

LOST LAKE SHORELINE TRAIL #656



Northwest Forest Pass	→	Not Required
Distance	→	3.2 miles
Elevation	→	3,200 feet
Snow Free	→	June - October
Difficulty	→	Easy

Directions to Trailhead: From Portland, take exit 64 off Interstate 84 at Hood River and follow Oregon Highway 35 about 6 miles to the Odell turnoff. Turn right and go to Odell. Turn right again as you enter town and follow the Odell Highway 1.5 miles north to Summit Road and travel 2 miles to the Dee Highway. Turn left here and go 4.2 miles to the Dee Mill. From Dee, take Lost Lake Road to its end at Lost Lake. The Lost Lake Shoreline Trail begins at the viewpoint parking area, 0.2 miles from the Lost Lake store across the bridge.

Trail Highlights: The trail begins with a magnificent view of Mt. Hood reflected in the clear blue water of Lost Lake. More pictures of Mt. Hood are taken from this point than any other site. Attractive timber and other lakeside views make this a pleasant hike.

Trail Highlights: From the picnic area the trail makes a short descent toward the lake. This is the beginning of the self-guided nature trail along the lakeshore. Pass through attractive woods for three quarters of a mile before reaching the area of Inlet Creek. Boardwalks and bridges have been built across this swampy area. The trail re-enters woods and at the one mile point the self-guided nature trail comes to an end. It is approximately 2 ¼ miles to the picnic area if you wish to continue. After a short walk through the timber the trail comes very close to the shore, traverses a small talus slope, and after gaining and losing a little elevation comes to a junction with the Huckleberry Mountain Trail #617. This trail climbs in a little over two miles to the Pacific Crest Trail #2000. Keep left and pass below the shelters at the Lost Lake Organization camp. Trail continues along the east shoreline, past the store and back to the picnic area.

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RECREATION OPPORTUNITY GUIDE

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