

PLOTT BALSAM TRAIL HIKE TO PLANE CRASH (VIA WATERROCK KNOB / BROWNING KNOB)



ACCESS THE WATERROCK KNOB TRAIL AT MILEPOST 451.5 ON THE BLUE RIDGE PARKWAY NEAR WAYNESVILLE. TOTAL HIKE IS 2.5 MILES ROUND-TRIP. ALLOW FOR ABOUT 2.5 HOURS. THE ELEVATION CHANGES ARE EQUIVALENT TO ABOUT 68 FLIGHTS OF STAIRS. THE TRAIL TO FROM WATERROCK KNOB TO BROWNING KNOB IS NOT MAINTAINED SO USE CAUTION.

ELEVATIONS:

WATERROCK KNOB VISITOR CENTER	5719 FT
WATERROCK KNOB	6292 FT
BROWNING KNOB	6240 FT

DISTANCES:

WATERROCK KNOB PARKING LOT TO PEAK	.5 MILES
WATERROCK PEAK TO BROWNING KNOB	.7 MILES
BROWNING KNOB TO PLANE CRASH	.05 MILES