Bee Rock Overlook presents a beautiful view of the dramatic rocks and cliffs along the Rockcastle River. Bee Rock Campground features camping units on both sides of the Rockcastle River. The Laurel County side is open all year. The Pulaski County side of the campground is open from mid April to mid October; call the London District office for exact dates.

CAUTION: Low lying areas are prone to flooding, so be alert for flooding when driving, camping or crossing streams in this area. Swift currents and undertows can make swimming and wading very hazardous.

**Bee Rock Loop Trail #529**

This trail is perfect for a short dayhike. The trail is located on the Pulaski County side of Bee Rock Campground. Approximately 200 yards off the trail, an overlook provides a panoramic view of the Rockcastle River and surrounding forest. This loop trail begins and ends at two separate locations along Forest Service Road 623.

**Directions**

From I-75 at London exit 38, turn west on KY 192. Proceed 18 miles to the bridge over Rockcastle River between Somerset and London.

**Open Dates**

Trail is open all year.

**Trail Fees**

None.

**Restrooms**

Vault toilets at campground.

**Accessibility**

Trail does not meet accessibility standards for persons with disabilities.

Trail is closed to motorized vehicles.

Consumption of alcohol and open containers of alcohol are prohibited.

Camping and firebuilding in rock shelters is prohibited.

No climbing or rappelling from cliffs, arches or other rock formations at Bee Rock Overlook.

No horses in Bee Rock campground.

No swimming or fishing at boat ramp.

**FOOD STORAGE REQUIRED.** Visitors in developed sites must store food, garbage and other odorous items that may attract bears in a bear-resistant container, inside their vehicle, or in an enclosed hard-body trailer. Backcountry campers must suspend food, garbage and odorous items at least 10 feet off the ground and four feet away from any tree or pole. All food leftovers and trash must be properly disposed of in a bear-resistant trash receptacle or other container where provided by the Forest Service.

![Bee Rock Overlook](image)

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**Loop Trail #529**

- **Begins:** Forest Road #623
- **Ends:** Forest Road #623
- **Difficulty:** Moderate to Difficult
- **Length:** 1.75 miles
- **Surface:** Dirt
- **Quad:** Ano
- **County:** Pulaski
- **Closest Town:** London
- **Latitude:** 37.027909
- **Longitude:** -84.317916

**Access:**

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**Resources:**

- Guides like this are available at fs.usda.gov/dbnf.
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