



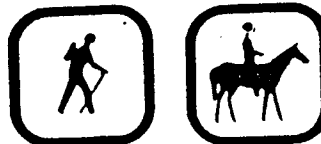
Clackamas River Ranger District

Estacada Ranger Station
595 NW Industrial Way
Estacada, OR 97023
(503) 630-6861 or 630-8700

Ripplebrook Guard Station
61431 E Hwy 224
Estacada, OR 97023

DICKEY LAKE TRAIL # 549

(Also needed: see Trail Access below).



Recommended Season: June to November

Length: 1.4 miles Use: Medium
Elevation: 3960' to 5060' Difficulty: Most Difficult
USGS Map: Battle Ax NE 1979

Description: (closed to mountain bikes and motorized vehicles).
(within Bull of the Woods Wilderness area).

The Dickey Lake Trail is a connecting trail, climbing about 1,000 feet, between the Pansy lake Trail # 551 from just below Pansy Lake to the Bull of the Woods Trail # 550 about a mile north of Bull of the Woods Lookout. Tied in with some of the other nearby trails makes this a great loop opportunity.

Trail Access: (No access via road, see the Trail Use Guides for trails mentioned below).
the west end is accessed via: see Pansy Lake Trail # 551

Pansy Lake Trail # 551 is reached by traveling south on Hwy. 224 for 25.6 miles, (approximately ½ mile past Ripplebrook Ranger Station), and turn right onto Forest Road 46. On road 46 travel 3½ miles and turn right onto road 63. On road 63 travel 5.7 miles and turn right onto road 6340. On road 6340 travel 7.8 miles and you will come to a fork in the road (6340 and 6341). Turn to the right onto road 6341 and follow it for 3.6 miles until you come to parking at the trailhead of Pansy Lake Trail # 551. Walk from the trailhead of Pansy Lake Trail # 551 for .7 mile and you reach the junction on the left where Dickey Lake Trail # 549 starts.

the east end is accessed via: see Bull of the Woods Trail # 550.

Bull of the Woods Trail # 550 is reached by traveling south on Hwy. 224 for 25.6 miles, (approximately ½ mile past Ripplebrook Ranger Station), and turn right onto Forest Road 46. On road 46 travel 3½ miles and turn right onto road 63. On road 63 travel 5.7 miles and turn right onto road 6340. On road 6340 travel 7.8 miles and you will come to a fork in the road (6340 and 6341). Stay to the left (which is still the 6340) road and follow it for approximately 1½ miles until you come to parking area at the trailhead for Bull of the Woods Trail # 550 (which is at the end of the road). Walk from the trailhead of Bull of the Woods Trail # 550 for 2.1 miles and you reach the junction to the right where Dickey Lake Trail # 549 starts.

Trail Mileage Log:

- 0.0 Trail departs Pansy Lake Trail # 551 at 3960' elevation and continues to climb.
- 0.1 Small stream crossing, the stream flowing from a small lake which lies .2 mile to the southeast. The trail then climbs eastward through low, open forest.
- 0.2 Trail levels off, then crosses a (dry?) creek bed, enters deep forest, then resumes climb.
- 0.6 Trail junction with spur trail to Dickey Lake, visible to the south.
- 0.7 Resume steep climb through an old growth forest.



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- 1.0 A level terrace in old growth trees, then resumes climb.
- 1.2 Another terrace with a rock slide above, then resumes climb via switchbacks.
- 1.4 Trail ends at Bull of the Woods Trail # 550.

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