TRAPPERS LAKE TRAIL - FDT 1816

Difficulty: Moderate
Trail Use: Moderate
Length: 14.5 miles
Elevation: Starts at 9760 feet, ends at 9941 feet, highest point 11,283 feet
Elevation Gain: +2298 feet - 2117 feet = +181 feet
Open to: Hiking, horseback riding

Access:
- Travel 13 miles west of Eagle on I-70 to Exit 133 for Dotsero and turn right off the exit. Follow the signs for Sweetwater/Burns by turning north, right, onto the Colorado River Rd.
- Stay on this road for 1.75 miles and then turn left onto Coffee Pot Rd. - FDR 600 and stay on this road for 33.75 miles, passing Deep Lake, until you get to Indian Camp Pass and the trailhead. After you pass Deep Lake, the road will become very rough.

Trail Highlights:
- The trail is a well marked, easy to follow route from Indian Camp Pass to Trappers Lake, which is on the Blanco Ranger District.
- It is rated moderate because of the initial climb out of Indian Camp onto the plateau above.
- The hiker gains nearly 1,000 feet of elevation during the first 1.5 miles of the trip, but then it is lost again during the final 3 miles.
- The middle 8.2 miles of the trip leads through the large open parks of the Flat Tops Wilderness, then it dips into Fraser Canyon and goes on to Trapper’s Lake.
- This trail offers access to numerous other trails and lakes in the Shingle Peak area, and round trips of varying lengths back to Indian Camp Pass are possible.
- Trapper's Lake offers developed camping as well as fishing for Colorado cutthroat and brook trout.

Important Information:
- ALL DISTANCES ARE ONE WAY.
- THIS TRAIL ENTERS THE FLAT TOPS WILDERNESS, PLEASE PRACTICE WILDERNESS ETHICS TO HELP PRESERVE THIS SPECIAL RESOURCE.
- PLEASE CONTACT THE BLANCO RANGER DISTRICT FOR INFORMATION ON CAMPING AND FISHING REGULATIONS FOR THE AREA– 970-878-4039.

PACK IT IN—PACK IT OUT!!  LEAVE NO TRACE!!

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