

# Jamestown Crag

These various cliff lines of Atoka Sandstone are located in and around the Jamestown Wildlife Management Area in Independence County, Arkansas near Batesville. The WMA consist of about 1000 acres and is bordered by private lands and Cherokee Leased Lands. The developed cliffs are accessible by marked and unmarked trails or by foot. There are no services of any kind available in these areas. In spots you might have cell phone service. You must be prepared for self-rescue and/or evacuation. Climbing here is a wilderness experience: peaceful.... except during modern gun hunting seasons. When you might hear the occasional gun shot.

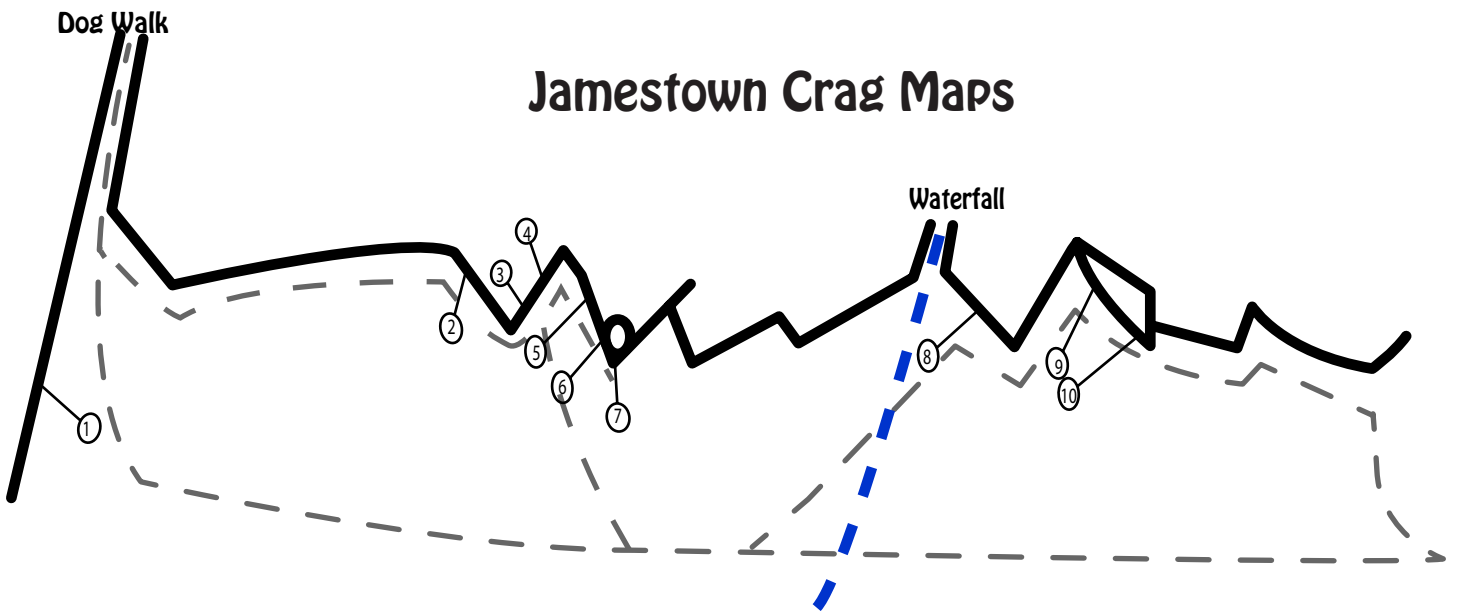
The rock quality varies from site to site but is generally very good. In some areas the rock is more rounded, and softer, in others it is harder and more angular. The crag is a mixed bag of climbing: some cracks, chimneys, and a lot of faces – many overhanging, some friction. A few of the route are close to 100 feet high so please have a 60-meter rope on hand. There is a note on all routes requiring a 60-meter rope. Much of the routes are sport routes protected with 3/8x3” bolts. Most bolts have been placed after 2000 and are checked regularly for wear. There are also plenty of trad routes. We try to keep the routes clean as possible but please feel free to clean when needed. Most of the routes have a southern exposure and are climbable year round.

Please remember that this is a wild life management area. Please pack out all trash that you pack in and if you find some on the ground please pick it up as well. In order to keep the climbing area open we must all do our part in keeping the area clean. If you would love to continue to see new routes go up in the area please donate money to help. If you would like to donate please send all checks and money orders to Mark Mobley, 14 Bubba Lane, Batesville AR. 72501. If you would like to donate cash just hand it to Mark next time you see him out climbing.

I would like to personally thank in no order: the Memphis Mountaineers, Thank you for all the money you have donated in order to help keep this area going. Thank you for drive so far in order to climb at this beautiful area I call “home”. To my beautiful, understanding, helpful, and very loving wife Lucie, with out your help all of this would be but a dream to me. You have worked so hard on this guide with out you and your help it would be nothing more than a dream. To all of the numerous climbing partners I have had over the years, thank you guys for keeping me climbing and keeping me young at heart. To all of the people who have ever helped me to put up a new route, I along with every one that enjoys climbing which ever route it might be thank you. To every one that has ever climbed my “home” area, I thank you for visiting my “home”.

It has taken me many years to get to this point. I wish I could thank each and every person that had something to do with this guide book, but if I did I would be here forever so I will just simply say “Thank You” to each and every person that had anything to do with the guide book.

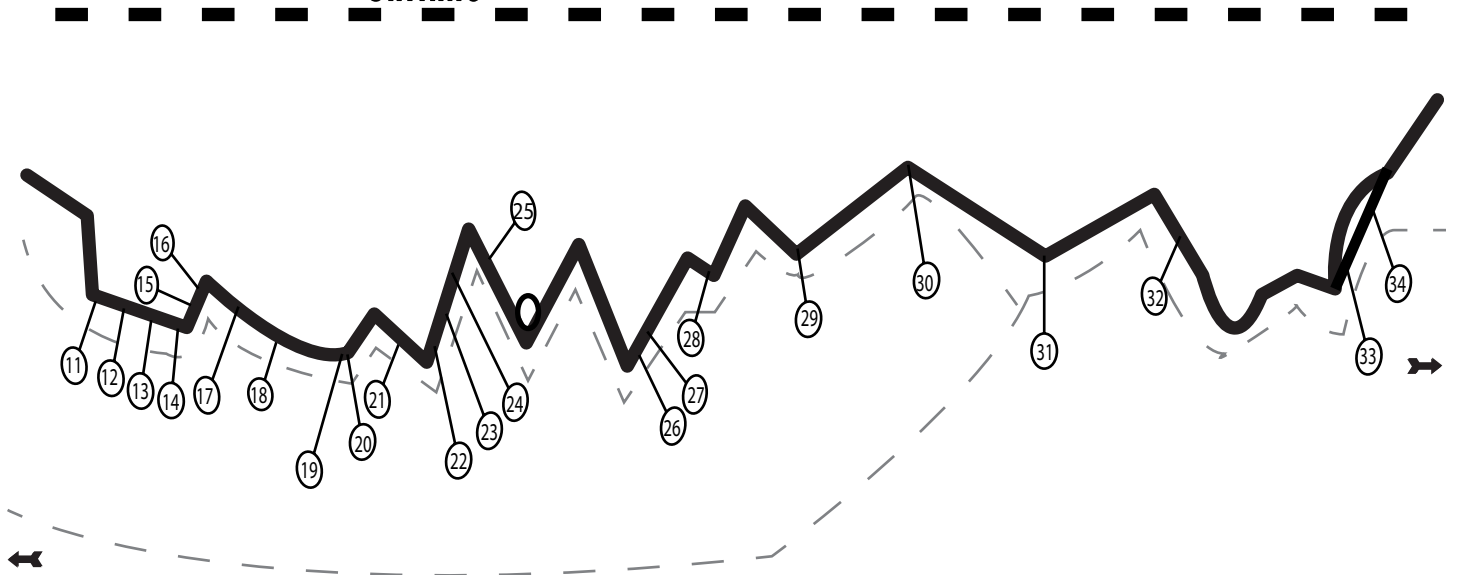
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| 3. Candy Land 5.7          | 8. Three Amigos 5.10a            |
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| 5. Cry Me A River 5.9 Trad | 10. Grunge Fest 5.11d            |

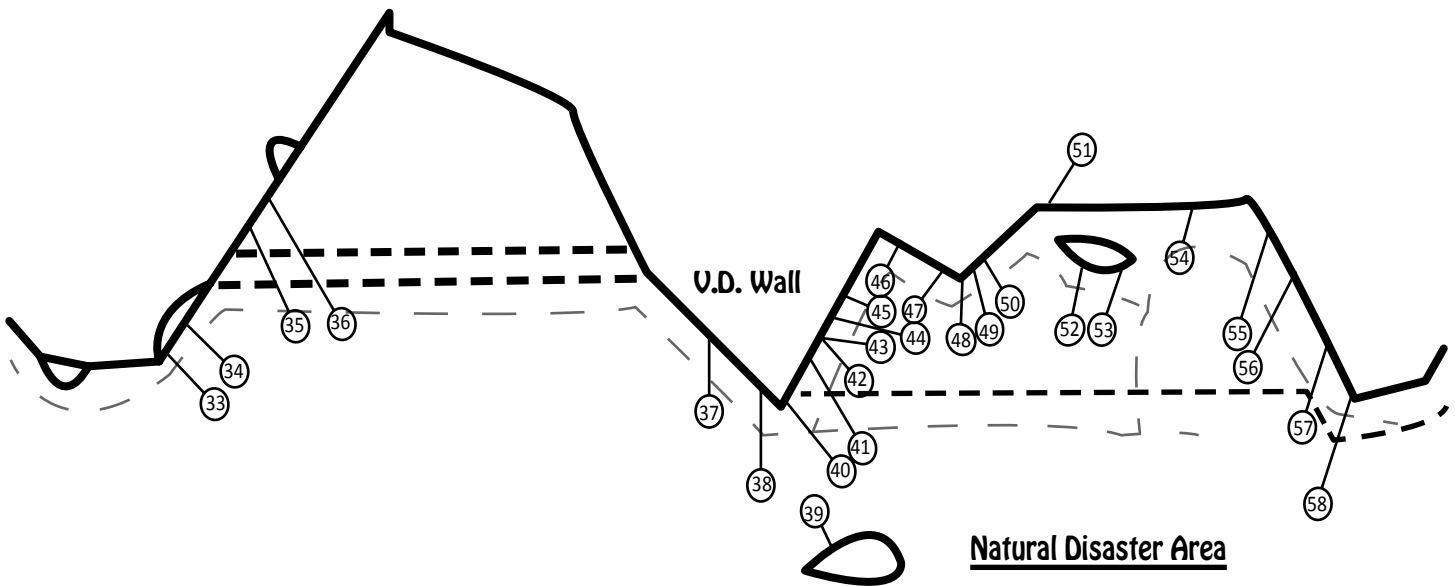
## Trailhead Overlook

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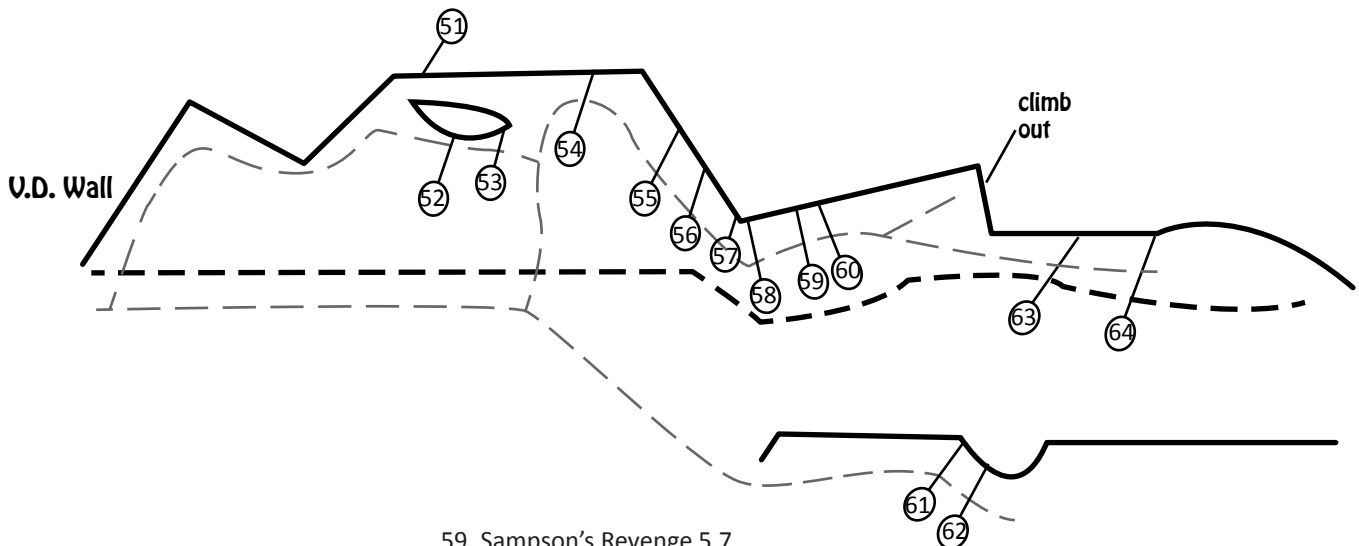


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**1. Alpha 5.10A Sport** (4 bolts, 2 anchors)

Climb slightly over hanging start to sloper finish on slopers to anchors. This route is the only route to the right of the walk down. It is about 30 feet from the mouth of the walk down. *FA Mark Mobley*

**2. Checkmate 5.10C Sport** (6 bolts, 2 anchors)

From the walk down go left along the cliff line to the first big roof (about 50 yards) Stick clip first bolt. Pull roof, jugs to 2nd roof make crimping moves to anchors. *FA Mark Mobley*

**3. Candy Land 5.7 Sport** (5 bolts, 2 anchors)

About 30 ft right of Checkmate. Climb face with sloppy holds to top. *FA Mark Mobley*

**4. Chutes and Ladders 5.6 Sport** (5 bolts, 2 anchors)

About 15 ft to the right of Candy Land. Climb is moderate with big holds. *FA Mark Mobley*

**5. Cry Me A River 5.9 Trad** (2 anchors Small to med gear).

10 feet past chimney, climb broken crack on black streak to anchors. *FA Mark Mobley*

**6. Two Bloody Knuckles 5.8+** (Mixed trad 2 bolts, 2 anchors)

At the corner by Cry Me A River. Climb arête pull past 2 bolts on steep face finish with natural gear. *FA Mark Mobley*

**7. Comatose 5.9 Trad** (Small to med gear 2 anchors)

Climb left facing crack to the right of Two Bloody Knuckles. Use roof to traverse to the left following think crack and jugs to top. *FA Mark Mobley*

**8. Three Amigos 5.10A Sport** (4 bolts, 2 ring anchors)

Following main trail across a wet weather creek bed look for bolts. Climb up overhanging route that looks rotten but is solid. Climb steep rock to anchors.

**9. Wet Dreams 5.12A Sport** (5 bolts, 2 anchors)

About 50 feet to right of Three Amigos. This route is behind a big boulder sitting on a ledge. Climb steep face to roof. There is a hanging draw left under the roof. *FA Mark Mobley*

**10. Grunge Fest 5.11D Sport** (7 bolts, 2 anchors)

About 10 feet to the right of Wet Dreams. Climb steep overhanging arête pull roof. *FA Andrew Williams*

**11. Funky Monkey 5.7 Trad** (Small to med gear).

Around corner from Grunge Fest. Climb right facing flake sling chicken heads to anchors. Shared anchors with Spank the Mankey. *FA Jim Steele*

**12. Spank The Mankey 5.9 Trad** (Small to large gear, shared anchors). On a left facing flake stem up crack traverse left under neat roof to anchors. *FA Mark Mobley*

**13. Comedy Crack 5.6 Trad** (Medium to large gear no anchors).

About 25 ft to the right of Spank the Mankey. Climb left facing chimney to top. There is a tree that can be used to anchor to. *FA Michael Mobley*

**14. Smarty Pants 5.8 Sport** (5 bolts, 2 anchors)

About 20 feet to the right of Comedy Crack. Climb prominent arête to exposed rock great views fun climb. *FA Mark Mobley*

**15. Crawford Village Idiot 5.6** (Mixed)

Just to the right of Smarty Pants Climb large broken crack to ledge finish with the last two bolts on Smarty Pants to anchors. *FA Landon Kramer*

**16. Say No To Bush 5.10B Sport** (5 bolts, 2 anchors)

About 5 foot to the right of Crawford Village Idiot. Climb on sloppy holds near top pull crimping moves to sloppy finish. *FA Mark Mobley*

**17. Dodo Bird 5.10C Sport** (4 bolts, 2 anchors)

About 15 feet to the right of Say No To Bush Climb overhanging face to anchors.

**18. Froot Loops 5.10A Sport** (4 bolts, 2 anchors)

Just to the right of Dodo Bird Overhanging arête with big jugs. *FA Unknown*

**19. Pee Green 5.9 Sport** (4 bolts, 2 anchors)

About 20 feet to the right of Froot Loops Climb face moving left after 2nd bolt pull overhang to anchors. *FA Mark Mobley*

**20. Dicken Around 5.10B Sport** (5 bolts, 2 anchors)

Shares bottom 2 bolts with Pee Green Move right after 2nd bolt until roof at roof go left of bolts stay left until 2nd small roof then go right of roof to anchors. If you stay straight on it is freaking hard and has yet to be done. *FA Mike Dicken*

**21. Don't Push It 5.9 Sport** (6 bolts, 2 anchors)

Across from Pee Green and Dicken Around on a north facing wall (kind of behind a boulder block LOOK for it). Stay on face to the right of the bolts good holds finish off on big jugs to anchors. Anchors are on ledge. *FA Mark Mobley*

**22. The Amateur 5.7 Sport** (5 bolts, 2 anchors)  
Around the corner to the right of Don't Push It (kind of behind a small tree) Climb face jugs to anchors. *FA Mark Mobley*

**23. New Tattoo 5.8 Sport** (4 bolts, 2 anchors)  
About 10 feet to the right of The Amateur. Face climb with big holds. *FA Jim Steele and Robert Holmes*

**24. Sarah's Crack 5.5 Trad**  
Climb dogleg chimney just to the right of New Tattoo. *FA Unknown*

**25. Exodus 5.4 Top Rope** (2 anchors)  
Across from New Tattoo Low angle wall with ample holds. The only difficulty is a high step last move that can be hard with a pack on. This is an easy way to rap in and an easy way out. This is the middle of the crag. *FA Unknown*

**26. Pagan On Sunday 5.7 Sport** (6 bolts, 2 chain anchors)  
About 30 feet to the right of Exodus. Big horizontal route pull roof on big holds to crimper face finish to chain anchors. *FA Mark Mobley*

**27. Pagan On Monday 5.8 Trad** (mixed small/medium cams and stoppers)  
About 5 feet to the right of Pagan On Sunday. Climb right facing crack to roof after pulling roof go left and finish on last two bolts of Pagan On Sunday. *FA Mark Mobley*

**28. Hamster In The Ham 5.6 Trad** (Small to large pro)  
Climb crack on North facing wall to ledge, take easiest way up face to protect, rap off of tree no anchors. *FA Jim Steele*

**29. Hot For Teacher 5.8 Sport** (4 bolts, 2 anchors)  
About 30 feet from Hamster In The Ham. This is a new route. Climb slight overhanging arête pull overhang on big jugs to anchors. *FA Mike Dicken*

**30. Midgy Me 5.10A Trad** (Medium to large pro)  
Slanting, overhanging fist and foot crack. Best done in two pitches because of rope drag. *FA Mark Mobley*

**31. Wham Bam Thank You Ma'am 5.9 Sport** (5 bolts, 2 anchors)  
On main trail. Climb ramp clip first bolt. Climb up slope to overhang jugs to anchors. *FA Mark Mobley*

**32. This Ain't My First Rodeo 5.10D Sport** (7 bolts, 2 anchors)  
About 20 yards past Wham Bam Thank You Ma'am. Scramble up 3rd class gully to ledge. Severe overhanging climb on North facing wall. *FA Andrew Williams*

**33. Strawberry Shortcake 5.12D/13A Sport** (10 bolts, 2 anchors)  
On main trail at a big roof, can't miss it. Right beside F.O.A Stick clip first bolt climb hard overhanging face to jugs, cruise on jugs to anchors. *FA Joe Grossman*

**34. F.O.A 2 pitch 5.11B/5.9 Sport** (6 bolts, 2 anchors)  
Climb crimp face to roof pull gym type moves across roof to anchors. 2nd pitch 5 bolts 2 anchors climb juggy wall to anchors. This route is best done in two pitches because of MAJOR rope drag.

**35. Jammin Fingers 5.11A Sport** (3 bolts, 2 anchors)  
This route lies about 25 feet to the left prominent dihedral capped by a square block. *FA Mark Mobley*

**36. Bad Llama 5.10A Sport** (5 bolts, 2 anchors)  
About 15 ft right of Jammin' Fingers in the center of the face. Climb face to overhang, climb overhang to top out. Anchors are on prickly pear ledge. *FA Robert Sinclair*

**37. Flammin Piss 5.10C Sport** (8 bolts, 2 anchors)  
On main trail look for it. Climb jugs on small face to ledge climb on crimpers to small roof pull roof to face finish to anchors. *FA Mark Mobley*  
**\*\*\*Must have at least a 60 meter rope, as this route is almost 100' tall. \*\*\***

**38. Festering Crabs 5.7 Trad** (2 anchors)  
Begin in a crack just left of arête, jog right at the break and go for the top. Will need a full rack mostly small to med gear. *FA Jim Steele* **\*\*\* Must have at least a 60 meter rope, as this route is almost 100' tall. \*\*\***

**39. Bull In A China Cabinet 5.12D Sport** (3 bolts, 2 anchors)  
On a free standing boulder if walking down main trail it is to the right just past Festering Crabs. North facing route with slight overhang on a crimp face. *FA Matt Reedy*

**40. Grim Reaper 5.10B Sport** (5 bolts, 2 anchors)  
Step off into thin air climb crimp face holds on outer edge of wall, climb up to small bulge top out on ledge to anchors. *FA Mark Mobley*

**41. Living On The Edge 5.10C Sport** (6 bolts, 2 anchors)  
Far left side of bench. Climb bolted face to anchors. Tie belayer off to a tree as an early fall might pull belayer off of bench. *FA Mark Mobley*

**42 & 43. Double Edge Sword Left & Right 5.8 Trad** (Medium to large gear).

Twin cracks to the right of Living On The Edge. If you look at them they look like a sword. *FA Mark Mobley*

**44. Shower Power 5.10C Sport** (4 bolts, 2 shared anchors)

Just to the right of Double Edge Sword on a south facing wall. Climb left of bolts on thin rock to roof stay left on roof finish to the right. *FA Mark Mobley*

**45. Psycho 5.11A Sport** (4 bolts, 2 shared anchors)

Just to the right of Shower Power. Climb face to roof pull roof on real thin holds finish to anchors. *FA Andrew Williams*

**46. One Eyed Monster 5.11C Sport** (3 bolts, 2 anchors)

Just to the right of Psycho on opposite wall. Climb face slightly overhanging at the top. *FA Mark Mobley*

**47. Don't Stretch It 5.11C Sport** (4 bolts, 2 shared anchors)

About 5 feet to the left of Flying Dogs. Climb crimpy face top out of ledge to shared anchors. *FA Mike the Dude*

**48. Flying Dogs 5.9 Sport** (4 bolts, 2 shared anchors)

Climb arête top out on ledge to shared anchors. *FA Jim Steele*

**49. Flying Puppies 5.10A Sport** (4 bolts, 2 anchors)

Climb slab arête up to slightly overhanging wall move left making interesting moves to anchors. *FA Mark Mobley*

**50. Hillbilly Justice 5.10A Trad** (Small protection on thin crack)

Climb dihedral up face to top. Rap off of a pine tree no anchors. *FA Jim Steele*

**51. Original Recipe 5.8 Sport** (4 bolts, 2 anchors)

Climb face to frictiony holds midway break over small roof finish to anchors. *FA Unknown*

**52. Mike Tyson's Ear Binge 5.12A Sport** (3 bolts, 2 anchors)

This climb is on a stand alone boulder that can not be missed. Climb steep crimpy face to anchors. *FA Andrew Williams*

**53. My Big Ten Inch 5.11B Sport** (3 bolts, 2 anchors).

Climb very overhanging arête on boulder with Mike Tyson's Ear Binge. *FA Mark Mobley*

**54. Flashflood 5.8+ Sport** (4 bolts, 2 anchors)

Black stained water course to the right of My Big Ten Inch. This climb will be wet after most rains. *FA Robert Sinclair*

**55. Landslide 5.7 Trad** (small/medium gear)

Broken crack on the left side of the prominent buttress to the right of Flashflood. *FA Jim Steel*

**56. Heat Wave 5.9 Sport** (4 bolts, 2 anchors).

Bolted face just to the right of Landslide. *FA Mark Mobley*

**57. White Lightening 5.10A Sport** (4 bolts, 2 shared anchors)

On arête just to the right of Heat Wave. *FA Mark Mobley*

**58. Atomic Twister 5.9+ Sport** (4 bolts, 2 shared anchors)

Just to the right of White Lightening. *FA Michael Mobley*

**59. Sampson's Revenge 5.10C Sport** (4 bolts, 2 anchors)

About 20 feet right of Atomic Twister and just to the left of a big oak tree. Climb face to ledge finish on steep overhanging moves. *FA Unknown*

**60. Sampson's Finale 5.7 Sport** (4 bolts, 2 anchors)

About 15 feet to the right of Sampson's Revenge. Follow face moves up prominent column to mid face finish on jugs to anchors. *FA Unknown*

**61. Mike Jr. 5.6 Trad** (medium to large pro)

Just to the left of Cactus Joe. *FA Michael Mobley*

**62. Cactus Joe 5.11C** (3 bolts, 2 anchors)

Climb overhanging arête to stand on face crimpers to finish, be careful of the cactus when clipping the anchors. *FA Joe Grossman*

**63. My Worst Own Enema 5.10C Sport** (7 bolts, 2 shared anchors)

Climb face around arête to roof, pull roof on jugs, and cruise on jugs to anchors. *FA Mark Mobley*

**64. Huggin The Root 5.10A Trad** (Small to large gear)

Climb dihedral up to roof, climb to 2nd roof, after 2nd roof traverse left to anchors for My Worst Own Enema. *FA Mark Mobley*

# Jamestown Check List

## 5.4

- Exodus

## 5.5

- Sarah's Crack

## 5.6

- Chutes And Ladders
- Comedy Crack
- Crawford Village Idiot
- Hamster In The Ham
- Mike Jr.

## 5.7

- Candy Land
- Festering Crabs
- Funky Monkey
- Land Slide
- Pagan On Sunday
- The Amateur
- Sampson's Finale

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- Hot For Teacher
- New Tattoo
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- Flying Dogs
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- Wham Bam Thank You Ma'am

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- Atomic Twister

## 5.10A

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- Bad Llama
- Flying Puppies
- Froot Loops
- Hillbilly Justice
- Hugging The Root
- Middgy Me
- The Amigos
- White Lightening

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- Dicken Around
- Grim Reaper
- Say No To Bush

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- Dodo Bird
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- F.O.A (1st pitch)
- My Big Ten Inch

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- Cactus Joe
- Don't Stretch It
- One Eyed Monster

## 5.11D

- Grunge Fest

## 5.12A

- Mike Tyson's Ear Binge
- Wet Dreams

## 5.12D

- Bull In A China Cabinet

## 5.12D/13A

- Strawberry Shortcake