Mule Mountain Trail #919
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LENGTH: 4.0 miles
SEASON: All Season
LEVEL OF USE: Medium
ELEVATION: 1800-4300 feet
CONNECTING TRAILS: Charlie Buck/Baldy Peak Trail #918
Mule Creek Trail #920

Trail Information: This trail offers a special opportunity to access the hillsides above the Applegate Valley and witness the seasonal changes in flora and fauna. It is a long-distance hike, winding up and around the arid ridges of the Oregon Siskiyous. In the spring, a plethora of dwarf star tulips, lilies, shooting stars, larkspurs and buttercups add bright colors to the forest floor.

Getting There: From Ruch, OR, travel south on Upper Applegate Road for 9.2 miles, and turn left on Forest Road 20 (Beaver Creek Road). Follow Forest Road 20 for approximately 1.5 miles to the junction with Forest Road 940 and turn right. Follow Forest Road 940 for approximately 3 miles to the Charley Buck/Baldy Peak Trail trailhead.

Attractions and Considerations: This trail provides spectacular views of the Upper Applegate Valley, making the “healthy” rate of climbing well-worth one’s efforts. A short side trail leads to Baldy Peak (elevation 4645’), also offering amazing views. The trail continues up the ridgeline to the junctions with the Mule Mountain Trail #919 and Forest Road 301.

This trail is not designed for use by motorized bikes or ATVs.

Prepare for your hike! Carry plenty of water, as there is no water along this trail. As this is a multi-user trail, prepare to yield to other user groups. Use caution on blind corners. Should you encounter stock, make your presence known, and move to the downhill side of the trail.

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