

Trails of Camp Ledgewood

Camp Ledgewood has a rich array of natural features that can be enjoyed by using the established trail system. Girl Scouts of North East Ohio encourages campers and hikers to Leave No Trace, and to pick up debris if found on our trails. As a reminder, all Girl Scouts must follow all Safety Activity Checkpoints.

Questions? Contact the Girl Experience Department by emailing programs@gsneo.org.

The Cricket Trail (D/B/J/C/S/A)

This easy trail was originally developed and named for a Girl Scout Volunteer named "Cricket". The Cricket Trail begins at Chestnut Burr Cabin. You will stroll through the woods, passing the old acorn ring, cross the road near Chalet, and head toward Thornapple and Woodland. Behind Woodland you will descend a set of steps where the trail leads you Camp Ledgewood's Wishing Well. The trail ends at Seiberling Cabin.

The Friendship Trail (D/B/J/C/S/A)

This moderately hard trail has many steps and is the most direct route to the Lake from Hunsicker and Seiberling. The trail begins to the left of the Glacier Hill and will cross over a stream and through Homestead. Near the end of the trail you will see The Quiet Place, a spot for girls to reflect.

Trail to Lookout Point (D/B/J/C/S/A)

This easy loop trail begins and ends along the road to Moss Ledge Tent Unit (in between Woodland and Caravan). It is a short and level trail that heads out to Lookout Point. Once you have reached Lookout Point, log seating will provide a resting place with views of the ravine and stream below.

The Glacier Loop Trail (B/J/C/S/A)

A physically demanding, but beautiful trail is the Glacier Loop Trail. The Glacier Loop Trail begins and ends at Seiberling Cabin. Follow the steps behind Seiberling to bottom of the hill. Cross the creek to begin your ascent to the Glacier Loop. At the top of the hill, you can follow the Loop to the left or the right and will see the beautiful rock formations found on Camp Ledgewood's property.

The Hemlock Trail (J/C/S/A)

This little known moderately difficult trail begins on the edge of the woods near the Lake Gazebo. It goes down the hill a short distance before sharply turning downward to reach a creek. It is an excellent place to take a picnic or study pond critters.

The 80th Anniversary Trail (J/C/S/A)

The 80th Anniversary Trail was developed by Esther Shields. The steep and hilly trail begins at the Amphitheater on the roadway to Cotter Cabin. It winds through a scenic section of the woods and goes down to the Boston Run Stream (the trail does not cross the stream). From there the trail takes you up the other side of the small ravine and ends at MacAlonan Cabin.

The Kananen Ridge Trail (C/S/A)

The most physically demanding trail begins at the big oak tree near the Shield's Shelter. When you come to the "T", turn right and cross the small culvert and follow the trail through several ravines. The trail will end at the "T" junction.

To request a Day Pass for hiking at Camps Timberlane, Ledgewood, or Sugarbush, please contact the Registration Department at registration@gsneo.org or call 800-852-4474.

Passes are issued based on camp availability.