

## Lewis & Clark National Forest

### Our Lake

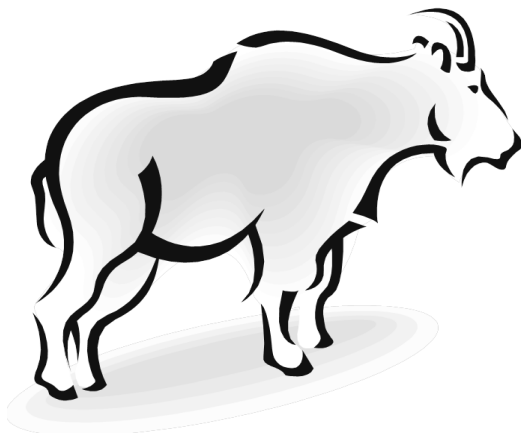
5.0 Miles — Easy

A short trail to an alpine lake. Along the trail, hikers will enjoy a rushing waterfall and, during the early summer, wildflowers. This area also offers abundant wildlife including great bighorn sheep and mountain goat viewing. Campers are cautioned to hang their food appropriately as bears are also common here.

### Memorial Falls

1.0 Miles — Easy

A brief and relaxing trail through a small, boulder strewn canyon to a waterfall. Both the waterfall and the stream at the parking lot are popular places for children to cool off in the summer.



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Great Falls is centrally located where the mountains meet the high plains. It is the gateway to Montana's Rocky Mountain Front Range and some of the best hiking in the world.

## Bob Marshall Wilderness Area

### Chinese Wall

40-100 Miles — Moderately Difficult

Easily recognizable when flying over central Montana, the Chinese Wall is one of the most remarkable and popular destination in the Bob Marshall Complex. This is a 1000-foot vertical ribbon of rock stretching 22 miles along the eastern slope of the Rockies.

### Mt Wright Summit

6.6 Miles Roundtrip — Difficult

A short and strenuous day hike to one of the best vantage points in the region with sweeping views of the Bob Marshall Wilderness Complex and Glacier National Park. At 8,855 feet of elevation, Mt. Wright is one of the highest peaks in the area and the 3,500 elevation gain is substantial compared to other hikes in the area. Should you make the trek up Mt. Wright you will likely find solitude on this lightly traveled route other than the resident mountain goats.

### Willow Creek Falls

3.2 Miles — Moderately Easy

A short day hike with vantage points of several falls. This trail starts near the entrance to Rising Ranch and follows along the Willow Creek, crossing in several times. The trail soon reaches the foot of the mountains and climbs upward to reach the lower falls. The trail continues up the rocky face reaching two more falls and a meadow at the top of the ridge.



### Crown Mountain

5.8-8.5 Miles — Moderate

Offering dramatic views of Crown Mountain, Haystack Butte and water falls; this trail keeps hikers' eyes as busy as their feet. Follow Trail 270 for 2.9 miles up the drainage of Whitewater Creek, traversing scattered forests of pine and fir before reaching a low saddle and the Petty Creek Trail (Trail 232). This is also a good place to spot bighorn sheep. Several add-on trips are available from this point. Continuing on the Crown Mountain Trail, hikers can access a high pass after a half mile of strenuous climbing. In this area and hikers can view the west side of Crown Mountain along with occasional mountain goat sightings. Hikers desiring a loop hike can take Crown trail number 232 from the low saddle. This trail will lead 3.3 miles before reaching Petty Ford trail number 244. The Petty Ford trail leads direction to Double Falls camping area after 2.3 miles just off of Benchmark Road.

## Glacier National Park

### Grinnell Glacier Trail

11 Miles — Moderate

An incredibly scenic trail, hikers will enjoy panoramic views of jagged peaks and crystal blue lakes as they steadily gain elevation and at times hike along sheer cliffs. Numerous waterfalls are visible along the hike which terminates at the foot of the Grinnell Glacier and Upper Grinnell Lake. An excellent place to view bighorn sheep and mountain goats.

### St. Mary and Virginia Falls

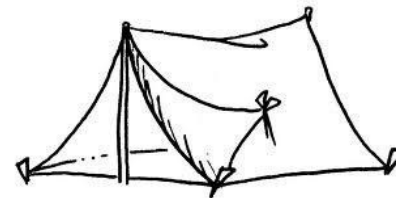
2.4 Miles — Easy

A short 2.4 mile hike to view two waterfalls.

### Iceberg Lake

9 Miles — Moderately Easy

A stunning blue lake surrounded by towering rock walls. Excellent mountain goat, grizzly bear, and wildflower viewing from this trail.



### Ptarmigan Tunnel/Elizabeth Lake

10 Miles or 19.7 Miles — Moderately Difficult

A real oddity of the hiking world, Ptarmigan tunnel was dug to allow hikers to avoid climbing over the steep peak above. The tunnel remains open today and this trail offers great views of the surrounding peaks.

### Upper two Medicine Lake

4.4 Miles — Easy

A short hike to a double waterfall using the historic boat shuttle from the lower boat dock on Two Medicine Lake. Trail offers excellent views of lake and surrounding peaks.

## Waterton Lakes National Peace Park

### Crypt Lake

10.5 Miles — Moderately Difficult

Portions of this trail are strenuous but this classic trail rewards with a large mountain lake. Nearly the entire hike is within view of Upper Waterton Lake. This upper portion of the trail is a great place to spot mountain goats.

### Bertha Lake

6.8 Miles — Moderate

A hike from the town of Waterton to an alpine lake and waterfall. This is a very popular trail and offers great wildflower viewing in June.

### Lineham Falls

5.2 Miles — Moderately Easy

A trail to the foot of Lineham Peak and the cascading falls that tumbles down the front of the peak.