

Tellico Village Hiking Club





Lumber Ridge Trail & Spruce Flats Falls


Wednesday, October 21, 2020

Depart at 8AM from Lakeside Realty Parking Lot

The hike begins at Tremont Institute with a fairly steep climb up Lumber Ridge. Along the way, there are spectacular views of the Middle Prong branch of the Little River and of Walker Valley, as well as some nice rock formations. We will turn around at Buckhorn Gap to the parking lot at Tremont. There will be an option to continue another 2 miles round trip to the beautiful 30 foot Spruce Flats Falls. This trail is rocky and steep in parts, but the falls make it well worth it.

 Hiking boots and hiking sticks are recommended.

 Driving directions will be provided the morning of the hike.

 Bring water, snack, and a trail lunch.

We will continue with Covid-19 protocol for September hikes

1. Social distancing of at least 6 feet is still in order on and off the trails.
2. We will not be setting up carpools. Each hiker should drive on their own or may go with another person that they know and feel comfortable with.
3. We will meet at Lakeside Realty parking lot for directions, take a vehicle count, but there is no need to get out of your vehicle and gather as we use to do.

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Distance:
8.2 miles + optional 2 mile
hike to Spruce Flats Falls

Rating:
moderate

Driving Time:
1 hr. 15 min.

Elevation Gain:
1700 feet

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