

irst Wilderness Heritage Corridor

Hiking Trails

Bear Slides Trail

LAKE GEORGE WILD FOREST TOWN OF WARRENSBURG, NY

Difficulty: Length:

Easy

0.8 miles roundtrip

Time to Complete: 30 minutes **Elevation Gain:**

160'

Trailhead Coordinates:

-73 52.8 43 24.06

Trail Notes:

This is a short, uphill climb to a natural waterslide on Buttermilk Brook. Two picnic tables make this a great destination for picnic and afternoon of fun in the water. Bring something to slide down the rocks on. The water is not deep enough to swim but there are numerous fun wading opportunities in addition



Take the Northway to Exit 21. Turn south on NY-9N towards Lake Luzerne for 7.1 miles. Turn right onto Old Stage Rd for 1.5 miles. Turn left onto Thomas Rd for 1.7 miles. Turn right onto River Rd. Pass the first parking area and park in the second parking area on the right. You'll see a small house shaped sign with a "6" on it, next to a rock with a red trail marker. This is the trailhead.

Things to Do Nearby:

Bear Slides is part of the Hudson River Recreation Area, which offers numerous primitive camping locations, as well as access to about 12 miles of river frontage for swimming, picnicking, boating and tubing. The hamlet of Lake Luzerne, offering shopping and dining, is nearby.

