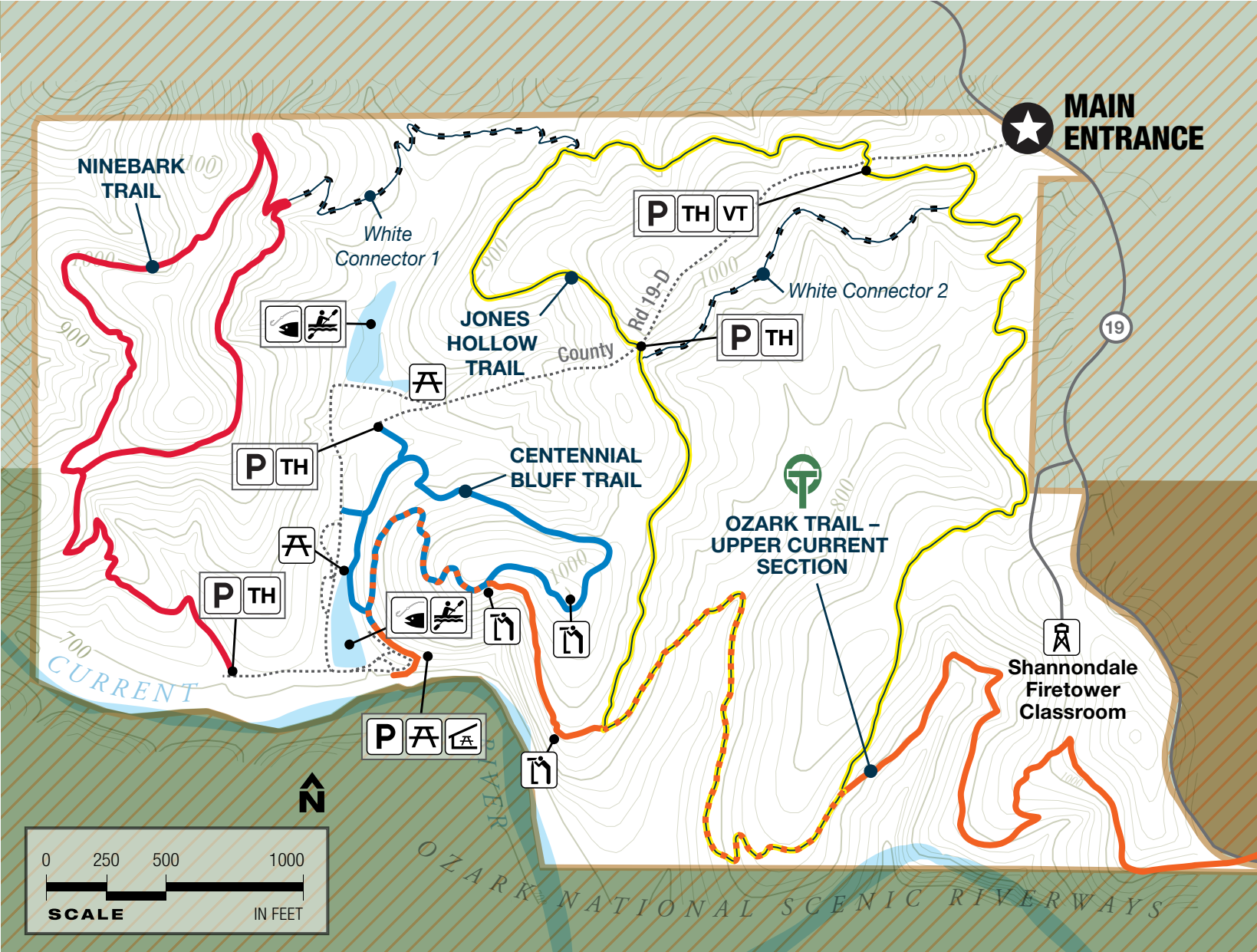


CURRENT RIVER STATE PARK MAP

LEGEND

-  Main entrance
-  State route
-  Gravel road
-  Land contour
-  Not state park property
-  Ozark National Scenic Riverways
-  Riverways
-  Park boundary
-  Stream or creek
-  Trail blazed in red
-  Trail blazed in yellow
-  Trail blazed in blue
-  Ozark Trail – Upper Current Section
-  Trail (overlapping)
-  Trail (connector)
-  Water
-  Hiking trail
-  Backpacking trail
-  Picnicking
-  Fire tower
-  Fishing
-  Kayaking or paddling
-  Overlook
-  Parking
-  Picnic shelter
-  Restroom
-  Trailhead



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CENTENNIAL BLUFF TRAIL

1.40-mile loop TRAIL RATING: Moderate
ESTIMATED HIKING TIME: 1 hour, 15 minutes

The rugged terrain of the Centennial Bluff Trail invites hikers to enjoy a ridgetop setting with post oaks, black oaks and naturally occurring shortleaf pine trees that tower above a wide array of native flora. Lush displays of fall-blooming asters and goldenrods can be found here in late summer and well into October. Common spring wildflowers such as hepatica and rue anemone are particularly common along this trail, which provides a commanding view of the Current River and may include some rocky steps. Along the trail, hikers can learn about the history of the Missouri State Parks' system through a series of interpretive panels. The trail was named in recognition of the centennial of Missouri State Parks.

JONES HOLLOW TRAIL

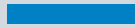








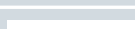
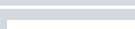
3.90-mile loop TRAIL RATING: Moderate
ESTIMATED HIKING TIME: 3 hours

Jones Hollow, the namesake of Jones Hollow Trail, is located at the base of the hillside on the far eastern edge of the trail. Highlights of the trail include high-quality dry woodlands and a dolomite glade belt, a signature feature of the Current River Hills region. The bright white petals of flowering dogwood fill the landscape in spring and sugar maples in the trail's lower reaches turn a blazing yellow each fall. Old-growth, gnarled chinquapin oaks, some more than 200 years old, can be found on rock outcrops. White Connector 1 can be used to access Ninebark Trail. White Connector 2 can be used for a shorter hike on Jones Hollow Trail.

NINEBARK TRAIL

2.60-mile loop TRAIL RATING: Moderate
ESTIMATED HIKING TIME: 2 hours

The Ninebark Trail travels through diverse woodlands rich with native wildflowers and old-growth white oaks punctuating the landscape. Along the trail, visitors can find remnants of a former pine plantation and towering shortleaf pine trees still whisper in the gentle winds. At the crest of the trail is a large dolomite glade, a natural community based on shallow bedrock soil and uncommon plants and animals that thrive in the dry landscape. Here, hikers will find ninebark, a flowering shrub that grows on dolomite glades throughout the region. White Connector 1 can be used to access Jones Hollow Trail.

TRAIL NAME	MILEAGE	BLAZE COLOR	APPROVED USAGE	RATING	TRAIL EXPERIENCE *
Centennial Bluff Trail	1.40	 Blue		Moderate	2, 3, 6, 7
Jones Hollow Trail	3.90	 Yellow		Moderate	2, 3, 10, 12
Ninebark Trail	2.60	 Red		Moderate	2, 3
Ozark Trail - Upper Current Section	--	 Orange	 	Rugged	ozarktrail.com
Connector Trail ()		 White			<i>Connector trails are available on some trails, are numbered and will modify your hike. See map for more information.</i>

*** YOU MAY EXPERIENCE:** ① Slippery conditions and/or downed vegetation ② Natural surface: dirt, mud, gravel, loose rocks, slippery surface, etc. ③ Rocks, roots and/or downed vegetation on trail ④ Low-hanging vegetation ⑤ Physically challenging obstacles ⑥ Wood or stone steps ⑦ Steep grades and inclines over 10% ⑧ Bluffs or drop-offs next to trail ⑨ Bridges and/or structural crossings ⑩ Water/stream crossings without bridges ⑪ Occasional water over trail ⑫ Road/highway crossing ⑬ Emergency response signs ⑭ Narrow passages ⑮ Raised or protruding obstacles ⑯ Electric fence crossings ⑰ Bison ⑱ Rapidly changing weather conditions ⑲ Motorized boat traffic ⑳ Unexpected waves ㉑ Changing water levels ㉒ Surface or submerged objects

OZARK TRAIL – UPPER CURRENT SECTION

Ozarktrail.com TRAIL RATING: Rugged

NOTE: The trailhead for the Ozark Trail – Upper Current Section is located in the southernmost part of Echo Bluff State Park. The trail provides access to many of that park's amenities before heading to Current River State Park. An at-grade crossing of Highway 19 is available for hikers to travel between Current River State Park and Echo Bluff State Park. Hikers should be cautious and watch for traffic. Once in Current River State Park, the trail takes users through the park to the Current River. Along the way, the trail shares tread with the Jones Hollow Trail and the Centennial Bluff Trail. The access point for the trail in Current River State Park has very limited parking.

This 5.25-mile segment of trail that runs between Current River and Echo Bluff state parks is part of a longer trail that continues for over 20 miles eastward, following the Current River corridor and eventually connecting to the Ozark Trail – Blair Creek Section. For a more detailed map of this section, visit Echo Bluff State Park and pick up a brochure.

