

TRAIL DESCRIPTIONS

The Dunckley Pass Winter Trailhead is the access point for all the following trails:

Aspen Flats Loop

An easy 1.3 mile loop, averaging 1 hour in travel time. This is a gentle loop, winding through a large aspen stand.

Spronks Creek Loop

A more difficult 4.6 mile loop with a 400' elevation change. The average travel time is 3 hours.

Chapman Cut-off Loop

A more difficult 4.6 mile loop with an 800' elevation change. The average travel time is 3.5 hours.

The Long Run

A most difficult 8.8 mile loop with a 900' elevation change. The average skiing time is 4-5 hours.

The Bench

Take a break overlooking North Hunt Creek. Located on the Spronks Creek Loop, this is a great place to take a break or a destination in itself. A more difficult 1.8 mile trail, with travel time around 1 hour each way.

Trailhead coordinates:

40° 12' 8", 107° 4' 4"



NAVIGATING THE TRAILS

The universal blue diamond designates our ski trails. All established trails are marked periodically with diamonds and stakes through meadows. All trail junctions are marked with signs that have information to help you navigate.

NOTICE TO BACKCOUNTRY TRAVELERS

This area is not patrolled. Hazards are not marked. Avalanches are not controlled. Take responsibility for your actions. Be prepared for self-rescue. Travel in a group and let other people know where you are going, when you will be back, and check in when you return.

DIRECTIONS TO THE TRAILHEAD

From Yampa: Follow County Road 17 to County Road 132. The trailhead is approximately 11 miles from town at mile marker 70 on the left side and can easily be missed. Watch for trailhead sign. Park anywhere along the road.

From Oak Creek: Follow County Road 25 to County Road 132, (follow all signs that say Dunckley Pass) the trailhead is approximately 10 miles from town at mile marker 70 on the left side and can easily be missed. Watch for trailhead sign. Park anywhere along the road.

From Phippsburg: Follow County Road 15 to County Road 132, (follow all signs that say Dunckley Pass) the trailhead is approximately 8 miles from town at mile marker 70 on the left side and can easily be missed. Watch for trailhead sign. Park anywhere along the road.

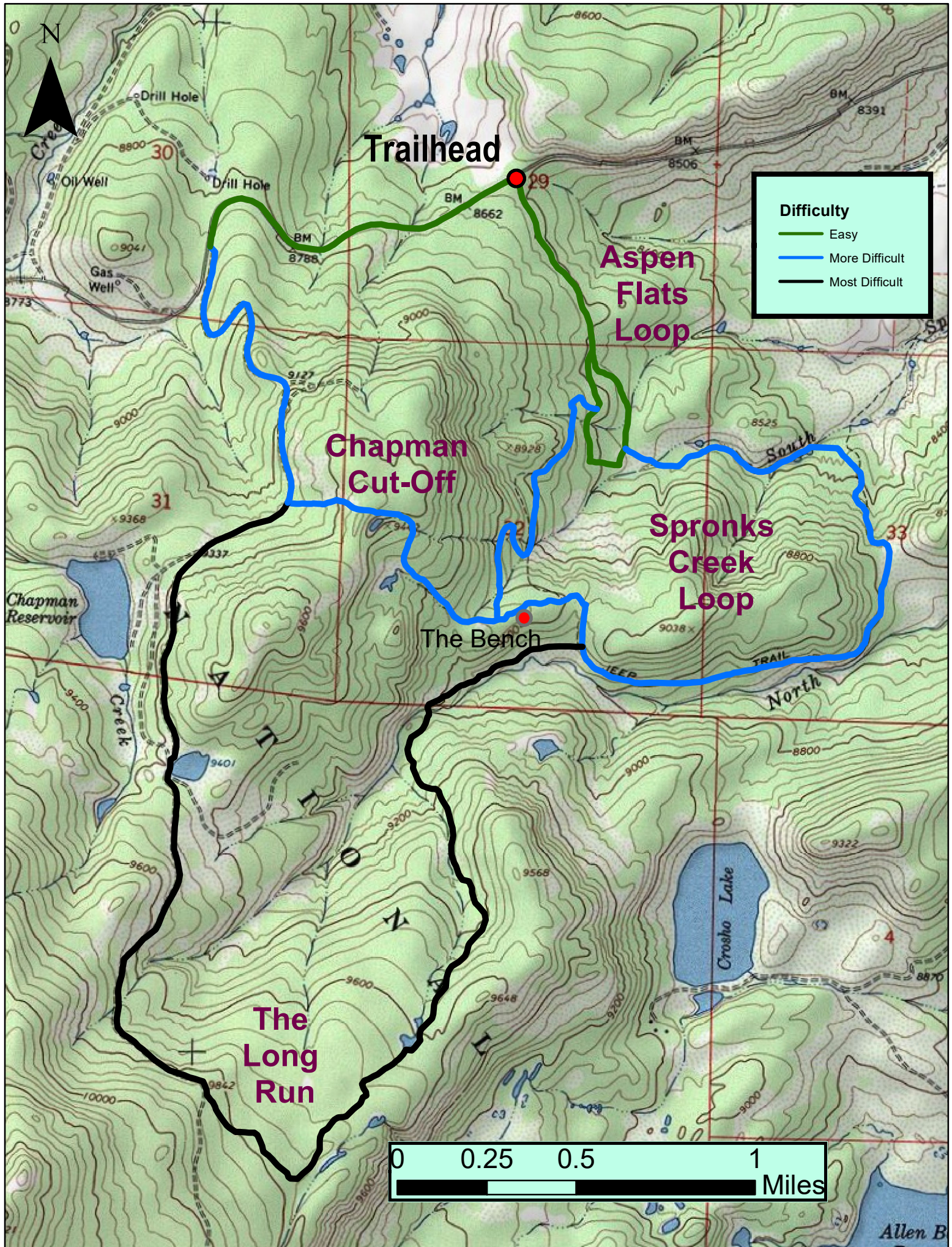
From Steamboat Springs: Follow Highway 40 east to Highway 131 south, proceed via the directions above from Oak Creek, Yampa or Phippsburg. Watch for trailhead sign. Park anywhere along the road.

Dunckley Pass Winter Ski Trails



Yampa Ranger District
Medicine Bow-Routt National Forests





Trailhead

Difficulty

- Easy
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