

Prescott

PTR Trail Day, 9:00AM Saturday 03/07/20 PNF trail #260 from the top from Copper Basin

Remember, check your email or Facebook on Saturday morning to make sure that no weather/fire/whatever has caused a cancellation of the work day!

Southwest from Prescott, heading out Montezuma or state highway 89 (White Spar) turn right onto Copper Basin (64), which is a red light, Woody's gas station is on that corner. Continue up Copper Basin about 5 miles to the top of the road, but DO NOT veer right at the top to Sierra Prieta (or Thumb Butte loop), and DO NOT start to go down the hill on Copper Basin.

Turn left at the large parking area and you will see that the road is marked 9402C and "no camping". This is a fine place to park and unload –OR– Continue about ½ mile and you come to the end of 9402C and a steel gate, trail #260 is on the right just at that spot.

25 and 100 yards on the right before you got to the gate are excellent places to park your 2WD vehicle and we will have the PTR trailer parked there. We will have our work assignment and safety meeting here.

Then you will need your motorcycle or 50" 4-wheeler to continue on 260 through a beautiful and easy ride section of forest for 1.1 miles to the junction of hiking trail #48. Nate Bronson is going to use his RZR to get tools to that point. Then you can hike or ride your bike/ATV farther onto 260. If you have a 50" or less ATV and can haul some tools, please bring it.

Start with mandatory safety meeting at 9:00AM at the PTR trailer at 9402C and #260 as noted above. (PTR will supply hard hats, we are running low on glasses and gloves though, bring your own if you have them please. You can also use a bicycle helmet if you have one). Carry your own water onto the trail, we will have lunch about 1:00pm back up at the top at 9402C and #260 trail head where we started the day.

