

A Private Mountain Community
Worth Exploring



TRAIL MAP



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EXPLORE BRMC

Adventure Is Always In Season Here.

A four-season, year-round community awaits just outside your door.

FEATURED HIKES & DESTINATIONS

Blue Ridge Mountain Club boasts an extraordinary array of sprawling trails across 6,000+ acres of High Country mountain land. Trails wind and weave through the landscape as a reminder of the vast sanctuary that surrounds us. With scenic ridgelines, peppered with streams and waterfalls, exploring it is sure to awaken the grandeur of the High Country.

Over 50 miles of scenic trails and forested landscapes paint the BRMC Trail System with a variety of difficulty levels for novice as well as seasoned trail goers whether you are hiking, fishing, or roaming on a UTV.

So what are you waiting for? Jump in and experience the trails ripe for exploration and witness the beauty and splendor of our own backyard sanctuary in the High Country. Get a taste of adventure at Blue Ridge Mountain Club.



Dugger Creek Trail

Immerse yourself in the beauty of BRMC on the Dugger Creek Trail. Begin at the headwaters of Dugger Creek and follow this pristine mountain stream through Dugger Valley. Watch for native brook trout, salamanders, and other aquatic creatures as you cross the stream numerous times. Enjoy the sounds of rushing water as the trail descends through the valley and leads you to Dugger Creek Falls, with over 120 vertical feet of cascading waterfalls and an array of unique rock formations. End your journey by arriving at the Boy Scout Pavilion, a great place to have a picnic and relax before returning home.

Recommendations for this hike include parking a 4x4 vehicle at the Boy Scout Pavilion and starting your hike across from The Watson Gap Pavilion.



Dugger Mountain Overlook

To grasp the beauty and vast natural landscape that BRMC has to offer, look no further than the Dugger Mountain

Overlook. The Dugger Mountain Overlook looks down on the BRMC Village and features 360 degree mountain views. At the overlook, you can see the foundation of the old Dugger Mountain Fire Tower, which served as a lookout for wildfires in the surrounding area dating back to 1928!



Dugger Creek Campsite

Located along the banks of Dugger Creek, the Dugger Creek Campsite is a great place for a picnic or a secluded camping experience in Dugger Valley. Featuring a large covered pavilion, this campsite is great for group gatherings and barbecues. It is only a short trip to Dugger Creek Falls and the Dugger Creek Trail.



Upper Laurel Creek Trail to Laurel Creek Campsite

Traverse the wooded trail with the beauty of Laurel Creek at your side. Listen to

the rushing waters and cross over beautiful bridges as you meander down the valley. Take time to stop along the creek to enjoy backcountry swimming holes, including The Blue Hole, a beautiful natural swimming hole with crystal clear blue waters. End the hike by arriving at the Laurel Creek Campsite.

Recommendations for this hike include parking a 4x4 vehicle or ATV/UTV at Laurel Creek Campsite and a vehicle at the parking area off Reynolds Parkway at the Laurel Creek Trail trailhead. Upper Laurel Creek Trail is also suitable for mountain biking.



Laurel Creek Campsite

Sit back, relax and enjoy the tranquility of Laurel Creek's rushing waters. With multiple tent spots, large firepits, and picnic tables, this campsite is a great spot to stay the night or to enjoy a relaxing evening fire. Laurel Creek Campsite is accessed by the Laurel Creek Connector Trail; suitable for UTVs and 4WD vehicles. From the Laurel Creek Campsite it is just a short hike to The Blue Hole.



Grapevine Loop Trail

Enjoy this gentle one-mile loop trail located at the Grapevine Campsite, with expansive views of Grapevine

Gap on your right and Dugger mountain on your left. After your hike, enjoy a picnic or set up camp at the cozy Grapevine Campsite. The hike starts by traversing along the ridgeline before returning to the Grapevine Campsite via an old logging road. This hike is great for hikers of all ages and abilities.



Grapevine Campsite

A true mountaintop camping experience. This campsite features long range mountain views and cool mountain breezes. With multiple sites spread along the ridgeline, there is plenty of room for multiple groups to enjoy this premier camping destination. Located just off the West Ridge Trail near the Five Points trail intersection, this is a convenient stop on your UTV/ATV adventure.



Nickajack Fitness Trail

Encircling the BRMC Village area, the Nickajack trail is an easily accessible loop trail located in the heart of the community. This wide trail features dense hardwood forests, long range mountain views, and gentle slopes that welcome all hiking abilities. The Nickajack trail is also suitable for mountain biking.



The Blue Hole Trail

Starting from the Watson Gap Pavilion, this hike is both challenging and rewarding. Enjoy a waterfall and beautiful forest scenery on your way down to The Blue Hole. Save some energy for the return trip as it is a steep trek back up to the Watson Gap Pavilion!

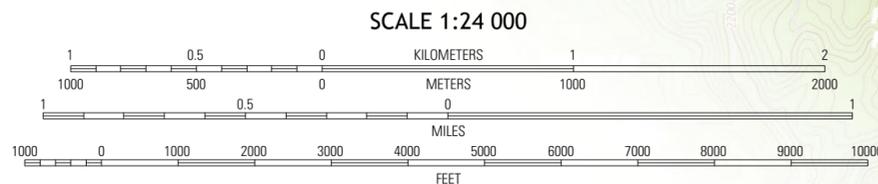
An alternative and more gentle route would be taking a 4x4 vehicle, parking at Laurel Creek Camp and taking Middle Laurel Creek Trail to the Blue Hole.



BLUE RIDGE MOUNTAIN CLUB

Blowing Rock | 6.5 mi
Boone | 6.5 mi
Blue Ridge Parkway
Mile Post 288 | 1 mi

- ### Trail Map Key
- Gate
 - Pavilion
 - Ponds, Streams & Waterfalls
 - Buildings & Facilities
 - Campsite
 - Fishing
 - Overlooks & Views
 - Parks
 - Recreation & Sports Courts
 - Picnic Areas
 - SOLID LINE Hiking Trail
 - DASHED LINE Multi-Purpose Trail (Hiking, ATV/UTV/4x4, & Biking)
 - Trail Section Divider
 - Stream



CONTOUR INTERVAL 40 FEET
NORTH AMERICAN VERTICAL DATUM OF 1988

Trail Map RATINGS

1=Easy 10=Difficult

Reynolds Parkway	9.2 mi.
8 up, 8 down	
Watson Gap Village to North Gate via Reynolds Parkway	3.5 mi.
8 up, 8 down	
Mast Knob Bypass	0.5 mi.
4 up, 4 down	
Laurel Creek Trail	
Upper Laurel Creek Trail	2.2 mi.
6 up, 8 down	
Middle Laurel Creek Trail	1.0 mi.
3 up, 3 down	
Lower Laurel Creek Trail	4.0 mi.
10+ up, 10+ down	
Laurel Creek Connector	
Upper Laurel Creek Connector	0.5 mi.
10+ up, 10+ down	
Middle Laurel Creek Connector	0.2 mi.
2 up, 2 down	
Lower Laurel Creek Connector	0.8 mi.
10+ up, 10+ down	
North Face Trail	0.5 mi.
5 up, 5 down	
Nickajack Trail	2.2 mi.
3 up, 3 down	
Blue Hole Trail	1.0 mi.
4 up, 7 down	
Horton Creek Trail	1.8 mi.
3 up, 4 down	
Dugger Mountain Overlook Trail	0.2 mi.
3 up, 4 down	
Dugger Creek Trail	
Upper Dugger Creek Trail	1.3 mi.
8 up, 9 down	
Middle Dugger Creek Trail	1.3 mi.
8 up, 9 down	
Lower Dugger Creek Trail	1.9 mi.
5 up, 5 down	
Dugger Falls Loop Trail	0.4 mi.
8 up, 8 down	
West Ridge Trail	5.6 mi.
7 up, 7 down	
Grapevine Loop Trail	1.0 mi.
3 up, 3 down	
Meadows Loop Trail	2.2 mi.
6 up, 6 down	
Long Ridge Trail	0.9 mi.
7 up, 7 down	
Bear Cave Trail	0.9 mi.
7 up, 7 down	