

# 2018 Classic Hikes of the Smokies



**Friends of the Smokies** guided hikes in **Great Smoky Mountains National Park** feature interpretation of the trail, history, and park projects supported by Friends of the Smokies. Donations for guided hikes help fund the Smokies' Trails Forever program.

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**March 13: Deep Creek Waterfall Loop**

5.5 miles, 600 ft ascent, easy  
Features: waterfalls

**April 10: Pretty Hollow Gap to Little Cataloochee**

8.0 miles, 1,500 ft ascent, moderately strenuous  
Features: historic structures

**May 8: Ramsey Cascades**

8.0 miles, 2,200 ft ascent, strenuous  
Features: waterfall & old growth trees

**June 11-12: Overnight in Townsend**

Experience extraordinary Cades Cove on a two-day guided hiking opportunity. Explore classic trails in this special part of the park.

**July 10: A.T. and Mountains-to-Sea-Trail**

7.2 miles, 1,600 ft ascent, moderately strenuous  
Features: mountain vistas

**August 14: Bradley Fork to Cabin Flats**

9.8 miles, 800 ft ascent, moderately strenuous  
Features: remote creek

**September 11: Albright Grove Loop**

6.5 miles, 1,400 ft ascent, moderate  
Features: old growth trees

**October 9: Flat Creek Trail**

5.2 miles, 700 ft ascent, moderately easy  
Features: mountain vistas & Masonic Temple

**November 13: Chimney Tops**

3.5 miles, 1,300 ft ascent, strenuous  
Features: Trails Forever rehabilitation

**December 11: Kephart Prong**

4 miles, 830 ft ascent, easy  
Features: CCC camp, railroad, fish hatchery

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