

Walking the MitchelldalesSM-Creek Walk #1

Bakersville

Distance: 2.88 miles

Time: 1-2Hours

Elev. Gain: 98ft

Easy Walk

Accessibility: Mostly flat surface on the creek and in town.

Parking: Several parking options
Crimson Laurel Way or intown.

Toilets: Toilets in the library, historic courthouse and some businesses.

Refreshments: East Fork Bakery and Roan View Mercantile.

Closest Park Centre: North Carolina Museum of Minerals and Roan Mountain.

Route description (Please read before beginning)

1. Beginning at the Crimson Laurel Way, follow the walk along the creek. If the bridge is out, you will not be able to follow the map totally.
2. Continue along the walk going under the Mitchell Street bridge and following ot to the helipad in front of the rescue squad building.
3. Turn left and the turn left on Baker Lane; following Baker Lane to South Mitchell Avenue and turn Left into toward town and visit the local business listed below.
4. Return and retrace your steps to the parking.

[Click here for a walking map.](#)

Additional notes / points of interest

Walk along the Cane Creek and around the small town of Bakersville. Try a sandwich at the East Fork Artisan Bakery, check out the Mica Gallery for local handmade items, In Tandem Gallery, Heavenly Things, and Roan View Mercantile for Ice cream and local information. Also, the Mitchell Historical Society is located in the Historic Courthouse and they have numerous brochures on local information and history.