



Day Hiking

Finger Lakes National Forest



Interloken Trail

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Trail Facts:

Length: 12 miles one way	Feature: Views
Max. Elevation Change: 560 feet	USGS maps: Finger Lakes National Forest Quad
Amount of use: Moderate	Hiking level: Easy
Average hike time: 4 ½ - 5 hour round trip	Use restrictions: No mountain bikes or motorized vehicles
Camping fee: \$5/person per night at campground	

Caution: Trails are closed to horse users from March 15th thru May 1st due to muddy conditions.

Trail Description:

The Interloken Trail traverses the Forest north to south and is a branch of the Finger Lakes Trail system. It passes through various terrain and vegetation; southern portions are somewhat steeper and more forested; northern portions are flatter and more open through some pastures. **Please close gates behind you.** This trail can be wet in the spring and fall. Plan a stop at Foster and Teeter Pond areas, or make a shorter loop hike with one of the several intersecting trails. There are outstanding vistas to the west, including views of Seneca Lake. Please practice Leave No Trace ethics, such as carry out what you carry in.

Horses are allowed on the trail from the southern end of the trail to the Burnt Hill trail.

Mountain bikes and horses are allowed on the north end of the trail between Seneca and Parmenter Rds.

Directions:

From the South, take State Route 17 (I-86 in some areas) to exit 52 (Watkins Glen exit/State Route 14 North). In Watkins Glen, turn right on State Route 414 North, at the Fourth St. intersection go approximately 9 miles north, on the right is the Hector Ranger Station of the Finger Lakes National Forest. The next asphalt road past this (1/2 mile) on the right is Schuyler County Route 2. Follow CR 2 for 4.0 miles until you reach the Blueberry Patch Campground and parking area.

From the North, take I-90 to exit 41 (414 south to Hector, NY) the second asphalt road on the left past Wickham's Plaza (1/2 mile) is County Route 2. Follow CR 2 for 4.0 miles until you reach the Blueberry Patch Campground and parking area.

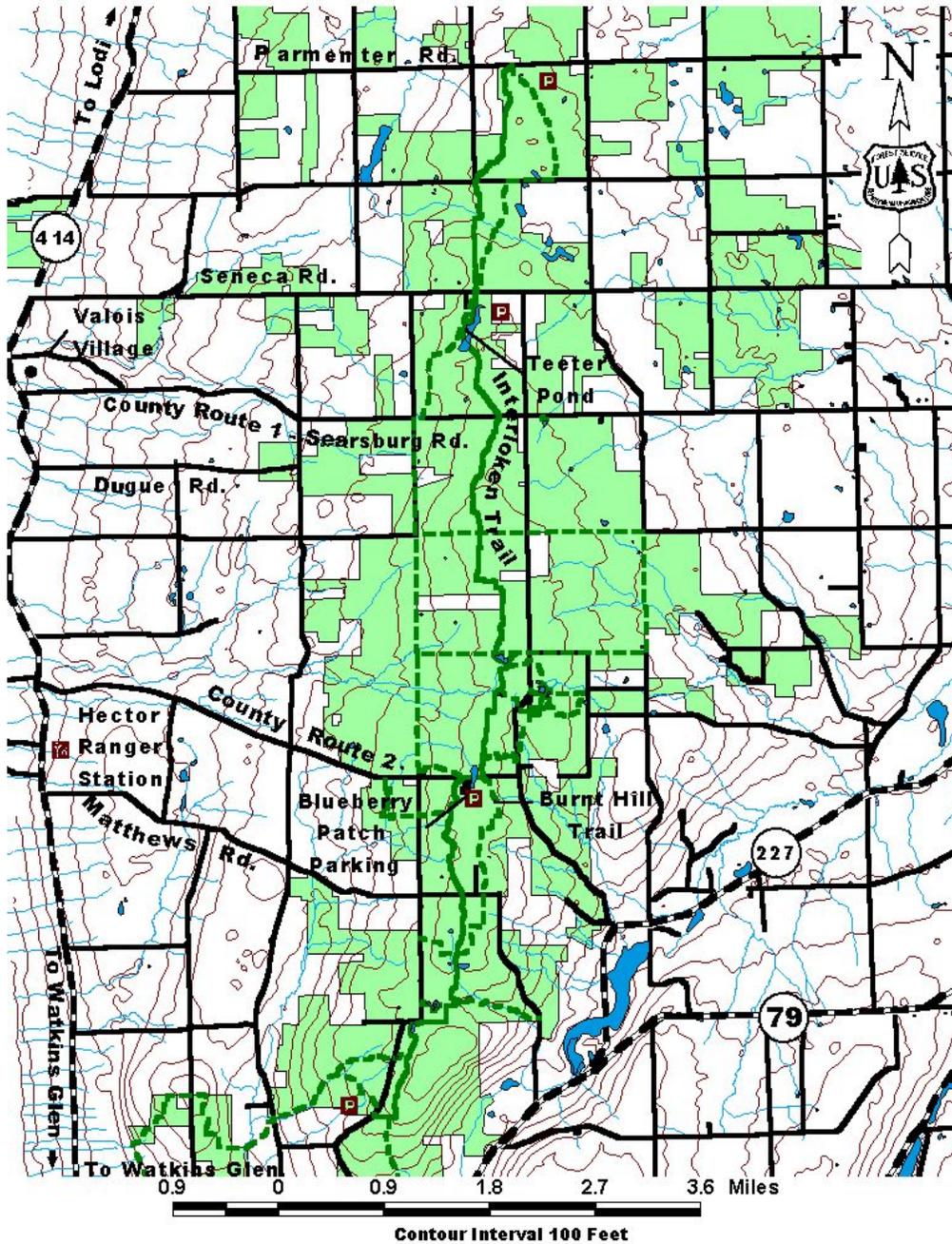
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Map:



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