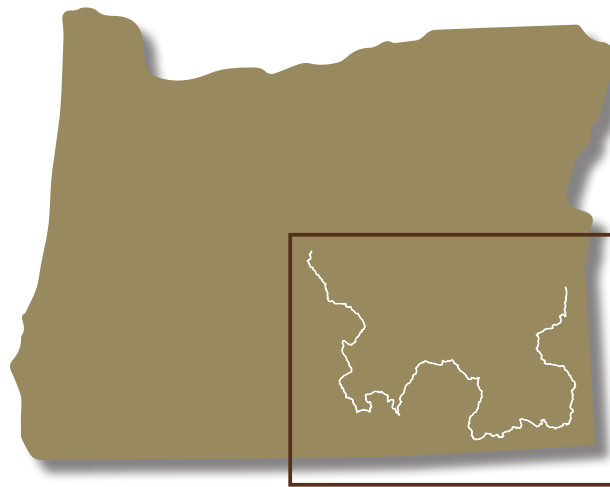




# Town & Services Guide



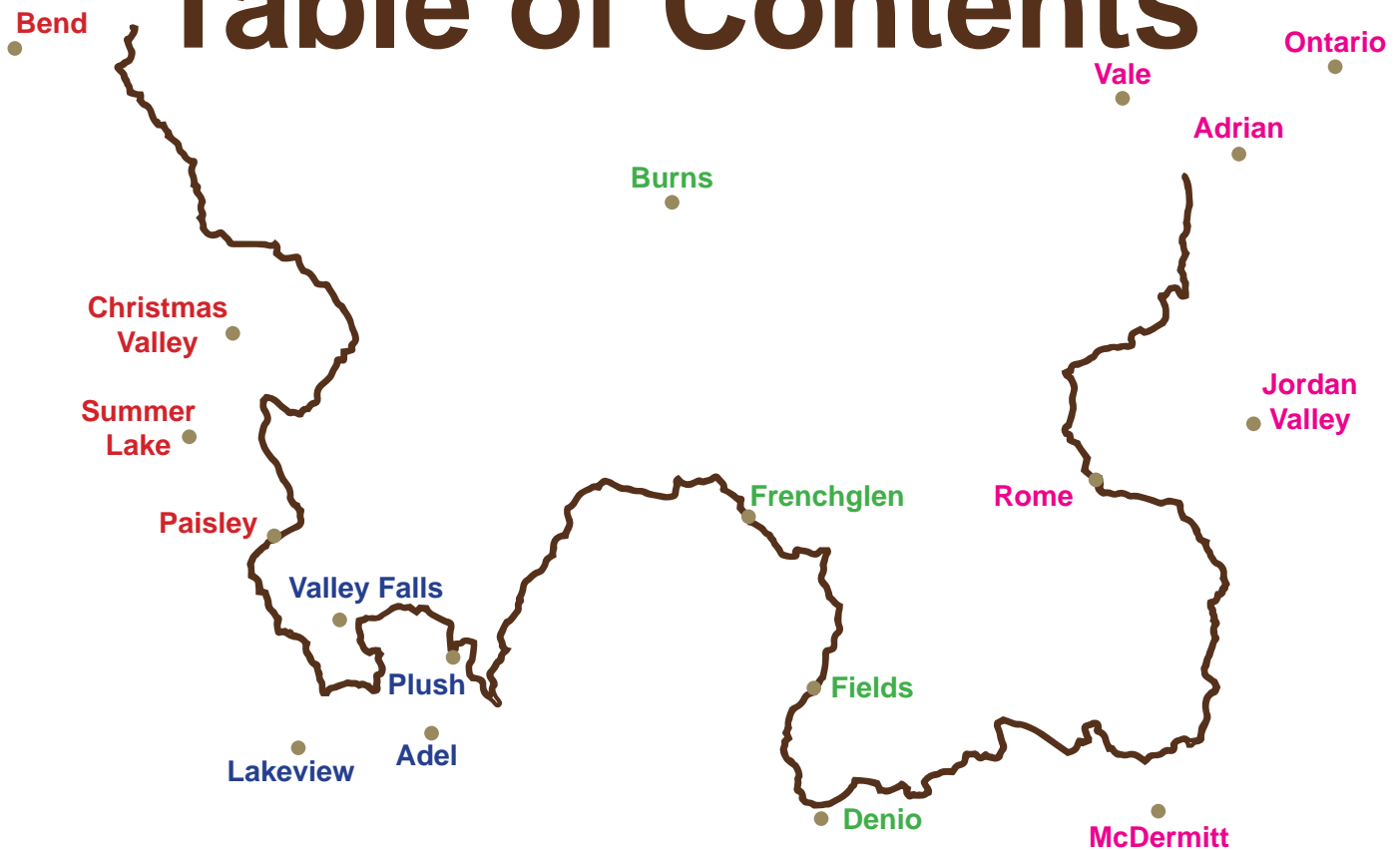
**What are you going to find along the Oregon Desert Trail?  
Our Town & Services Guide lists lodging options, restaurants,  
shopping, hot springs, campgrounds, and more.**

**Plan your ODT adventure today!**

Fall 2024

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Notice something in the guide that needs to be changed? Let us know: [odt@onda.org](mailto:odt@onda.org)



# Getting to the Trail

## Western Terminus

The Western Terminus of the Oregon Desert Trail starts at the Tumulus Trailhead in the Badlands Wilderness east of Bend.

Driving directions to Tumulus Trailhead:  
13.5 miles from Bend. Head east on Hwy 20 for 6.5 miles, take a left on Dodds Road for 6 miles to an unmarked dirt road and turn right (directly after the mile 6 marker). Take a right at the fork in the road until you reach a parking area at the canal. The Tumulus trailhead is over the canal walkway.

*For transportation between the termini, the Point bus travels between Bend and Vale/Ontario Monday through Friday. [www.oregon-point.com](http://www.oregon-point.com)*

## Eastern Terminus

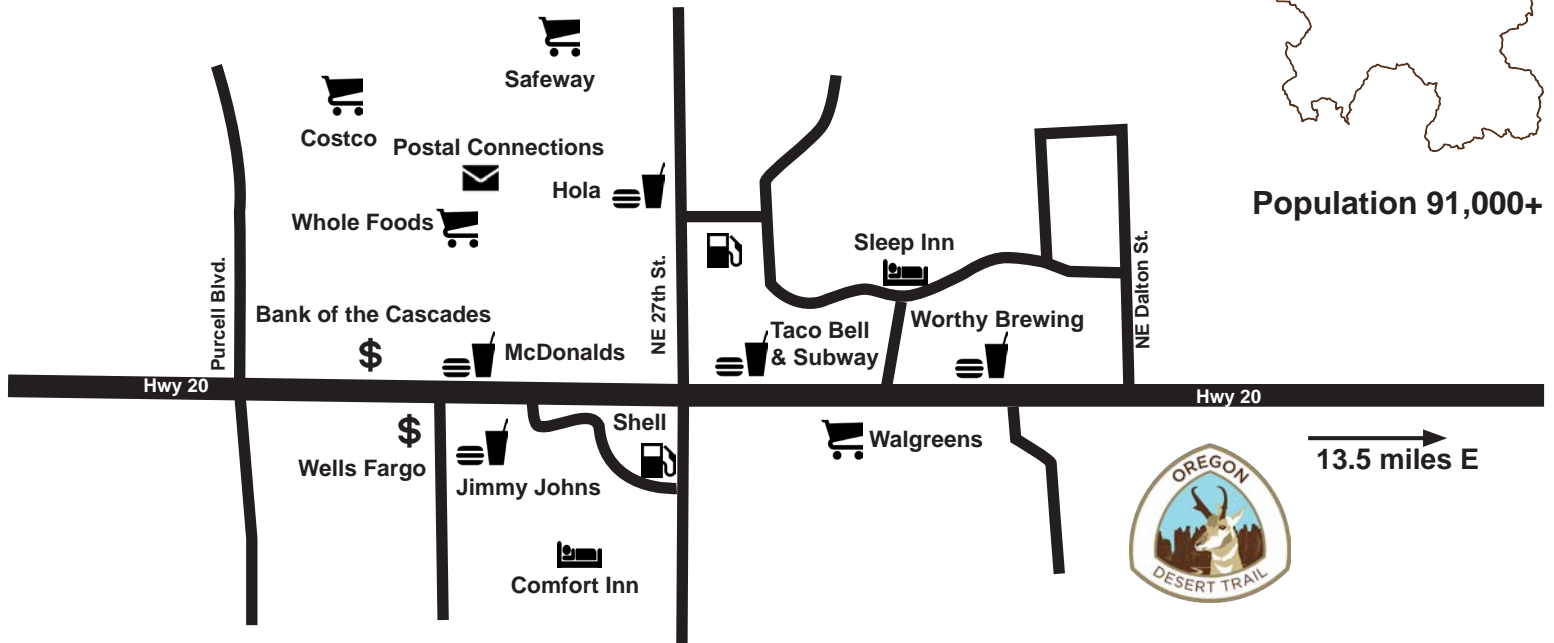
The Eastern Terminus of the Oregon Desert Trail starts at Indian Springs Campground in Lake Owyhee State Park south of Adrian.

Driving directions to Indian Springs Campground: 27 miles from Adrian. Head north on OR-201 N/1st St toward Owyhee St for 1.8 miles. Turn left onto Overstreet Rd and continue for 5.3 miles. Turn left onto Owyhee Lake Rd for 19.7 miles and the campground will be at the southern end of the reservoir road.

### Calamity Butte Guide Services

541-589-4122, [calamitybutte@gmail.com](mailto:calamitybutte@gmail.com) & on social media. Calamity Butte Guide Services is based in Burns, but works throughout SE Oregon. They love helping ODT hikers with equipment rentals, water/fuel drops, shuttle services, conditions reports, and other support over much of SE Oregon. Calamity also offers a variety of tours, as well as trip support and logistics consulting. For larger groups or events they offer backcountry catering, camp support/logistics, and pack in/out equipment.

Need help getting to the trail? Check out the public Facebook group, Oregon Desert Trail, where you can communicate with others about your needs



Bend lies 14 miles west of the western terminus of the Oregon Desert Trail. There are tons of options for eating and sleeping. We've listed just a few offerings focused on Bend's east side to get you started.

## ONDA

**Oregon Natural Desert Association**  
50 SW Bond St., Ste 4, 541-330-2638  
[www.onda.org](http://www.onda.org), 9am-4pm, [odt@onda.org](mailto:odt@onda.org).  
Let us know if you are interested in stopping by to learn more about ONDA's conservation work.

## Shopping

**Safeway & Pharmacy**  
2650 N E Hwy 20, The Forum Shopping Center,  
541-383-6500, 6am-12am all week.

**Costco**  
2500 NE Hwy 20, 541-385-9640  
[www.costco.com](http://www.costco.com), M-F 10am-8:30pm,  
Sat 9:30am-7pm, Sun 10am-6pm.

**Whole Foods**  
2610 NE Hwy 20, 541-389-0151  
[www.wholefoodsmarket.com](http://www.wholefoodsmarket.com), 8am-9pm.

**Walgreens**  
2727 NE Highway 20, 541-633-4467  
[www.walgreens.com](http://www.walgreens.com), 9am-7pm.

## Lodging

**Bunk+Brew Historic Lucas House – Hostel (not on map)** 42 NW Hawthorne Ave.,  
458-202-1090, <http://www.bunkandbrew.com>.  
[info@bunkandbrew.com](mailto:info@bunkandbrew.com). \$62+ depending on season (private rooms available too).  
Bunk + Brew is a cheap way to stay in town with tons of amenities (laundry, kitchen, wifi), a free beer at check in, and if you don't need a bed try the "Dirtbag Deal" – shower, towel, laundry, WiFi, and a beer.

## Bus

**Eastern POINT (not on map)**  
Bus to Vale/Ontario, Hawthorne Station, NE  
334 NE Hawthorne Ave, Bend, 541-385-8680

## Services

**Post Office (not on map)**  
Main Bend Post Office, 2300 NE Fourth St.,  
Bend, OR 97701, 541-318-5068. Can mail  
General Delivery, must include "Please hold  
for hiker, & ETA date." Mondays-Fridays  
8:30am-5:30pm, Sat 10am-1pm.

**Postal Connections**  
2660 US-20 Ste 610, 541-382-1800  
[www.postalconnections101.com](http://www.postalconnections101.com)  
M-F 8am-6pm, Sat 9am-5pm.

**Library (not on map)**  
62080 Dean Swift Rd., 541-330-3760.  
[www.deschuteslibrary.org](http://www.deschuteslibrary.org).  
Mon-Sat 9am-6pm, Fri 10am-6.

**St. Charles Hospital (not on map)**  
2500 NE Neff Rd, 541-382-4321,  
[www.stcharleshealthcare.org](http://www.stcharleshealthcare.org).

**Wells Fargo**  
450 NE Windy Knolls Dr., 541-550-4080,  
M-F 9am-5pm.

**First Interstate Bank**  
2630 NE Hwy 20, 541-617-9040,  
M-F 9am-5:30pm.

**Shell Gas Station & Growler Fill Station**  
2699 US-20, 541-385-3074  
[www.shell.com](http://www.shell.com), Sun-Th 5am-10 pm.  
Fri-Sat 5am-12 am.

**76 Gas Station**  
575 NE Bellevue Dr,  
7am-10pm.

## Gear Stores

**REI (not on map)**  
Old Mill District, 380 SW Powerhouse Dr.  
541-385-0594, [www.rei.com](http://www.rei.com), 10am-8pm (Sun till  
6pm.) Everyone loves REI!

**Mountain Supply (not on map)**  
834 NW Colorado Ave, 541-388-0688  
Mon-Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 10am-5pm, <http://mountainsupplybend.com>.  
Bend's independent outdoor store specializing in  
backpacking gear and your trail essentials.

**Gear Fix (not on map)**  
550 SW Industrial Way #183, 541-617-0022  
Daily 10am-6pm. [www.gearfix.com](http://www.gearfix.com). Gently used  
gear, and gear repair shop. Conveniently located  
right around the corner from ONDA.

**Pine Mountain Sports (not on map)**  
255 SW Century Dr, Bend, 541-385-8080  
10am-6pm, Sun til 5pm. [pinemountainsports.com](http://pinemountainsports.com).  
Great locally owned outdoor store.

**FootZone (not on map)**  
842 NW Wall St, 541-317-3568  
Mon-Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 11am-5pm.  
[www.footzonebend.com](http://www.footzonebend.com). Running store,  
good outdoor clothing and shoes.

## Restaurants

**Worthy Brewing Company**  
495 NE Bellevue Dr, 541-639-4776  
[www.worthybrewing.com](http://www.worthybrewing.com), Sun-Thurs  
11:30am-9pm, Fri & Sa 11:30am-10pm.  
Check out the observatory!

**Strictly Organic (not on map)**  
6 SW Bond St., Bend, 541-330-6061  
[www.strictlyorganic.com](http://www.strictlyorganic.com). 6am-4pm, Sun  
10am-4pm.

# Pine Mountain Observatory



*Make time to visit the Observatory for a show if the timing is right! Most Friday and Saturday evenings from late May through last weekend in September, weather permitting. Programs start at 9pm through mid-summer, then move back to 8:30 & 8pm start times by September. \$5 donation per person. Skies need to be clear, "Dark Moon" weekends are best. <http://pmo.uoregon.edu/>*



## Pine Mountain Observatory

Top of Pine Mountain, across the road from waypoint CV035. <http://pmo.uoregon.edu/>. The observatory is a University of Oregon facility for astronomy education and research. The observatory has three Cassegrain-reflecting telescopes and is open to the public on most Friday and Saturday evenings from late May through last Friday/Saturday in September, weather permitting. No available water at the observatory.



## Pine Mountain Campground

Waypoint CV035. This is a primitive Forest Service campground, free, first-come, first serve. Pit toilets, but no water available. About 12 sites.



## Cache Strategy

Observatory staff have offered to receive water caches from hikers at the top of Pine Mountain (mile 27.2 - there is no reliable water between Pine Mountain and the Tumulus Trailhead). Please call ahead or email to arrange a time to drop off your cache: 541-382-8331, Alton Luken: [aluken@uoregon.edu](mailto:aluken@uoregon.edu). Please include your ETA data and discuss where the cache will be located when you are hiking through.

# PetersCreek RV Camping Park



## Peters Creek OHV Park

Waypoint CV100. Privately owned campground, contact Dan Damewood at 541-225-8839 or 541-306-0000. \$5 per site per night. Call ahead to make sure there is a spot available and the water is turned on. This is a hiker oasis after your dry desert hike so far. Water is available in the campground, porta-potties, secure parking, and a possible solar shower. Will accept food drops ahead of time if you call to make arrangements. Dan is a great source of local cultural and historical information. *Please see pg. 20 for more resupply tips when sending a box to a business like PetersCreek Campground. \*Trail Register here*  
The Christmas Valley Alternate will bypass Peters Creek OHV Park.



*You may have heard that the Oregon desert has some of the oldest traces of humans living in North America, and Fort Rock, a short drive or hitch from Christmas Valley, is one such spot. Grass slippers were found in the nearby Cow Cave dating over 10,000 years ago. Definitely worth a side trip if you have the time!*



## Fort Rock



## Fort Rock State Natural Area

Fort Rock Rd, Fort Rock OR 97735  
Hike around this National Natural Landmark that is an old tuff ring that formed in a shallow sea in prehistoric times. Open all year round, no camping available. Pit toilets.



## Fort Rock Homestead Village Museum

64696 Fort Rock Road, 541-576-2251  
[www.fortrockoregon.com](http://www.fortrockoregon.com). Open Memorial Day weekend thru September, Thurs-Sun, 11am-5pm. \$6/\$4/free. The museum preserves and protects homestead era structures from across the area, including a school, church, doctor's office, homes, and more. Also displays a few grass slippers from over 10,000 years ago.



## The Waterin' Hole

61983 Pitcher Road, 541-961-6891,  
Mon-Thurs 3pm-close, Fri-Sun 12pm-11pm.  
Summer hours 12-10pm. Bar and restaurant with daily specials including Taco Tuesday taco bar! Ask about camping out back. Several Oregon beers on tap.

## Fort Rock Restaurant & Pub

64591 Fort Rock Road, 541-576-3988  
Serving lunch and dinner. 11am-7pm, closed Wed, Sun 9am-1pm.



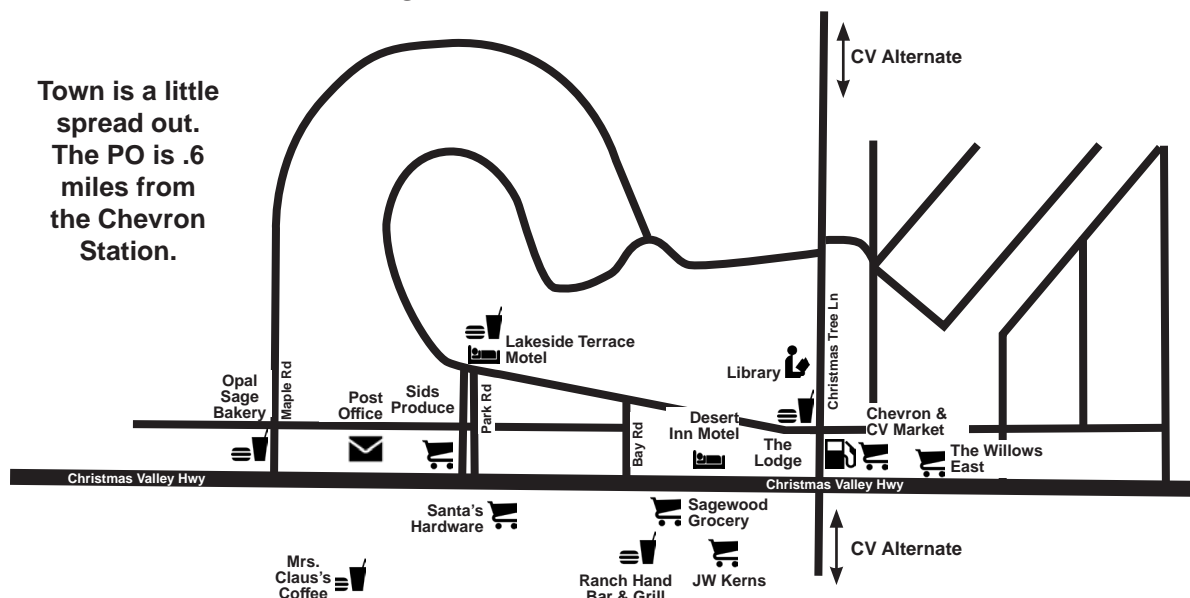


# Christmas Valley



Region 1

Population 1,300+



19 miles E

*The small town of Christmas Valley has everything a hiker would need to rest up and resupply before hitting the trail again. The Christmas Valley Alternate will take hikers directly through town (See guidebook pg 28).*

## Lodging

### **Desert Inn Motel**

87217 Christmas Valley Hwy, 541-576-2262, [www.cvdessertinnmotel.com](http://www.cvdessertinnmotel.com). Wifi, fridge in room, some kitchenettes available. \$65+

### **Lakeside Motel & RV Park**

87275 County Hwy 9-28, 541-576-4003 <https://www.cvlakeside.com/> Wifi, fridge, microwave, satellite TV, air conditioning, 10 cabins with patios overlooking the lake, pets by reservation. \$90+ Tent sites available, showers at the RV Park.

## Services

### **Post Office**

Resupply packages can be mailed: General Delivery, Christmas Valley, OR 97641, 541-576-2657. Must include "Please hold for hiker, & ETA date." M-F 9:30am-2pm, 3:30-5:30pm. Does not accept debit or credit cards.

### **Christmas Valley Library**

57338 Christmas Tree Ln, 541-576-2336 Tues, Thurs 10am-6pm, Sat 10am-3pm. Closed T-Th 1-1:30. Wifi available 24/7.

The airport has the capability of landing a fixed-wing or helicopter for emergency medical transportation.

## Restaurants

### **Ranch Hand Bar & Grill**

541-576-2014. 7am-10pm (midnight on Fri-Sat.). Live music some evenings. Sandwiches, salads, burgers.

### **The Lodge**

87285 Christmas Valley Hwy., 541-576-4452. 4-9pm. Burgers & Steaks

### **Opal Sage Bakery & Deli**

86861 Christmas Valley Hwy., 541-576-3058, Tues-Fri 6:30am-2pm, Sat 6:30-11am. Bakery and Deli.

### **Mrs. Claus's Coffee and More**

86928 Christmas Valley Hwy., 847-366-3561, Mon-Fri 7am-3pm. Coffee, donuts & lunch items.

### **Senior Center Bus/Public Transportation**

The Lake County Senior Citizen Association's (LCSCA) Lake County Public Transportation program offers rides around Lake County. The priority for the service is for seniors needing medical services, but if space is available hikers are welcome to ride. Trips may travel between Christmas Valley, Bend, Paisley and Lakeview. Donations welcome. Call to inquire about availability and schedule: 541-947-4966.

## Shopping

### **Sagewood Grocery**

87164 Christmas Valley Hwy, 541-576-2500. See Facebook page. 7am-8pm, full resupply, first aid supplies, liquor store, ATM.

### **JW Kerns Hardware and Feed**

87226 Christmas Valley Hwy., 541-576-2814. [JWKerns.com](http://JWKerns.com). Mon-Fri 8am-5pm, Sat: 9am-4pm. Call for denatured alcohol availability.

### **Sid's Produce**

87061 Christmas Valley Hwy, 541-576-2230, Mon-Fri 12-5pm. Fresh produce stand as well as other ingredients for healthy cooking.

### **Christmas Valley Market & Chevron**

87497 Christmas Valley Hwy, 541-576-2200. M-Sat 6:30am-9pm, Sun 7am-9pm, full resupply, deli, first aid supplies. Pizza!

### **Santa's Hardware**

87038 Christmas Valley Hwy, 541-576-2999. Mon-Sat 8am-6pm, Sun 11am-4pm. General store, heat, denatured alcohol, canister fuel, basic camping supplies. (Call ahead for availability of canister fuel as supply can be limited.)

### **The Willows (East)**

87531 Christmas Valley Hwy, 541-576-2199. Tues-Sat 10am-5pm. Antique shop and upscale gifts.



# Summer Lake

*When traveling to or from the trail, passing through Summer Lake will bring you past a resupply option, campground, and lodge. Stop in for some rest or for supplies before you hit the trail.*



County Hwy 4-17



~ 28 miles S in Paisley



**Playa**  
11 miles S on Hwy 31 from  
The Lodge at Summer Lake

Carlton Lane

**Ana Reservoir RV Park** ▲



**Lodging**

**The Lodge at Summer Lake**  
53460 Hwy 31, 541-943-3993,  
[www.lodgeatsummerlake.com](http://www.lodgeatsummerlake.com). Hotel, cabins  
& restaurant. Call for hours, reservations  
required. Rooms \$75-165. Fridge,  
microwave, wifi, some cabins have kitchens.  
Laundry at Ana Reservoir RV Park.

**Ana Reservoir RV Park**

84594 Carlton Lane, 541-943-3240,  
[www.anareservoirrvpark.com](http://www.anareservoirrvpark.com). Tent sites \$25  
includes use of shower, shower \$5. Coin  
laundry.

**Population 90+**



**Shopping**

**Summer Lake Store**

54128 Hwy 31, 541-943-3164. 8am-6pm  
(3pm on Sun). Basic resupply, snacks,  
beer, gas. Post office in store, open Mon-Fri  
9:30am-2:30pm, Sat 9:45am-2:30pm

## ★ Points of Interest

**Playa**

47531 Highway 31, 541-943-3983  
[www.playasummerlake.org](http://www.playasummerlake.org),  
[playa@playasummerlake.org](mailto:playa@playasummerlake.org). Office hours  
Mon-Fri 10am-4pm. Playa is a creative retreat  
space designed to support innovative thinking  
through work in the arts, literature, natural  
sciences, and other fields of creative inquiry.  
Check the website for special events and  
open studio opportunities.

**Summer Lake Wildlife Area**

53447 Hwy. 31, 541-943-3152, <https://myodfw.com/summer-lake-wildlife-area-visitors-guide>.  
Summer Lake Wildlife Area was established  
in 1944, with primary objectives of protecting  
and improving waterfowl habitat and providing  
a public hunting area. It is now a popular  
destination for hunting, wildlife viewing and  
environmental education due to its geographic  
setting, the abundance of wildlife present  
and species diversity. Restrooms, maps,  
informational pamphlets, bird checklists and  
displays are found in the headquarters office  
lobby. A parking permit is required to park at  
this wildlife area (<https://myodfw.com/articles/buying-odfw-wildlife-area-parking-permit>).  
Several primitive campsites are in the area.

## Summer Lake Hot Springs



*Summer Lake Hot Springs offer  
an excellent chance to rest your  
legs and soak in some indoor or  
outdoor hot springs. The cabins  
are charming and offer radiant  
heating in the floor.*

**Summer Lake  
Hot Springs**



6 miles SE in Paisley



**Lodging**

**Summer Lake Hot Springs**

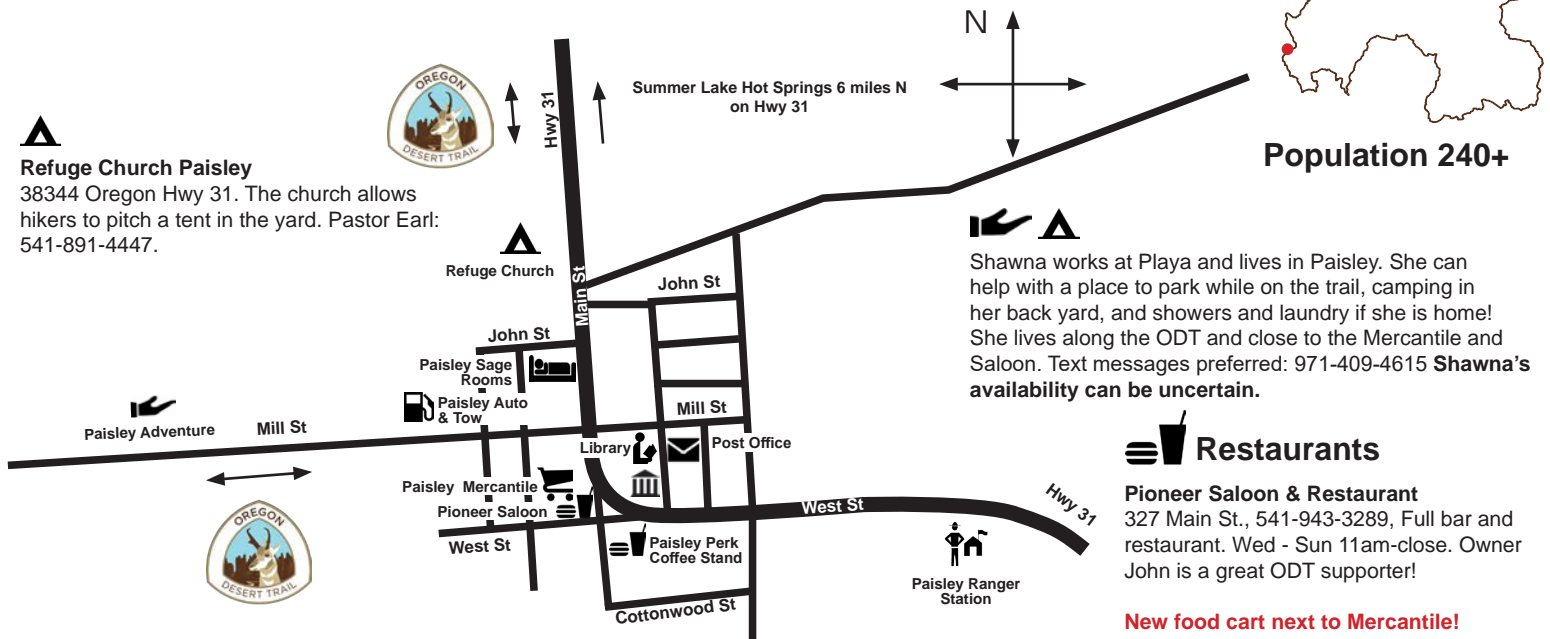
41777 Hwy 31, 541-943-3931, [www.summerlakehotsprings.com](http://www.summerlakehotsprings.com). Outdoor  
and indoor hot springs. Tenting \$25, cabins start at \$130 and have radiant  
floor heating. Hikers are welcome to send resupply boxes here, please call  
ahead to arrange. Look for a hot springs alternate route in the future! Please  
see pg. 20 for more resupply tips when sending a box to a business like  
Summer Lake Hot Springs.

Paisley



Region 1

Region 1



*Take a break from the desert sun in Paisley. This small town has everything you could need in a few blocks, and since the trail passes through the middle of town there are no extra miles to hike here!*

## Services

### Post Office (511 Mill St.)

541-943-3233. M-F 9am-1pm; 1:30-3:30pm. General Delivery, Paisley, OR 97636. Must include "Please hold for hiker, & ETA date." PO will only hold general delivery for 10 days.

### Library

723 Chewaucan St, 541-943-3911. Tues-Wed 10am-6pm. Computers & wifi available.

### Forest Service Ranger Station

303 Hwy 31, 541-943-3114. M-F 8am-4:30pm.

### Paisley Auto & Tow

433 Main St., 541-407-0773. M-Sat 8am-7pm, Sun 10am-4pm.

### Paisley Park

The park across from the Mercantile and Saloon has bathrooms, water, picnic tables, and good shade.

### Senior Center Bus/Public Transportation

The Lake County Senior Citizen Association's (LCSCA) Lake County Public Transportation program offers rides around Lake County. The priority for the service is for seniors needing medical services, but if space is available hikers are welcome to ride. Trips may travel between Christmas Valley, Bend, Paisley and Lakeview. The cost depends on location. Call to inquire about availability and schedule: 541-947-4966.

### Paisley Adventure

668 Mill St, 541.219.6659, paisleyadventure@gmail.com. www.paisleyadventure.com. Send your resupply box, set up a slack pack, move gear, or arrange a shuttle\*\*. Find supplies like Tony's Chocolate and Backpackers Pantry; and canister fuel. Homemade organic lunches can be pre-arranged with a phone call. Owner Michael Norris can help with your logistics needs and is a great resource. Stop in and say hi as you walk in or out of Paisley. \*\*Michael would love to do a bike supported resupply! Just ask, he's willing to get creative

to support your hike. Bicycle repairs, shuttles, and rentals (winter fat-bike ride anyone?) are available, and tours are offered to destinations like Paisley Caves and Summer Lake, or ride part of the Oregon Desert Trail - Section 7 overlaps with the long distance bike-packing route, the Oregon Timber Trail.

## Lodging

### Paisley Sage Rooms Motel

441 Hwy 31, 541-943-3145. www.PaisleySageRooms.com. Rooms \$95. Wifi, microwave, fridge & coffee pot in rooms.

## Shopping

### The Paisley Mercantile

329 Hwy 31, 541-943-3110, ATM, full resupply, beer, hot deli, camping supplies. M-Sat 7:30am - 6pm. Sunday 8am-4pm. Open holidays. Owner Ralph & manager Treeva have been helpful when hikers need info or with logistics.

**\*Trail Register here**



## ODT Water Alternate

*The ODT follows the scenic Chewaucan River out of Paisley for about 8 miles, but this waterway could be explored by boat for about 20 miles. Either drive to the end of the pavement, park and hop on the water, or drive up and over Moss Pass to access the longer 20 mile stretch. Winter and spring rain events often bring enough water to this river to make it navigable. If it's too low, scope out some excellent swimming spots. Watch for fences that cross the river.*



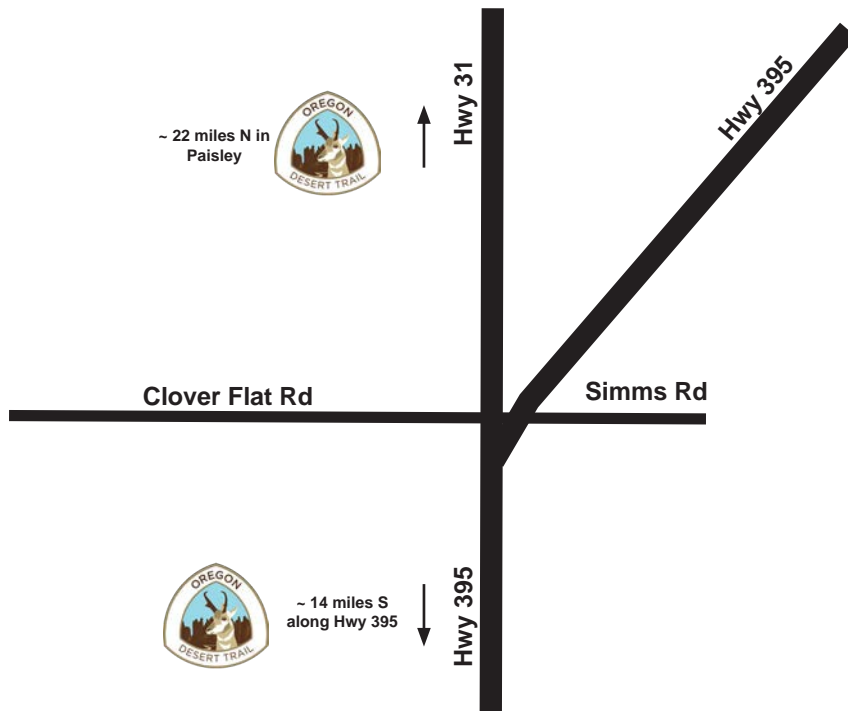


# Valley Falls

Region 2



When traveling to or from the trail, you will pass through Valley Falls.



## Access Abert Rim

*Abert Rim is one of the highest fault scarps in the country, and a highlight along the Oregon Desert Trail. It rises 2,490 feet above the valley floor and stretches more than 30 miles. Hikers in Section 7 out of Paisley will be able to see where the trail meets the rim over 40 miles down the route. If you want to access this Wilderness Study Area for a short hike you can look to Bill Sullivan's description of access via Juniper Canyon in his "100 Hikes/Travel Guide Eastern Oregon" book (below).*

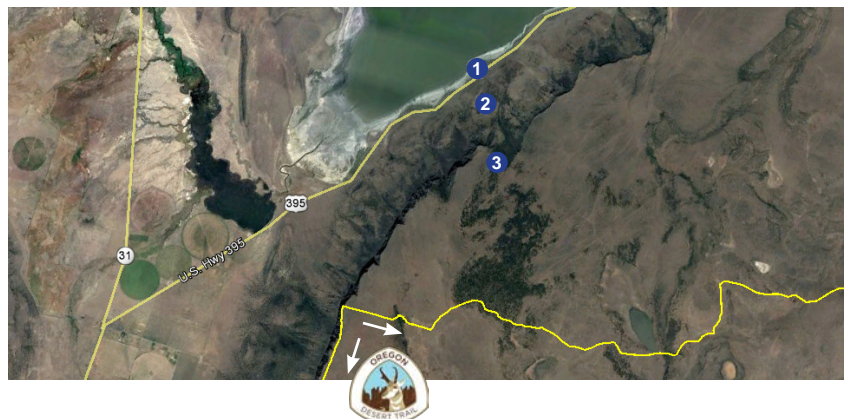


View from Section 7 on the ODT

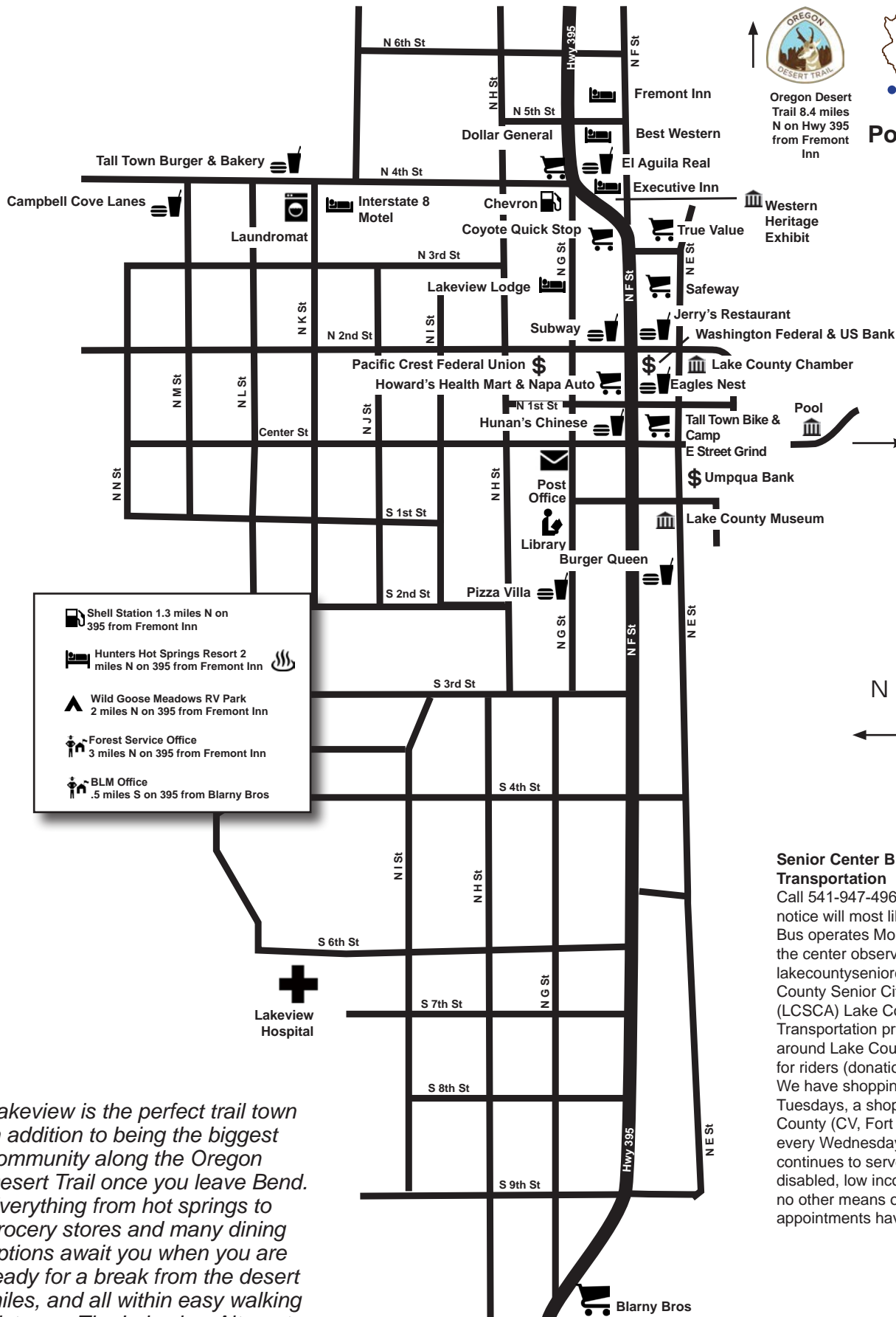
Drive Hwy 395 north east from Valley Falls for approx. 2 miles after highway starts following Lake Albert's shore. **1** Between mileposts 85 & 84 park in a gravel pullout on the left marked "Wildlife Viewing Area."

Cross the highway and bushwack uphill through the broad canyon of Juniper Creek to the rim's crest at a cluster of ponderosa pines. The last 300' to the rim are difficult because of thick brush and mountain mahogany and large boulder fields **2**

Enjoy the view and continue onto the Oregon Desert Trail or explore on your own! **3**



The Oregon Desert Trail is an unmarked cross country route when one reaches the rim, time to explore!

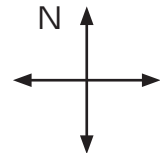


Oregon Desert Trail 8.4 miles N on Hwy 395 from Fremont Inn

Population 2,300+



An alternate option from Lakeview ties into the Bullard Canyon Trail and to the Crane Mt. National Recreation Trail before connecting with the ODT at waypoint WB118.



## Senior Center Bus/Public Transportation

Call 541-947-4966 ext 106. Advanced notice will most likely secure a ride. Bus operates Mon-Fri, closed when the center observes holidays. linda@lakecountyseniorcenter.com. The Lake County Senior Citizen Association's (LCSCA) Lake County Public Transportation program offers rides around Lake County. All rides are FREE for riders (donations greatly appreciated) We have shopping in Klamath Falls 3rd Tuesdays, a shopping trip from the North County (CV, Fort Rock, Silver Lake) every Wednesday to LaPine. LCSCA continues to serve senior citizens, the disabled, low income and folks who have no other means of transportation. Medical appointments have priority.

*Lakeview is the perfect trail town in addition to being the biggest community along the Oregon Desert Trail once you leave Bend. Everything from hot springs to grocery stores and many dining options await you when you are ready for a break from the desert miles, and all within easy walking distance. The Lakeview Alternate will take hikers directly through town via the Bullard Canyon Trail (Noni Trail) behind the pool (see guidebook pg 38).*

## Services

### Post Office

18 S. G St., Lakeview OR 97630,  
541-947-5606. Open Mon-Fri 9:30am-5pm.

### Lake District Hospital

700 S J St, 541-947-2114.

### Library

26 S G St., 541-947-6019. Open Tues-Thurs  
12pm-6pm, Fri 10am-6pm, Sat 12pm-4pm.  
Wifi & computers available.

### Access Taxi

541-885-8294. \$5 minimum per ride and  
\$2.50 per mile; if the taxi needs to wait the  
cost is \$30 per hour.

### Forest Service Ranger District Office

18049 Hwy 395 N, 541-947-3334,  
www.fs.usda.gov. Mon-Fri 7:45am-4:30pm

### Lakeview Interagency Office

#### Lakeview District BLM/Fremont-Winema National Forest Supervisors Office

1301 S G St, Lakeview, 541-947-2177/541-  
947-2151 www.blm.gov/office/lakeview-  
district-office, www.fs.usda.gov/fremont-  
winema M-F 7:45am-4:30pm.

### US Bank

518 N 1st St, 541-947-3317, Mon-Fri 10am-  
5pm.

### Pacific Crest Federal Union

123 N G St, 541-947-4034, Mon-Thurs 9am-  
5pm (Fri until 6pm), closed 1-2pm for lunch.

### Washington Federal Bank

125 S E St, 541-947-3200, Mon-Thurs 9am-  
5pm.

### 1st Community Credit Union

1 S E St, 541-947-6701 Mon-Fri 9am-5pm.

## Restaurants

### Campbell Cove Lanes

1217 N 4th St., 541-947-4200, Mon-Thurs  
3-9pm, Fri-Sat 3-10pm; closed Sun.  
Couches, free wifi, beer and pizza and  
bowling!

### El Aguila Real

406 N G St, 541-947-5655, 11am-8pm.  
Mexican. www.elaguilarealrestaurant.com.

### Tall Town Cafe & Bakery

1028 N 4th St, 541-947-3521. Tues-Sun  
5am-2pm

### Jerry's Restaurant

508 N 2nd St, 541-947-2386. Mon-Sat 7am-  
8pm; Sun 7am-3pm.

### Pizza Villa

445 G St., 541-947-2531. Mon-Sat 11am-  
8pm (Fri & Sat until 9pm).

### Eagles Nest Food and Spirits

117 N E St, 541-947-4824. Sun 11am-11pm;  
Mon-Th 11am-midnight; Fri-Sat 11am-2am.  
Steakhouse.

## Shopping

### Safeway

244 N F St, 541-947-2324. 6am-11pm.  
Full resupply.

### Tall Town Bike & Camp

19 N E St., 503-314-6095, Tues-Sat 9:30am-  
5pm (6pm on Friday) thombatty@live.  
com. Bikes, gear, camping supplies (fuel),  
backpacking food, cross-country and downhill  
ski rentals, and more. Owner Thom is a great  
ODT supporter and offers rides to Cox Creek  
Rd. or the Mill Trailhead and just asks for  
donations towards gas. Can send resupply  
packages. ***\*Trail Register here***

### Ace Hardware

318 N F St, 541-947-2210. Mon-Fri 7:30am-  
6pm, Sun 9am-4pm, closed on Sat. Some  
camping supplies available including gear  
repair, canister fuel & denatured alcohol.

### Howard's Health Mart Pharmacy

101 N F St, 541-947-2142, M-F 8am-6pm.  
http://healthmart.com. First aid, medications,  
photo printing & more.

### Napa Auto Parts

119 N F St, 541-947-3363. M-F 8-4:30pm.  
Heet.

### Shell

17697 Hwy 395, 541-947-4899. 4am-10pm.  
Convenience store, gas.

### Chevron

715 N 4th St, 541-947-3456. 5:30am-9pm.  
Convenience store, gas, ATM.

### Dollar General

716 N 4th St, 503-419-4230. 8am-10pm.

### Subway

211 N F St, 541-947-2515, Sun 8am-9pm.

### Burger Queen

109 S F St., 541-947-3677, Mon-Fri 10am-  
8pm, Sat-Sun 11am-8pm. Burgers, fries,  
shakes, ice cream.

### Hunan's Chinese

27 N F St, 541-947-9118, Tues-Sun 11:30am-  
8:30pm. Chinese.

### E Street Grind Coffee

25 N E St. 541-947-4717, Sun 7am-10am;  
M-F 7am-4pm; Sat 7am-5pm. Coffee and  
espresso, ice cream, pastries, breakfast  
burritos.

## Lodging

### Hunters Hot Springs Lodge

18088 N. Rt. 395 (2 miles N of  
Lakeview) 541-947-4242. https://  
huntershotspringshotel.com. This hot springs  
has Oregon's only active geyser! Free wifi,  
rooms have fridge, microwave, coffee,  
cable TV & air conditioning. Neon Cowboy  
Restaurant and Bar open Th-Sun. Rooms  
\$150+, pets extra.

### Wild Goose Meadows RV Park

18020 Hwy 395 N, (2 miles N of Lakeview)  
541-947-4968, basecamperv@gmail.com,  
http://base-camp-rv-park.business.site/  
Tent camping \$20 (includes shower), coin  
laundry, wifi, souvenirs, snacks.

### Fremont Inn

524 N G St., 541-947-2060,  
www.fremontinnlakecounty.com. Laundry,  
continental breakfast, wifi. Rooms \$129+.

### Best Western Skyline Motor Lodge

414 N G St., 541-947-2194,  
www.bestwestern.com. Swimming pool,  
complimentary breakfast, laundry, wifi.  
Rooms \$155+.

### Executive Inn & Suites

411 N F St., 541-947-2201.  
www.lakeviewexecutiveinn.com. Wifi, pet  
friendly, coffee maker, fridge & microwave  
in rooms. Close to shopping, continental  
breakfast. Rooms \$82+.

### Interstate 8 Motel

354 N K St., 541-947-3341,  
www.interstate8motel.com. Wifi, continental  
breakfast, refrigerator, microwave, laundry  
across the street, pet friendly. Rooms \$79+.

### Lakeview Lodge

301 N G St, 541-947-2181.  
lakeviewlodgeoregon.com Fridge, coffee  
maker, computer in lobby, wifi, microwave,  
pet friendly, coin laundry. Rooms \$75+.

### Juniper Reservoir RV Resort

91029 Hwy 140 West, (10 miles north), 541-  
947-2050, junipersrvresort@gmail.com www.  
junipersrv.com. Wifi, showers, laundry, tent  
camping \$25.

## Local Attractions

### Lake County Chamber

126 North E St., 541-947-6040, M-F 9am-  
5pm. www.lakecountychamber.org. Great info  
on the local area. Sign the trail register here.

### Lake County Museum

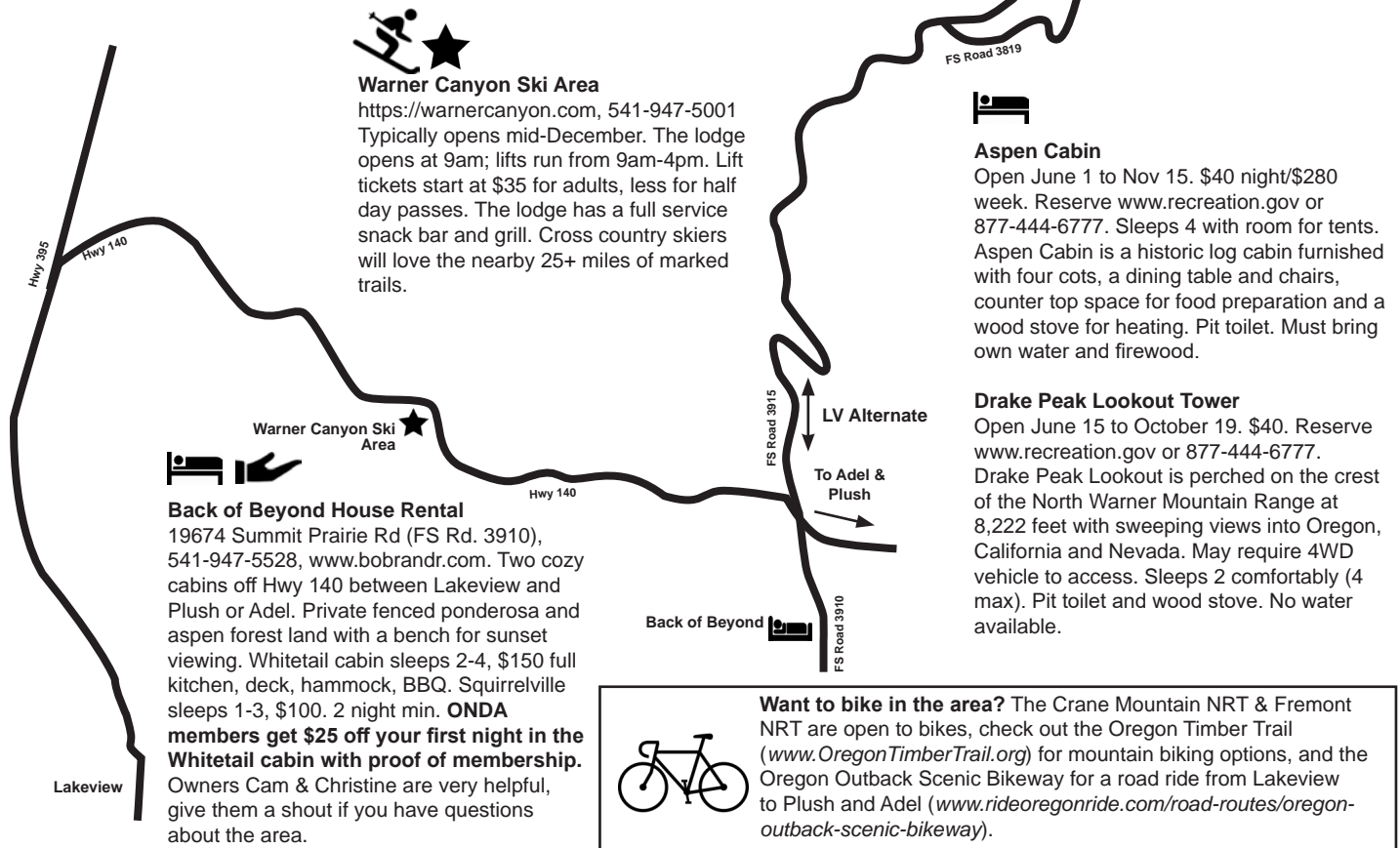
118 S E St., 541-947-2220,  
www.lakecountyor.org/links/museum, May  
1 - October 31, Thurs-Sat 12-4pm, \$3.  
Displaying the history of Lake County.



# Beyond Lakeview

The Warner Mountains offer some fun on the trail and off. During the winter get some alpine skiing in at the Warner Canyon Ski area, or head to some of the 25+ miles of cross country ski trails in the area. Back of Beyond rents out 2 cozy cabins just down the road, or head up into the mountains and rent a look-out tower or Forest Service Cabin for a night. The Lakeview Alternate passes through this area (see guidebook pg 38).

Region 2



## Adel

Adel might not be right on the trail, but if you are passing by there is a restaurant, bar, access to a post office or a place to stay.



**Adel Store**  
 18586 Hwy 140 E.  
 541-947-3851, [adelstorellc@gmail.com](mailto:adelstorellc@gmail.com).  
 Mon-Sat 9am-6pm, Sun 9am-4pm. Store has gas, bar, a few grocery items, and serves breakfast and lunch.



**Post Office**  
 1 Hwy 140 E. Mon-Fri 9am - 1:30pm 2:00pm - 3:30pm, 541-947-3217. Label "Hold for ODT hiker, ETA." NO FEDEX or UPS. USPS ok to: PO Box 45, Adel OR 97620



**Gipson's Warner Valley Lodging**  
 17078 Twentymile Rd. 541-947-5344, 541-219-0052. 10 rooms, common kitchen, bath & shower, coffee, pool table & satellite TV. \$40 single, \$50 double.

Region 2





# Plush

Plush is a one-stop kind of trail town. The Hart Mountain Store is your restaurant, bar, store, and post office. Weary after some long days on the trail? The Hart Mountain Cabin is a serene and beautiful cabin offering a bit of luxury in the high desert. **\*\*No cell reception in Plush.**



## Hart Mountain Store

28229 Hogback Rd, Plush, OR 97637. 541-947-2491, 8am-8pm. Limited resupply, just fine if you aren't picky. WiFi, bar & restaurant, gas/diesel. (Breakfast on Sunday only). Hikers can send resupply packages, clearly label "Hold for ODT hiker, ETA." Owner Dave and the staff are very helpful, give them a shout if you need logistical help. Make sure to sign the in-house register at the store. See pg. 20 for more resupply tips.



## Plush Park

Hikers can pitch a tent in the community park for free. Water spigot, picnic tables, pit toilet, no hook-ups, but RVs can park on the asphalt behind park. Beware of sprinklers that come on in the middle of the night!



Oregon Desert Trail .9 miles N

Plush Bunkhouse

Hart Mountain Store

No Mow Acres

County Hwy 3-13

Hogback Rd.

To Adel



Hart Mountain Cabin & Camp



## Hart Mountain Cabin

28045 Plush Adel Rd., Plush, OR 97637, 541-892-0691, [www.hartmountaincabin.com](http://www.hartmountaincabin.com). This cozy cabin can sleep 4, (4+ maybe) has wifi, kitchen, shower, porch & grill...all with a view! \$150. Hikers with reservations can call to arrange resupply packages; call for more information. Fee for dogs (max. two).

## No Mow Acres Vacation Rental

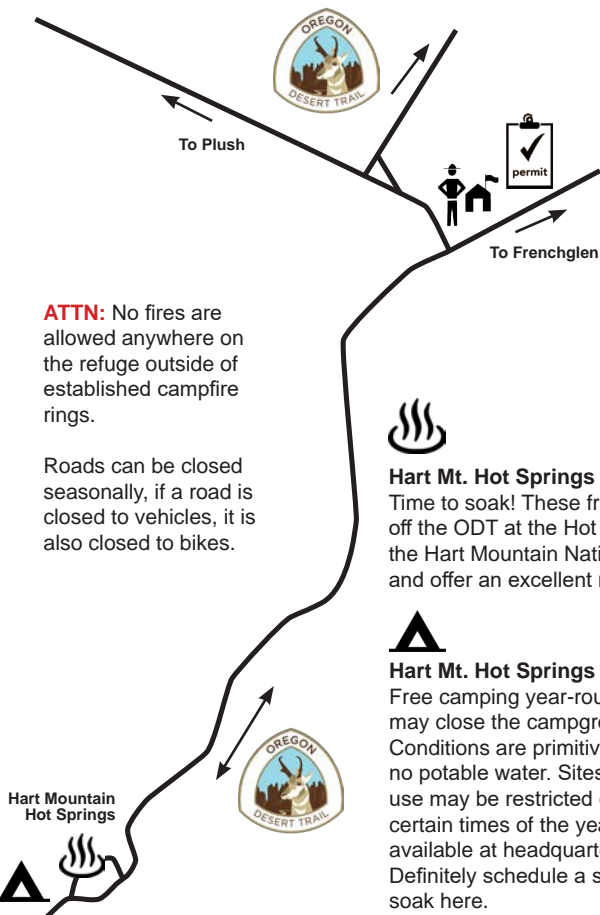
Reservable via Airbnb, VRBO, etc, this rental sleeps up to 12 people, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, kitchen, washer/dryer, wood stove, TV, WiFi. \$155 per couple per night, additional people \$50.



## Plush Bunkhouse

28228 Hogback Rd., Plush 541-891-3635, [ryanbocchi@gmail.com](mailto:ryanbocchi@gmail.com). ~\$110 per night, 2 night min. The Bunkhouse is a studio apartment that boasts 1 queen bed and 1 hide-a-bed, a full bathroom with shower, full kitchen, refrigerator, air conditioning, television, DVD, and some classic movies.

# Hart Mountain National Antelope Refuge



**ATTN:** No fires are allowed anywhere on the refuge outside of established campfire rings.

Roads can be closed seasonally, if a road is closed to vehicles, it is also closed to bikes.



## Hart Mt. Hot Springs

Time to soak! These free hot springs are right off the ODT at the Hot Springs Campground in the Hart Mountain National Antelope Refuge and offer an excellent respite from the miles.



## Hart Mt. Hot Springs Campground

Free camping year-round. Winter snows may close the campground road periodically. Conditions are primitive with pit toilets and no potable water. Sites have fire rings, but use may be restricted due to fire restrictions certain times of the year. Potable water available at headquarters. Definitely schedule a stay and soak here.



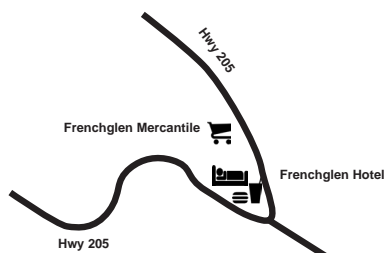
## Hart Mt. National Antelope Headquarters

Visitors Center open seasonally when staff are present - call for more info: 541-947-2731. [www.fws.gov/refuge/hart-mountain-national-antelope](http://www.fws.gov/refuge/hart-mountain-national-antelope). The Hart Mt. Refuge was established in 1936 to provide range for remnant antelope herds. **It is the only spot on the trail where you need a permit, but only if you plan on camping in the backcountry while on the refuge outside the established campgrounds.** You can fill out a permit at the headquarters, but if you will be hiking West to East, you will probably want to fill one out online ahead of time: [www.fws.gov/refuge/Hart\\_Mountain/visit/permits.html](http://www.fws.gov/refuge/Hart_Mountain/visit/permits.html). Potable water available. Make sure to sign in the register at the headquarters if visitors center is open.

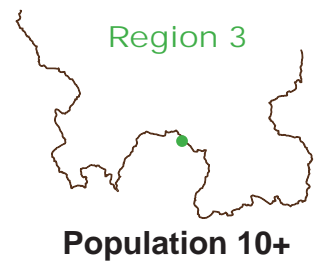


Make time for a stop at Hart Mt Hot Springs





*Frenchglen is the gateway to your Steens Mountain experience. The Steens Mountain Wilderness Resort rents cabins, tent spots, has laundry and wifi, or stay in the historic Frenchglen Hotel and reserve your spot for a family-style dinner. All lodging options can book fast, so be sure to reserve your stay early.*



Steens Mountain Loop Rd



Barnes Warm Springs



**Frenchglen Mercantile & Blitzen Coffee House**  
39184 OR-205. 541-493-2564. 8:30am-6pm, Sun 9am-5pm. Gas station, basic resupply possible. Coffee shop, beer/wine/local gifts.



## Frenchglen Hotel & Drovers Inn

39184 Hwy 205, Frenchglen, OR 97736, [www.historicfrenchglenhotel.com](http://www.historicfrenchglenhotel.com), [historicfrenchglenhotel@gmail.com](mailto:historicfrenchglenhotel@gmail.com), 541-493-2825. Plan a stay in this historic hotel. Rooms fill fast, so book your stay early- online booking now available in 2024. Air conditioning, wifi, limited cell phone reception. \$105+. Breakfast 7:30-9:30am, lunch 12-2pm (picnic lunches available with advanced notice) & dinner are available, dinner is by reservation only for \$30 and is served at 6:30pm. Hikers can send resupply packages. Label "Hold for ODT hiker, ETA" to: 39184 Hwy 205, Frenchglen, OR 97736. The Drovers Inn behind the hotel has a queen bed and private bath for \$145, and another room has a queen and double bed that could hold 4-5 folks easily; has a small fridge and microwave, \$165 a night. Yard by hotel has an outhouse, water, and good shade trees.



## Page Springs Campground

Frenchglen, OR 97736  
36 campsites are available near the Donner und Blitzen Wild and Scenic River. \$16 per night. Water and pit toilets available.



## Katie's Place Vacation Rental

1 Resort Ln, Frenchglen, OR, 360-609-0333, [www.facebook.com/Katies-Place-in-Frenchglen-834815133210590/](http://www.facebook.com/Katies-Place-in-Frenchglen-834815133210590/). If you are visiting or hiking with a larger group, this 3 bedroom, 2 bath vacation rental might be for you. Call for rates.



## ODT Water Alternate

The ODT follows the southern edge of the Donner und Blitzen river, a Class III-IV navigable river in spring snow-melts. A 17-mile section can be boated from the South Steens Road to Page Springs Campground, however the road may be closed when water flows are best. Hardy boaters can hike upstream with a packraft for the run if the road isn't open. It's sure to be an adventure!

Steens Mountain Loop Rd



Katies Place

Steens Mountain Wilderness Resort



Page Springs Campground



## Barnes Warm Springs

You might want to take a side trip to Barnes Warm Springs, a short 0.8-mile walk down from Frenchglen. Free, year-round.



## South Steens Campground

541-573-4400. Waypoint EB018 on the ODT or 18 miles from Highway 205 via the Steens Mountain Loop Road. \$16 per night. Water at the pump-house. This would be a great place to meet friends or family as it is the gateway to the stunning Big Indian Gorge or Little Blitzen Gorge. There are 36 campsites with picnic tables and grills amid juniper and sage. Recreational stock (horses, mules, llamas, goats, etc.) are not allowed in the family portion of South Steens Campground, but are welcome at 15 equestrian sites complete with tie posts and small corrals. Season: May-November. Sign the BLM trail register on your way into Big Indian Gorge.



## Riddle Brothers Ranch

Interested in some of the fascinating history of Oregon's high desert? Make a short side trip to the Riddle Brothers Ranch from South Steens Campground. Walter, Frederick, and Benjamin Riddle were three bachelor brothers who secured home sites and raised livestock in and around the ranch. Migrating from western Oregon, they settled here in the early 1900s and built their ranch by gaining control of water in the area. Since 1986 the BLM has managed the ranch for its historic values. The structures remaining on this ranch and their setting conjure up images of simpler times. The site has a pit toilet, but please camp at South Steens Campground and not on site.

(<https://www.blm.gov/visit/riddle-brothers-ranch-national-historic-district>)



Photo: Oregon BLM



## Alvord Hot Springs

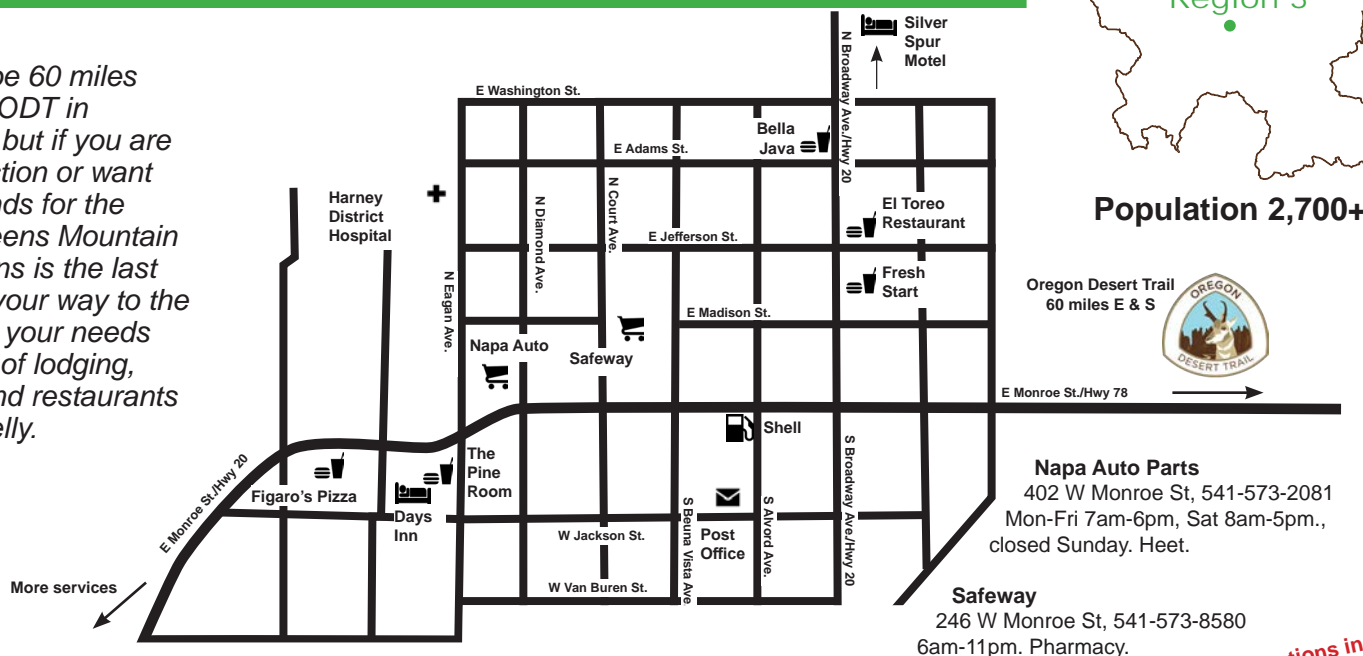
36095 E Steens Rd., Princeton OR. 541-589-2282

[www.alvordhotsprings.com](http://www.alvordhotsprings.com). Just a short alternate from waypoint EB031. The route does pass through private land, but if you are soaking or camping, you are free to pass through. Drop box on the office door for late arrivals. Camping \$50 per night. This is a privately managed hot spring with a small general store that has snacks and drinks. No potable water, but water available for purchase. Indoor "bunkhouse" \$100 for up to 4, \$30 for each additional person. Lights, heat, table, chairs. Bring your own bedding. \$20 day use with access to heated bathrooms. Can park car overnight for small fee.

\*\*Spring water and public access to the playa can be found at Frog Springs about 2 miles south.

# Burns

Burns may be 60 miles north of the ODT in Frenchglen, but if you are out for a section or want to meet friends for the stunning Steens Mountain section, Burns is the last big stop on your way to the trail. Find all your needs here, plenty of lodging, shopping, and restaurants to fill your belly.



## Restaurants

**Steens Mountain Brewing Company**  
New location coming...stay tuned! 541-589-3110. Harney County's craft brewery

**Figaro's Pizza**  
673 W Monroe St, 541-573-5500, Figaros.com  
Wed 10:30am-2pm; all other days 10:30-8pm.  
Pizza!

**The Pine Room**  
543 W Monroe St, 541-573-2673  
Mon-Sat 11am-10pm. Steakhouse & bar.

**El Tero Restaurant**  
239 N Broadway Ave, 541-573-1829  
Mon-Thurs 11am-8:30; Fri-Sat 11am-9pm.  
Mexican food.

**Bella Java**  
314 N Broadway Ave, 541-573-3077  
Mon-Fri 7:30am-3pm, Sat 8:30am-3pm, Sun  
9am-2pm. Coffee & sandwich shop.

## Services

**BLM Burns District (not on map)**  
28910 US-20, Hines, OR 97738  
541-573-4400

## Services

**Calamity Butte Guide Services**  
541-589-4122, calamitybutte@gmail.com &  
on social media. Calamity is a husband and  
wife team that works throughout SE Oregon.  
They love helping ODT hikers with equipment  
rentals, water/fuel drops, shuttle services,  
conditions reports, and other support over  
much of SE Oregon. Calamity also offers a  
variety of tours, as well as trip support and  
logistics consulting. For larger groups or  
events they offer backcountry catering, camp  
support/logistics, and pack in/out equipment.

**Harney County Chamber of Commerce**  
484 N Broadway Ave., harneycounty.com,  
541-573-2636. Your source for local info,  
suggestions, and recreation resources.

**Post Office**  
100 S Broadway Ave, Burns, OR 97720,  
541-573-1720. M-F 8:30am-5pm.

**Harney District Hospital**  
557 W Washington St, 541-573-7281.  
www.harneydh.com, open 24 hrs.

**Fuel Good Fastbreak Convenience Store**  
51 W Monroe St, 541-573-6316. 5am-9pm.

## Lodging

**Days Inn**  
577 W Monroe St, 541-573-2047, www.daysinn.ca/  
hotels/oregon/burns/days-inn-burns/hotel-overview.  
\$102+. Pool, bar, restaurant, fitness center, wifi,  
continental breakfast.

**Historic Central Hotel**  
https://historiccentralhotel.com.

**The Mill House (Hines - not on map)**  
705 Hwy 20 S. Hines, 541-295-5650,  
www.hinespinemillhouse.com, Historic & family-  
operated bed and breakfast.

## Local Attractions

**Harney County Historical Museum**  
(not on map) 18 W D St, 541-573-5618  
www.hchistoricalociety.com, April - Sept, Tues-Sat  
10am-4pm. Pioneer period room displays, wagons,  
guns, period clothing, archaeological exhibit.

**Oard's Gallery & Museum (not on map)**  
42456 Hwy 20 E, 541-493-2535. 8am-6pm. Free.  
The arts of nine different Native American tribes are  
represented at the gallery.

## Malheur National Wildlife Refuge

Hikers will pass through the south edge of the Malheur National Wildlife Refuge near Frenchglen. This refuge protects an important complex of wetlands in Oregon's high desert. The refuge has an incredible diversity of wildlife, hosting more than 320 bird species and 58 mammal species. For bird watchers, spring is the most spectacular season at Malheur. More than 130 species of birds nest on the refuge, while other waterfowl using the Pacific Flyway stop at the refuge to refuel for their journey northward.

**Malheur Field Station**  
34848 Sodhouse Ln,  
malheurfieldstation.org, 541-493-2629,  
malheurfieldstation@gmail.com. On  
your way to or from the Oregon Desert  
Trail (about half way from Burns to  
Frenchglen) consider a stop at the  
Malheur Field Station. The Great Basin  
Society manages this biological field station,  
and offers hikers dorm rooms (with showers!),  
RV spots, kitchenettes and mobile homes for  
rent. Check website for rates.  
Meals are available when the  
station has active programs.  
Reservations required.

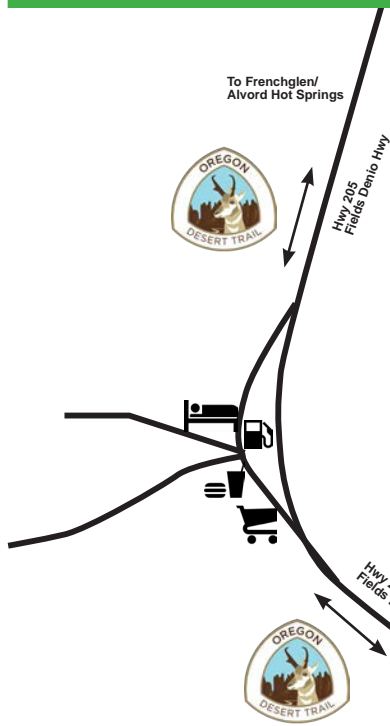


American White Pelicans





# Fields



*The milkshakes, breakfasts and burgers will call your name as you walk across the Alvord desert. This oasis has everything you need. Food, resupply, great beer on tap, a grill, cozy rooms...we could go on. If you want to stay in Fields it's best to book early, rooms fill fast!*



## Fields Station

22276 Fields Dr., Fields, OR 97710. 541- 495-2275, [www.thefieldsstation.com](http://www.thefieldsstation.com). Open year round. Store: Mon-Sat 8am-6pm. Sun 9am-5pm. Cafe 8/9 to 3:30pm. Basic resupply possible, canister fuel. Grill, fantastic milkshakes, liquor store, gas station. Rooms available to rent \$100+, RV hook-ups \$25, 4-bed Old Hotel \$160. Water pump and porta potties outside. Take time to sign the Fields Station register when you are here.

*\* No longer accepting mail drops. See below about sending a resupply box to the Diamond Inn or Denio Post Office*



Region 3

Population 100+  
(area)

## Denio & Denio Junction

*Denio and Denio Junction may not have a lot, but they might just have what you need: a great burger, water spigot outside the library, and a bed for the night.*



## Diamond Inn

200 Pueblo Blvd. 775-941-0123, 11-11pm. 1 mile south from ODT. Cold drinks, snacks (including fried food!), some grocery items. Take a break from the sun and play pool, shuffle board, or take a spin on the karaoke machine. Call to inquire about sending a resupply box. Kid and pet friendly.

No outside bathrooms in Denio if the Diamond Inn is closed.



## Denio Library

240 Pueblo Blvd., Denio, NV 89404, 775-941-0330, Tues 12-5pm, Wed 2-7pm, Thurs 8am-1pm. >1 mile south from ODT. Shade and outside water spigot offers a nice spot to take a break from the sun in Denio. Wifi available during library hours. Contact the librarian if you need help with logistics in the area.



## Post Office

775-941-0240, M-F, 9-11:30am, 12-3:30pm Sat, 12-1:30pm. General Delivery, 1 Main St., Denio, NV 89404. Call before sending, must include "Please hold for hiker, & ETA date."



## Denio Junction

55150 Denio Hwy 140, Denio, NV 89404, 775-941-0610, 8am-8pm. Under new ownership in 2022. 3.5 miles south from ODT. Restaurant, bar, 24 hr gas station & hotel. Rooms have 2 full beds, microwave, fridge, free wifi. \$107+. Complimentary breakfast, accepting mail drops.

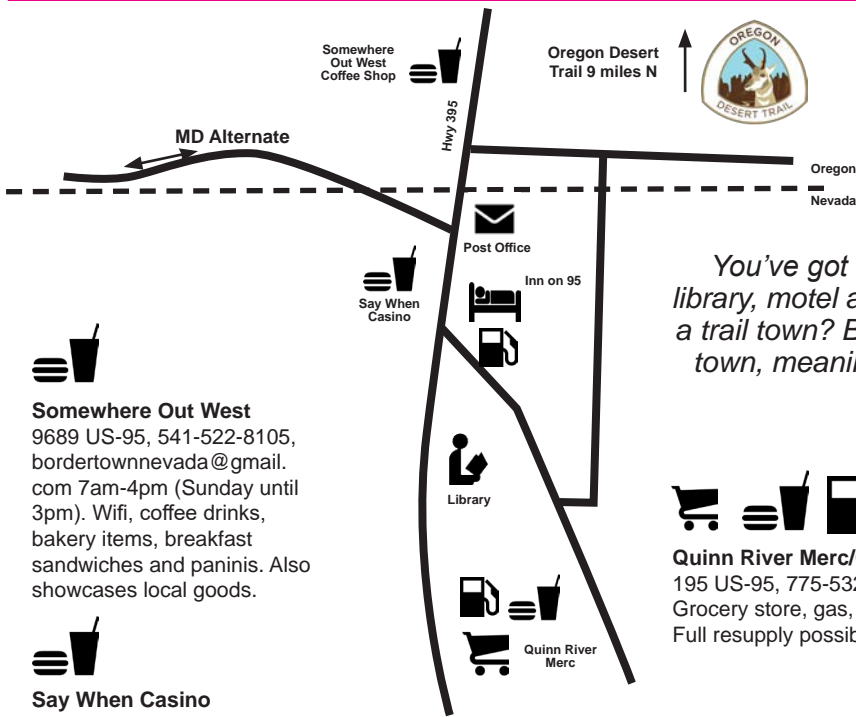
Population 40+

Region 3





# McDermitt



**Somewhere Out West**  
9689 US-95, 541-522-8105, bordertownnevada@gmail.com 7am-4pm (Sunday until 3pm). Wifi, coffee drinks, bakery items, breakfast sandwiches and paninis. Also showcases local goods.

**Say When Casino**  
50 US Hwy 95, 775-532-8515. 9am-12am. Cafe, bar, casino, wifi.

**Inn on 95**  
55 US-95, McDermitt, NV  
775-421-6484. www.inn95.com, \$90+.

*You've got a coffee shop, casino, restaurant and bar, post office, library, motel and great store with deli, what more could you want in a trail town? Better yet the McDermitt alternate passes right through town, meaning you won't have to hitch or walk 9 miles to resupply (see guidebook pg 71).*



**McDermitt Library**  
135 Oregon Rd., 775-532-8014.  
Mon, Tues & Thurs 8am-5pm, Wed 10am-7pm.

**Post Office**  
775-532-8557, M-F 9am-12pm, 12:30-3:30pm.  
General Delivery, 5 US-95 S, McDermitt, NV, 89421. Must include "Please hold for hiker, & ETA date." Water is available behind the building.

**Quinn River Merc/Chevron**  
195 US-95, 775-532-8306. 7am-8pm.  
Grocery store, gas, deli food, butcher.  
Full resupply possible here.



## ODT Water Alternate - Owyhee River

The Owyhee River, also known as Oregon's Grand Canyon, is a popular rafting river when winter snow and spring rains have been plentiful. Many river guiding companies offer trips on the Owyhee, or if you have a full raft set up and are capable and ready for a remote backcountry river experience you can raft from Three Forks to Rome, and from Rome to Birch Creek or Leslie Gulch. Experienced packrafters might love to explore the Owyhee too, and low water flows, even in the middle of the summer, can be plentiful enough for a 140 mile paddle from Five Bar to Indian Springs Campground at the end. Please note the Class IV and V rapids can be a difficult portage at low flows. See a trip report from 2016 for more info (<https://onda.org/2016/09/oregon-desert-trail-adventure-owyhee-river/>), or email us for details on the packrafting option: odt@onda.org.

# Rome



**Rome Station**  
3605 Hwy 95 W, Jordan Valley OR 97910 (mailing address)  
541-586-2295. 7am-8pm. Cabins, RV/camping, cafe, beer, snacks, canister fuel, wifi, gas. Call to arrange sending a resupply box, but send at least a week in advance, or more. Very limited resupply possible, heat is available. Please see pg. 20 for more resupply tips.

**Owyhee Adventure Shuttle Service**  
ajcowboybritches@gmail.com, 458-224-9165, PO Box 315, Jordan Valley, OR 97910

**Owyhee River Runners**  
www.owyheerivershuttles.com Book online for vehicle shuttles on the river.



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*Rome is a great place for a break in the Owyhee Canyonlands region. Stay in a cabin, get breakfast or lunch at the grill, grab an ice cream, but don't count on a full resupply here. You will need to send a resupply box. Rome is a popular put-in for rafting trips on the Owyhee River.*

**\*\*NOTE Rome is on Mountain Standard Time.**



*Rome is named for these formations of fossil-bearing clay that look like the ancient ruins "Pillars of Rome" according to the first travelers through the area in the 1800s.*

Region 4

Population 500+

Region 4

# Jordan Valley

Jordan Valley may be 32 miles east from the Oregon Desert Trail as it crosses highway 95 in Rome, but this community offers a few options if you didn't send a box to Rome. This area is known for its thriving Spanish Basque colony in the late 1800s. No cell service in Jordan Valley.



## Rockhouse Coffee

909 US-95, 541-586-2909.  
8am-6pm. Coffee shop, ice cream.



## Basque Station Motel

801 Main St., 541-586-2244  
Wifi, \$70 one bed, \$80 two beds.



## Mrs. Z's Convenience Store

807 Main St., 541-586-2201, 7am-10pm.  
Liquor/beer/wine, a few resupply items available.

## Ranch Hand Hardware

700 Main St., 541-586-2227  
Mon 8am-3pm, Wed closed, Tues, Thurs-Sun 8am-4pm,  
ranchhandhardware@hotmail.com. A few resupply items available.

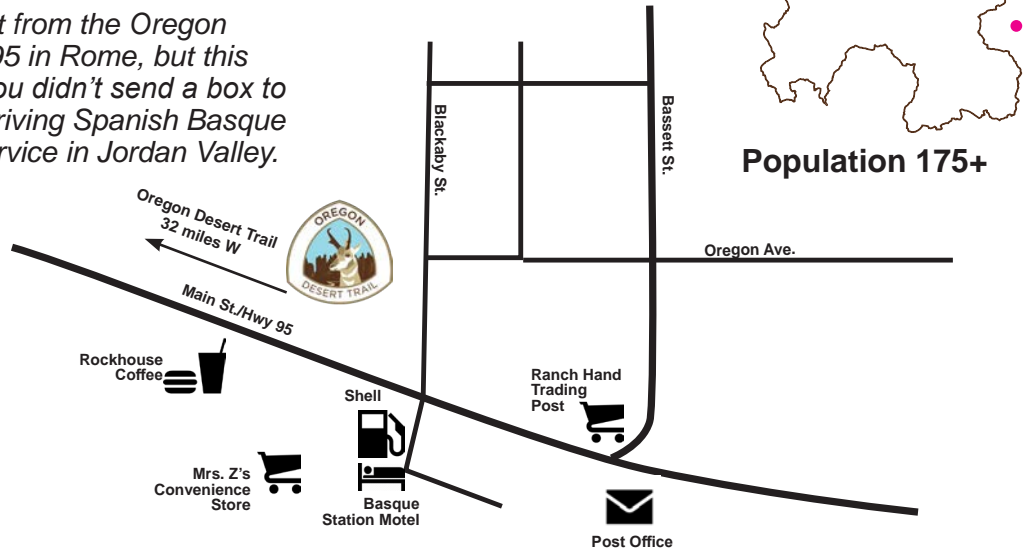


## Shell Station

801 Main St, 541-586-2244. Open 24 hrs.

## Post Office

509 Yturri Blvd, Jordan Valley, OR 97910  
541-586-2811, M-F 8am-1pm, 1:30-4:15pm,  
Sat 10-11am.



# Lake Owyhee State Park

Owyhee Reservoir is a 53-mile-long lake, filling a narrow, deep canyon brimming with colorful volcanic rock formations.

There are no pay phones or cell reception, so plan ahead!

## Owyhee Paddle Co

www.owyheepaddleco.com. Tandem & single kayak and stand up paddle boards for all levels of paddlers. Rent by the hour, half day or day. Rental location: Gordon Gulch Day Use.



## Indian Creek Campground

Reserve by phone: 800-452-5687 or online: <https://oregonstateparks.reserveamerica.com>. Open year round. 21 sites with electricity & water, toilets, water, boat ramp. Rates vary by season & residency.

## McCormack Campground

Reserve by phone: 800-452-5687 or online: <https://oregonstateparks.reserveamerica.com>. Open April 1 - Oct. 31, Oct 1-31st camping is a first come-first serve basis. 29 sites with electricity & water, 9 tent sites. Hot shower, toilets, water. Rates vary by season & residency.



## Owyhee State Park Ranger

Do you have a question for about the State Park? You can call Lake Owyhee Park at 541-339-2331 (message phone, someone will get back to you). Please don't park in the boat launch area if leaving your car overnight.



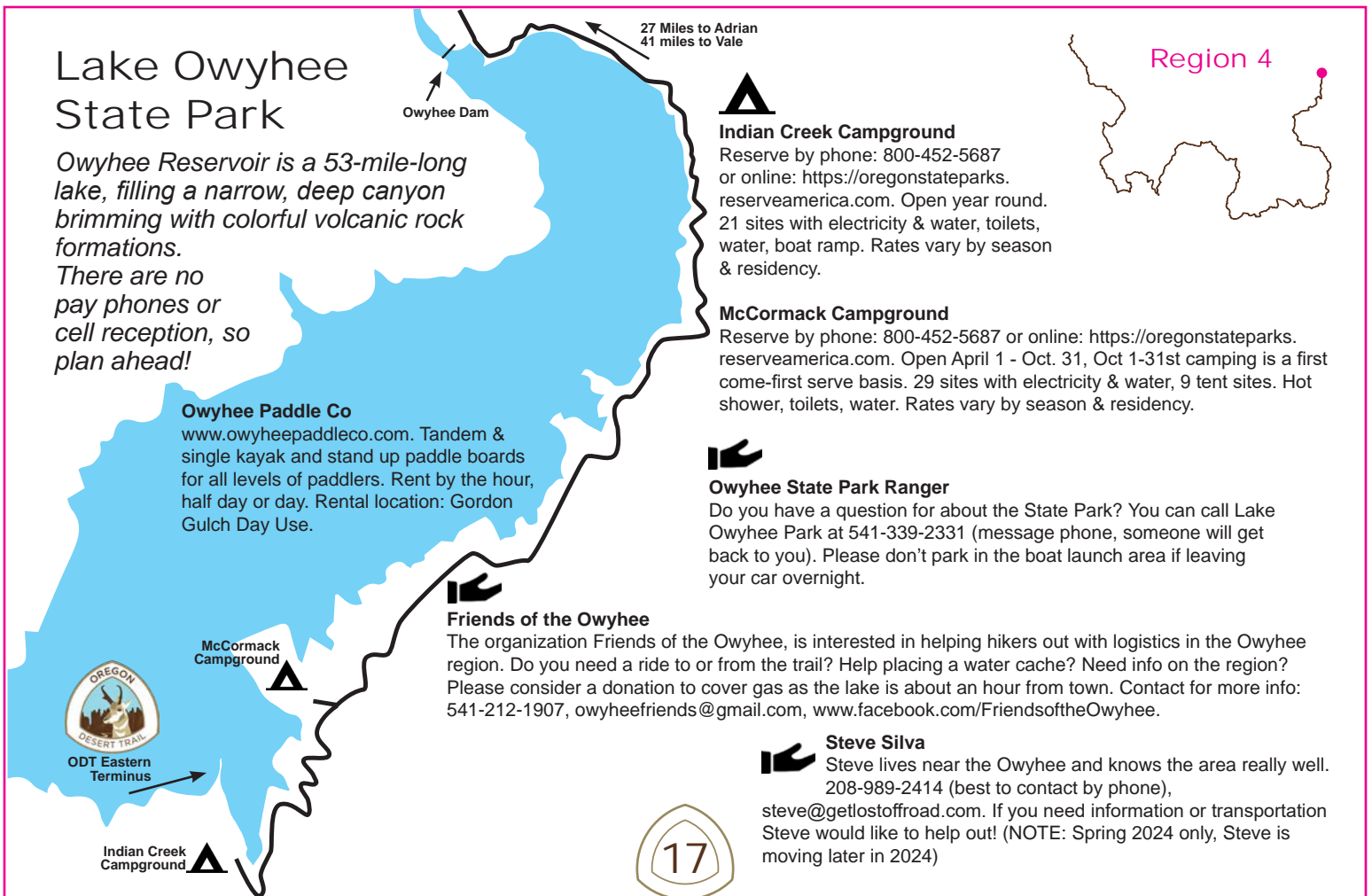
## Friends of the Owyhee

The organization Friends of the Owyhee, is interested in helping hikers out with logistics in the Owyhee region. Do you need a ride to or from the trail? Help placing a water cache? Need info on the region? Please consider a donation to cover gas as the lake is about an hour from town. Contact for more info: 541-212-1907, [owyheefriends@gmail.com](mailto:owyheefriends@gmail.com), [www.facebook.com/FriendsoftheOwyhee](http://www.facebook.com/FriendsoftheOwyhee).



## Steve Silva

Steve lives near the Owyhee and knows the area really well. 208-989-2414 (best to contact by phone), [steve@getlostoffroad.com](mailto:steve@getlostoffroad.com). If you need information or transportation Steve would like to help out! (NOTE: Spring 2024 only, Steve is moving later in 2024)



# Adrian



**Succor Creek Coffee**  
103 Oregon St, Adrian. 5458-224-4724.  
Tues-Fri 6:30am-4:30pm, Sat 7:30-4:30pm.

**Post Office**  
105 Oregon St, Adrian, OR 97901  
541-372-3959, M-F 9am-1pm.

*Adrian is the closest town to the Lake Owyhee State Park where you can find the Oregon Desert Trail's eastern terminus. Stop here for a last minute snack or meal on your way to the trail, or to have a celebratory beer after you finish the route!*



**Don's Lumber and True Value**  
603 1st St, 541-372-2433,  
Mon-Fri 8am-5:30pm, Sat 8am-2pm.  
Country store.

**Owyhee Grocery (4 miles N of town)**  
2499 Highway 201, Nyssa, 541-372-2121  
Mon-Sat 7am-8pm, Sun 8am-7pm. Small grocery store, gas station, grill, propane, sporting goods.



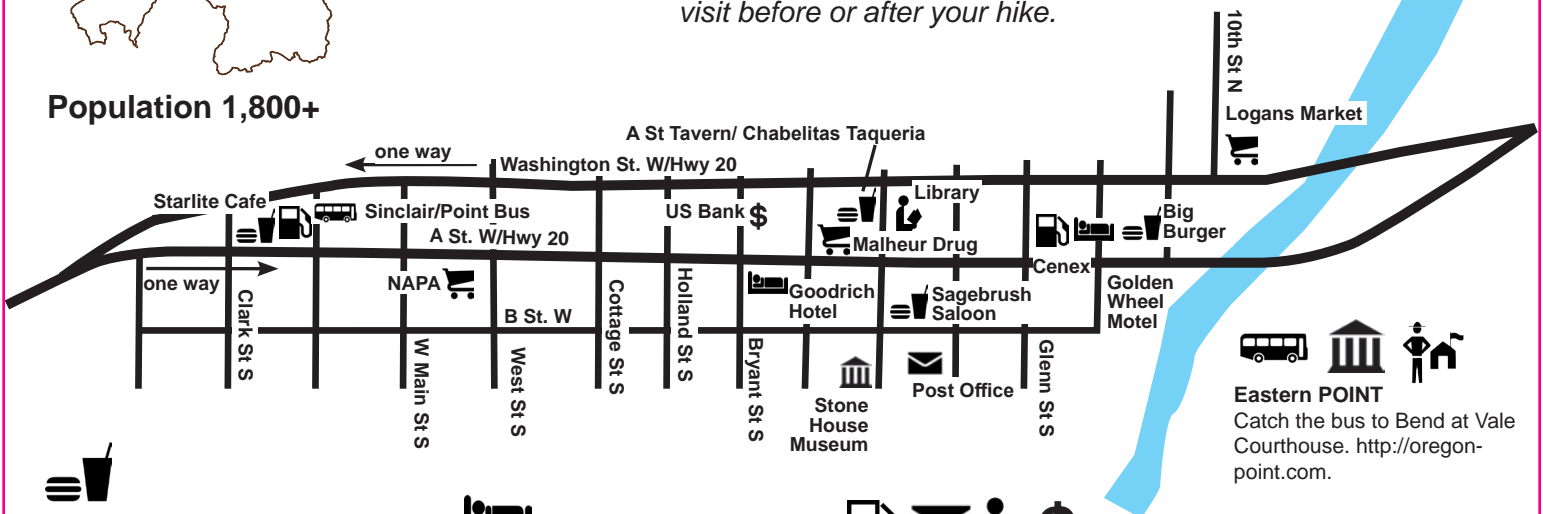
**Population 170+**



**Population 1,800+**

*Hikers traveling to or from the Owyhee from Bend will pass through Vale. If taking the Point bus, Vale is one of your stops, and 41 miles from the eastern terminus of the ODT. The district BLM office is located here along with a small selection of businesses you may want to visit before or after your hike.*

# Vale



**Starlite Cafe**  
152 Clark St S, Vale, 541-473-2500  
6am-9pm. American diner.

**A Street Tavern**  
170 A St W, Vale, 458-262-3448.  
Mon-Sat 2pm-2:30am (Sun 3pm).  
Bar & grill.

**Chabelitas Taqueria**  
148 A St W, Vale, 541-473-2749  
chabelitasvale.com, Mon-Sat 11am-8pm.  
Tacos.

**Sagebrush Saloon & BBQ**  
197 A St E, Vale, 541-473-3777  
sagebrushsaloon.com, Fri-Sat 11am-2:30am, Mon closed, Sun, Tues, Wed 11am-8pm, Thurs 11am-9pm. Bar, hamburgers, great steaks and BBQ.



**Goodrich Hotel**  
229 A St W, Vale, 541-216-1675,  
goodrichhotel.net. \$100+.

**Golden Wheel Motel**  
350 A St E, Vale, 541-709-6200.  
Flexible Rates



**Logans Market**  
250 10th St N, Vale, 541-473-3793,  
logansmarket.com, 7am-9pm, Sun 8am-8pm. Full grocery store.

**Malheur Drug**  
198 A St W, Vale, 541-473-3333,  
mygnp.com, Mon-Fri 8am-6pm.  
Drug store, first aid supplies.

**NAPA Auto Parts**  
625 A St W, Vale, 541-473-3289  
Mon-Fri 7:30am-6pm,  
Sat 8am-5pm. Heet.



**Sinclair**  
151 Smith St N, Vale, 541-473-3269,  
Mon-Sat 5-12am, Sun 6am-11pm. Gas  
and convenience store.

**Cenex (gas station & deli)**  
150 Glenn St. N. 541-473-2412.

**Post Office**  
177 B St. E, Vale, OR 97918, 541-473-9303, M-F 8:30am-4:30pm.

**Library**  
150 A St E, Vale, 541-473-3902,  
Tues-Thurs 2pm-6pm, Fri-Sat 10am-4pm.

**US Bank**  
264 A St W, Vale, 541-473-3161,  
Mon-Fri 9am-5pm.



**Eastern POINT**  
Catch the bus to Bend at Vale Courthouse. <http://oregon-point.com>.

**Stone House Museum**  
255 Main St S, Vale, OR 97918. May 1 to October 30, Tues-Sat 12:30-4:30pm. The Rinehart Stone House, built in 1873, was the first permanent building in Malheur County. Today, the recently restored Stone House is a museum displaying period relics and photos, along with interpretative exhibits about the Oregon Trail. Private tours - Gary 541-889-1996 or Betty 541-519-1775.

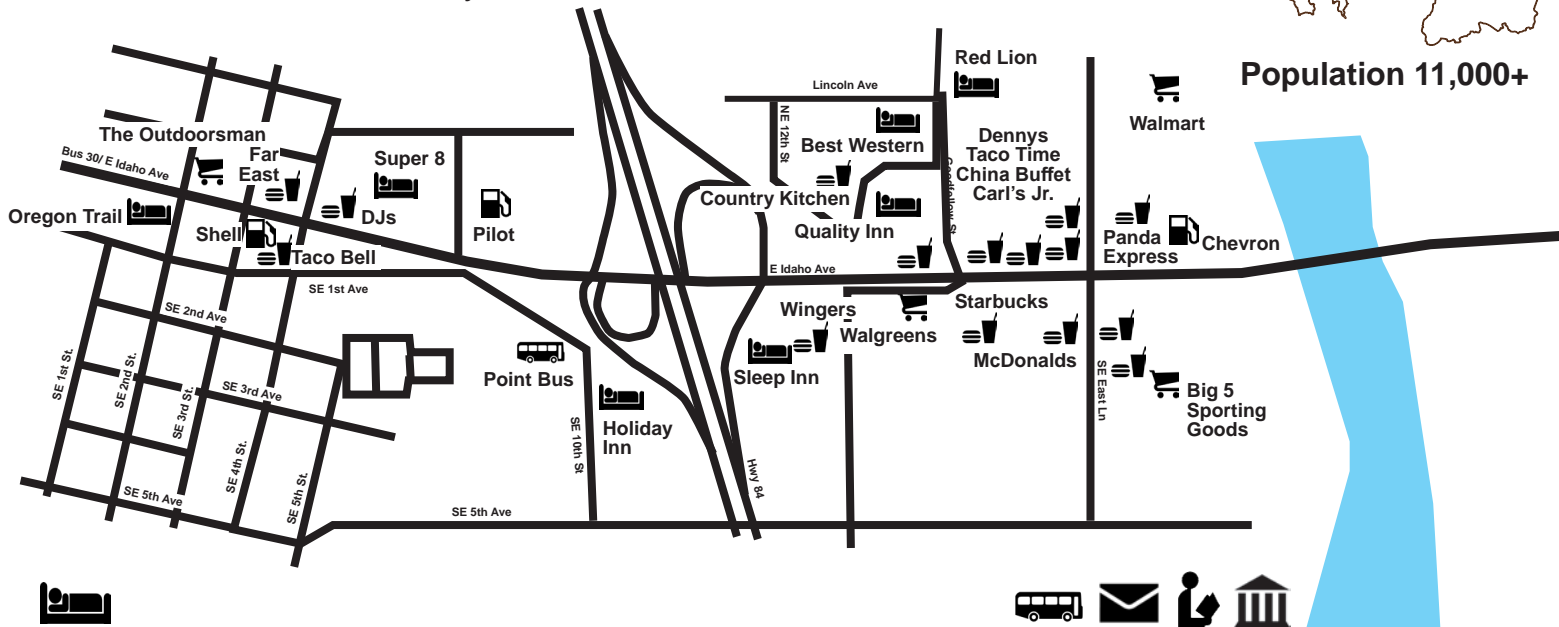
**Vale BLM (not on map)**  
100 Oregon St, Vale, 541-473-3144,  
8am-4:30pm.



# Ontario

Ontario, considered the gateway to the Owyhee country, has everything you need before you start, or after you finish your hike on the Oregon Desert Trail. The map below shows a small section of Ontario, there are many other businesses and services available.

Region 4



## Oregon Trail Motel

92 E Idaho Ave, Ontario, 541-889-8633  
oregontrailmotel.net. Microwave, fridge,  
wifi, cable. \$90+.

## Super 8 by Wyndham

615 E Idaho Ave, Ontario, 541-889-9188,  
wyndhamhotels.com. Wifi, outdoor pool,  
continental breakfast, wifi. \$80+.

## Holiday Inn Express & Suites

212 SE 10th St, Ontario, 541-889-7100,  
ihg.com. Close to bus station. Continental  
breakfast, wifi, indoor pool, hot tub, fitness  
center, laundry. \$141+

## Sleep Inn

1221 SE 1st Ave, Ontario, 541-881-0007,  
choicehotels.com. Continental breakfast,  
wifi, indoor pool, fitness center, laundry.  
\$100+



## Friends of the Owyhee

790 SW 3rd Ave., 541-212-1907, owyheefriends@gmail.com, www.facebook.com/FriendsoftheOwyhee. The organization Friends of the Owyhee, is interested in helping hikers out with logistics in the Owyhee region. Do you need a ride to or from the trail? Help placing a water cache? Need info on the region? Please consider a donation to cover gas as the lake is about an hour from town.



## The Outdoorsman

50 NE 2nd St, Ontario, 541-889-3135,  
Mon-Sat 9am-5pm (Tues-Wed 6pm, Fri-Sat 7pm).  
Camping supplies.

## Walgreens

65 SE Goodfellow St, Ontario, 541-889-6288.  
walgreens.com, 8am-10pm

## Walmart

1775 E Idaho Ave, Ontario, 541-889-7400,  
walmart.com, 6am-11pm

## Big 5 Sporting Goods

180 East Ln #9, Ontario, 541-889-5075  
Mon-Thurs 10am-8:30pm, Fri 9:30am-9pm, Sat  
9am-8:30pm, Sun 9:30am-7:30pm.



## Point Bus

888-846-4183, Malheur Council on Aging & Community  
Services, 842 SE 1st Ave., Ontario, 541-889-7651  
(office). Daily bus from Ontario to Bend. One bus per  
day.

## Post Office (not on map)

88 SW 2nd Ave, Ontario, 97914, 541-889-6692, M-F  
8:30am-5pm, Sat 10am-12pm.

## Library (not on map)

388 SW 2nd Ave, Ontario, 541-889-6371.  
Mon 10am-4pm, Wed 10am-7pm, Tue, Thurs, Fri  
10am-4pm. Sat 12-4pm.

## 4 Rivers Cultural Center (not on map)

676 SW 5th Ave, Ontario, 541-889-8191, 4rcc.com, M-F  
9am-5pm, Sat 10am-5pm. Museum, Japanese Garden  
and Art Gallery.

## Tandem Brewing (at Jack Henry Coffee House not on map)

298 S. Oregon St., Ontario, 541-889-2211. Mon-Sat  
6am-5pm, Sun 7am-4pm.



## Congratulations on completing the entire Oregon Desert Trail!

Did you complete the entire Oregon Desert Trail? Thru-hikers and section hikers who hike (and/or bike/paddle/horseback ride) all 750 miles of the route (or a continuous path from the Western to Eastern termini) earn this ODT patch. Send us an email with your start & finish dates, and photos from the termini if you have them, and we'll send you this patch:  
odt@onda.org.



# Resupply Strategy

Where to buy, where to send.

	Bend	Christmas Valley	Summer Lake	Paisley	Lakeview	Valley Falls	Plush	Adel	Burns	Frenchglen	Fields	Denio	McDermitt	Rome	Jordan Valley	Adrian	Ontario
Distance from trail	14 miles W	19 miles W or on CV Alt.	28 miles N	on trail	9 miles S or on LV Alt.	14 miles N	on trail	18 miles S	60 miles N	on trail	on trail	3.5 miles S	9 miles S or on MD Alt.	0.6 miles W	32 miles E	27 miles N	47 miles N
Mileage W to E	0	100	161	161	208	208	266	266	374	374	439	467	539	661	661	752	752
Mileage E to W	752	652	591	591	544	544	486	486	378	378	313	285	213	91	91	0	0
Mileage to next recommended town W to E	100		61	47		58		108			93		73	122		91	
Full Resupply Possible	X	X			X				X				X				X
Partial Resupply Possible				X						X	X			X		X	
Must send resupply box			X			X	X	X		X		X			X		
Notes	Western Terminus	Can send box to Peters Creek peters								Store Open Seasonally			No Stove Fuel			Eastern Terminus	Eastern Terminus

**Please note:** fuel canisters can be shipped UPS ground or Fed Ex ground.

US Post Offices will accept packages addressed to General Delivery and will usually hold for 2-4 weeks. It is best to send via priority mail as packages can be forwarded or returned if your plans change, and delivery only takes a few days. There are a few exceptions, please see individual Post Office listings for more details on time limits. (example: General Delivery, Attn: Jane Doe, Paisley, OR 97636)

Many businesses along the ODT will also accept resupply packages, but please call first to verify and for any special directions. **Please note:** Due to costs of running a business in very remote locations, some of these outposts can only resupply once a week and may not have the fresh food or selection you would like. If you do choose to send a resupply box to a business, please consider offering to donate a few dollars for the service.

*If your plans change and you want to forward or have a resupply box returned, please understand if you sent to a business and not a post office, it may be difficult or require additional effort on behalf of the business to handle your box further.*

When addressing your boxes it is best to write "Please hold for hiker, ETA (date you expect to arrive)" on each side of the box.