



NAME OF TRAIL:

CHIMNEY TOP TRAIL #235

START:

Chimney Top Road

END:

Chimney Top Overlook

LENGTH:

0.3 mile

TRAIL CONECTIONS:

None

U.S.G.S. QUADS:

Pomeroyton

COUNTY(S)

Wolfe

ACCESS:

Turn south off Mountain Parkway at Slade, KY to Hwy 11. Follow Hwy 11 north 0.1 mile to Hwy 15. Travel east On Hwy 15 – 7.0 miles to Hwy 715 on the left. Travel north on Hwy 715 – 2.1 miles to Chimney Top Road on left. Follow Chimney Top road 5.0 miles to its terminus.

The paved trail leaves Chimney Top road and passes through pine hardwoods and finally out to a breath-taking overlook on the cliff above Chimney Top Rock. From there, the hiker can see Courthouse Rock, Raven Rock, Cloudsplitter Rock, Half Moon Rock and other broad cliff and Red River Gorge scenes. It is very scenic and rich in local flora of whorled pogonia, mountain tea, stripped wintergreen, and pink lady slipper.

HIKING DIFFICULTY:

Easy

ELEVATION:

1160' – 1200'



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