

Pioneer Canyon Ranch Adventure Guide



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Easy-Short

.16 miles

From the West side of the kitchen, head out the door, cross the lawn and enter the wilderness area. Turn left onto Flo's walk or head up the hill until you reach the bench. Continue on Flo's Walk (behind bench) to Julia's Meadow. From Julia's Meadow, follow sign to Doug. Return to the ranch on Flo's Walk.



Easy-Long

.6 miles

Follow the hike above until you reach Doug Out. Continue on the UTV road to the intersection of Matty's Meadow. Turn left. Follow Matt's Meadow around to Tonka Doodle. Turn left and continue to Jack's Junction. On the left side look for Flo's Walk and follow the trail back to the viewing platform.



**Pioneer Canyon ranch
Offers hiking poles**

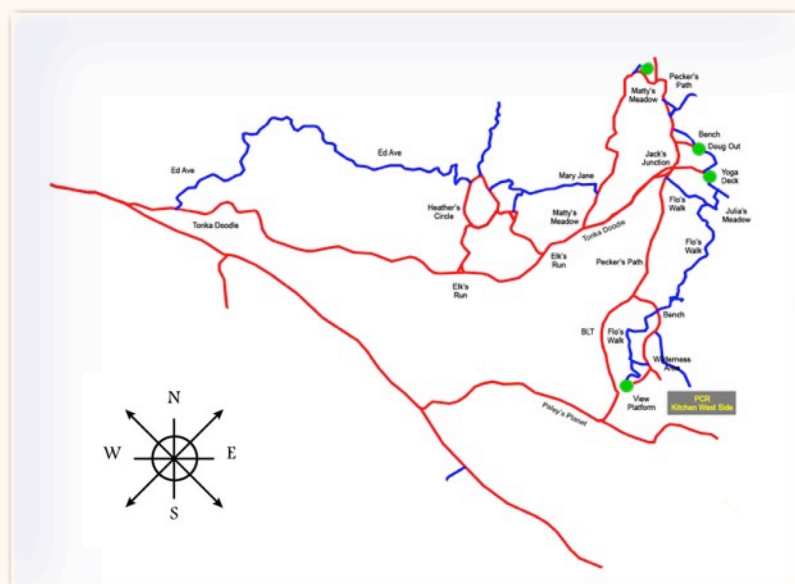
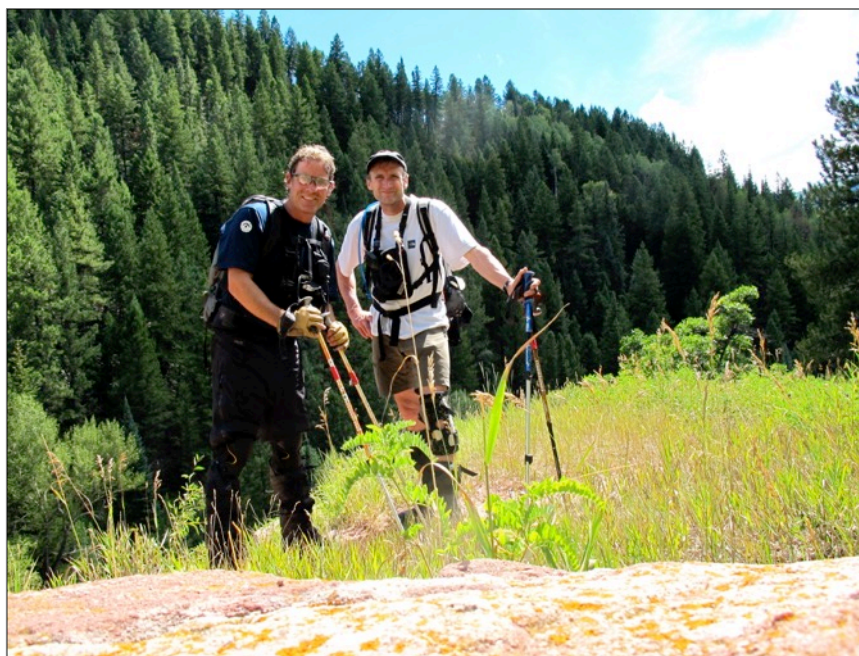
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Moderate-Short

1 mile

Follow the Easy-Long hike until you reach Mary Jane (before Tonka Doodle). Turn right on Mary Jane and follow to Heather's Circle. Turn right and follow Heather's circle all the way around to Elk Run. Continue down to Tonka Doodle. Take left at Tonka Doodle back to Jack's junction. Take Flo's Walk back to the viewing platform.



Moderate-Long

1.5 miles

Follow the Easy-Long hike until you reach Mary Jane (before Tonka Doodle). Turn right on Mary Jane and follow to Heather's Circle. Turn right and follow Heather's circle to Ed's Ave. Take Ed's Ave for across the valley until you reach Tonka Doodle. Follow Tonka Doodle back to Jack's Junction. Take Flo's Walk back to the viewing platform.

**Pioneer Canyon Ranch offers
hiking poles, sleds and
snowshoes**

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Hard-Short

1 miles

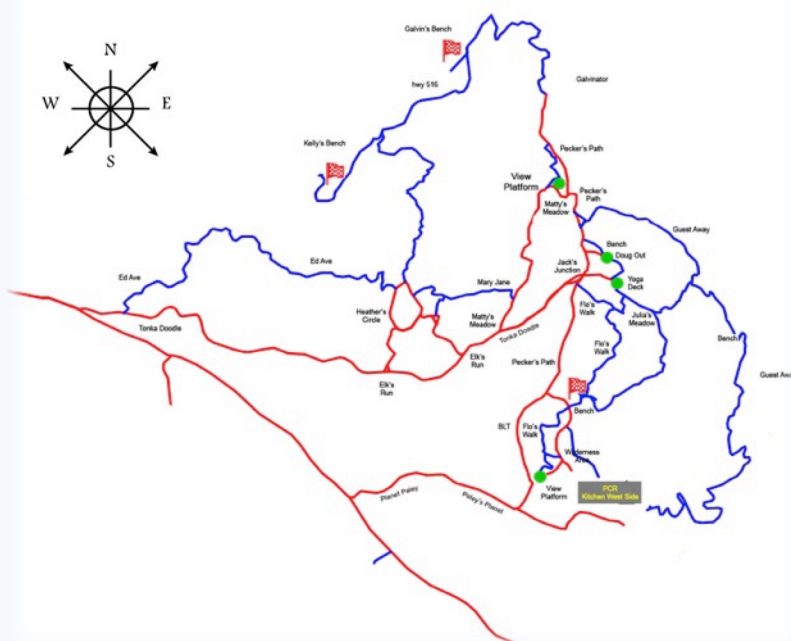
From the East side of the kitchen, begin hiking the guest away trail. This hike will have arrows guiding you to the most spectacular tree (look for sign that says viewpoint). Photo Opportunity. Snowmass ski area, Capital Peak and Mt. Daily are in the background. Continue to hike to the top of the ridge and relax on Steve's Bench. Continue down the trail following arrows to Pecker's Path. Turn left and relax on the deck of The Doug Out. When ready, continue back to PCR via Flo's Walk.



Hard-Long

1.5 miles

Take the same route as described above. Take a right on Pecker's Path to the beginning of Galvinator. Hike up Galvinator to top. Follow sign to Galvin's Bench, relax and enjoy the view. Continue back to HWY 516, turn right and proceed to Kelly's bench, relax and enjoy the view. Backtrack to Heather's Hill and begin hike down to Heather's Circle. Turn right and continue down to Elk Run, turn left and hike Tonka Doodle back to PCR via Flo's Walk



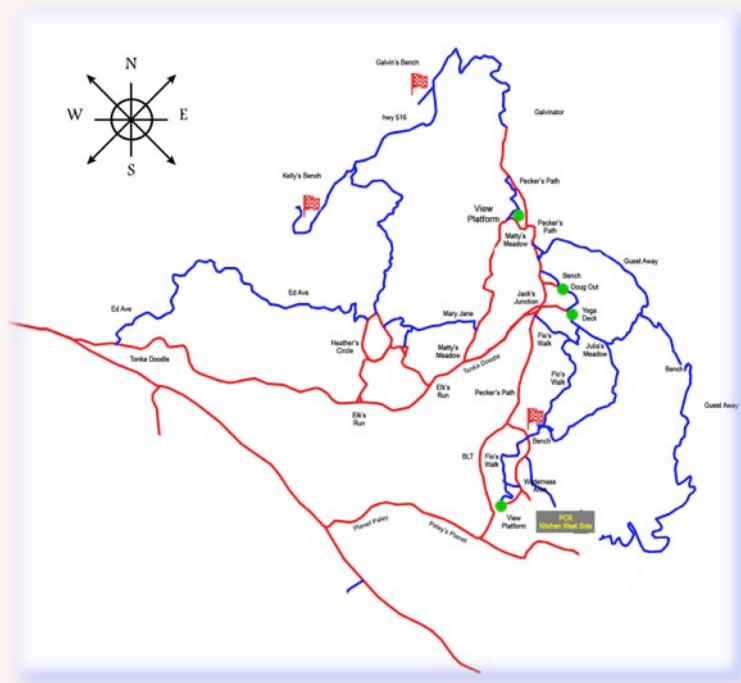
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Hard-Long (alt)

1.5 miles

From the West side of the kitchen, grab some water, and head out the door, cross the lawn and enter the wilderness area (sign posted). Hike to Jack's Junction via Flo's Walk. Turn left onto Tonka Doodle and continue to Elk's Run, turn right. Hike up Elk's Run, cross a rock bridge and turn right onto Heather's Circle. When you reach the top, turn right onto Heather's Hill. Hike up Heather's Hill and turn left on HWY 516 to Kelly's Bench. Relax and Enjoy the View. Go back on HWY 516 and continue up to the intersection of Galvin's Bench. After a quick stop at Galvin's Bench, head down the Galvinator to Pecker's Path, to The Doug Out to relax on the porch. Continue back to PCR via Julia's Meadow and Flo's Walk.



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Doug's Extreme (refer to map on page 10)
2.1 miles - 1 hour – elevation gain 540 feet

From the East side of the kitchen or from the deck of the guest master, begin hiking the guest away trail. This hike will have arrows guiding you to the most spectacular tree (look for sign that says viewpoint). The tree is an amazing opportunity to take a photograph with Snowmass ski area, Capital Peak and Mt. Daily in the background. Continue to hike to the top of the ridge and relax on Steve's Bench. Continue down the trail following arrows to Pecker's Path. Take a right on Pecker's Path and hike to the beginning of Galvinator. Hike up Galvinator to top. Follow sign to Galvin's Bench, relax and enjoy the view. Continue back to HWY 516, turn right and proceed to Kelly's bench, relax and enjoy the view. Backtrack to Heather's Hill and begin hiking down to Heather's Circle. Turn right on Heather's Circle and turn right at Ed's Ave. Continue on Ed's Ave until you reach Tonka Doodle. Turn right on Tonka Doodle and proceed to Shakedown Street. Continue up Shakedown street to Sticks and Stones. Turn Left on Sticks and Stones and hike up to Rocks and Rolls. Continue on Rocks and Rolls until Ripple. Turn left on Ripple and continue down to Loose Lucy. Take Loose Lucy to Shake Down Street and turn left. Hike up to Planet Paley and head back to PCR.



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Best Sledding

The best sledding begins at The Doug Out. Go in front of the hut and follow the course down towards BLT ending at the view platform. **WATCH YOUR SPEED** and always wear a helmet with goggles. There are sleds available for adults and kids.



Two great Uphill Ski Or Snowshoe tours

The first tour begins outside the west kitchen door. Put your skis or snowshoes on, go past the wilderness sign, up to flows walk, to Julia's Meadow and end at The Doug Out. This is a moderate tour. The second is more difficult and will reward you with amazing views. Go out the kitchen door east, follow Guest Away to the view tree and continue to the ridge. Continue down to Peckers Path, take a left and relax at The Doug Out.



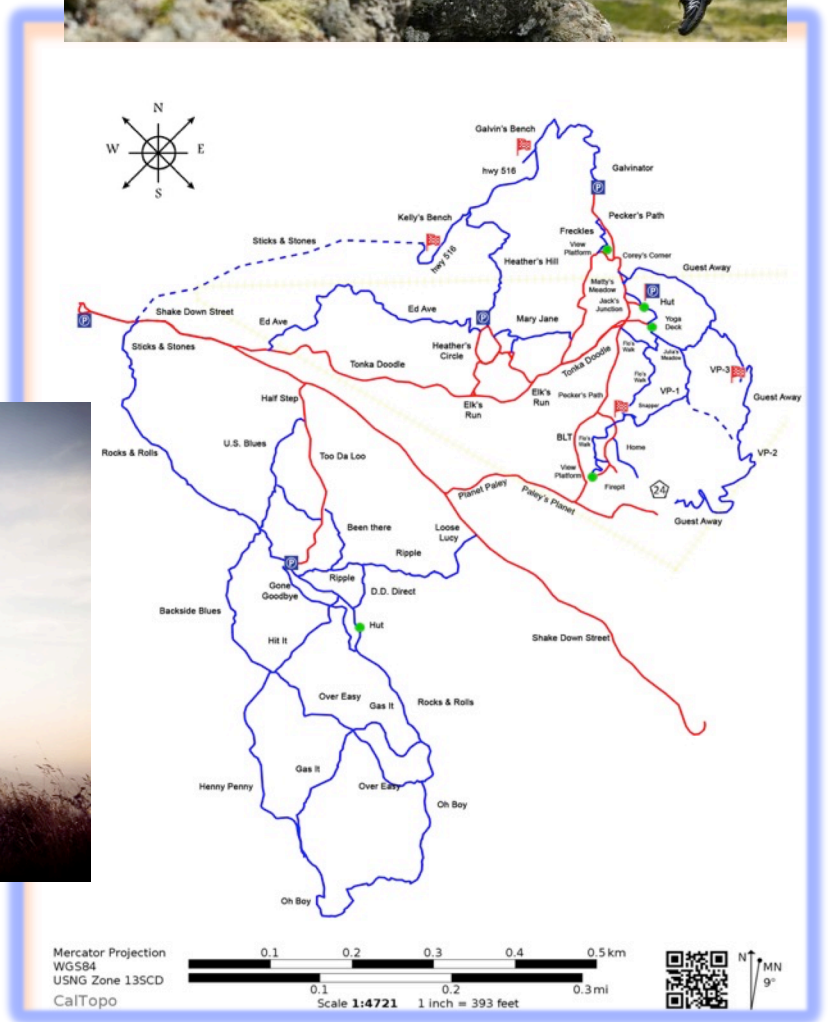
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Sleds and snowshoes**

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Trail Runner's Delight

From the west side of the Kithchen, start run at view platform. Go up BLT, bear left at fork and continue to Jack's Junction. Bear right on to Pecker's Path and continue up to Galvinator. Run up Galvinator to HWY 516 and continue down to Heather's Hill to Heather's Circle. Turn right and take the first right to Ed's Ave. Continue run across Ed's Ave to Tonka Doodle. Take a left and continue to Pecker's Path. Turn right and head back to PCR

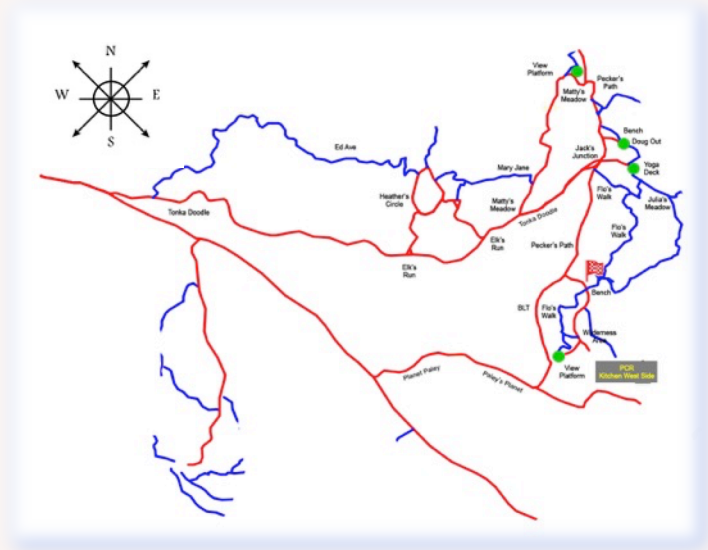


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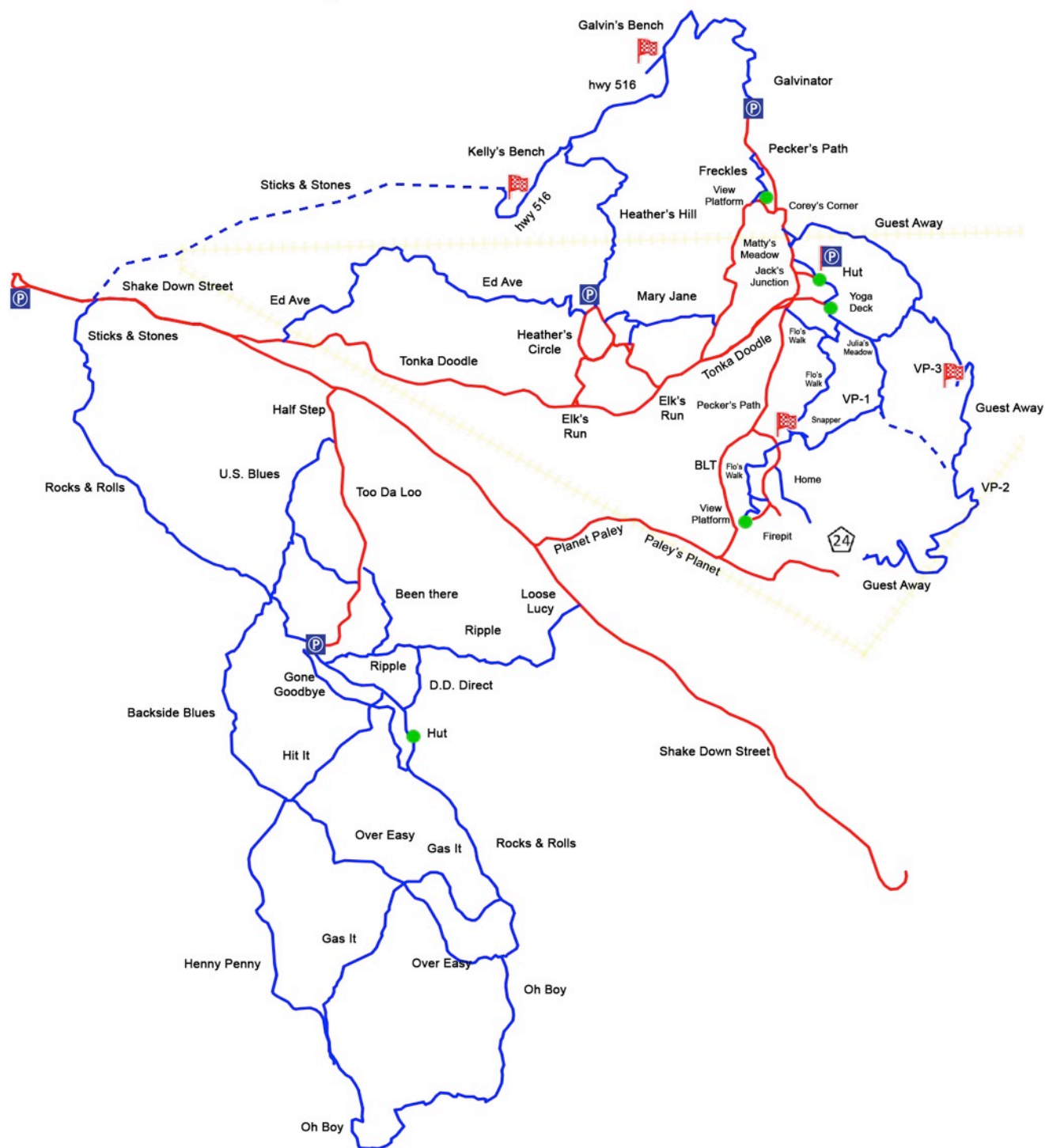
Favorite Bike trail

Ride down driveway to gravel path (next to PCR sign), turn right. Go to Paley's Planet and continue to Shake Down Street, turn right. Cycle up to TooDoo Loo (optional ride to ridge). Continue to Tonka Doodle – sharp right. Ride Tonka Doodle to Matty's Meadow, turn left. Take Matty's Meadow past Mary Jane, past Freckles to intersection of Pecker's Path. Turn right towards Doug Out and continue down Pecker's Path to the PCR.



Pioneer Canyon Ranch offers two E-Bikes for guests. E-Bikes are pedal assist, which can be used on all red trails

Pioneer Springs Ranch Trail Map



Mercator Projection
WGS84
USNG Zone 13SCD
CalTopo

