

## For Hikers and Bicyclists:

**Ride Open Trails:** Respect trail and road closures — ask a land manager for clarification if you are uncertain about the status of a trail. Don't take shortcuts; follow a switchback around corner rather than taking the shortest possible route.

**Leave No Trace:** Be sensitive to the dirt beneath you. Wet and muddy trails are more vulnerable to damage than dry ones. When the trail is soft, consider other riding options. This also means staying on existing trails and not creating new ones. Be sure to pack out at least as much as you pack in.

**Control Your Bicycle:** Inattention for even a moment could put yourself and others at risk. Ride within your limits.

**Yield Appropriately:** Do your utmost to let your fellow trail users know you're coming — a friendly greeting or bell ring are good methods. Bicyclists should yield to other non-motorized trail users, unless the trail is clearly signed for bike-only travel. Bicyclists traveling downhill should yield to ones headed uphill, unless the trail is clearly signed for one-way or downhill-only traffic. In general, strive to make each pass a safe and courteous one.

**Hikers always have the right-of-way.**

**It is illegal to harm any wildlife in the park – including snakes.**

## Be Prepared Before You Hike:

**Plan Ahead:** Know your equipment, your ability and the area in which you are riding or hiking and prepare accordingly. Always bring food and water, even if you plan a short hike or ride.

The most important thing to know before you go: yourself! Make sure you know what you're prepared to do. Always inform friends or family where you are going and what time to expect you back!

**Report what you find.** Maintenance concerns and observations can be directed to 423-989-5581. Report your unusual nature sightings to the Nature Center at 423-989-5616. Trail and wildlife reports may also be sent to [parksinfo@bristoltn.org](mailto:parksinfo@bristoltn.org).

## Trails Ordinances

Fires are not permitted.

Camping is not permitted.

Horses are not allowed on trails.

Motor vehicles are not allowed on trails.

Removal of wildlife and plants is not permitted.

Hunting is not permitted.

If you lose your way on the trails, contact the Nature Center for assistance. After hours contact the Police Department at 423-989-5600



For more information, please contact

**Parks & Recreation**

at 423-764-4023 or the

**Steele Creek Park Nature Center**

at 423-989-5616

[www.BristolTN.org](http://www.BristolTN.org)

## Steele Creek Park Trail Map



Steele Creek Park is the third largest municipal park in Tennessee covering more than 2,300 acres with more than 25 miles of hiking and biking trails, rated easy to strenuous.



# LEGEND

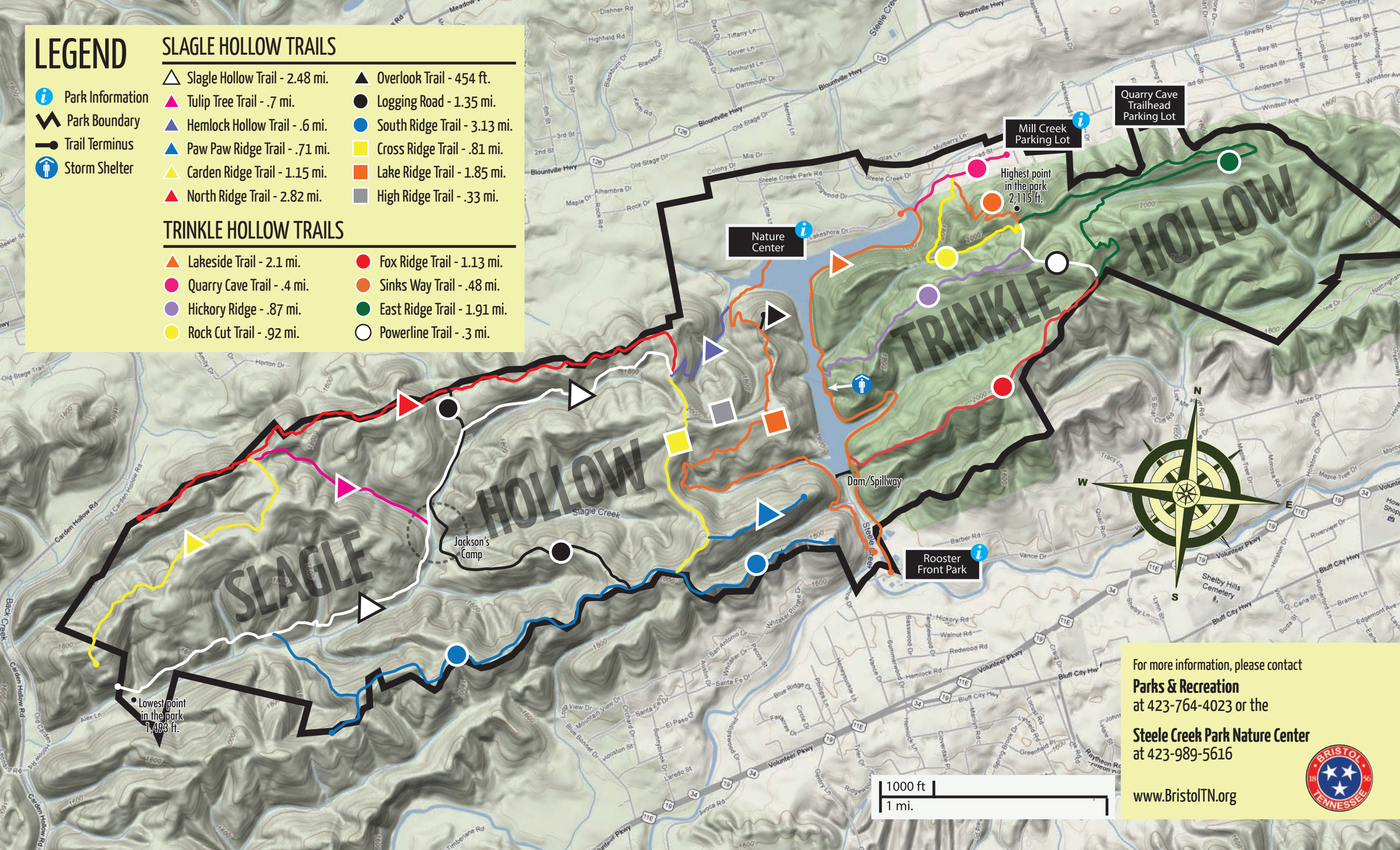
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- Park Boundary
- Trail Terminus
- Storm Shelter

## SLAGLE HOLLOW TRAILS

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|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Slagle Hollow Trail - 2.48 mi. | Overlook Trail - 454 ft.     |
| Tulip Tree Trail - .7 mi.      | Logging Road - 1.35 mi.      |
| Hemlock Hollow Trail - .6 mi.  | South Ridge Trail - 3.13 mi. |
| Paw Paw Ridge Trail - .71 mi.  | Cross Ridge Trail - .81 mi.  |
| Carden Ridge Trail - 1.15 mi.  | Lake Ridge Trail - 1.85 mi.  |
| North Ridge Trail - 2.82 mi.   | High Ridge Trail - .33 mi.   |

## TRINKLE HOLLOW TRAILS

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|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Lakeside Trail - 2.1 mi.   | Fox Ridge Trail - 1.13 mi.  |
| Quarry Cave Trail - .4 mi. | Sinks Way Trail - .48 mi.   |
| Hickory Ridge - .87 mi.    | East Ridge Trail - 1.91 mi. |
| Rock Cut Trail - .92 mi.   | Powerline Trail - .3 mi.    |



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