

CENTRAL OHIO HIKING CLUB

Chapel Cave/Airplane Rock Hocking Hills State Forrest

Saturday – July 25, 2026 @ 11:00 A. M.

Miles: 5 Level: 3 ([level guide](#))

Directions to Hike:

Rappelling Area parking lot ([map](#))

Take US-33 south to SR 664. Turn right onto SR 664 and continue to **Big Pine Road**. Turn **right** onto Big Pine Road and continue to the **Rappelling Area** parking lot on the **right**. **THERE ARE NO RESTROOMS AT THE TRAIL HEAD.** (Note: there are restrooms at the Conkle's Hollow parking lot a half mile down the road)

Hike Description:

The hike follows bridle trails that can be in rough condition, so expect an uneven surface and very muddy if there's any rain. The first half features a gradual climb with a few short, steep hills, while the second half has longer, fairly steep descents. There are also some stream crossings along the way, though these are generally dry this time of year.

Lunch Location:

The Olde Dutch Restaurant 12791 SR-664 Logan OH 43138 ([map](#))

We WILL NOT have reservations; however, they have always put us together. Take Big Pine Rd to SR 664 back toward Logan. The restaurant is located on the left of SR 664 just north of the US 33 & SR 664 interchange

Leader: John Troutman

Sweep: Jim Rousseau