

# CENTRAL OHIO HIKING CLUB



## Old Man's Cave

Saturday - April 20, 2019 @ 10:30 A.M.

Car Pool Time: 9:15

Miles: 5 Level: 3

**NOTE CHANGE IN TIME – WE WANT TO GET  
PARKING SPACES**

Web: [CentralOhioHikingClub.org](http://CentralOhioHikingClub.org)  
E-mail: [cohc\\_hikingclub@yahoo.com](mailto:cohc_hikingclub@yahoo.com)

### Car Pool Location (Donation to Driver \$6.00):

Winchester Square Shopping Center in parking lot behind McDonalds. Drive East on Rt. 33, get off on Rt. 674 (Gender Rd) make a right and then turn right into the shopping center. **We will Leave at 9:15 sharp. (Please bring a snack, it will be a late lunch)**

### Directions to Hike (Round Trip Distance 90 Miles):

Take US 33 south, using the Lancaster US 33 bypass for about 31 miles. Take the SR 664 exit. Turn right onto SR 664 and continue to the Old Man's Cave parking lot about 11 miles. **We will meet at the Grandma Gatewood memorial.** This is at the north end of the gorge near the upper falls next to a billboard with park info. The opposite end of the parking lot from the still uncompleted visitor center.

Hike Description: Hopefully we will see many waterfalls this time of year. We will hike through the Old's Man Cave gorge and then follow Grandma Gatewood section of the Buckeye trail to the Hemlock Bridge and Whispering Cave trails. We will retrace our path back to Old Man's cave and return to the parking lot via the Broken Rock Falls trail and the Long tunnel.

**Note:** This hike has many, many stairs, a pretty decent hill, and several locations where the footing is tricky.

### Suggested Items to Bring:

Hiking boots & hiking sticks, energy snacks, plenty of water.

### Dinner Location and Directions:

The Olde Dutch Restaurant is our dinner location. Take SR 664 back toward Logan. The restaurant is located on the left of SR 664 just north of the US 33 & SR 664 interchange.

**For more Info: Leader:** John Troutman      **Sweep:** Whaja Troutman

