

PETIT JEAN STATE PARK

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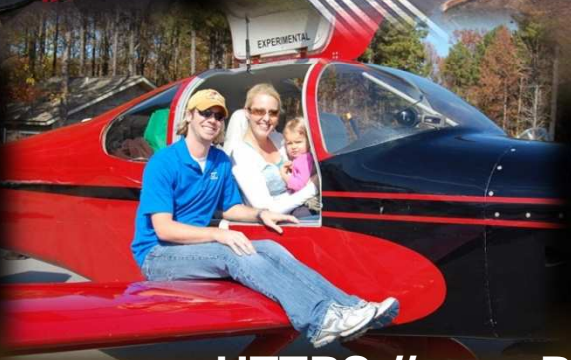
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Petit Jean Mountain
RV Fly-in Camp-In

Oct 24, 25, & 26
KMPJ 2014



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- Fly In Friday afternoon and make "Dinner at the Center"! You'll love it!
- We had 80+ RVs and 120 + RV folks for dinner in 2013 ... Big FUN!
- Camp out on the grounds or stay at the nearby lodge... for us fly-babies!
- Saturday-day is for Flyin' Lyin' Eatin' Hikin' & mostly RV Socializin'
- Saturday-nite is for our DineOut on the Tarmac - ! (A campsite dinner you'll remember)
- Sunday is for Eatin' Flyin' Hikin' and Headin' Home ☺

Petit Jean Mountain RV Fly-in Camp-In



Oct 24, 25, and 26 , 2014 KMPJ

It's all fun ☺ EAA KORK / KHOT

This is a LOW effort HIGH fun gathering and mostly about the gathering. Just a bunch of RV folks hanging out, flying and lying and a few hearty individuals who actually want to trek around one of the nicest and easiest hiking areas in the country. This is THE TIME for the fall foliage and it should be gorgeous.

- The Campground has plenty of campsite area , electricity and water nearby. Camp as a group around a central site or in the woods. Many within 50 feet of your airplane. Restrooms and Hot Showers at campground. Lots of wooded area sites as well.
- Excellent room accommodations for non-campers at the Rockefeller Conference center. See pictures of President's Lodge. **Group # 59615 for \$84 Rate**
- We will have scheduled transport to and from the Lodge and to the hiking trails.
- All meals hosted by EAA 1368 Hot Springs and EAA 165 No Little Rock ☺
- EAA will have tables, chairs, lights, bottled water, firewood and whatever else we can think of ☺

PLEASE INQUIRE / CONFIRM BY EMAIL
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- All you need to bring is camping gear and maybe your favorite folding chair. If you want to bring and cook something ...have at it. We're always hungry but there is something provided for all meals...and you'll like it !!
- There is only one nearby restaurant, no grocery stores and no food at the lodge so bring any EXTRA snacks, special foods, or camp favorite that you might need.
- Friday lunch for early arrivals and blow-out good dinner Friday night.
- **Friday night will be a great dinner and mixer with prize drawings, RV Bingo, and some high quality entertainment next to a low noise area for those that want to talk across a table but still be close to the happenings. (me ☺) We are catering this one so that we don't kill the cooks like last year. BUT just like last year It will be GREAT!**
- **Saturday breakfast is also provideddetails coming. It's official! Voted Best \$6 Breakfast in the South ☺**
- Hike or hang as long or as little as you like - see further for trail descriptions.
- Sat lunch is dogs and burgers and other stuff provided by EAA ORK \ HOT
- **Sat dinner will also be a special event at the campground (weather permitting)**
- BYO 100LL ☺ (translated Bring your own Adult Beverages)
- Sunday AM will be coffee, juice, and pastries and whatever is left over from Saturday night. Anything else is on you ☺ OR heavy breakfast at Mather Lodge.

What's it all cost

.... Not much_ see website info !

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- All transportation to the lodge and trails is provided at no charge by volunteer EAA members. All parking, cooking, organizing, set-up, bathroom clean-up, water, ice, lighting, electrical hook-ups, etc. are provided by EAA volunteers who just like to talk and live airplanes. All of the firewood is cut and toted by your RV EAA buddies from Hot Springs and we burned a bunch last year.
- We have a great campground, and great aircraft parking but that isn't quite free. We do have to have the taxiway and additional parking mowed and filled, campsites maintained etc. , trees cleared, and typical upkeep. A nominal donation covers all of it and is included in the package pricing, This covers the State Park Campsite Fees, ramp use, firewood, electricity, showers, restrooms, etc.
- All meals are provided by EAA local chapters KHOT and KORK and pretty much served at cost. It's all priced IN the package depending on when you arrive. (Think about donations of \$6-7 for breakfast and lunch and \$15-\$18 for catered dinner.) With your encouragement from last year We will cater the two dinners so we don't kill the cook crew and they can join the fun instead of slaving over dinner. THANKS for that input! I promise you will love it! Double your money back guarantee ☺

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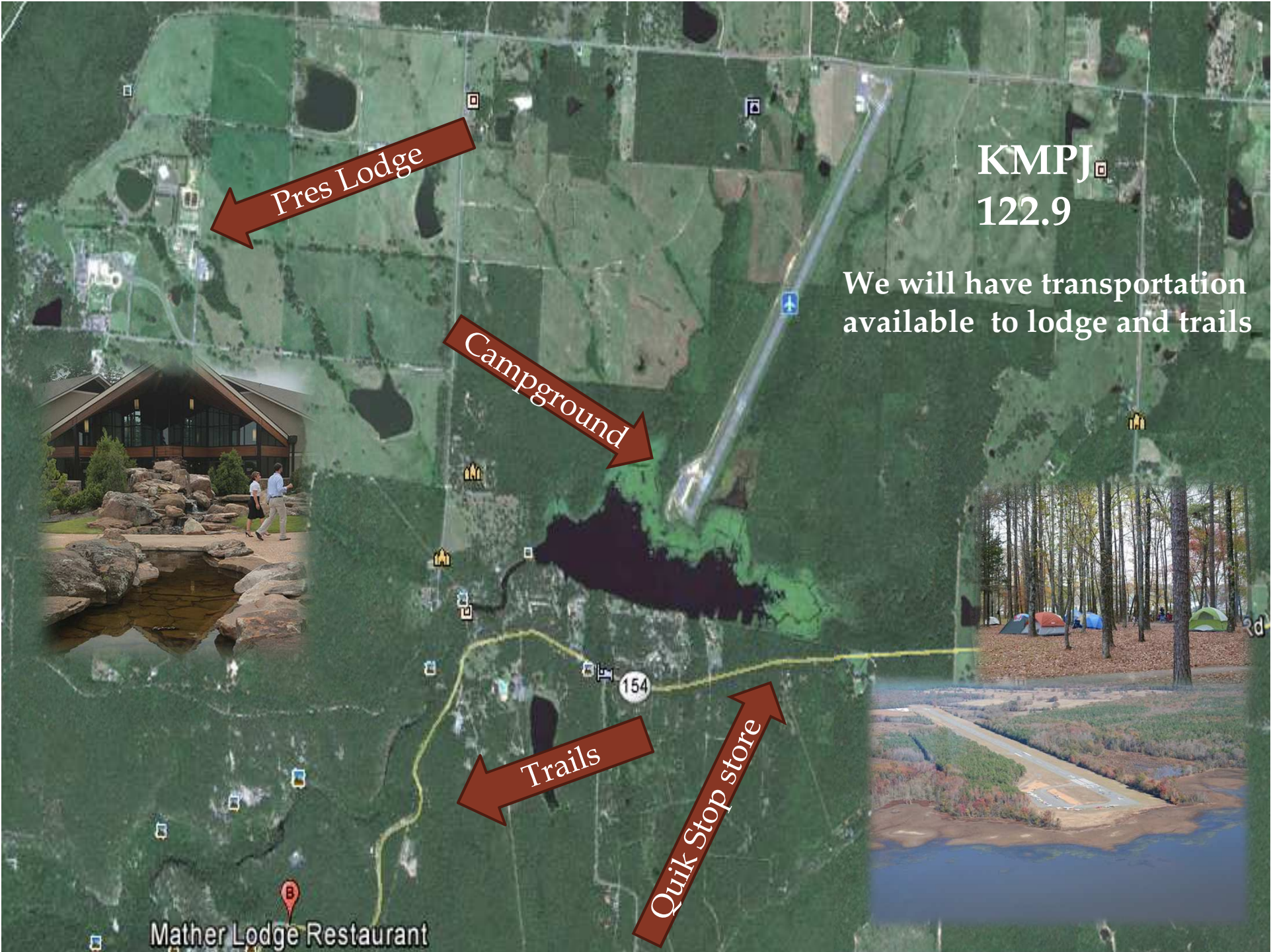


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We will have transportation
available to lodge and trails

Campground

Trails

Quik Stop store

Mather Lodge Restaurant



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Stay at The President's Lodge



A HISTORIC PLACE

Winthrop Rockefeller Institute's 188-acre campus located on Petit Jean Mountain was once part of the home and cattle farm of Governor Winthrop Rockefeller. [learn more](#)

Mather Lodge Restaurant

The Conference Center Rooms

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Lodging Options

For Group Rate – Ask for Petit Jean Group Fly-In #59615

**Ask for Presidents Lodge \$84
(if full ask for the Meadows)**

Call **501-727-5435** or **866-972-7778** to check room availability or to make a reservation.

[Click here](#) for rates and descriptions of our lodging options (PDF).

All of our rooms, houses and apartments include irons and ironing boards, hair dryers, toiletries, free internet access (excluding the Pines Houses), mini- or full-size refrigerators, coffeemakers, writing desks, speakerphones with voicemail and data ports, satellite televisions, and AM/FM clock radios.

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President's Lodge & Suites

The President's Lodge features 30 newly completed deluxe guestrooms. A deluxe room includes a king bed or two queen beds, glass walk-in shower with natural slate floors, and a 32" HD flat panel television. Suites are equipped with two 32" HD flat panel televisions, a living area and jetted tubs in some. All rooms in the President's Lodge include microwaves.

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Arkansas Hiking Trails & Overlooks

Hiking Trails

We will have bottled water for you!
This is Rock House and Cedar Falls

Get information on the more than 20 miles of **hiking trails in Arkansas** that will guide you to Petit Jean's secrets. Walk to the spectacular 95 foot [Cedar Falls](#), one of the most spectacular waterfalls in Arkansas, meander through amazing geology on the [Seven Hollows](#), or enter [Rock House Cave](#) and view ancient pictographs.

Easy Trails

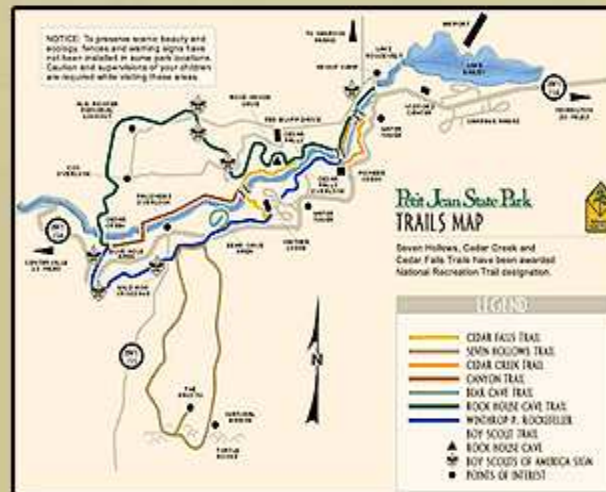
[Bear Cave Trail](#)

Difficulty: Easy

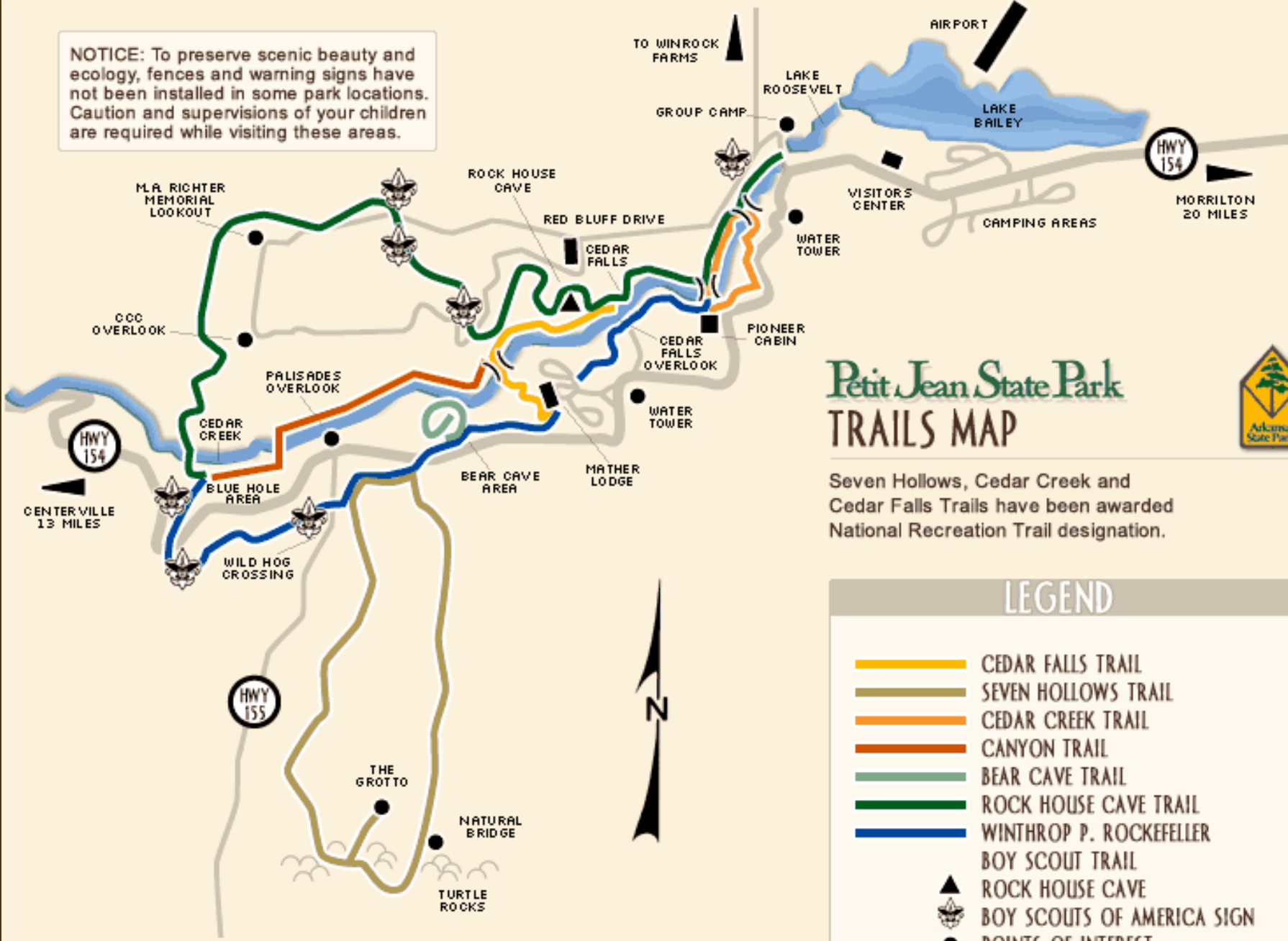
Description: Visitors to Bear Cave can walk under, around, through and over (with care) gigantic sandstone boulders. Although there is no true cave, the huge rocks form a number of rock shelters and narrow passageways. Wander through these tremendous stone monoli... [\(read more\)](#)

Length: 25 mile

[Click Here](#) to learn more about this trail, view photos and maps.



NOTICE: To preserve scenic beauty and ecology, fences and warning signs have not been installed in some park locations. Caution and supervisions of your children are required while visiting these areas.



Petit Jean State Park TRAILS MAP



Seven Hollows, Cedar Creek and Cedar Falls Trails have been awarded National Recreation Trail designation.

LEGEND	
	CEDAR FALLS TRAIL
	SEVEN HOLLOWES TRAIL
	CEDAR CREEK TRAIL
	CANYON TRAIL
	BEAR CAVE TRAIL
	ROCK HOUSE CAVE TRAIL
	WINTHROP P. ROCKEFELLER BOY SCOUT TRAIL
	ROCK HOUSE CAVE
	BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA SIGN
	POINTS OF INTEREST

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Bear Cave Trail


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Region: Arkansas River Valley

This is basically a drive up to and get out of the car hike. Very short.

Length: .25 mile [?]

Difficulty: Easy

Trail Type: 

Description:

Visitors to Bear Cave can walk under, around, through and over (with care) gigantic sandstone boulders. Although there is no true cave, the huge rocks form a number of rock shelters and narrow passageways. Wander through these tremendous stone monoliths and imagine the incredible forces of wind and water that caused what you see today. (Light Pink Blazes)

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Canyon Trail

Region: Arkansas River Valley

Length: 1 mile; 2 miles if backtracking to Cedar Falls Trail [?]

Difficulty: Easy

Trail Type: 

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Description:

Once part of the Boy Scout Trail, this trail follows Cedar Creek's many small falls and deep pools as it splashes through the Cedar Creek Canyon. Large boulders and huge pines and sycamores dominate this very pleasant trail. (Yellow Blazes)

Comments:

The Canyon Trail is considered easy, but the section on Cedar Falls Trail is moderate to strenuous.

Canyon Trail - Petit Jean State Park



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Rock House Cave Trail

Region: Arkansas River Valley

Length: .25 mile [?]

Difficulty: Easy

Trail Type: 

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Description:

Rock House Cave is not a true cave, but a large rock shelter. It is also the premier spot in the state for viewing Native American rock art- created over 500 years ago. This trail also includes some of the most interesting geological formations in the park, Turtle Rocks. (Purple Blazes)

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Seven Hollows Trail

Region: Arkansas River Valley

Length: 4 1/2 miles [?]

Difficulty: Moderate

Trail Type: 

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Description:

This loop trail passes through a series of small canyons under the canopy of a dense hardwood forest. Unique features such as a natural stone arch, rock shelters, a box canyon and signs of prehistoric bluff-dwelling Native Americans add to the experience of this truly spectacular trail. (Light Blue Blazes)

This is a highly recommended 3 to 3.5 hour hike. Easy if you don't rush. Need to go in the grotto.

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Cedar Falls Trail (National Recreation Trail)

Region: Arkansas River Valley

Length: 2 miles round trip [?]

Difficulty: Moderate - Strenuous

Trail Type:



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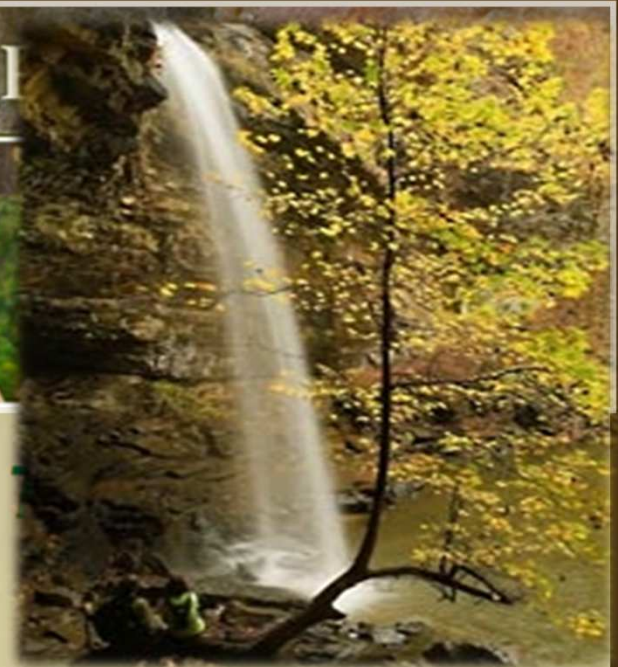
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Description:

The trail begins behind the breezeway at Mather Lodge, a majestic CCC rustic style mountain lodge, and winds down into Cedar Creek Canyon. Massive stone boulders and large trees adorn the trailside. The trail then follows Cedar Creek to 95-foot Cedar Falls, one of the tallest continuously flowing waterfalls in the state. This is a photographer's paradise. (Orange Blazes)

**Downhill all the way until you turn around. Easy down, ugh back up!
It's that gravity thing ☺**



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THE MUSEUM OF AUTOMOBILES

Petit Jean Mountain - Morrilton, Arkansas



Open Daily
10:00am - 5:00pm
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W elcome to the Museum of Automobiles

located atop beautiful Petit Jean Mountain in central Arkansas! The museum is home to the only Climber automobiles known to exist with the 1923 Climber Touring on display. Drop by and experience this unique part of Arkansas' automotive heritage! In addition to the Climber, there are more than 50 vehicles on display ranging from a 1904 Oldsmobile French Front to a 1967 Ford Ranchero. Most of the vehicles date to before 1950.



Hours and Rates

10:00am to 5:00pm daily
(Closed Christmas Day)

\$7.00 adults

\$6.50 seniors 65 & over

\$3.50 students age 6 to 17

Discounts for groups of 15 or more!

Upcoming Events

May 27, 2012:
[Mustangs on the Mountain](#)

June 12-16, 2012:
[Petit Jean Show & Swap Meet](#)

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See website for all links PetitJeanFlyIn.com

[Petit Jean State Park Site - Info on Hiking Trails, Maps, etc.](#)

- http://www.petitjeanstatepark.com/things_to_do/trails_overlooks.aspx
- [Main Site > http://www.petitjeanstatepark.com](http://www.petitjeanstatepark.com)
- [Information on the Rockefeller Conference Center](#)
- <http://www.livethelegacy.org/about-us/petit-jean-mountain>
- [Main Site > http://www.livethelegacy.org](http://www.livethelegacy.org)
- [Information on the Rockefeller Automobile Museum](#)
- <http://www.museumofautos.com/>

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