

Jackpot Meadows Trail #492



North of
Salmon
River



South of
Salmon
River



Recreation Opportunity Guide

Distance..... 4.5 miles (one way)
Elevation..... 3100-4000 feet
Snow Free June to October



Trail Highlights: This trail connects the Salmon River Trail #742 with the Pacific Crest Trail #2000. It takes visitors by Jackpot Meadows and Dry Meadows to the upper end of the Salmon River.

Trail Description: From the northern trailhead, the trail goes downhill 1 mile to a small footbridge that crosses Salmon River. The trail is rocky and exposed for about 0.7 mile climbing out of the river canyon. The next 1.9 miles to Forest Road 58 are gentle. Cross Forest Road 58 and continue 0.9 mile to the intersection with the Pacific Crest Trail #2000 north of Timothy Lake.

Regulations & Leave No Trace Information:

Leave No Trace

- Plan Ahead and Prepare: Prepare for extreme weather, hazards and emergencies.
- Travel and Camp on Durable Surfaces: Use established trails and campsites.
- Dispose of Waste Properly: Pack out all trash, leftover food and litter.
- Leave What You Find: Avoid introducing or transporting non-native species.
- Minimize Campfire Impacts: Use established fire rings & keep fires small.
- Respect Wildlife: Control pets at all times.
- Be Considerate of Other Visitors: Avoid loud voices and noises.

For information on **Leave No Trace**, go to www.LNT.org or call 1-800-332-4100

For current trail conditions and more recreation information go to:

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/mthood>

Map and driving directions on next page

Mt. Hood National Forest
16400 Champion Way
Sandy, OR 97055
503-668-1700

Zigzag Ranger District
70220 E. Highway 26
Zigzag, Oregon 97049
503-622-3191

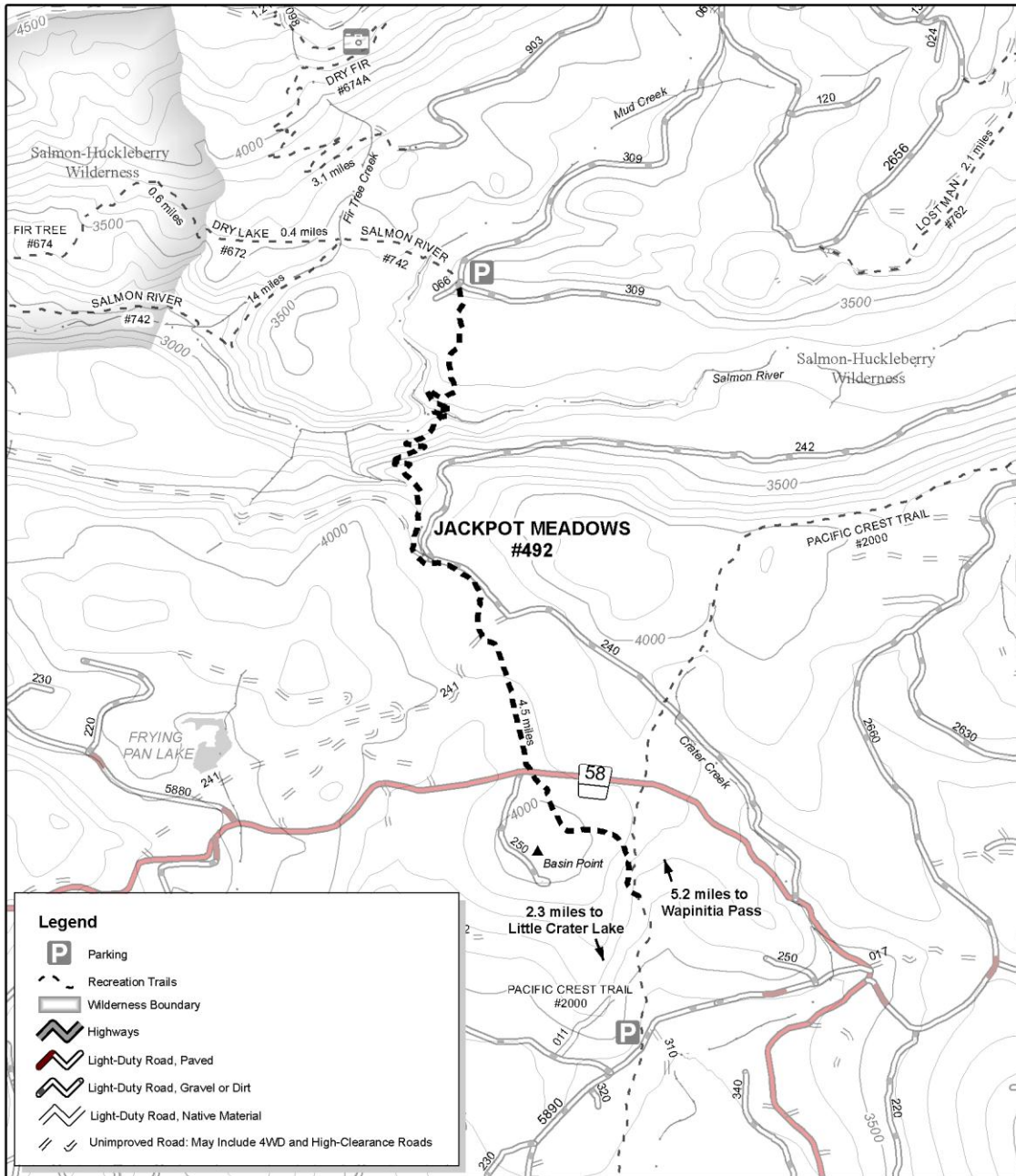
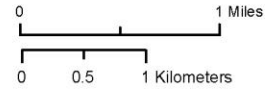
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Directions to Trailhead: From Portland to the northern trailhead, follow US Hwy 26 30.7 miles east of Sandy and turn right (south) at Forest Road 2656. Travel 1.8 miles and turn left at Trillium Lake Road (Forest Road 2656). Travel 1.8 miles and continue onto Forest Road 2656-309. Travel 2 miles on Forest Road 2656-309 to the trailhead, and the east end of Salmon River Trail #742.

From Portland to the southern trailhead, follow US Hwy 26 40.2 miles east of Sandy and turn right (west) at Skyline Road (Forest Road 42). Travel 1.1 miles and turn right toward Forest Road 2660. Drive 2.5 miles and turn right at Forest Road 2660. Travel 0.9 mile and turn right at Abbott Road (Forest Road 58). Travel 270 feet and turn left at Forest Road 5890. Travel 1 mile and park in the small turn out on the north side of the road. The Pacific Crest Trail #2000 crosses the road here. Travel north 0.9 miles on the Pacific Crest Trail #2000 to the junction with the south end of the Jackpot Meadow Trail #492.

492 JACKPOT MEADOWS
4.5 miles 7.2 km



Recommended maps: Zig Zag Ranger District

