

CENTRAL OHIO HIKING CLUB

Darby Creek Metro Park

Friday– Sept 11, 2026 @ 10:00 A.M.

Miles: 3 Level: 1 ([level guide](#))

Hike Location:

Canoe/Sledding/Bike Lot 8465 Alkire Rd. Galloway OH 43119 ([map](#))

From W. Broad St. turn onto Darby Creek Dr. Go PAST the Nature Center, PAST the Cedar Ridge Picnic area and turn RIGHT at the roundabout onto Alkire Rd. The parking lot is on the LEFT at the bottom of the hill before crossing Darby Creek.

There are restrooms at the trail head.

Hike Description:

We'll hike the Ancient Trail and part of the Terrace Trail. The route is mostly flat with just one small hill. Most of the walk is shaded on packed gravel, with about a mile circling an open meadow on grass.

Lunch Location:

Flyers Pizza 121 W. Main St. West Jefferson OH 43126 ([map](#))

On Fridays the West Jeff Flyers has a lunch buffet. They have several choices other than pizza. Of course there is plenty of pizza.

Leader: John Troutman

Sweep: Whaja Troutman