

CENTRAL OHIO HIKING CLUB



Buzzard's Roost NP, Chillicothe

Saturday – March 23, 2019 @ 1:00 P.M.

Car Pool Time: 11:45 A.M.

Miles: 5 Level: 3 (5 is hardest)

Web: CentralOhioHikingClub.org

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Car Pool Location (Donation to Driver \$7.00):

Meet at 11:45 AM behind Tim Hortons at Great Southern Shopping Center located on South High Street (US 23)

Directions to Hike (Round Trip Distance 110 Miles):

Travel south on US 23 into the Chillicothe area. Watch for exit from US 23 onto US 50 West which will become Main St. then Western Ave. as you go through town. Drive about 7 miles. You will pass Bob Evans Restaurant on right.

Watch for "Save-a-Lot" on left, get into left turn lane and turn left/south onto Polk Hollow Road. (The Ross County Senior Center is on the corner. This street sign is rather small.) Drive approx. 1 mile on Polk Hollow. As you go uphill, watch for small brown sign for Nature Preserve, make **sharp right/almost U-turn** onto Red Bird Lane and continue on until you reach parking lot on left. Porta-potty here.

Hike Description:

There are several trails that we will explore, some in wooded areas, but the best feature is the area of cliff trails with a view of Paint Creek Gorge. Some areas can be quite muddy if it has been raining recently.

Suggested Items to Bring:

Water, hiking boots and sticks. Dress for the weather.

Dinner Location and Directions:

Bob Evans, 1065 Western Av. 740-773-0728. Retrace your drive to US-50/Western Ave. Turn right and drive to Bob Evans.

For more Info: Leader: Connie Sheridan **Sweep:** John Troutman