

Directions to Black Mountain and Briar Bottom Campgrounds

From Burnsville, NC:

- Follow 19E through Burnsville
- Turn right onto Micaville Loop to follow signs for Mt. Mitchell State Park (this is a very small stretch)
- Turn right onto Highway 80
- Continue for approximately 9.5 miles (you'll pass right by Carolina Hemlocks Recreation Area)
- Turn right onto South Toe River Rd., past the golf resort and condos
- Continue on this road. It will eventually turn to gravel and follow the river
- At the gravel road intersection, make a slight turn on the first right
- You'll pass a few homes along the river
- The entrance to the campground will be on your right and over the bridge

From Interstate 40:

- Take Exit 86 NC-226 towards the town of Marion, NC
- This will turn into 221. Continue for approximately 6 miles.
- Turn left onto Highway 70
- Turn right onto Highway 80/Lake Tahoma Rd.
- Follow up and over the Blue Ridge Parkway and head down the opposite side
- After the small community of Busick, look for a left turn onto South Toe River rd.
- Continue on this road. It will eventually turn to gravel and follow the river
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