

Plot
on the map as you
your progress
travel. Know where
you are
at all times

**This brochure is for reference only and should be
used with the National Geographic Trails Illustrated
Map #792 or Potomac Appalachian Trail Club Map F.
Always hike with a map and compass for safety**

IMPORTANT
TRAIL INFORMATION
Conditions on the ground
may be different from
what you find on the
map.

Name	Trail #	Mileage	Blaze Color
Halfmoon Group			
Bucktail	1030A	2.7	Pink
Bucktail Cutoff	1030	5.2	Orange
Capon	1029	2.9	Purple
German Wilson	1038	1.2	Pink
Halfmoon Lookout	1003A	0.8	White
Halfmoon	1003	3.2	Yellow
Wilson/Vances Cove Area:			
Cedar Creek	573	4.4	Yellow
Gerhard Shelter	902	1.5	White
Old Mailpath	1037	2.3	Pink
Racer Camp Hollow	1036	5.5	Orange
Sulphur Springs Gap	414	2.9	Purple
Tuscarora Trail Sections:			
Three Ponds	1013.1	2.9	Blue
Pond Run	1013.2	4.5	Blue
County Line	1013.3	8.6	Blue
Little North Mountain	405.4	8.2	Blue
Vances Cove	400	3.9	Yellow
Wilson Cove	1014	2.4	Yellow
Big Schloss Group:			
Big Schloss	1004A	4.15	Blue
Big Schloss Cut-Off	415	1.9	White
Bread Road	411	0.9	Orange
Little Sluice Mountain	401	5.3	Purple
Little Stoney Creek	571	3.3	Yellow
Mill Mountain	1004	5.0	Orange
Tibbet Knob	578	2.4	Yellow
TROUT Pond Group:			
Long Mountain	1007	8.7	Yellow
Trout Pond	1008	2.5	Purple
Laurel Run Group:			
Falls Ridge	572	2.5	Yellow
Laurel Run Spur	568A	5.5	Blue
Laurel Run	568	3.2	Yellow
North Mountain	1009	6.5	Orange
Stack Rock	568B	1.5	Purple

For more trail information: www.PATC.net

Great North Mountain Trail Information


Know Before You Go....
Tell someone what trail you are taking
and when you plan to return.

Take along these trail essentials:

- * Map
- * Compass/GPS/Cellphone
- * Flashlight/headlamp
- * Extra food
- * Extra clothing and rain gear
- * First aid supplies
- * Pocket knife
- * Matches & firestarter
- * Extra water (Purify all water from streams before drinking to eliminate the risk of Giardia.)
- * Sunscreen/sunglasses
- * Emergency Shelter
- * Knowledge

Be Bear Aware!
You are traveling in bear country. Always maintain a safe and respectful distance from wildlife. When camping, keep a clean campsite.



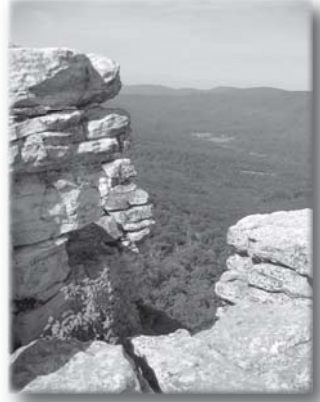

Leave No Trace
Learn more at www.lnt.org

You can help protect the outdoor experience for future generations.

- * Proper planning will help you avoid difficult and dangerous situations.
- * Stay on trails. Keep your campsite small and in areas where vegetation is absent.
- * Pack out all trash, leftover food and litter.
- * Bury human waste using the cathole method.
- * Leave rocks, plants and other natural objects as you find them for the next person to enjoy.
- * Keep campfires small or use a cookstove. Extinguish all fires before leaving an area.
- * Do not feed or harass the wildlife.
- * Be considerate of other visitors.

Great North Mountain Trails

Includes Wilson/Vances Cove, Big Schloss, Halfmoon, and Laurel Run Areas

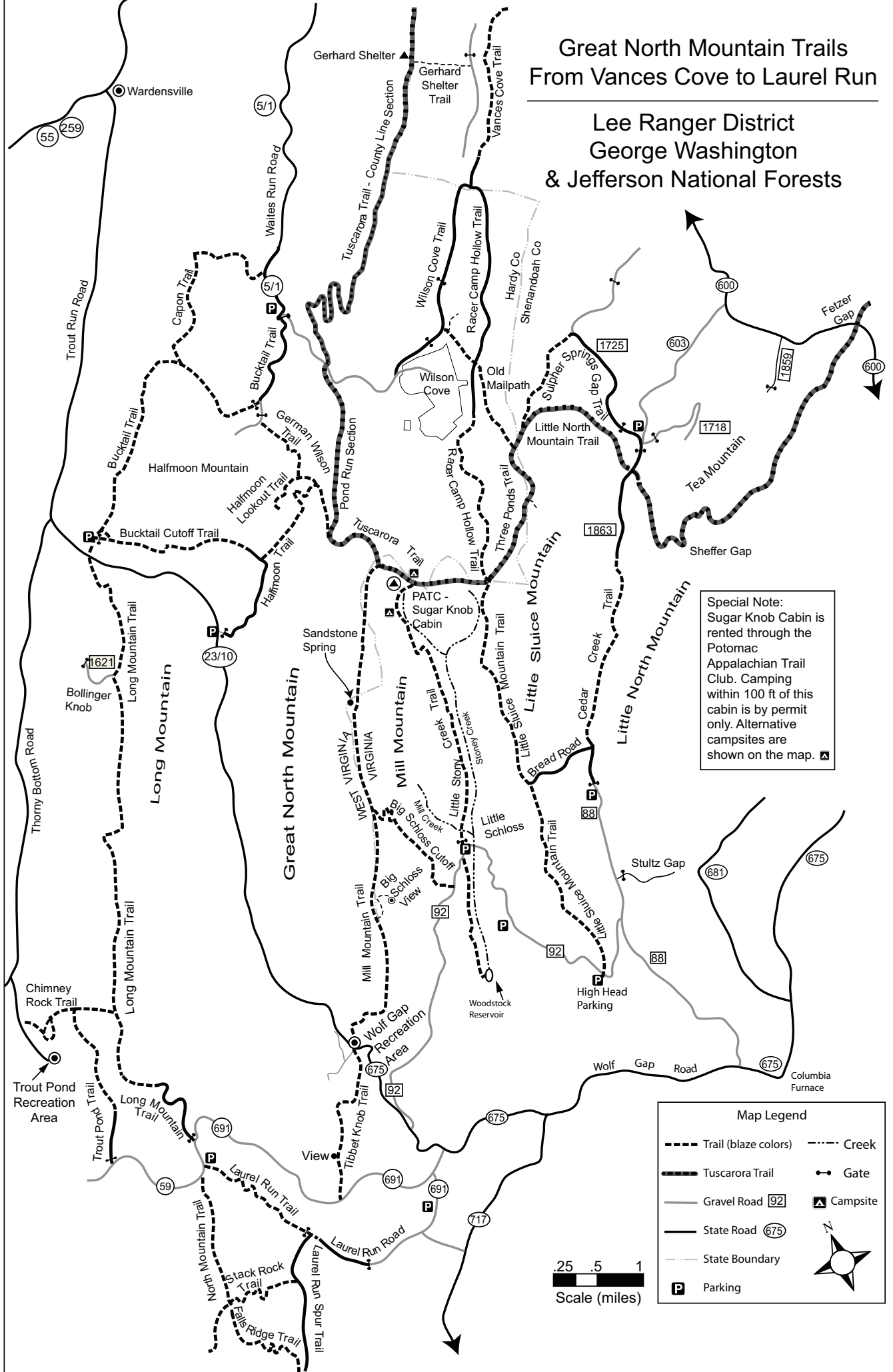


View from Big Schloss Overlook

For trail information:
Lee Ranger District,
George Washington & Jefferson NFs
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95 Railroad Avenue
Edinburg, VA 22824

Great North Mountain Trails From Vances Cove to Laurel Run

Lee Ranger District
George Washington
& Jefferson National Forests



Special Note:
Sugar Knob Cabin is rented through the Potomac Appalachian Trail Club. Camping within 100 ft of this cabin is by permit only. Alternative campsites are shown on the map.

Map Legend

- Trail (blaze colors)
- Tuscarora Trail
- Gravel Road
- State Road
- State Boundary
- Parking
- Creek
- Gate
- Campsite

