

CENTRAL OHIO HIKING CLUB

Battelle Darby Creek Metro Park

Saturday – February 11, 2023 @ 1:00 P.

M. Miles: 5 Level: 2-3 ([level guide](#))

Directions to Hike:

Cedar Ridge Picnic Area 1775 Darby Creek Dr. Galloway OH 43110.

From I-270 on the southwest side of town, take the West Broad Street (U.S. 40) exit west. Go about 5 miles and turn left/south on Darby Creek Drive. Continue about 3 miles to the **Cedar Ridge** picnic area. DO NOT go to the Nature center where the bison are. Park at the North end of the parking lot by the restrooms and Northeast of the Ranger Station.

Hike Description:

These creeks are renowned for water quality. We will hike down a hill to the Big Darby Creek and follow it to the confluence of the Big and Little Darby Creeks. We will hike three trails, Cobshell, Darby Creek Greenway and Terrace. The trails are gravel and grass with a few hills to climb.

Dinner Location and Directions:

York Steak House, 4220 W. Broad St. From the parking lot, retrace your drive to US-40/W. Broad St. Turn right and continue past the I-270 interchange. Restaurant is across from the old Westland shopping center. Turn left off Broad after Popeye's Kitchen. Head toward the Odd Lots sign. Turn right past Payless Furniture. Parking is in the rear behind York Steak house.

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