

DESCRIPTION:

HIKE: B Challenge Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Bumblebee to Government Springs (PCHC # 382).

REASON FOR CHALLENGE: B hike rating exceeded: Mileage.

DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 13.4 mile hike with an elevation gain of 1000 feet. It wanders through typical desert terrain with views of an abandoned house, mine, a working cattle ranch, and distant views of Sunset Point Rest Area.

TRAILHEAD NAME: No Named Trailhead. Refer to Driving Directions. **TRAILS:** Bumblebee to Government Springs

FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms. Sunset Point Rest Area is 4 miles further up I17 with easy return.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Bumblebee Trailhead: Turn north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School. Turn west (left) on Indian School, then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 248 (Bumble Bee). Turn west (left), crossing I17. Drive about 5 miles (the last 3 are on a well maintained dirt road). Turn left into an unpaved parking area. (This is just before the yellow Welcome to Bumblebee sign on the right). Immediately turn right and go about .2 miles to the end. Trail is about 50 yards on the other side of the little canyon and runs parallel to the road. Cross wherever you can, and you will run into the trail. Go to the right on the trail **DRIVING DISTANCE:** 120 miles

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PCHC TRAIL ID: 382

HIKE: B Challenge Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Copper Mountain Segment (PCHC # 384).

REASON FOR CHALLENGE: B hike rating exceeded: Mileage.

DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 13.7 mile clockwise loop hike with an elevation gain of 1300 feet. From the trailhead, the hike does a loop along the base of Copper Mountain and through a large forest of prickly pear cactus. At about halfway, there is a large rock outcropping that is a nice place to take a break. There are large expanses of open range with amazing views of the Bradshaw Mountains in the distance.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: This hike typically takes 5 hours with breaks.

TRAILHEAD NAME: Copper Mountain Loop Trailhead **TRAILS:** Copper Mountain Segment

FEES AND FACILITIES: There are primitive restrooms at the Big Bug Trailhead. There are no park fees.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Copper Mountain Loop Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left) then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 262 (Highway 69). Turn West on Highway. 69 (left crossing I17 towards Prescott). Drive approximately 5.3 miles and turn right on Old Sycamore Road. Park at the top of the hill (1 mi.) after passing the BCT trail crossing. **DRIVING DISTANCE:** 170 miles

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PCHC TRAIL ID: 384

DESCRIPTION:

HIKE: B Challenge Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Copper Mountain Segment (PCHC # 385).

REASON FOR CHALLENGE: B hike rating exceeded: Mileage.

DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 14 mile lollipop hike with an elevation gain of 1000 feet. From the trailhead, the hike does a loop along the base of Copper Mountain and through a large forest of prickly pear cactus. At about halfway, there is a large rock outcropping that is a nice place to take a break. There are large expanses of open range with amazing views of the Bradshaw Mountains in the distance.

TRAILHEAD NAME: Copper Mountain Loop Trailhead **TRAILS:** Copper Mountain Segment

FEES AND FACILITIES: There are primitive restrooms at the Big Bug Trailhead. There are no park fees.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail. Copper Mountain Loop Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 262 (Highway 69). Turn West on Highway. 69 (left crossing I17 towards Prescott). Drive approximately 4 miles and turn left at the trailhead sign. **DRIVING DISTANCE:** 170 miles

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PCHC TRAIL ID: 385

HIKE: B Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Antelope Hill to Antelope Creek Segment (PCHC # 376).

DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 10.6 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 900 feet. This is a 10.6 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 900 feet. It is mostly rolling hills with lots of prickly pear cactus. There is one valley of various trees, which provides shade for most of the day

TRAILHEAD NAME: Antelope Hill Trailhead **TRAILS:** Antelope Hill to Antelope Creek Segment

FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Antelope Hill Trailhead: Turn north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road. Turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 259 (Bloody Basin Road). Turn west (left crossing I17). The road becomes unpaved quickly. Drive 3.3 miles to stop sign in Cordes. Turn left onto Yavapai 179 (also known as FR259 and Crown King Road). At 1.1 miles you pass the point where the BCT crosses the road. At 1.3 miles, parking is on the left at Antelope Hill Trailhead **DRIVING DISTANCE:** 130 miles

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PCHC TRAIL ID: 376

HIKE: B Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Big Bug Trailhead North (PCHC # 377).

DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 12 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 1600 feet. This is an in and out hike of 12 miles with an elevation gain of 1600 feet. It goes under Highway 69 and crosses rolling hills of brushy desert and ends at a running creek. Javalina and sheep have been spotted on this trail.

TRAILHEAD NAME: Big Bug Trailhead **TRAILS:** Big Bug Trailhead North

FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. Rest room at trailhead.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Big Bug, Copper Mountain Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 262 (Highway 69). Turn west on Highway 69 (left crossing I17 towards Prescott). Drive approximately 4 miles and watch carefully for the left turn (no signs for the trail). The trailhead is on the left, just past MP 266, and below the level of Highway 69. **DRIVING DISTANCE:** 150 miles

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PCHC TRAIL ID: 377

DESCRIPTION:
<p>HIKE: B Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Bob Bentley Segment & Boy Scout Loop (PCHC # 379).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is an 11.2 mile lollipop hike with an elevation gain of 800 feet. This is a lollipop loop hike, with a loop at the end of a 4 mile in and out hike. There is lots of vegetation with numerous types of cacti. Wildflowers would be abundant after good winter rains.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Emery Henderson Trailhead TRAILS: Bob Bentley Segment & Boy Scout Loop</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Emory Henderson Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway. Go west (left) on Indian School Road, then take Loop 303 North and follow it to Lake Pleasant Road. Turn north (left) on Lake Pleasant Road to Highway 74. Turn left for 1 block and then right onto New River Road. Drive for about 6 miles and turn left at the Emory Henderson Trailhead sign. DRIVING DISTANCE: 74 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/BCT-Bob-Bentley-Segment-Emery-Henderson-Trailhead</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-gP4CZmb</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 379</p>
<p>HIKE: B Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Glorianna Trailhead North (PCHC # 389).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 10 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 900 feet. This segment of the Black Canyon Trail heads north along the east edge of Black Canyon and travels below the Sunset Point Rest Area, though you dont really see much of the rest area. It has typical desert vegetation with views up and down Black Canyon. There are several interesting little canyons with different points of interest in each: dry waterfall in one, a large saguaro in another, etc.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Glorianna Trailhead TRAILS: Glorianna Trailhead North</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms. Sunset Point Rest Area is 4 miles further up I17 with easy return.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Glorianna Trailhead: Turn north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road. Turn west (left) on Indian School, then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 248 (Bumble Bee). Turn west (left), crossing I17. Drive about 1.1 miles and turn left into an unpaved parking area. DRIVING DISTANCE: 110 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: http://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Glorianna-TH-North</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-dVLckBL</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4aln3-tFCLrb80n9zM</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 389</p>
<p>HIKE: B Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Glorianna Trailhead South (PCHC # 393).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 12 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 1400 feet. This segment of the Black Canyon Trail heads south along the upper edge of Black Canyon. From the trail head, start south. The trail will lead to a jeep road, noted by a metal stake. Turn left and follow the road. Another stake will lead to the left. At about 2.9 miles, notice the quartz outcropping on the left. Continue on until the trail goes into a wash at about 3.4 miles. Continue on another 2.8 miles. Return via the same trail. However, as you return via the jeep road, watch carefully for the stake on the right as it is set well back from the road.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Glorianna Trailhead TRAILS: Glorianna Trailhead South</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms. Sunset Point Rest Area is 4 miles further up I17 with easy return.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Glorianna Trailhead: Turn north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road. Turn west (left), go to Loop 303 North, and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 248 (Bumble Bee). Turn left (West), crossing I17. Drive about 1.1 miles and turn left into an unpaved parking area. DRIVING DISTANCE: 110 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Glorianna-TH-South</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-JzfrFP</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 393</p>

DESCRIPTION:
<p>HIKE: B Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Government Springs to Antelope Hill (PCHC # 394).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 10.8 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 1200 feet. This hike goes up to the top of the ridgeline near Crown King. The first couple of miles wander through the desert with little elevation change. It then follows the contours of several interesting canyons as it rises up to the top of the plateau. Lots of expansive views of a valley surprisingly devoid of development even though its only a couple of miles from I17.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Government Spring Trailhead TRAILS: Government Springs to Antelope Hill</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms. Sunset Point Rest Area is 4 miles further up I17 with easy return.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Government Spring Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 248 (Bumble Bee). Turn west (left), crossing I17. Drive about 10 miles (the last 8 are on a well maintained dirt road) Turn right into an unpaved parking area near an old water tank. DRIVING DISTANCE: 130 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Government-Springs</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 394</p>
<p>HIKE: B Hike - Black Canyon NRT - K-Mine Segment (PCHC # 397).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 10 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 900 feet. hike goes 2.5 miles along a ridge that follows the Agua Fria River before descending to the river using a series of sharp switchbacks. This stretch of the hike provides nice views of the river canyon as well as Black Canyon City. The trail continues across the river and follows an old jeep trail over several hills before picking up the continuation of the Black Canyon Trail. The last .25 miles are on a gravel road.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead TRAILS: K Mine Segment</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No restrooms. The Rock Springs Café (great pies and burgers) is .8 miles from the trailhead, and you will pass it to get back on I17</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 north toward Flagstaff. Take exit 242 (Black Canyon City & Rock Springs Cafe). Turn left (West), crossing I17. At the stop sign, turn right on the frontage road. Drive about 300 feet and turn left on Warner Road (trail sign on left). Drive about 1300 feet and turn right at the first crossroad. Drive just over 300 feet to the parking area on the right, near end of road DRIVING DISTANCE: 110 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/K-mine-Segment-Exit-242</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-jj6n8Wt</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4alnsCOoiVLBPQL5wS</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 397</p>

DESCRIPTION:
<p>HIKE: B Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Little Grand Canyon Trail (AKA Doe Springs Segment) (PCHC # 386).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 10 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 844 feet. It covers the segment just north of the Boy Scout Loop south of the Black Canyon Trail. It goes through typical rolling desert terrain with distant views of Black Canyon City and the hills around it. There are two nice saguaro forests along the trail: the one at the 5 mile point is excellent and has shade for a break.</p> <p>IMPORTANT INFORMATION: The trail itself is a national bike trail so expect a very good surface with many switchbacks and no steep ups or downs. The trail is now marked as Little Grand Canyon. This hike typically takes 4 hours with breaks.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Table Mesa Road Trailhead TRAILS: Little Grand Canyon: Doe Springs Segment</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: There are no restrooms at the trailhead and no park fees.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail. Table Mesa Trailhead. Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 (north) toward Flagstaff. Take exit 236 (Table Mesa Road). Turn left crossing over I17, then immediately turn right. Pavement ends within a mile; 2.5 miles of unpaved road to the parking area. Keep right at the first Y (1.2 miles from I17 road going left goes into a quarry). Keep left at the next Y (1.6 miles from I17). Go another 1.9 miles to a side road on the right (3.5 miles from I17). Turn right on the road and the trailhead parking is immediately on the left. DRIVING DISTANCE: 96 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Doe-Spring/C-ExploratoryLynnW2013-2014/</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Doe-Spring/C-ExploratoryLynnW2013-2014/i-JqRHGHP</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4amj3bDsomwz41Pt9S?e=dBbMtA</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 386</p>
<p>HIKE: B Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Little Pan Loop (PCHC # 399).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 10 mile lollipop hike with an elevation gain of 1000 feet. The hike covers three segments of the Black Canyon Trail: Table Mesa, Little Pan, and Williams Mesa segments. The hike crosses the Agua Fria River twice, so be prepared for water depending on the season you hike it. It goes through typical rolling desert terrain with distant views of Lake Pleasant. Parts of the trail follow and cross jeep/ATV roads.</p> <p>IMPORTANT INFORMATION: The trail is now marked as Little Grand Canyon. This hike typically takes 4.5 hours with breaks.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Table Mesa Road Trailhead TRAILS: Little Grand Canyon: Table Mesa, Little Pan, and Williams Mesa</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: There are no restrooms at the trailhead and no park fees.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Table Mesa Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 (north) toward Flagstaff. Take exit 236 (Table Mesa Road). Turn left crossing over I17, then immediately turn right. (Pavement ends within a mile; 2.5 miles of unpaved road to the parking area) Keep right at the first Y (1.2 miles from I17 road going left goes into a quarry). Keep left at the next Y (1.6 miles from I17). Go another 1.9 miles to a side road on the right (3.5 miles from I17). Turn right on the road and the trailhead parking is immediately on the left DRIVING DISTANCE: 96 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Little-Pan-Segment</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-5Pbq4ZQ</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4alnyAlfQbjlQRS4I4</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 399</p>

DESCRIPTION:
<p>HIKE: B Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Skyline Segment (PCHC # 400).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is an 11.6 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 1200 feet. hike starts out on the Horseshoe Segment you cross the Agua Fria River at about the 1.5 mile point. The trail then becomes the Skyline Segment. As you climb up the hillside, you will have several views of the river and Black Canyon City from above. The turnaround point is the junction with the Cheapshot Segment. There was some water in the river in June but was easily crossed. During the wet seasons, it will be more difficult to cross while staying dry. There are several sections of quartz rock along the trail. the last .25 miles are on a gravel road</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead TRAILS: Horseshoe Segment, Skyline Segment</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No restrooms. The Rock Springs Café (great pies and burgers) is .8 miles from the trailhead, and you will pass it to get back on I17</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 242 (Black Canyon City & Rock Springs Cafe). Turn west (left), crossing I17. At the stop sign, turn right on the frontage road. Drive about 300 feet and turn left on Warner Road (trail sign on left). Drive about 1300 feet and turn right at the first crossroad. Drive just over 300 feet to the parking area on the right, near end of road. DRIVING DISTANCE: 100 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/BCT-Skyline-Segment</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-pKJq7zx</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4aln5VIVsWqNYxKICc</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 400</p>
<p>HIKE: C Challenge Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Bob Bentley Segment & Boy Scout Loop (PCHC # 380).</p> <p>REASON FOR CHALLENGE: C hike rating exceeded: Mileage, Elevation.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is an 8.3 mile lollipop hike with an elevation gain of 1867 feet. There is lots of vegetation with numerous types of cacti. Wildflowers would be abundant after good winter rains.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Emery Henderson Trailhead TRAILS: Bob Bentley Segment & Boy Scout Loop</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Emory Henderson Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway. Go west (left) on Indian School Road, then take Loop 303 North and follow it to Lake Pleasant Road. Turn north (left) on Lake Pleasant Road to Highway 74. Turn left for 1 block and then right onto New River Road. Drive for about 6 miles and turn left at the Emory Henderson Trailhead sign. DRIVING DISTANCE: 74 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/BCT-Bob-Bentley-Segment-Emery-Henderson-Trailhead</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-F4QQQ3X</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4aoRcR8IECSbgGylvL?e=dWRNmG</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 380</p>

DESCRIPTION:
<p>HIKE: C Challenge Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Boy Scout Loop (PCHC # 381).</p> <p>REASON FOR CHALLENGE: somewhat rocky in one segment.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 5.9 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 500 feet. Walking down a dirt road (42nd Avenue) for about 1 mile, go right on the Black Canyon Trail. (There is an old sign when you get to the Black Canyon Trail). At the next intersection, go left up the western side of the loop. Stay right until you get to the next signed intersection. It is a somewhat rocky trail leading to the signed intersection with the Black Canyon Trail. Go left up to the summit and then return to the intersection, turning left to go down via the eastern side of the loop. Return along the dirt road to the parking area. There is a dense saguaro forest between the upper intersection and the summit. The hike goes through typical desert terrain with views of distant vistas.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: No Named Trailhead. Refer to Driving Directions. TRAILS: Black Canyon Trail</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Boy Scout Loop. Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway. Go west (left) on Indian School Road, then take Loop 303 North and follow it to Lake Pleasant Road. Turn north (left) on Lake Pleasant Road to Highway 74. Turn left for 1 block and then right onto New River Road. Drive for 6 miles and you will see the Emory Henderson Trailhead sign on your left. Continue past Emory Henderson to 42nd Avenue. Turn left and park in the small parking area provided DRIVING DISTANCE: 74 miles</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4amj4Xi8anF91hgMk4?e=ZPpPzc</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 381</p>
<p>HIKE: C Challenge Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Table Mesa Loop (PCHC # 406).</p> <p>REASON FOR CHALLENGE: Edginess.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is an 8 mile lollipop hike with an elevation gain of 495 feet. hike covers two segments of the Black Canyon Trail: the Tabletop Mesa and Little Pan Segments. The hike goes to the Agua Fria River and makes a loop along a mesa above the river. A little edginess in the loop section. There are great views of the river from above. It goes through typical rolling desert terrain with distant views of Lake Pleasant.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Table Mesa Road Trailhead TRAILS: Tabletop Mesa and Little Pan</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No restrooms.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail. Table Mesa Trailhead. Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 (north) toward Flagstaff. Take exit 236 (Table Mesa Road). Turn left crossing over I17, then immediately turn right. Pavement ends within a mile; 2.5 miles of unpaved road to the parking area. Keep right at the first Y (1.2 miles from I17 road going left goes into a quarry). Keep left at the next Y (1.6 miles from I17). Go another 1.9 miles to a side road on the right (3.5 miles from I17). Turn right on the road and the trailhead parking is immediately on the left. DRIVING DISTANCE: 90 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Table-Mesa-Loop</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-9m93qW9</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4aoRDV6oSct8pMHMTy?e=4QBpt4</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 406</p>

DESCRIPTION:
<p>HIKE: C Challenge Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Windmill Valley Segment Longer Route (aka Little Grand Canyon) (PCHC # 387).</p> <p>REASON FOR CHALLENGE: C hike rating exceeded: Mileage. Additional challenges include: Distance.</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 10.2 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 960 feet. trailhead begins on the south side of the road, just past the parking lot, marked by a Black Canyon trail marker. While wandering up and down the hills, watch for burros, a wall of saguaros, a hillside of prickly pear and a garden of slate.</p> <p>IMPORTANT INFORMATION: The trail itself is a national bike trail and a very good surface with few steep ups or downs. The trail is now marked as Little Grand Canyon. This hike typically takes 4 hours with breaks.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Table Mesa Road Trailhead TRAILS: Windmill Valley Segment (aka Little Grand Canyon)</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: There are no restrooms at the trailhead and no park fees.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Table Mesa Trailhead:. Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow it until it ends at I17. Turn left on I17 (north) towards Flagstaff. Take exit 236 (Table Mesa Road). Turn left crossing over I17, then right onto Frontage Road. Pavement ends within a mile (2.5 miles of unpaved road to the parking area). Keep right at the first Y (1.2 miles). Turn left at the next one. Go another 1.9 miles to the Table Mesa parking area on the right (3.5 miles from I17). DRIVING DISTANCE: 96 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Doe-Spring</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4alwJNdrNUdjackLAI</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 387</p>
<p>HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Black Canyon City North (PCHC # 378).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 7 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 1000 feet. The trail goes around, up/down and through several little canyons parallel to Black Canyon City. There is an abundance of cacti including hundreds of pincushion cacti, plus more small saguaro cacti (under 5 feet) than large (over 5 feet). The canyons have many interesting rock formations and there are expansive views of Black Canyon City. At the 2 mile point, the trail crosses Black Canyon Creek, which is usually dry. At the crossing is a rock formation they call the China Wall. This could be a great spring hike when the cacti are in bloom.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Black Canyon City Trailhead TRAILS: Black Canyon City North</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon City Trailhead. Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left) then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 244 (Black Canyon City). Start measuring from the stop sign at the top of the off ramp. Turn left (west), crossing I17. At .2 miles turn left, then a quick right on Maggie Mine Road. At .9 miles, turn left onto Maren Avenue and cross the river. At 1.2 miles turn right onto Lisa Drive. At 1.3 miles (just before the bottom of a deep wash), turn left on Soap Creek Road (narrow dirt road fine for any car). At 1.5 miles, there is a pullout for 2 or 3 cars. The BCT trail sign is on the right just past the pullout area. There is lots of parking about .25 miles further up the road, where the Black Canyon Trail goes south. DRIVING DISTANCE: 110 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: http://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/BlackCanyonCity</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-8NPDrtX</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4alwFtjBqkzwyAw4EC</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 378</p>

DESCRIPTION:
<p>HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Black Canyon-Copper Mtn. Segment (I-17 Exit 262) (PCHC # 787).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is an 8 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 1000 feet. The C version goes up to a series of colorful rock formations with view of the surrounding area.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Copper Mountain Loop Trailhead TRAILS: Copper Mountain Segment</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: There are primitive restrooms at the Big Bug Trailhead. There are no park fees.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Copper Mountain Loop Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left) then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 262 (Highway 69). Turn West on Highway. 69 (left crossing I17 towards Prescott). Drive approximately 3.5 miles and turn left at the trailhead sign. DRIVING DISTANCE: 170 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/BCT-Copper-Mountain-Loop</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-9ZNwwMD</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 787</p>
<p>HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Bumblebee Trailhead North (PCHC # 383).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 7.5 mile hike with an elevation gain of 800 feet. It wanders through typical desert terrain with views of an abandoned house/mine, a working cattle ranch, and distant views of Sunset Point Rest Area. Turn around point is a rock outcropping that overlooks a wide valley</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: No Named Trailhead. Refer to Driving Directions. TRAILS: Bumblebee Trailhead North</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms. Sunset Point Rest Area is 4 miles further up I17 with easy return.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Bumblebee Trailhead. Turn north on Pebble Creek Parkway to Indian School. Turn west (left) on Indian School, then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn onto I17 north toward Flagstaff. Take exit 248 (Bumble Bee). Turn west (left), crossing I17. Drive about 5 miles (the last 3 are on a well maintained dirt road). Turn left into an unpaved parking area (this is just before the yellow Welcome to Bumblebee sign on the right). Immediately turn right and go about .2 miles to the end. Trail is about 50 yards on the other side of the little canyon and runs parallel to the road. Cross wherever you can, and you will run into the trail. Go to the right on the trail DRIVING DISTANCE: 120 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Government-Springs</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-STdfTdT</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4amh7U00TLwyMvBgYI</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 383</p>
<p>HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Copper Mountain Section (PCHC # 790).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is an 8 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 800 feet. From the trailhead, the hike does a loop along the base of Copper Mountain and through a large forest of prickly pear cactus. Turn around after four miles.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Copper Mountain Loop Trailhead TRAILS: Copper Mountain Segment</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: There are primitive restrooms at the Big Bug Trailhead. There are no park fees.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Copper Mountain Loop Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left) then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 262 (Highway 69). Turn West on Highway. 69 (left crossing I17 towards Prescott). Drive approximately 5.3 miles and turn right on Old Sycamore Road. Park at the top of the hill (1 mi.) after passing the BCT trail crossing. DRIVING DISTANCE: 170 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/BCT-Copper-Mountain-Loop</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 790</p>

DESCRIPTION:
<p>HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Glorianna Trailhead North (PCHC # 390).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 7 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 600 feet. This segment of the Black Canyon Trail heads north along the east edge of Black Canyon and travels below the Sunset Point Rest Area, though you dont really see much of the rest area. It has typical desert vegetation with views up and down Black Canyon. There are several interesting little canyons with different points of interest in each: dry waterfall in one, a large saguaro in one, etc.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Glorianna Trailhead TRAILS: Glorianna Trailhead North</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms. Sunset Point Rest Area is 4 miles further up I17 with easy return.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Glorianna Trailhead: Turn north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road. Turn west (left) on Indian School, then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 248 (Bumble Bee). Turn west (left), crossing I17. Drive about 1.1 miles and turn left into an unpaved parking area. DRIVING DISTANCE: 110 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: http://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Glorianna-TH-North</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-dVLckBL</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4aln3-tFCLrb80n9zM</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 390</p>
<p>HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Glorianna Trailhead South (PCHC # 392).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 7 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 1000 feet. This segment of the Black Canyon Trail heads south along the upper edge of Black Canyon. From the trail head, start south. The trail will lead to a jeep road, noted by a metal stake. Turn left and follow the road. Another stake will lead to the left. At about 2.9 miles, notice the quartz outcropping on the left. Continue on until the trail goes into a wash at about 3.4 miles. This area is a good break point. Continue on if you wish extra miles. Return via the same trail. However, as you return via the jeep road, watch carefully for the stake on the right as it is set well back from the road.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Glorianna Trailhead TRAILS: Glorianna Trailhead South</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms. Sunset Point Rest Area is 4 miles further up I17 with easy return.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Glorianna Trailhead: Turn north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road. Turn west (left), go to Loop 303 North, and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 248 (Bumble Bee). Turn left (West), crossing I17. Drive about 1.1 miles and turn left into an unpaved parking area. DRIVING DISTANCE: 110 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Glorianna-TH-South</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-JztfFP</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4alwNmjC3cEd2Xj4NM</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 392</p>

DESCRIPTION:

HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Government Springs North (PCHC # 395).

DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 7 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 840 feet. The first couple of miles wander through the desert with little elevation change. It then follows the contours of several interesting canyons as it rises to near the top of the plateau. There are lots of expansive views of a valley surprisingly devoid of development even though its only a couple of miles from I17. The turnaround point is a gate around 3.5 miles from the trailhead.

TRAILHEAD NAME: Government Spring Trailhead **TRAILS:** Government Springs North

FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms. Sunset Point Rest Area is 4 miles further up I17 with easy return.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Government Spring Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 248 (Bumble Bee). Turn west (left), crossing I17. Drive about 10 miles (the last 8 are on a well maintained dirt road) Turn right into an unpaved parking area near an old water tank. **DRIVING DISTANCE:** 130 miles

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PCHC TRAIL ID: 395

HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Government Springs South (PCHC # 396).

DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 7.5 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 600 feet. This trail starts near a spring and goes south. There are lots of expansive views with typical desert vegetation.

TRAILHEAD NAME: Government Spring Trailhead **TRAILS:** Government Springs South

FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms. Sunset Point Rest Area is 4 miles further up I17 with easy return.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Government Spring Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 248 (Bumble Bee). Turn west (left), crossing I17. Drive about 10 miles (the last 8 are on a well maintained dirt road) Turn right into an unpaved parking area near an old water tank. **DRIVING DISTANCE:** 110 miles

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PCHC TRAIL ID: 396

HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - K-Mine Segment (PCHC # 398).

DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 5 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 900 feet. hike goes 2.5 miles along a ridge that follows the Agua Fria River before descending to the river using a series of sharp switchbacks. This stretch of the hike provides nice views of the river canyon as well as Black Canyon City.

TRAILHEAD NAME: Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead **TRAILS:** K Mine Segment

FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No restrooms. The Rock Springs Café (great pies and burgers) is .8 miles from the trailhead, and you will pass it to get back on I17

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 north toward Flagstaff. Take exit 242 (Black Canyon City & Rock Springs Cafe). Turn left (West), crossing I17. At the stop sign, turn right on the frontage road. Drive about 300 feet and turn left on Warner Road (trail sign on left). Drive about 1300 feet and turn right at the first crossroad. Drive just over 300 feet to the parking area on the right, near end of road **DRIVING DISTANCE:** 110 miles

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URL MAP: <https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-jj6n8Wt>

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PCHC TRAIL ID: 398

DESCRIPTION:

HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Skyline Segment (PCHC # 401).

DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 6 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 1000 feet. The hike starts out on the Horseshoe Segment. You cross the Agua Fria River at about the 1.5 mile point. The trail then becomes the Skyline Segment. As you climb up the hillside, you will have several views of the river and Black Canyon City from above. The turnaround point is when you see the river view after passing behind a hill. There is usually some water in the river but is crossable. During the wet seasons, it will be more difficult to cross while staying dry. There are several sections of quartz rock along the trail. the last .25 miles are on a gravel road

TRAILHEAD NAME: Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead **TRAILS:** Horseshoe Segment, Skyline Segment

FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No restrooms. The Rock Springs Café (great pies and burgers) is .8 miles from the trailhead, and you will pass it to get back on I17

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 242 (Black Canyon City & Rock Springs Cafe). Turn west (left), crossing I17. At the stop sign, turn right on the frontage road. Drive about 300 feet and turn left on Warner Road (trail sign on left). Drive about 1300 feet and turn right at the first crossroad. Drive just over 300 feet to the parking area on the right, near end of road. **DRIVING**

DISTANCE: 100 miles

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PCHC TRAIL ID: 401

HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Skyline Segment (PCHC # 402).

DESCRIPTION: This hike is an 8 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 1000 feet. hike starts out on the Horseshoe Segment you cross the Agua Fria River at about the 1.5 mile point. The trail then becomes the Skyline Segment. As you climb up the hillside, you will have several views of the river and Black Canyon City from above. The turnaround point is the quartz field. There is usually some water in the river but is crossable. During the wet seasons, it will be more difficult to cross while staying dry. There are several sections of quartz rock along the trail. the last .25 miles are on a gravel road

TRAILHEAD NAME: Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead **TRAILS:** Horseshoe Segment, Skyline Segment

FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No restrooms. The Rock Springs Café (great pies and burgers) is .8 miles from the trailhead, and you will pass it to get back on I17

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 242 (Black Canyon City & Rock Springs Cafe). Turn west (left), crossing I17. At the stop sign, turn right on the frontage road. Drive about 300 feet and turn left on Warner Road (trail sign on left). Drive about 1300 feet and turn right at the first crossroad. Drive just over 300 feet to the parking area on the right, near end of road. **DRIVING**

DISTANCE: 100 miles

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PCHC TRAIL ID: 402

DESCRIPTION:
<p>HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Soap Creek - Stagecoach segment (Exit 244) (PCHC # 733).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 7 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 800 feet. The trail goes around, and through several little canyons parallel to Black Canyon City. Part of the hike goes on the old Stagecoach Road. The canyons have many interesting rock formations and there are expansive views of Black Canyon City. There are cattle gates at .84, 2.46 and 2.84 miles from the parking area. At the 2 mile point, the trail crosses Black Canyon Creek, which is usually dry. Go 3.5 miles and return.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: No Named Trailhead. Refer to Driving Directions. TRAILS: K Mine Segment</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: There are no restrooms at the trailhead and no park fees</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Soap Creek/Stagecoach segment. Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left) then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 244 (Black Canyon City). Start measuring from the stop sign at the top of the off ramp. Turn left (west), crossing I17. At .2 miles turn left, then a quick right on Maggie Mine Road. At .9 miles, turn left onto Maren Avenue and cross the river. At 1.2 miles turn right onto Lisa Drive. At 1.3 miles (just before the bottom of a deep wash), turn right into a dirt area. Soap Creek Road is to the left. Head up Soap Creek Road and turn right at the marked trailhead. (This is the same parking as the K Mine/Soap Creek Segment. Only hikers turn north instead of south).</p> <p>DRIVING DISTANCE: 110 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/K-mine-Segment-Exit-242</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-STdfTdT</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 733</p>
<p>HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Table Mesa, Williams Mesa Segments (PCHC # 404).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 7.5 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 900 feet. hike covers two segments of the Black Canyon Trail: the Tabletop Mesa and Williams Mesa Segments. The hike goes across the Agua Fria River for a way and returns. It goes through typical rolling desert terrain with distant views of Lake Pleasant.</p> <p>IMPORTANT INFORMATION: Possible river crossing (hopefully low or dry)</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Table Mesa Road Trailhead TRAILS: Table Mesa, Williams Mesa Segments</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No restrooms.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Table Mesa Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 (north) toward Flagstaff. Take exit 236 (Table Mesa Road). Turn left crossing over I17, then immediately turn right. (Pavement ends within a mile; 2.5 miles of unpaved road to the parking area) Keep right at the first Y (1.2 miles from I17 road going left goes into a quarry). Keep left at the next Y (1.6 mile from I17). Go another 1.9 mile to a side road on the right (3.5 miles from I17). Turn right on the road and the trailhead parking is immediately on the left. DRIVING DISTANCE: 90 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Little-Pan-Segment</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-69sDPSH</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4alwQqWTBG6648ZEa2</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 404</p>

DESCRIPTION:
<p>HIKE: C Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Windmill Valley Segment (aka Little Grand Canyon) (PCHC # 407).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 6.8 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 641 feet. trailhead begins on the south side of the road, just past the parking lot, marked by a Black Canyon trail marker. While wandering up and down the hills, watch for burros, a wall of saguaros, a hillside of prickly pear and a garden of slate.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Table Mesa Road Trailhead TRAILS: Windmill Valley Segment (aka Little Grand Canyon)</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No restrooms.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Table Mesa Trailhead:. Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow it until it ends at I17. Turn left on I17 (north) towards Flagstaff. Take exit 236 (Table Mesa Road). Turn left crossing over I17, then right onto Frontage Road. Pavement ends within a mile (2.5 miles of unpaved road to the parking area). Keep right at the first Y (1.2 miles). Turn left at the next one. Go another 1.9 miles to the Table Mesa parking area on the right (3.5 miles from I17). DRIVING DISTANCE: 110 miles</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-tdg8nnp</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4aoRhl8eHtBGVwHJeO?e=15Cc33</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 407</p>
<p>HIKE: D Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Emory Henderson Trailhead North (New River) (PCHC # 388).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 4 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 200 feet. The trail goes in and out of several canyons. There is lots of vegetation with numerous types of cacti. Wildflowers would be abundant after good winter rains.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Emory Henderson Trailhead TRAILS: Emory Henderson Trailhead North (New River)</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms. Sunset Point Rest Area is 4 miles further up I17 with easy return.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Emory Henderson Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left) on Indian School and then take Loop 303 North to Lake Pleasant Road. Turn north (left) on Lake Pleasant Road to Highway 74. Turn left for 1 block and then right onto New River Road. Drive for about 6 miles and turn left at the Emory Henderson Trailhead sign. DRIVING DISTANCE: 74 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/New-River-Segment</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-DPvgjDT</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 388</p>
<p>HIKE: D Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Glorianna Trailhead North (PCHC # 391).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 5 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 300 feet. This segment of the Black Canyon Trail heads north along the east edge of Black Canyon and travels below the Sunset Point Rest Area, though you dont really see much of the rest area. It has typical desert vegetation with views up and down Black Canyon. There are several interesting little canyons with different points of interest in each: dry waterfall in one, a large saguaro in another, etc.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Glorianna Trailhead TRAILS: Glorianna Trailhead North</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No rest rooms. Sunset Point Rest Area is 4 miles further up I17 with easy return.</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Glorianna Trailhead: Turn north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road. Turn west (left) on Indian School, then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 248 (Bumble Bee). Turn west (left), crossing I17. Drive about 1.1 miles and turn left into an unpaved parking area. DRIVING DISTANCE: 110 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: http://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Glorianna-TH-North</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-dVLckBL</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 391</p>

DESCRIPTION:
<p>HIKE: D Hike - Black Canyon NRT - K-Mine Segment (PCHC # 670).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 4.7 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 417 feet. hike goes 2.5 miles along a ridge that follows the Agua Fria River before descending to the river using a series of sharp switchbacks. This stretch of the hike provides nice views of the river canyon as well as Black Canyon City. The trail continues across the river and follows an old jeep trail over several hills before picking up the continuation of the Black Canyon Trail. The last .25 miles are on a gravel road.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead TRAILS: K Mine Segment</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No restrooms. The Rock Springs Café (great pies and burgers) is .8 miles from the trailhead, and you will pass it to get back on I17</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 north toward Flagstaff. Take exit 242 (Black Canyon City & Rock Springs Cafe). Turn left (West), crossing I17. At the stop sign, turn right on the frontage road. Drive about 300 feet and turn left on Warner Road (trail sign on left). Drive about 1300 feet and turn right at the first crossroad. Drive just over 300 feet to the parking area on the right, near end of road DRIVING DISTANCE: 110 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/K-mine-Segment-Exit-242</p> <p>URL GPX: https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4aoSwuKuEhBQFnCtWH?e=phrtc6</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 670</p>
<p>HIKE: D Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Skyline Segment (PCHC # 403).</p> <p>DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 3.7 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 430 feet. hike to the Agua Fria River at about the 1.5 mile point. This section has great views of the river valley as you descend to the river. You can walk along the river in both directions. The main climb is on the way back as you ascend from the river to the top of the ridge. The last .25 miles are on a gravel road.</p> <p>TRAILHEAD NAME: Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead TRAILS: Skyline Segment</p> <p>FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No restrooms. The Rock Springs Café (great pies and burgers) is .8 miles from the trailhead, and you will pass it to get back on I17</p> <p>DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Rock Springs Cafe Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 North toward Flagstaff. Take exit 242 (Black Canyon City & Rock Springs Cafe). Turn west (left), crossing I17. At the stop sign, turn right on the frontage road. Drive about 300 feet and turn left on Warner Road (trail sign on left). Drive about 1300 feet and turn right at the first crossroad. Drive just over 300 feet to the parking area on the right, near end of road. DRIVING DISTANCE: 100 miles</p> <p>URL PHOTOS: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/BCT-Skyline-Segment</p> <p>URL MAP: https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-pKJq7zx</p> <p>PCHC TRAIL ID: 403</p>

DESCRIPTION:

HIKE: D Hike - Black Canyon NRT - Table Mesa Segment to River (PCHC # 405).

DESCRIPTION: This hike is a 4 mile in and out hike with an elevation gain of 300 feet. hike goes to the Agua Fria River and returns. It goes through typical rolling desert terrain with distant views of Lake Pleasant. There is a small stand of wild palm trees along the trail.

TRAILHEAD NAME: Table Mesa Road Trailhead **TRAILS:** Table Mesa

FEES AND FACILITIES: No park fees. No restrooms.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: to Black Canyon Trail Table Mesa Trailhead: Head north on PebbleCreek Parkway to Indian School Road, turn west (left), then take Loop 303 North and follow until it ends at I17. Turn left onto I17 (north) toward Flagstaff. Take exit 236 (Table Mesa Road). Turn left crossing over I17, then immediately turn right. (Pavement ends within a mile; 2.5 miles of unpaved road to the parking area) Keep right at the first Y (1.2 miles from I17 road going left goes into a quarry). Keep left at the next Y (1.6 miles from I17). Go another 1.9 miles to a side road on the right (3.5 miles from I17). Turn right on the road and the trailhead parking is immediately on the left. **DRIVING DISTANCE:** 90 miles

URL PHOTOS: <https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/BlackCanyonNationalRecreationT/Table-Mesa-Loop>

URL MAP: <https://pchikingclub.smugmug.com/Trail-Maps/Black-Canyon-Trail/i-9GtHZNG>

URL GPX: <https://1drv.ms/u/s!AgywFpJqBF4aow1yTKny5rtJnjSL?e=0ylTBx>

PCHC TRAIL ID: 405