

Falls

Juneywhank Falls - From the Deep Creek trailhead parking area, follow the well-marked trail 1/4 mile uphill to Juneywhank Falls. The roar of the falls can be heard even before you reach it. An eighty-foot cascade of water starts above you and runs under a log footbridge with handrails, and meets up with Deep Creek at the bottom of the trail.

Tom Branch Falls - Starting back at the main trailhead, walk just 1,000 feet along the wide, flat Deep Creek trail to Tom Branch Falls, a wispy waterfall that gently splashes over 80 feet into Deep Creek. A bench is provided beside the creek and is a great place to sit and watch the tubers float by.

Indian Creek Falls - Continuing along the Deep Creek trail for approximately one mile, the trail winds up a slight grade to where Indian Creek spills into Deep Creek. Follow the Indian Creek Trail to the right 200 feet uphill to Indian Creek Falls, a high-spirited waterfall that noisily plunges 25 feet to the pool below. A small spur trail leads to the bottom of the falls.

Trails

Deep Creek Loop (Trails: Deep Creek to Loop Trail to Indian Creek and back to Deep Creek) - 4 miles, easy to moderate. The trail is fairly level except for a one-mile section that crosses the 420-foot Sunkota Ridge (Loop Trail section). The trail passes by two nice waterfalls - Tom Branch Falls and Indian Creek Falls.

Martin's Gap Loop (Trails: Deep Creek to Martin's Gap to Sunkota Ridge to Loop Trail to Indian Creek and back to Deep Creek) - Approximately 12 miles, easy to moderate.

Deep Creek Trail to Newfound Gap Road - 14.2 miles, easy to strenuous. For most this is a one-way hike, requiring a second vehicle at the end of the trail. Many choose to walk this trail "down" from Newfound Gap Road.

Noland Divide Trail to Beaugard Ridge - A vertical rise of 1,820 feet in 2.5 miles from the Deep Creek Campground. There are great views to the south over Deep Creek Valley and Bryson City. For the more adventurous, the Noland Divide Trail connects Deep Creek with Clingmans Dome Road. 11.2 miles one way. This too is a one-way hike for most.

Tubes

Deep Creek Lodge & Creekside Tubing
1881 W. Deep Creek Rd., Bryson City
828-488-2587
<http://www.deepcreeklodgetubing.com>

Deep Creek Store & Tubes
1840 W. Deep Creek Rd., Bryson City
828-488-9665
www.smokymtncampground.com

Deep Creek Tube Center
800 W. Deep Creek Rd., Bryson City
828-488-6055
www.deepcreekcamping.com

J.J. Tubes
1651 Toot Hollow Rd., Bryson City
828-488-3018
www.bjsdeepcreekrentals.com/jjstube.htm

Deep Creek Guide & Map



Deep Creek Ranger Station

828-488-3184

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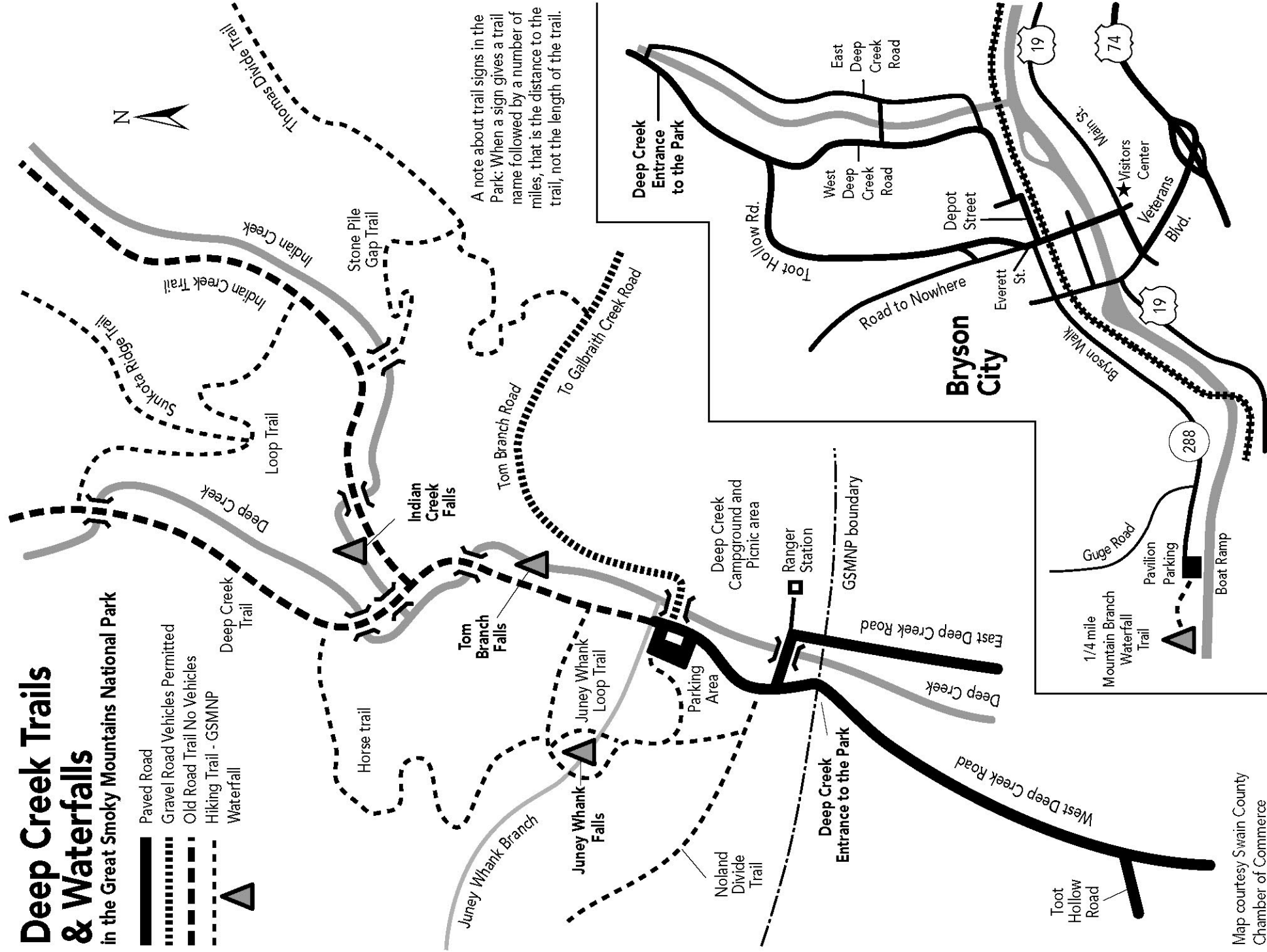
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Deep Creek Trails & Waterfalls

in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park

-  Paved Road
-  Gravel Road Vehicles Permitted
-  Old Road Trail No Vehicles
-  Hiking Trail - GSMNP
-  Waterfall



A note about trail signs in the Park: When a sign gives a trail name followed by a number of miles, that is the distance to the trail, not the length of the trail.