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Rock climbing has become an increasingly popular adventure.

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## Your Road to Adventure in Southern West Virginia from Wherever You Are

FAYETTEVILLE, W.Va., May 4, 2020 - If you love the outdoors, adventure and new activities, chances are you love a road trip. Southern West Virginia's [Adventures on the Gorge](#) (AOTG) offers a wide array of fun for all ages and ability levels. And for millions of people in the eastern part of the United States, the road trip is an easy drive – and probably an activity most people would relish right now.

Known for its whitewater rafting on the New and Gauley Rivers, AOTG has steadily increased its [activity offerings](#) for the past 10 years to include rock climbing, ziplining, stand up paddleboarding, ropes courses, Bridge Walk and more. The resort also offers a variety of [free-standing lodging](#)



With multiple aerial activities, Adventures on the Gorge offers options including ziplines, ropes course and Bridge Walk.



Adventures on the Gorge offers multiple rafting experiences on the New and Gauley Rivers.

choices ranging from one-bedroom cabins and suites to four-bedroom cabins. All offer private entrances and wi-fi, and most have their own bathrooms. Several have washers and dryers. The multi-bedroom cabins feature kitchens with ovens, stoves, refrigerators and dishwashers. This is especially appealing to groups who make mealtime part of their entertainment or who want to save on dining expenses.

“Our relaxed atmosphere allows the go-getters to tackle as much as they can handle while those who are more inclined to sleep in, read a book or unwind by the pool can simply enjoy a vicarious thrill when the adventurers share their stories at the end of the day,” said Roger Wilson, CEO of Adventures on the Gorge. “We see a lot of families, including multi-generational groups, as well as school friends and other acquaintances who meet here.”

AOTG is located just outside of Fayetteville, W.Va. near the divided highway U.S. Route 19 and within sight of the famed New River Gorge Bridge. Interstate 77 is 22 miles south, and Interstate 79 is 55 miles north. For many family and friends groups the resort is a convenient meeting point with dining and activity options to satisfy multiple tastes and budgets.

For Wilson a drive must be at least 10 hours long before he even considers flying. “I can get wherever I am going by car just as fast when I add up the time it takes starting from my home to the final destination,” he said. “And I can make the trip on my schedule instead of the airline’s.”

Some sample distances and estimated drive times from metropolitan areas from all directions are:

- Pittsburgh, PA - 220 miles, 3½ hours.
- Columbus, OH - 225 miles, 3¾ hours.
- Charlotte, NC - 235 miles, 3¾ hours.
- Cincinnati, OH - 260 miles, 4½ hours.
- Washington, D.C. - 300 miles, five hours.
- Cleveland, OH - 310 miles, five hours.
- Toledo, OH - 365 miles, six hours.
- Indianapolis - 380 miles, six hours.
- Nashville, TN - 450 miles, 6¾ hours.
- Atlanta, GA - 470 miles, 7¼ hours.
- Chicago, IL - 555 miles, 8¾ hours.
- New York, NY - 520 miles, eight hours.

And just for fun: the drive from Fayetteville, NC to Fayetteville W.Va. is 300 miles long and should be just under five hours.

#### **What to know about Adventures on the Gorge**

Named one of the top six adventure resorts in the country by [U.S. News & World Report](#), Adventures on the Gorge is located on more than 250 acres along the rim of the majestic New River Gorge near Fayetteville, W.Va. The resort provides an array of outdoor experiences including whitewater rafting on the New and Gauley Rivers, aerial adventures, rock climbing, rappelling, kayaking, stand up paddle boarding, fishing, mountain biking and hiking. There are also restaurants, bars and shops as well as a small-group conference center. Visitors can choose from a variety of [accommodations](#) and [vacation packages](#).

Travelers can find out more about Adventures on the Gorge [online](#), by calling 1-855-379-8738, or connecting on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), [TripAdvisor](#), [YouTube](#), and [Vimeo](#) and signing up for AOTG [e-newsletter](#).

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