Explore Oregon's Other "Craters"

Newberry Country Trail

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The NCT Trailhead





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Formed by an explosive volcanic history and known for stunning geological wonders, amazing fishing, birding, recreation and more, this awe-inspiring landscape is highlighted by the Newberry Country Trail (suggested driving routes). Use this map for your trip across central Oregon now and future trips too!

The High Lakes Loop

- 1 Newberry National Volcanic Monument's Caldera area: View
- Paulina Falls, hike the youngest Obsidian Flow in North America, explore other trails for hiking, biking, horseback riding, snowmobiling and Nordic skiing. Rent a boat, go fishing, swim or paddle Paulina Lake or East Lake, and catch some of the Ranger Station programs for families. Eat & stay at either the historic Paulina Lake Lodge or East Lake Resort or camp at a campground.
- 3 La Pine State Park: Features North America's largest Ponderosa Pine Tree, "Big Red" and cabin/campsite rentals along the twisting Upper Deschutes River brimming with trout and nearby a legendary fly-fishing spot.
- 4 Sunriver: Home of the SHARC Aquatic Center, Sunriver Nature Center, Oregon Observatory and Sunriver Resort featuring accommodations, 4 golf courses, numerous restaurants, stores, 44 miles of paved and dirt trails (bike rentals available) and access to the Deschutes River.
- 5 Twin Lakes, North & South: Both lakes are known for great fishing. Dine, rent a cabin, RV space or a fishing boat at Twin Lake Resort and rustic camping is available at Twin Lakes North.
- 6 Cascade Lakes Hwy: View great fishing lakes, massive forests, lava flows and mountains as you drive south. Stop at Davis Lake & Wickiup Reservoir for camping, fishing and paddling.
- Crescent Junction & Manley's Tavern: Dine on famous broiled chicken at Manley's Tavern across from the gas station. It's a short drive to Crescent Lake for camping, the Crescent Lake Lodge, boating, fishing, swimming and paddling.
- 8 Odell Lake with Odell Lake Lodge & Shelter Cover Resort: Sail, water ski or fish on the beautiful lake. Eat or stay at the Lodge or Resort or multiple campgrounds. Close to other lakes, the Pacific Crest Trail and Willamette Pass Ski Resort.
- 9 Crescent/ Gilchrist & Mohawk Restaurant: Crescent, a railroad town and Gilchrist, one of Oregon's surviving mill towns. Open since the 30's, Experience Mohawk Restaurants' home style cooking and unique environment.

The High Desert Loop

- 1 Fort Rock State Park, Fort Rock Homestead Village Museum: Experience volcanic landmarks from the ice age and hike Fort Rock. Museum is open May-September, offering a self-guided tour through buildings furnished from the early 1900s.
- Christmas Valley Community & Willows Antique Store: Enjoy local restaurants, the golf course, a gas station and three gift shops, including Willow's unique items. Wildlife sightings are common on your drive in this area!
- 3 Crack In The Ground: Hike the volcanic fissure with depths up to 70 feet high for 2 miles through picturesque geological formations. Bring layers even in summer.
- 4 Christmas Valley Sand Dunes: 11,000 acres of natural sand dunes created by volcanic eruptions 7,000 years ago. Perfect for off-road, ATV and fat biking to explore sand dunes up to 60ft tall. Registered tags needed for vehicles. Access from Lost Forest Rd
- **5 Ana Reservoir:** Serene swimming and fishing spot, including Oregon's only hybrid bass fishing spot. Ana Reservoir RV Park is around the corner.
- 6 Summer Lake, Lodge at Summer Lake & Wildlife Area: A treasure trove of birding, fishing, hiking, paddling and camping. At the base of Winter Ridge's eastern slope, enjoy Gary's famous clam chowder served at the Lodge at Summer Lake.
- Summer Lake Hot Springs: 1920's bathhouse and scenic outdoor pools at this rustic hot spring resort. Camp or rent a simple cottage. Don't miss hiking onto the dry lakebed.
- Paisley, Pioneer Saloon & Chewaucan River: Paisley's draw is its Saloon with an old bar atmosphere and great burgers, steaks and pie. The Chewaucan River has many access points to fish, hike and camp as you go West from the gas station on Mill St.
- 9 Silver Lake & Cowboy Dinner Tree: Refuel in Silver Lake enroute to the Cowboy Dinner Tree with outdoor grilled enormous steak and chicken dinners set at a cowboy bunkhouse. Bring Tupperware for leftovers reservations mandatory.
- Thompson Reservoir: Remote location for camping, boating and ample fishing with views of nearby mountains. Area closed in the winter.

Crater Lake Loop

- 1 AMTRAK Station & KJ's Cafe: Amtrak's Coast Starlight train has daily service to LA, Sacramento, Portland and Seattle. Fill your belly with KJ's Café's delicious homemade food.
- Collier Logging Museum & Collier Memorial State Park: Interactive outdoor museum showcasing Oregon's logging history. A relocated pioneer village and camping also onsite.
- 3 Kla-Mo-Ya Casino & Hotel & Potbelly Café: Play slot machines, blackjack, sleep, swim, get gas, eat & drink at Kla-Mo-Ya Casino, managed by the Klamath Tribes. Pot Belly Café is known for great homecooked breakfast and lunch and cinnamon rolls!
- 4 Train Mountain/Klamath & Western Railroad: The world's largest miniature railroad AND private caboose collection. Both walking and rail tours are available with free train rides during the summer. Not open every day, check online.
- 5 Agency Lake & Wood River Wetlands: Agency Lake is perfect for fishing, paddling and watching the migrating birds and waterfowl that stop in the area. Wood River Wetlands offers a 3-mile hiking loop with canoe launch, fishing and picnic areas from the north side of Agency Lake.
- 6 Fort Klamath Museum: Museum and park showcasing the history of Southern Oregon on the grounds of a Civil War era fort. Open Memorial Day through September.
- 7 Upper Klamath Canoe Trail: Paddle one or all four segments of the marked canoe trail through the Upper Klamath National Wildlife Refuge, home to over 350 species of birds and other animals. Canoe or boat rentals are available at Rocky Point Resort, also offering a restaurant, camping and cabin rentals.
- 8 Crater Lake ZipLine & Sasquatch Hollow: Nine thrilling ziplines with sky bridges and more. All skill levels, ages 5 and up. A real forest treat!
- 9 Crater Lake: The "Jewel of the Cascades", famous for its deep blue clear water and being the deepest lake in the United States. Open year-round from the South in Crater Lake National Park, the northern entrance is open Spring through Fall.
- Diamond Lake: In summer popular for fishing, boating, biking, horseback riding, hiking and camping. Winter use includes snowshoeing and backcountry skiing in the area. Diamond Lake Resort offers cabins, camping and a rustic restaurant.
- Union Creek, Beckie's Cafe and Rogue Gorge Viewpoint:

 Beckie's is a great stop for the famous pies and delicious food.

 Afterwards, visit the stunning Gorge Viewpoint, a quarter mile loop that takes you to 4 overlooks of the Rogue River Gorge with trail signs and restrooms.













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Suggested Driving Loops

Driving Loop Start Location – La Pine & Visitor Center: Originally settled in 1910 by trapper families, loggers and farmers, now a great place to gas up and enjoy a meal before exploring the area.

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- 1 Newberry National Volcanic Monument's Paulina Lake
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- 5 Twin Lakes North & South, Twin Lakes Resort On way to Cascade Lake Highway
- 6 Cascade Lakes Highway highlighting Davis Lake & Wickiup Reservoir
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Note: Some locations could have parking, entrance or day fees, online reservations or only be available seasonally.

Please use Google maps for route finding and to check availability.

