



Pacific Crest Trail

Columbia River Gorge

Trout Creek Hill

10 Hiking Essentials

1. Navigation (map and compass)
2. Sun protection (sunglasses and sunscreen)
3. Insulation (extra clothing)
4. Illumination (headlamp/flashlight)
5. First aid supplies
6. Fire (waterproof matches/lighter/starter)
7. Repair kit and tools
8. Nutrition (extra food)
9. Hydration (extra water)
10. Emergency shelter (tent/tarp/garbage bag)

Also nice to have, in case of true emergency, is a satellite messenger device.

Backcountry adventures can be very safe if you are prepared. Don't become a case for search and rescue. Always let someone know your plans before you go, and carry the 10 essentials.



Gobblers Knob

Bunker Hill

Pilot Knob

Weigle Hill

Mowich Butte

Green Knob

Gifford Pinchot National Forest

Leave No Trace

1. Plan Ahead and Prepare
2. Travel and Camp on Durable Surfaces
3. Dispose of Waste Properly
4. Leave What You Find
5. Minimize Campfire Impacts
6. Respect Wildlife
7. Be Considerate of Others

Please join us in our volunteer efforts, through minimizing your impact and following Leave No Trace principles. Thank you!

Mowich Butte

Three Corner Rock



Carson

Our local communities are proud to host this beautiful section of the PCT, and offer a wide array of excellent dining, shopping, and entertainment. Treat yourself and support our businesses.

The PCT passes through the Gorge in a patchwork of public and private land. Please respect private property rights, and don't make or use unauthorized trails.



North Bonneville

Stevenson



Cascade Locks



Did you know that a scene from the movie "Wild" was filmed here?

Cascade Locks is the home of the PCT Days festival in late summer. See www.pctdays.com.

Legend

- Pacific Crest Trail
- Gorge West End Transit Bus Stop
- Groceries
- Lodging
- Brew Pub
- Hot Springs
- Dining

Trailheads (for short hikes, see reverse side)

- 1 Dry Creek Falls
- 2 Herman Creek
- 3 Gillette Lake
- 4 Trout Creek
- 5 Snag Creek

Untold thousands of hikers and equestrians enjoy this international treasure each year. Some only travel a few miles, while others complete every mile in a single season. The Pacific Crest Trail Association (PCTA) maintains and protects the PCT with a community of volunteers and passionate outdoor enthusiasts. Together, we explore, create and support one of the best experiences on earth.

Adventure, nature and friendship awaits. Please visit our website at PCTA.org and join us!

