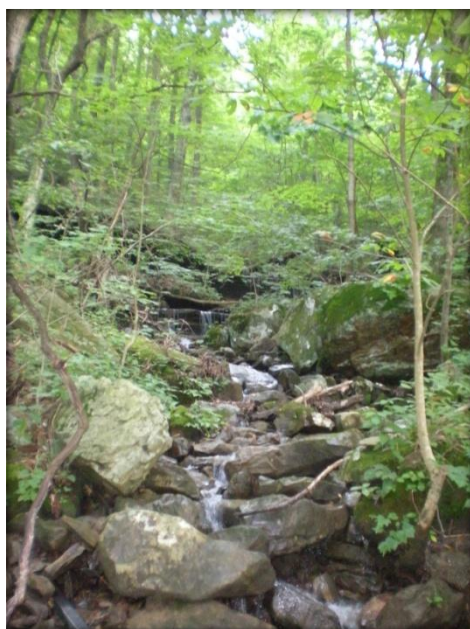


Coal Creek OHV Area Trail of the Month August 2011 Trail 13



Difficulty Level: Moderate
Vehicles: Open to all ATVs
Location: Ligias Fork

Directions: From the Windrock parking lot, follow Trail 2 to Trail 16 on the right. Follow Trail 16 to G1. Turn left on G1, then right onto G9. Use caution on G1 and G9 due to heavy traffic. Take a slight right from G9 onto Trail 13. Trail 13 will continue straight, while Trail 34 will fork off to the right. Trail 13 will continue along the contour, beyond the fork for Trail 12 (on the right), and then proceed onto TWRA property. *Please be aware of permit requirements if you chose to continue onto TWRA property.

Features: Trail 13 is located on the “back side” of the southern portion of the property and is approximately 3.3 miles long. Trail 13 starts by leaving the gravel haul road and traveling down an old haul road, along an old strip pit area, and then following the contour of the mountain until crossing the creek and arriving in another strip pit. Along the trail, riders will see many water features including small waterfalls during the rainy months, small ponds, springs, as well as the Beaver Pond. The Beaver Pond is interesting to watch, especially over time, to see just how quickly these guys work! Be sure to look for the old mine opening that has been flooded! Old rails from the mining operations can also be seen along Trail 13. After crossing the creek, Trail 12 will fork off to the right, Trail 13 will continue out along the contour. Years ago, mining operations were very active in this area. Look for remnants of the poles and old electric lines, old haul roads and other reminders of the activities that shaped these mountains and laid the groundwork for many of the trails we enjoy today. Enjoy the August Trail of the Month!



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