HCC Refuge Nature Trail

The HCC Refuge Nature Trail is a self-guiding trail of approximately 2 miles in length and may be entered at any of the three points noted on the map below. The trail is marked by yellow paint rectangles and directional signs. Ecological identifiers highlight the natural history of the refuge and provide some biology self-instruction for all ages.

Ecologic Identifiers
1. Primary Succession - Lichens to Oaks
2. Ridge View
3. Effects of Fire
4. Vernal (Spring) Pools
5. Pillows and Cradles
6. Ecotone
7. Hemlock Dell
8. Slow Moving Stream
9. First Forests - The Lycopods
10. Fast Moving Stream
11. Secondary Succession
12. Microsuccession