

## Wolf Creek Trail

## **Eastern Region, USDA Forest Service**

#### **Highlights:**

Open year round Trail constructed with our partners: Missouri DNR, Friends of Wolf Creek, City of Poplar Bluff Parks and Recreation, SemoGeo and USDA Forest Service.

#### **Location:**

Approximately 2 miles northwest of Poplar Bluff, Missouri. It is located between Highway PP and Highway 67 North on both sides of FSR 3107 (Wolf Creek Road) County Road 429.

#### **Season:**

Seasons along the trail- In the spring the trail is host for local races in addition to the regular users. The visitor can view the intermittent streams which will have water along with spring flowers to enjoy. Summer brings the warmer weather and steady use, and during the fall the colors of the changing leaves and clear blue skies during cooler weather make the trail and especially enjoyable time to visit. SE Missouri winters are often mild enough to use the trail year round and it is a popular geocaching location with 70 caches creating geoart in the shape of an eagle. To learn more about this activity, please go to www.geocaching.com

#### Trail and area uses:

In the fall the area is still open to general forest uses which include hunting, although target practice is prohibited. Be aware of the usual forest pests. No potable water is available and it is a pack in/pack out are for trash. During the summer months or any warmer weather, make sure to bring water.

#### **Other Activities:**

Backpacking, bird watching, Nature Viewing and Geocaching can be enjoyed.

#### **For More Information**

Poplar Bluff Ranger District
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Hours: Monday-Friday, 8 am-4:30 pm

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**Directions:** From Poplar Bluff, MO- Drive west on PP Highway approximately 6 miles from the Hwy 67 junction to FSR 3107 or 5 miles to CR447 to access the southern parking area or north on Hwy 67 for approximately 2 miles and turn left to access the outer road to FS3107 and the northern parking area with toilet.

Length: 12 miles

Surface: Unsurfaced, native material. Trail tread is

often rough and of variable width.

**Difficulty Rating:** Easy to Moderate

**Best Seasons:** Fall, winter, and spring.

Managed Uses: Foot travel, mountain bike.

**Restrictions:** No equestrian or motorized travel.

**Safety:** During temperate months, be prepared for biting insects, poison ivy and high temperatures. Avoid using the trail during excessively wet periods.

### **Emergency Contacts:**

Emergencies 911 Butler County Sheriff 573-785-8444



