


Hartman Bar (north)

Feather River Ranger District



General Information

Mileage	4.4 miles one way
Elevation Change	5100 feet to 2300 feet
Difficulty	 (difficult)
Use Level	Light
Quad Map	Haskins Valley
Location	NE1/4Sec3 T22N R7E MDBM

Access

Depart: From Oroville at Oro-Dam Blvd. / Hwy 70

<u>Turn:</u>	<u>Road Name/Description:</u>	<u>Miles:</u>	<u>Notes/Sights</u>
RIGHT	Oro-Quincy Hwy (162)	46.0	
RIGHT	OHV # 19 (Highlands)	0.7	Wide gravel road
RIGHT	Road # 24N36	0.1	Stay on low road
LEFT	Road # 23N18	1.5	Gravel road (#18)
	Stay left 0.5 miles		
	Veer right at "Y"	0.7	
LEFT	OHV # 5	2.2	Alternating dirt/gravel
LEFT	Road # 23N58 (rt.5)	1.5	Narrowing dirt road
RIGHT	Road # 23N60	1.0	Dirt road
LEFT	Faded posting	0.4	Extremely rough/ narrow
	Trailhead		Clearly marked

Trail Description

Here's your chance to see the nation's record ponderosa pine. Adjacent to the trail, this magnificent wonder provides an excellent photo opportunity. The trail descends steadily through a forest of oaks. In the summer and early fall, one section boasts a colorful carpet of sweet peas and sweet williams. The trail leads to the Middle Fork of the Feather River. Take a walk across the suspension bridge to reach the Dan Bebee camping area. The trail continues up the south side of the canyon, reaching the top of the Hartman Bar Ridge.

(The trail is generally open from mid-June to mid-October, snow and road conditions permitting.)

Be Aware:

Remote area (Bring a first aid kit)
River is fast and cold in early and late season
Not recommended for novice equestrians
Steep trail - allow extra time to hike out



Note:

Open water sources are easily contaminated by human or animal waste. Water from springs, lakes, ponds, and streams should be properly treated before drinking. One recommended method of treatment is to bring clear water to a rolling boil for five minutes.



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