

Forest Creek Trail #473



Recreation Opportunity Guide

Distance..... 3.3 miles (one way)
Elevation..... 4500-5400 feet
Snow Free June to October



Trail Highlights: There are outstanding views of Boulder Creek and Mount Hood along this trail.

Trail Description: To reach this trail from Bonney Meadows Campground, follow Boulder Lake Trail #463 north 0.2 mile to its junction with Hidden Meadows trail #472. Turn right onto #472 and travel 0.2 mile to the junction with this trail #473. Turn left (east) and continue south 2.4 miles to the junction with Forest Road 4881-123. Cross the road and continue 0.7 mile to the end of this trail and the junction with Hidden Meadows Trail #472. To complete a 6.5 mile loop from here, head north/northwest on Hidden Meadows Trail #472 3.2 miles back to the trailhead at Bonney Meadows Campground.

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

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503-668-1700

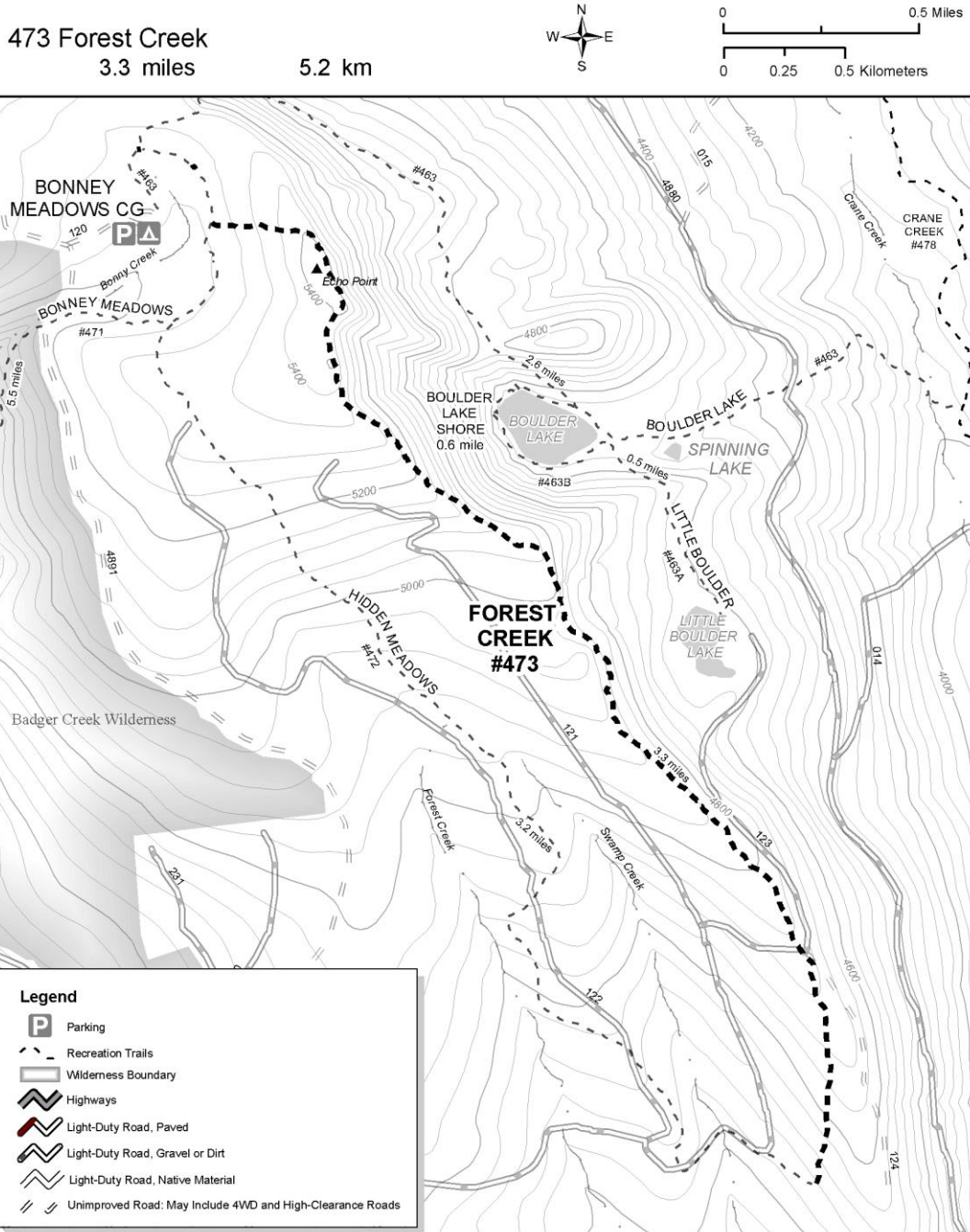
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Directions to Trailhead: From Hood River, take Oregon Hwy 35 south 32.5 miles, 0.25 mile after milepost 64, to Bennett Pass (Forest Road 3550). Follow Bennett Pass Road for 3 miles and take the right fork onto Bonney Meadows Road (Forest Road 4891). Go 1.2 miles and turn left onto Forest Road 4891-120. Follow Forest Road 4891-120 for 0.15 miles and park at the northwest end of Bonney Meadows Campground.

From Portland, follow US Hwy 26 for 31 miles east of Sandy, 0.75 mile after milepost 63, to Oregon Hwy 35. Turn north onto Oregon Hwy 35 and follow it for 6 miles to Bennett Pass (Forest Road 3550). Follow Bennett Pass Road for 3 miles and take the right fork onto Bonney Meadows Road (Forest Road 4891). Follow Bonney Meadows Road 1.2 miles to Forest Road 4891-120. Turn left onto Forest Road 4891-120, go 0.15 miles and park at the northwest end of Bonney Meadows Campground.



Recommended maps: Barlow Ranger District

