

## **Directions to Hamilton Valley**

The phone number at Hamilton Valley is 270-773-8995.

### **From I-65 coming from the south**

- Exit 48 (Park City - Brownsville) & turn left (north) and proceed under the bridge.
- Travel 2.3 miles (Historic Diamond Caverns is at 1.6 miles from I65) and then turn right at the T-Junction onto Route 255/70.
- Travel approximately 1.5 miles to a T Intersection. Turn left at the stop sign onto Highway 70.
- Travel 1.2 miles to the entrance to Mammoth Cave National Park. One the way you will see Big Mike's Rock Shop on the right at 0.5 miles from Intersection, Mammoth Cave Canoe and Kayak at 1 mile from the intersection.. About a half mile beyond that you will pass a bed and breakfast on the right, followed by the Sand Cave Parking lot and a sign indicating the entrance to Mammoth Cave National Park (all on the right). Continue past the National Park sign.
- Just beyond the National Park sign take the right onto Park Ridge Road.
- After approximately 1 mile there will be an intersection with R. Hunter Road (this road leads to a dead end). Take the sharp left and continue on Park Ridge
- Continue 1.2 miles to the first road on the right – this is Hamilton Valley Road (which is marked with a green street sign).
- Turn right onto Hamilton Valley road and continue 0.6 miles where there will be a gate and then a T intersection. Turn right in front of the Cave Research Foundation sign and continue past the second gate and 0.5 miles to the parking area.
- The first 2 buildings on the left are the bunk houses. The next & largest building next to the bunk houses in the Main meeting/dining facility. The building directly in front of the Main building is CRF Library and Archive, and also has extra classroom space.

### **From I-65 coming from the north**

- Exit 53 (Cave City) & turn right (west) onto Route 70. You will pass a commercial cave on your left and Dinosaur World on the right.
- After 4 miles you will pass a junction between 70 and 255. Continue straight on 255.
- Travel 1.2 miles to the entrance to Mammoth Cave National Park. One the way you will see Big Mike's Rock Shop on the right at 0.5 miles from the intersection, Mammoth Cave Canoe and Kayak at 1 mile from the intersection.. About a half mile beyond that you will pass a bed and breakfast on the right, followed by the Sand Cave Parking lot and a sign indicating the entrance to Mammoth Cave National Park (all on the right). Continue past the National Park Sign.
- Just beyond the National Park sign take the right onto Park Ridge Road.
- After approximately 1 mile there will be an intersection with R. Hunter Road (this road leads to a dead end). Take the sharp left and continue on Park Ridge Road.
- Continue 1.2 miles to the first road on the right – this is Hamilton Valley Road (which is marked with a green street sign).
- Turn right onto Hamilton Valley road and continue 0.6 miles where there will be a gate and then a T intersection – there will be a sign for Cave Research Foundation.. Turn right in front of the Cave Research Foundation sign and continue past the second gate and 0.5 miles to the parking area.
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