

# LODGE LAKE AND MIRROR LAKE (SNOQUALMIE PASS SOUTH PCT)

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## EVENT INFORMATION

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**Trail Info:** Trailhead elevation is 3022'. Lodge Lake's 6 Km roundtrip (3C) is a shorter, relatively easy hike on the PCT. 500' elevation gain in and 300' elevation gain out. Mirror Lake's 26 Km roundtrip (4C) gains 1800' in and 600' out. There are several obvious landmarks (Rockdale or Ollalie Creek) where you can turn around if you need to, to shorten up the distance. Remember, you're in the mountains, so be prepared for changing weather conditions. Carry extra clothes, snacks and water. Sunscreen, a hat and bug repellent are good ideas. Sturdy hiking boots and poles are recommended. Please check current weather and trail information before you hike, especially early or late in the season. Contact Mt Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest Service Office, 902 SE North Bend Way, Bldg 1, North Bend, WA, Virtual Service only. Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 4:00pm, (425) 888-1421. Expect to leave a message. Your call will be returned quickly.

**Parking Passes:** You must have either a Northwest Forest Pass, an America the Beautiful Interagency Annual Pass, an Interagency Senior Pass, or a Military Pass to park at the trailhead.

**Restrooms:** The only public restroom is at the Travelers rest area building 1/2 mile south of the trailhead parking lot on SR906. There is also a coffee/snack shop in the building and a small market/grocery behind Travelers Rest. There is nothing at the trailhead or on the trail.

**Emergency cell service:** 911 may not be available south of the Ollalie Creek drainage.

**Driving Directions:** Drive I-90 to Snoqualmie Pass. **EB:** Take exit 52 West Summit. Turn RIGHT on SR 906 and immediately turn RIGHT into the large gravel ski area parking lot. **WB:** Take exit 53 East Summit. Turn LEFT and go under the freeway to a "T". Turn RIGHT on SR 906 and drive 1/2 mile (Travelers rest area building is on your right in 1/10 of a mile). Just past the main ski area (The Summit), turn LEFT into the large gravel ski area parking lot. **Then for both EB and WB:** Drive to the far end of the parking lot - the part of the lot that is in the timber. The PCT South starts at the far end of the lot. Make sure you have the proper parking pass on your vehicle. **N47.25' 38.39" W121.25' 16.73".**

**Snoqualmie Pass South Pacific Crest Trail (PCT) Y3183**  
**Lodge Lake 6Km R/T (3.7 miles) (500' elevation gain in/300' out) 3C**  
**Mirror Lake 26Km R/T (16 miles) ( 1800' elevation gain in/600' out) 4C**

1. At the trailhead kiosk, fill out the hiking pass.  
The trail enters the old growth forest.
2. 0.3Km, break out onto open slopes of the ski area.
3. 0.7Km, **CROSS** gravel ski area access road. Stay on the PCT.
4. 1.0Km, **CROSS** another gravel ski area access road.
5. 1.4Km, Beaver Lake will be on your right.
6. 1.5Km, reenter the old growth forest.
7. 2.8Km, you will come off the forested sidehill to a small flat area on the PCT. There is a sign on a tree, a campsite, and a way trail to Lodge Lake. Turn **RIGHT** on the way trail and go to the lake.
8. 3.0Km, Lodge Lake.
9. Turn **AROUND** and return to the PCT.
10. 6Kers, turn **LEFT** and return to the trailhead.
11. 26Kers, turn **RIGHT** and continue on the PCT.
12. 4.8Km, **CROSS** under powerlines.
13. 5.2Km, **CROSS** under more powerlines and then **CROSS** Rockdale Creek.
14. 5.5Km, **INTERSECT** and hike on a gravel road.
15. 5.9Km, at a gravel road junction, **ANGLE LEFT** back onto the PCT hiking trail.
16. 6.6Km, **CROSS** old overgrown gravel road.
17. 7.0Km, **CROSS** Ollalie Creek drainage.
18. 7.9Km, **CROSS** gravel road at Silver Peak Trailhead. Continue on the PCT hiking trail.
19. 8.1Km, enter old growth forest. *(The rest of the hike will be on the PCT in an old growth forest).*
20. 10.5Km, junction with Silver Peak Trail. Stay **STRAIGHT** on the PCT.
21. 11.9Km, junction with Cold Creek Trail. Stay **STRAIGHT** on the PCT.
22. 12.6Km, junction with Mirror Lake Trail. Stay **STRAIGHT** on the PCT.
23. 13.0Km, junction with Tinkham Way Trail near Mirror Lake outlet creek. **ANGLE RIGHT** on way trail to outlet creek and south end of the lake.
24. Turn **AROUND** and return on PCT to the start.

We hope you enjoyed this hike on the PCT.

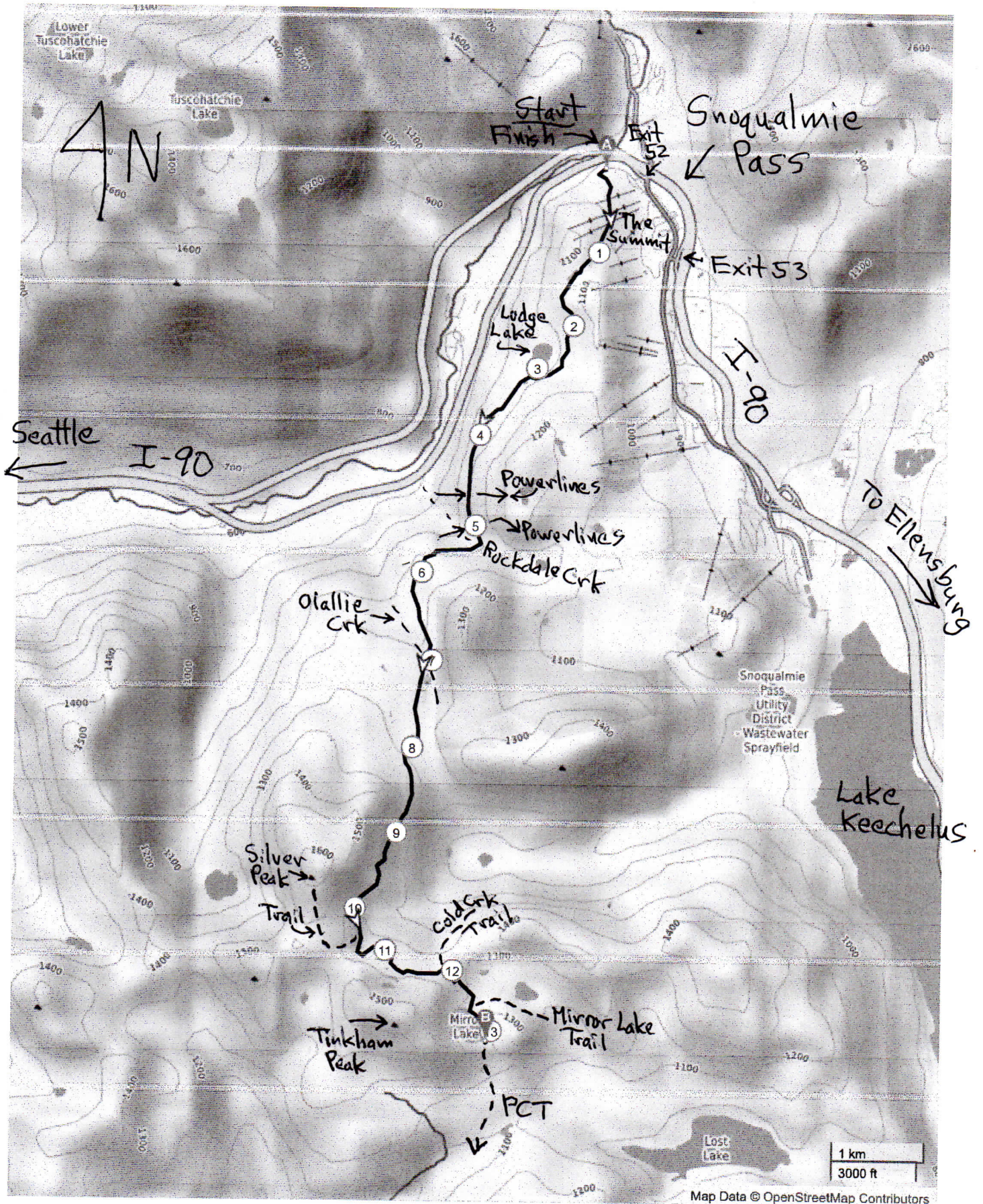
Water is available at the lakes and main creek crossings if you filter it.

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Lodge  
Snoqualmie Pass PCT South Mirror Lakes



# AVA hikes that qualify for the PCT Special Program Challenge

## WASHINGTON:

1. Chinook Pass North – Sheep Lake and Sourdough Gap - Y2763
2. Mt. Rainier National Park -- Naches Loop and Dewey Lakes - Y2050
3. North Bonneville – Gillette Lake - Y2294
4. Snoqualmie Pass North – Kendall Katwalk - Y0786
5. Snoqualmie Pass South – Lodge Lake and Mirror Lake - Y3183
6. Stevens Pass North – Lake Valhalla - Y3182
7. Stevens Pass South – Josephine Lake - Y3184
8. White Pass North - Four Lakes – Y3190
9. White Pass South - Ginnette and Shoe Lakes – Y3191

## OREGON:

10. Cascade Locks – Herman Creek Pinnacles - Y1677
11. Eugene, OR – Willamette Pass Rosary Lakes – Y2465
12. Government Camp – Timothy Lake – Y1514
13. McKenzie Pass – Belknap Craters – Y3246
14. Wapinitia Pass – North Twin Lakes – Y3230
15. Sisters, OR – McKenzie Pass Matthieu Lakes – Y2435
16. Willamette Pass – South - Three Lakes – Y3240

## CALIFORNIA:

17. Carson Pass – Overviews & Frog Lake -- Y0880
18. Donner Pass – Y1038
19. Round Valley – Castle Valley & Views - Y0983
20. Whitewater – River Trail – Year-round - Y0975