession stand & gift shop
- Cross country skiing
- Fishing
- Forest headquarters
- Henry Clay Iron Furnace
- Hiking
- Parking
- Picnic area
- Picnic shelter
- Restrooms
- Rock climbing
- Scenic viewpoint overlook
- Wheelchair accessible



TRAIL DESCRIPTIONS | COOPERS ROCK STATE FOREST

CLAY FURNACE TRAIL | | 0.8 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 


This trail is mostly level grade with a few steep sections. It runs from the furnace parking area to the Henry Clay Iron Furnace.

CLAY RUN TRAIL | | 1.8 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

View the historic: Henry Clay Iron Furnace at the end of this moderate hiking trail. The trail begins across the road from the McCollum camping area entrance.

EAGLE LOOP TRAIL | | 0.3 MI

TRAIL RATING  BLAZE COLOR 

This trail starts to the right side of the Trading Post and takes you to Shelter #1 and the Rock City Trailhead, then loops back toward the Trading Post and the Main Overlook area.

MCCOLLUM TRAIL | | 1 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

This trail starts at Mccollum Campground, crosses Ravens Rock Trail and connects with the main forest road. It is a great connector trail from the campground to Ravens Rock Trail or Coopers Rock Overlook via Roadside Trail.

VIRGIN HEMLOCK TRAIL | | 1.8 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL

Visit a large hemlock grove which is over 300 years old at the end of this trail which starts at W.Va. 73.

MONT CHATEAU TRAIL | | 2.6 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING   | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

This trail that begins at the Henry Clay Iron Furnace and ends at Cheat Lake near the old Mont Chateau, Lodge.

RATTLESNAKE TRAIL | | 0.7 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 



This trail winds along the rocky cliffs that parallel the rim of the Cheat River canyon. and connects the concession stand and Rock City.

RAVENS ROCK TRAIL | | 1.5 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

This dual duty access road/trail begins at the gated road on the left, approximately 0.7 miles past the campground entrance. It leads to Ravens Rock overlook, which offers a spectacular view of the Cheat River Canyon.

RESERVOIR LOOP TRAIL | | 0.7 MI

TRAIL RATING  BLAZE COLOR 

This is a nice trail for those looking for an easy loop hike. It starts from the Clay Run Trail near the reservoir and loops back to Clay Run Trail.

ROCK CITY TRAIL | | 1 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

This easy to Moderate trail runs from picnic shelter #3 through the area known as Rock City.

RHODODENDRON TRAIL | | 1 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

This trail starts at the lower picnic area near shelter 3 and ends at the Henry Clay Iron Furnace. It is the perfect place to see our state flower, the rhododendron.

RIDGE TRAIL | | 1.5 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

The ridge trail starts at the Rock City shelter, follows a moderate grade and connects with the Mont Chateau Trail.

ROADSIDE TRAIL | | 3 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL

This trail leads from the parking lot near the, forest entrance to the overlook. It's a great trail to hike to the overlook while staying off the road.

UNDERLOOK TRAIL | | 0.2 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

This trail gives a unique view from the underside of the geological formation that is Coopers Rock overlook.

NOTMUCHA TRAIL | | 0.6 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

This trail begins halfway around the outer picnic loop and ends at the Rhododendron Trail.

INTERMEDIATE SKI TRAIL | | 0.6 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

This trail is a connector trail between the Advanced Ski Trail and the Reservoir Ski Trail.

ADVANCED SKI TRAIL | | 2.3 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING   | NOT A LOOP TRAIL

This trail begins at the forest entrance parking area. For a short distance this trail shares Roadside Trail. When Roadside Trail forks off to the left, continue straight. The trail will lead you to the historic Henry Clay iron furnace.

NATURE LOOP TRAIL | | 0.7 MI

TRAIL RATING  BLAZE COLOR 

This loop trail IS a pleasant walk through the forest that starts and ends at McCollum Campground playground.

SCOTT RUN TRAIL | | 2.6 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

This trail begins near the forest entrance parking area, follows Scott Run creek and ends at McCollum Campground.

BLACKBERRY TRAIL | | 0.4 MI ONE WAY

TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

This trail connects the Headwaters Trail with the Clay Run Trail.

CHESTNUT TRAIL | | 0.2 MI ONE WAY




TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 


This trail connects the Roadside Trail with the Headwaters Trail.

HEADWATERS TRAIL | | 1.1 MI ONE WAY


TRAIL RATING  | NOT A LOOP TRAIL BLAZE COLOR 

This trail branches off of the Advanced Ski Trail and ends at the Reservoir.

ICON KEY:  = Hiking
 = Mountain Bike Riding
 = Skiing

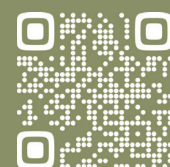


EMERGENCY INFORMATION



- CALL 911
- FIND AN EMERGENCY LOCATOR
- TRAIL HEAD ADDRESS:
61 County Line Dive
Bruceton Mills, WV 26525

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TRAIL RATINGS



EASIEST

Smooth graded trail with improved surfaces, few obstacles and gentle grades.



EASIER

Gentle off road trail with typical obstacles including gravel, loose rocks, sticks, bridges, narrow tread and trees.



INTERMEDIATE

Challenging trail with steep slopes, varying obstacles, rocks, significant grades and narrow tread.



EXPERT

Steep grades, loose surfaces, natural and man made obstacles, elevated features, berms, jumps, very narrow tread.