Lost Lake Butte Trail #616

Recreation Opportunity Guide

Distance........................................ 1.5 miles (one way)
Elevation....................................... 3200-4468 feet
Snow Free ..................................... June to October

Trail Highlights: This trail offers spectacular views of Mount Hood, Mount Jefferson, Mount Rainier, Mount St. Helens and Mount Adams from the summit of Lost Lake Butte.

Trail Description: This trail begins at Lost Lake Campground (3,200’) and ends at Lost Lake Butte (4,468’). The trail climbs at a moderate grade passing through heavy timber. The last ¾ mile ascends steeply via a series of switchbacks to the summit. The remains of an old fire lookout are found just below the summit. Other trails in the vicinity are the Lakeshore Trail #656 and the Huckleberry Mountain Trail #617.

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

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Directions to Trailhead: From Hood River, travel south on Oregon Hwy 35 14 miles to Woodworth Road, approximately 0.3 mile south of milepost 89. Turn right (west) on Woodworth Road and travel 2 miles to Dee Highway. Turn right on Dee Highway and travel approximately 3.6 miles to the Dee Mill site. Turn right on Dee Highway and after 3.6 miles, turn left, drive across bridge, stay left and follow signs to Lost Lake (Forest Road 13). Turn left (south) on Forest Road 1340 and go south approximately 0.75 mile and park at the trailhead for Lakeshore Express Trail #658. Follow #658 approximately 0.1 mile east to the beginning of this trail (#616).

Recommended maps: Hood River Ranger District