

## TRAIL DESCRIPTIONS

## 1. Collins Gulch to Germania Pass

Distance: 2.5 miles (one-way). Elevation Gain: 2,000 ft.

Park in the Goldminer's Daughter/Wildcat Base parking lot on the south side of Hwy 210 to access this service road/trail. The road is moderately-steep to steep, passing through beautiful meadows in a hanging valley, and connects to the top of the Germania Pass-East Greeley trail.

#### 2. Cardiff Pass

Distance: 1.0 mile (one-way). Elevation Gain: 1,360 ft.

Parking is located on the north side of Hwy 210, by the U.S. Forest Service Garage. This steep hike climbs to the ridgeline opposite Alta Ski Area and offers stunning views along the way.

#### 3. Twin Lakes Pass

Distance: 1.75 miles (one-way). Elevation Gain: 1,350 ft. The trailhead is located on the north side of Hwy 210, just across from the Summer Information Booth. This trail leads you into Grizzly Gulch and finishes with spectacular views of Big Cottonwood Canyon.

## 4. Lower Albion Meadows Interpretive Trail

Distance: 0.5 miles (one-way). Elevation Gain: 100 ft.

Access the trail from the Albion Base parking lot, just east of the Snowpine Lodge, or the Goldminer's Daughter parking lot. Interpretive signs along this relaxed trail discuss the history, geology, and wildlife of the area.

## 5. Upper Albion Meadows Trail (access to Cecret Lake)

Distance: 1.5 (one-way). Elevation Gain: 1,100 ft.

Access this scenic trail from the Albion Base parking lot or connect to the trail via the Albion Meadows Interpretive trail. This beginner to intermediate trail brings you through fields of wildflowers then up to the Albion Basin Campground and Cecret Lake trailhead.

# 6. Cecret Lake Interpretive Trail

Distance: 0.75 mile (one-way). Elevation Gain: 420 ft.

Access the trail from the Albion Meadows Trail or limited trailhead parking is located at the Cecret Lake Parking Area. This is a moderately steep trail with interpretive signs along the route that discuss geology, hydrology, and animal and plant life in Albion Basin. (Bikes prohibited)

## 7. Catherine's Pass

Distance: 1.0 miles one-way). Elevation Gain: 800 ft.

Trailhead parking is at the Sunnyside parking area. The trail starts out with magnificent views of Albion Basin and ends walking through a wetland ecosystem. From the pass, the trail drops into Big Cottonwood Canyon accessing Lakes Catherine, Mary, and Martha, and the community of Brighton.

# 8. Germania Pass via East Greeley

Distance: 2.5 miles (one-way). Elevation Gain: 1,300 ft. Begin at the Cecret Lake parking area or connect from the Albion Meadows Trail. This old mining road switchbacks through lush meadows to a view above Cecret Lake and continues into upper