HARRY S TRUMAN STATE PARK MAP



LEGEND



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BLUFF RIDGE TRAIL

1.80-mile loop TRAIL RATING: Moderate ESTIMATED HIKING TIME: 1 hour, 25 minutes

Bluff Ridge Trail offers visitors an opportunity to experience the park's oak-hickory woodland. The north-facing slopes along Bluff Ridge Trail represent what most people think of as a typical Missouri woodland. Richer, moister soil found on the north-facing slopes near the trailhead supports large red oak trees. A highlight along the trail is a bluff outcropping overlooking a portion of the 55,600-acre Truman Lake. Visitors may glimpse such wildlife as bobcats, deer, wild turkeys or possibly bald eagles in flight. The trail has a 260foot long access spur to Buck Ridge Campground.

WESTERN WALLFLOWER TRAIL

0.80-mile loop TRAIL RATING: Moderate ESTIMATED HIKING TIME: 35 minutes

Western Wallflower Trail offers a chance to experience oak savanna and glade landscapes maintained by prescribed fire to preserve their presettlement condition. It is one of the best places in the park to view widely spaced oaks that still shade a mantle of prairie grasses and wildflowers. The namesake of the trail, western wallflower, can be seen in its brilliant orange glory on the glades. This flower, a member of the mustard family, and other species such as stick leaf, Missouri spurge and plains muhly grass do not exist in other Missouri state parks and are uncommon in the state.

1000TH MILE TRAIL

1-mile loop TRAIL RATING: Moderate ESTIMATED HIKING TIME: 45 minutes

The 1000th Mile Trail interprets the ongoing efforts to remove invasive red cedars and restore a glade area. The trail begins with a 30-yard level concrete path to a bench overlooking the glade restoration area. From the bench, the trail drops to the bottom of the glade before continuing along a ridge to an old service road where it opens up to a scenic area of the lake. Once back in the wooded area, the trail follows the land's contour back to the trailhead. Hikers will commonly see birds such as eagles and turkey vultures, wildflowers such as western wallflower, and glade plants like prickly pear cactus. This trail also offers spectacular views of Truman Lake from the bluff.

TRAIL NAME	MILEAGE	BLAZE COLOR	APPROVED USAGE	RATING	TRAIL EXPERIENCE *
Bluff Ridge Trail	1.80	Blue	ķ /	Moderate	2, 3, 7, 8
Western Wallflower Trai	I 0.80	Green	(/)	Moderate	2, 3, 7
1000th Mile Trail	1	Red	(/)	Moderate	2, 3, 6, 7, 8

YOU MAY EXPERIENCE: ① Slippery conditions and/or downed vegetation ② Natural surface: dirt, mud, gravel, loose rocks, slippery surface, etc. ③ Rocks, roots and/or downed vegetation on trail ④ Low-hanging vegetation ⑤ Physically challenging obstacles ⑥ Wood or stone steps ⑦ Steep grades and inclines over 10% ⑧ Bluffs or drop-offs next to trail ⑨ Bridges and/or structural crossings ⑪ Water/stream crossings without bridges ⑪ Occasional water over trail ⑫ Road/ highway crossing ⑧ Emergency response signs ⑪ Narrow passages ⑮ Raised or protruding obstacles ⑯ Electric fence crossings ⑫ Bison ⑯ Rapidly changing weather conditions ⑲ Motorized boat traffic ⑳ Unexpected waves ㉑ Changing water levels ㉒ Surface or submerged objects



Rules of the Trail

- All pets must be kept on a leash for their protection and that of other visitors and wildlife.
- All other rules and regulations pertaining to park use are applicable to trail users.

The Ethics of Good Trail Use

- Carry out what you carry in. If the trail users before you have not done this, you can help by removing their trash, too.
- Please do not create new trails. Trails are designed to prevent soil erosion and damage to surrounding vegetation.



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