

Wenatchee River Road

Activity: Mountain Biking

Region: Leavenworth District - Wenatchee NF, Washington

Difficulty: Easy - Dirt Road

Round Trip Mileage: 8.5

Round Trip Time: 2 hours

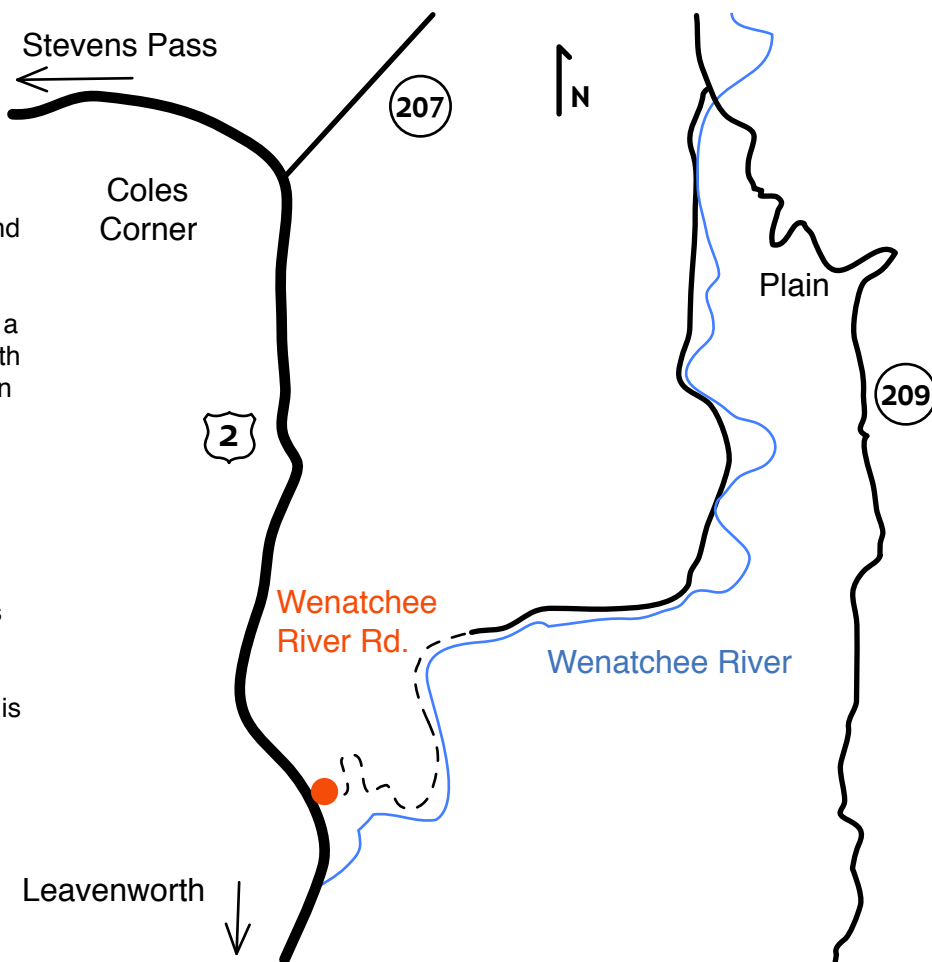
Suitable For: Adults and Hearty Teens

Seasons Open: Late Spring - Early Fall

Permits Necessary: No Permit Necessary

Trail Description

This trail travels through lowland forests and cruises along a refreshingly undeveloped portion of the Wenatchee River. From the parking lot follow the road to the right past a Forest Service gate. Begin your ascent with a steady climb and views of the river. Soon you begin to descend. You'll pass an old cabin on your right. Continue until you reach a red house with a lime green barn adjacent to it. Go between the house and the barn, bearing right around the barn. Follow the road down to the Wenatchee River. Here the trail meanders up and down along the river with great swimming holes at every turn. The road ends at a green "No Trespassing" sign. This is the turn around point. Note: This is a public trail that passes through private property. Please respect the rights of the private property owners in the area.



Driving Directions

From Leavenworth, start your odometer after you pass the gas station on the corner of Icicle Road and Highway 2 West. Drive 9.4 miles on Hwy 2 West and go right on the unmarked road #7906. The road is about a half mile past Tumwater Campground. There is a small parking area. From Stevens Pass, travel Highway 2 East for 25.3 miles and go left on the unmarked road #7906.

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