

Mission Mountains Wilderness

Trail Conditions Report

Comments: If travelling into elevations above 7500 feet, expect to encounter deep snow and swift creek crossings. Due to an above average snowpack, expect to encounter snow later than usual into the autumn in places where it has normally melted. All maintained trails have been cleared of blowdown.

Last Updated: 08/29/11

Important Information, warnings, road conditions and general information:

Number	Trail Name	Date Cleared	Remarks, Projects, Safety
30	Elk Creek	7/26	Trail has been cleared of blowdown.
34	Jocko (portions)	7/18	Trail has been cleared of blowdown. There is a lightning strike burning on the shoreline of Gray Wolf Lake and is smoldering in the duff. Visitors should be warned of the potential danger of the fire taking off.
119	Piper Creek	7/14	The trail has been cleared of blowdown to Piper Lake. The avalanche damage to the trail around the lake has been fixed.
121	Cold Lakes	7/11	Trail has been cleared of blowdown. Expect to encounter extremely wet, muddy trail conditions.
301	Elk Ridge	7/26	Trail has been cleared of blowdown.
351	Crystal Lake	6/26	The trails have been cleared of blowdown to Crystal Lake from both the Meadow/Bunyan and Beaver Creek Trailheads. The

			walk-log over the Swan River coming from the Beaver Creek side is in need of repair, please use extreme caution when crossing.
490	Lindbergh	6/22	Trail has been cleared of blowdown. Expect to encounter portions of wet, muddy trail conditions.
515	Hemlock Peak	8/02	Trail has been cleared of blowdown. The walk-log over Hemlock Creek is broken, please use caution when crossing.
607	Hemlock Lake	6/24	Trail has been cleared of blowdown.
690	Glacier Creek	7/16	The trail has been cleared to Glacier, Crescent, and Heart Lakes. Please use extreme caution at the creek crossings due to swift, high currents.
695	Hemlock Feeder	6/24	Trail has been cleared of blowdown.
708	Turquoise Lake	7/16	The trail has been cleared of blowdown.
738	Cedar-Piper	7/28	Trail has been cleared of blowdown. The mosquitoes are horrendous, so don't forget your bug spray.