

Freund Canyon

Activity: Mountain Biking

Region: Leavenworth District - Wenatchee NF, Washington

Difficulty: Difficult - Single Track

Round Trip Mileage: 8.3

Round Trip Time: 2 hours

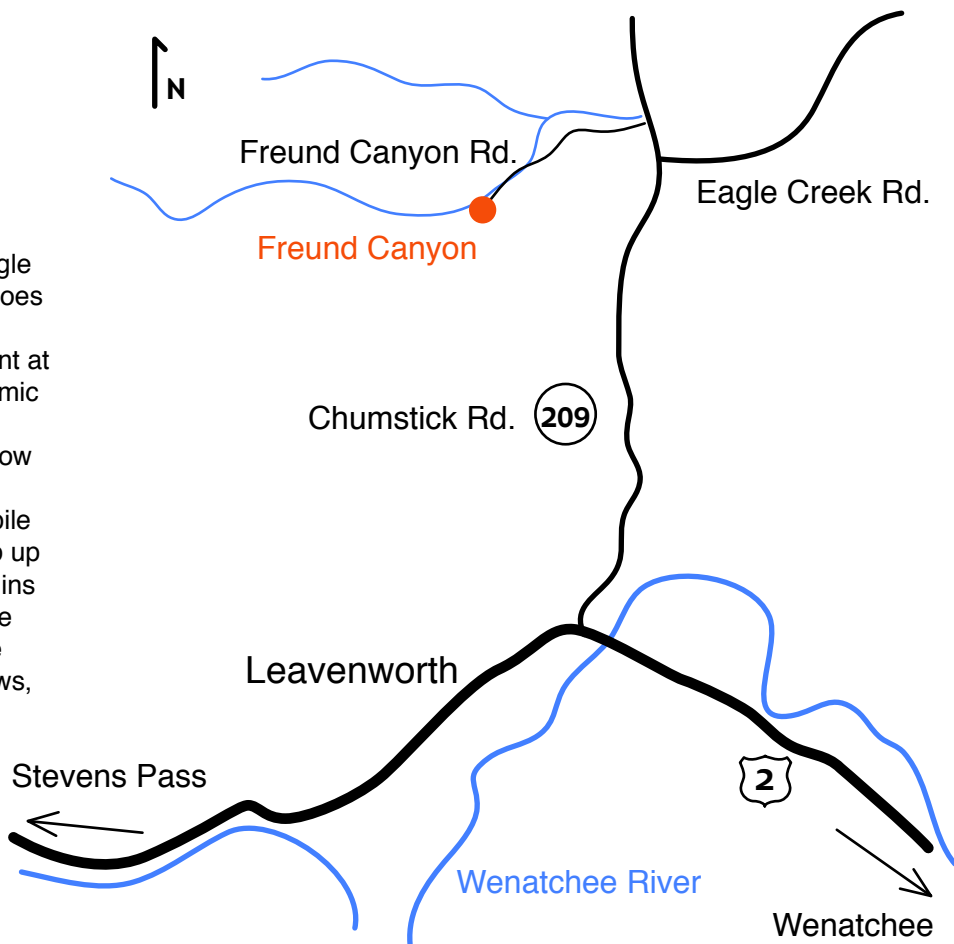
Suitable For: Adults and Hearty Teens

Seasons Open: Early Spring - Late Fall

Permits Necessary: No Permit Necessary

Trail Description

One of the best single-track trails in the Leavenworth Area. This very skinny single track switchbacks straight up and then goes straight down with lots of fun jumping burms. Make sure to pause for a moment at the top and take in the beautiful panoramic views of the Leavenworth valley and the surrounding orchards. From the gate follow the dirt road to it's end at 1.4 miles. Go around the right side of the large slash pile and curve around to the left (don't climb up the slash pile). The single track trail begins on the other side of the slash pile. A little over 5 miles you will reach the top of the ridge. Drink some water, take in the views, rest your burning thighs. Stay to the left at the fork and begin the fast descent back to your car.



Driving Directions

Driving East on Highway 2 through Leavenworth, turn left at the traffic light onto the Chumstick Road. Follow signs to Plain. At 1.7 miles turn left onto Freund Canyon. The road immediately bends to the right. At 2.3 miles turn left onto a dirt road #7702. At 2.4 miles take the left fork then at 2.8 miles take the left fork again. At three miles you will reach a gate. Park here. Note: There are private driveways along this road, please use caution and respect private property.

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