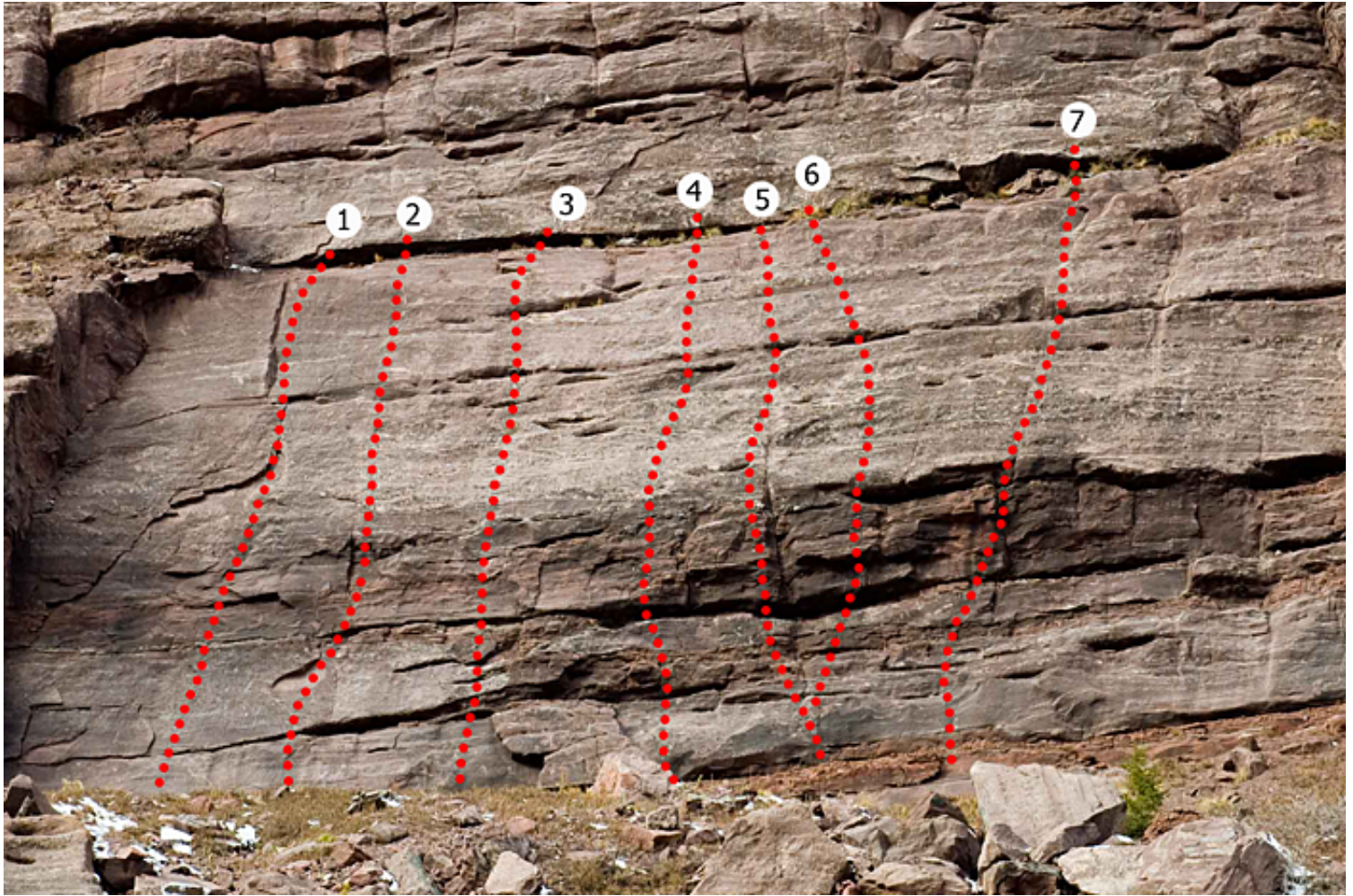


Friends & Family Wall - Redstein Crag, Redstone, Colorado



Follow HWY 133 south out of Carbondale. Park as for the River Boulders, just past the first entrance to Redstone. Cross the road and pick up a steep trail. Expect 15-20 minutes on the hike. Wall faces east, gets shade mid-afternoon. Most of the routes start steeper and then get slabbier towards the top. Great spot for kids, good hang at the base.

1) By A Thread 5.10a **

Start up the steep slab, right of the obvious corner. Techy moves lead to cool features and a holdless, friction crux at the top. The initial slab moves will be easier for taller folks.

8 bolts + anchors, 21 meters.

2) Style Man 5.9 **

Start below a crescent flake feature. Fun moves lead to sustained slab climbing on the cobbles.

10 bolts + anchors, 21 meters.

3) Help 5.8 *

Just left of a detached pillar, move up through big pods and onto the slab above. Can be dirty, but it's the easiest of the routes here when clean.

10 bolts + anchors, 21 meters.

4) Big Backyard 5.9- **

Head up the right side of the pillar then move right, following bolts through juggy rock until a fun rockover move puts you onto the slab. Slab it up to the top.

10 bolts + anchors, 21 meters.

5) Junior Legonaut 5.8+ **

Make some moves past the first bolt, then follow jugs up the corner, to big cobbles that lead the way through the slab.

8 bolts + anchors, 21 meters.

6) Slinkenstein 5.9 *

Same start as the previous route, but head up and right. A big reach (harder for shorter folks) leads to a classic slab move to get over the bulge, trust those feet!

10 bolts + anchors, 21 meters.

7) Pan Galactic Gargle Blaster 5.10a **

Start up some lower angled rock, aiming for a shallow corner. Tech up this, then move right onto the steep slab above.

11 bolts + anchors, 21 meters.