

Greene Mountain Horse Trail

Greene County, TN

LOCATION: Upper Greene Mountain Road

(Trail Head)

GPS REF: Not yet available.

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DIRECTIONS: From Greeneville take Hwy 70 south approximately 15 miles. Left on Viking Mtn.

(Trail Head) Rd go approximately 1 mile. When road turns to gravel watch for trail head sign

on the right. Turn around in the 160 degree curve to the right.

PARKING: Can park up to 6 trucks and trailers back along the road you came in on.

TRAIL LENGTH: 8 miles round trip to top of Greene Mountain and back

TRAIL DIFFICULTY: Moderate (Intermediate Riders)

DESCRIPTION: Trail has good width and solid footing. First third goes from 2500 to 4000 ft

elevation and takes the most riding time unless your horse is above 80 percent conditioned to mountain riding. This part has level places to rest and 20 or more pink lady slippers in bloom in April. Last half of the trail is close to level and turns into forest service road. Turn left goes to the old Kennedy Cabin site. Turn right takes you 8 more round trip miles to the top of Viking / bald mountain. The left turn goes straight around to the water trough cabin site. Straight on bear to the right and ride to the grass field on mountain top. This is one of the few high

country rides in Greene County.

SCENIC VIEW(S): Ride spring and summer for viewing flowers. Summer for cool woods ride. Late

Fall, Winter and earlier Spring for beautiful views

SPECIAL NOTE(S): Great trail for conditioning your horse in any season. [Jim Kennedy, 423-620-

9348. Text or email until 4 pm, or call after 4pm]

TRAIL MAP: Not yet available. **TRIP TICK(S):** Not yet available.

CONNECTIONS: To Viking Mountain Road (and on to the top).