CENTRAL OHIO HIKING CLUB

Battelle Darby Creek Metro Park

Saturday – February 16, 2019
@ 1:00 P.M.
Car Pool Time: N/A
Miles: 6 **Level:** 2-3

Web: CentralOhioHikingClub.org
E-mail: cohc_hikingclub@yahoo.com

Car Pool Location (Donation to Driver $0.00**):**
No car pool, this is a local hike.

Directions to Hike (Round Trip Distance 0 Miles)**:**
From I-270 on 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 main entrance on the right. Park in the Cedar Ridge picnic area, south end of parking lot and south of the Ranger Station. DO NOT go to the Nature center where the bison are. Restrooms are here at south end, by Locust Shelter.

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, Ancient and Terrace. The trails are gravel and grass with a few hills to climb.

Suggested Items to Bring:
Water, Hiking/walking shoes, hiking stick, and dress for the weather.

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 Popeyes Kitchen. Head toward Odd Lots sign. Turn right past Payless Furniture. Parking is in the rear behind York Steak house.

For more Info: Leader: Dick Barbee **Sweep:** Jeanne Barbee