

# MAGGIE VALLEY RIDES

## SMOKY MOUNTAIN LOOP

**Distance: 260 miles**

**Road type: twisty, sweepers, scenic**

**Ride time: 8 - 9 hrs.**

The Smoky Mountain Loop is the most scenic ride in the area, it includes: a section of the Blue Ridge Parkway, Great Smoky Mountains NP, Foothills Parkway and Cherohala Skyway. The newest section of the Foothills Parkway known as the “*Missing Link*” opened in 2018 offering visitors a whole new view of the Smoky Mountains.

No visit to the Cherohala Skyway would be complete without a short detour to Bald River Falls – River Road winds alongside the Tellico River be sure to keep your eyes on the road as it is narrow with lots of curves.

### Points of interest:

- Newfound Gap
- Bald River Falls
- Scenic Overlooks

