

# Old Blue Ridge Turnpike and Rose River Fire Rd Trail Graves Mountain Farm and Lodges

**The Old Blue Ridge Turnpike - road to gravel then dirt double track, tops out on Blue Ridge Skyline Drive**

**Length:** 9 miles to top – Skyline Drive at Fisher's Gap at 3,548 ft.

**Elevation gain:** 2,858

**Difficulty:** Not technical but increasing slowly to hard climb with switch backs.

**Scenery:** Appalachia mixed forests, 2nd growth. River glimpses.

**Out and Back or excursions available** on the Rapidian Fire Rd.

**Directions:** west on our main street – the Old Blue Ridge Turnpike – and continue for 9 miles to top of the Blue Ridge – the Rose River (a stream) is to your right as you climb up.

