Hiker-Camper-Climber Checklist

- Weather-appropriate clothing?
- Studly, activity-appropriate shoes?
- Plenty of water & high-energy snacks?
- Basic First Aid kit?
- Know how long your hike/climb will take?
- Know today's sunset time?
- Know today's weather forecast?

Campsite reserved?

Climbing permit obtained?

PARK REGULATIONS

- Hike on designated trails only. No off trail hiking, shortcuts, or "bush whacking." All trails are marked with a white or blue blaze.
- Absolutely no hiking after dark.
- Do not jump from waterfalls or cliffs in any park area. Swim at your own risk.
- Pets must always be leashed & under control.
- Horses, bicycles and vehicles of all kinds are prohibited on trails and backcountry roads.
- Destroying, digging, removing or possessing any live tree, shrub or plant is prohibited.
- Hunting, killing, wounding, harassing, or capture of any wildlife is prohibited.

CLIMBING REGULATIONS

- Climbing is by permit only. Obtain permit at:

Camping is by reservation only. Reserve at:

CAMPING REGULATIONS

- Camping is by reservation only. Reserve at:
- Check-in time for camping is 12:00 pm (Central); check-out time is 10:00 am (Central).
- Your camping receipt or name associated with reservation MUST be placed in the dash of each vehicle that is parked overnight.
- Camp only in designated campgrounds.
- The gathering of firewood is limited to dead materials on the ground. Fires are permitted in established fire rings only. Don't move fire rings, burn trash, or leave a fire unattended.
- Quiet Hours in all campgrounds are between the hours of 10:00 pm and 6:00 am.
- Complete State Park Rules and Regulations are at http://tnstateparks.com/about/policies
**Trailheads • South Cumberland State Park**

**Trailhead Locations, Directions & Info**

Distances indicate trailhead’s distance (in road miles) from the SCSP Visitor Center. Directions assume you are coming from the Visitor Center. Street addresses work with most GPS navigational systems, but are not guaranteed.

- **SCSP Information & Welcome Center** 931-924-2980 OPEN 9 am – 4 pm daily; closed for lunch 11740 US 41, Montague, TN 37356 NO OVERNIGHT PARKING

- **Denny Cove (Denny Falls)** (13.1 miles) 5917 US 41 (TN 150), Sequatchie, TN 37374 NO OVERNIGHT PARKING From Tracy City, take US 41 9.0 miles south; the Denny Cove entrance is a gravel road on the right with a small brown park sign, across from the Foster Falls Volunteer Fire Department, 1.4 miles south of Foster Falls.

- **Fiery Gizzard North (Grundy Forest/CCC Interpretive Area)** (20.0 miles) 131 Fiery Gizzard Rd, Tracy City, TN 37387 OVERNIGHT PARKING FOR CAMPING ONLY From US 41 in Tracy City, turn right at 3rd Street (flanked by Sequatchie Electric Co-op and a tire store). Take 3rd Street past the elementary school, look for a small brown park sign at Marion Street, on your right. Take Marion Street 2 blocks, then right on Fiery Gizzard Road. Parking area and trailhead are on the left.

- **Fiery Gizzard South (Foster Falls)** (11.3 miles) 498 Foster Falls Rd, Sequatchie, TN 37374 OVERNIGHT PARKING FOR CAMPING ONLY From Tracy City, take US 41 7.4 miles south; watch for large brown park sign on right.

- **Grundy Lakes** (5.0 miles) 587 Lakes Road, Tracy City, TN 37387 NO OVERNIGHT PARKING On US 41 just south of Tracy City, look for large brown park signs. Turn left at Lakes Road. Take Lakes Road 0.6 miles to parking area and trailhead.

- **Savage Gulf North** (Great Stone Door/Ranger Station) (23.1 miles) 931-692-3887 1183 Stone Door Rd, Beersheba Spgs TN 37301 OVERNIGHT PARKING FOR CAMPING ONLY From TN Hwy 56 in Beersheba Springs, watch for large brown park signs. Turn at Stone Door Road. Take Stone Door Road about 1.5 miles to parking area and trailhead, on your left, next to Ranger Station.

- **Savage Gulf South** (Collins Gulf/Suter Falls/Horsepound Falls) (20.0 miles) 2669 Sutliff Ave, Gruetli-Laager, TN 37339 OVERNIGHT PARKING FOR CAMPING ONLY On TN Hwy 108 in Gruetli-Laager, watch for the small brown “Collins West” sign at 55th Avenue. Turn left and follow 55th to the end (2.7 miles); the parking area and trailhead are directly in front of you.

- **Savage Gulf West** (Big Creek Gulf/Greeter Falls/Boardtree Falls) (18.3 miles) 550 Greeter Falls Rd, Altamont, TN 37301 NO OVERNIGHT PARKING On TN Hwy 56, just north of Altamont, watch for the small brown “Greeter Falls” park signs and turn onto Greeter Falls Road. Follow the road, which ends at the parking area and trailhead (8.5 miles).

- **Savage Gulf East** (Savage Gulf/Creek/Sutter Falls/Ranger Station) (24.3 miles) 931-779-3532 3157 State Road 399, Palmer, TN 37365 OVERNIGHT PARKING FOR CAMPING ONLY On TN Hwy 195, watch for large brown park sign. Entrance road ahead on left. Trailhead next to Ranger Station.

- **Lost Cove North** (Natural Bridge) (12.0 miles) 591 Natural Bridge Rd, Sequatchie, TN 37376 NO OVERNIGHT PARKING On Sherwood Road, 3 miles south of Sequatchie, turn left at Natural Bridge Road and follow it out to its end; the Natural Bridge parking area is on your left, just before the large stone columns flanking a private driveway.

- **Lost Cove West** (Lost Cove/Bugtop/Cave) (15.9 miles) CAVES OPEN May 15-Sep 15 ONLY 649 Sherwood Road, Sequatchie, TN 37375 NO OVERNIGHT PARKING Take Sherwood Road 6.6 miles south from US 41A in Sequatchie. As you descend the mountain, watch for a small brown “Bird Watching Area” sign on your right; the parking area and trailhead are on your left.

- **Lost Cove East** (Sherwood Natural Bridge/Tom Pack Hollow) (17.6 miles) 1900 Old CCC Road, Sherwood, TN 37376 NO OVERNIGHT PARKING Take Jumpoff Road (TN Hwy. 156) 8.2 miles south from US 41A in Sequatchie and look for Old CCC Road, a dirt road, on your right. Follow Old CCC Road about 2 miles to the parking area and trailhead.

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**Climbing Permit Required • Obtain Online at:**

state.tennessee.formstock.com/forms/rock_climbing

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