**F** *ire up your sled and speed off to a vast winter playground in Klamath, Lake and Modoc Country, where hundreds of miles of snowmobile trails lead through dense forests, across open meadows and extend along narrow ridgelines. Spectacular scenery will flank the trail wherever you go!* 

**F** acilities range from fully-developed lodges at Willamette Pass, Diamond Lake, Lake of the Woods and Fish Lake to a few picnic tables and a primitive warming hut at some sno-parks. Whether you're looking for plenty of company or a little elbow room, you'll find the directions to fun inside this brochure. Snowmobile rentals are available at most lodges.

he region's most popular snowmobile areas include the Lake of the Woods/ Fish Lake winter sports area. Natural features include the mile-long Great Meadow, a popular spot for wide open snowmobiling when the conditions are right. Highway 140 provides easy access to the meadow from Klamath Falls and Medford.

A lso highly favored are the Deer Mountain and Door Knob sno-parks in Northern California. Old-growth pine trees line the trails where Mount Shasta dominates the landscape. In Central Oregon it's the Cascade Mountain Range that offers breath-taking views and heavy snowfall accumulations.

#### More information:

Klamath Basin Snowdrifters Klamath Falls, OR, (541) 884-6180 Chiloquin Ridge Riders Chiloquin, OR, (541) 783-2953 Mt. Shasta Snowmobile Club Weed, CA, (530) 938-2475 Walker Rim Riders Crescent Lake Jct., OR, (541) 433-2615 Hi Desert Storm Troopers Lakeview, OR, (541) 946-4185 The Overhill Snowmobile Club Paisley, OR, (541) 943-3124

Tread Lightly is like the "Leave No Trace" ethic of the hiker. It means that you provide the next user the same experience that you enjoyed by staying on the trail, picking up litter, practicing trail courtesy and respecting public as well as private property. It's a small but thoughtful price to pay for the well being of our outdoor environment!

### Bonus Points

L ooking for some heavy-duty sledding action? Here are a few ideas for more challenging snowmobile runs and activities:

- A popular trail among local residents is one leading to the 8,200-foot summit of Pelican Butte, overlooking the Cascade Mountains and Upper Klamath Lake. Start at the Great Meadows parking lot near Lake of the Woods.
- If you've got a few days, try the 350-mile Border to Border Trail. It starts at Hyatt Reservoir and ends at Hoodoo Ski Bowl. Contact one of the snowmobile clubs listed on this brochure for maps and information.
- Speaking of clubs, consider joining one to participate in organized activities, or to join in volunteer efforts to maintain and groom trails.

Throughout the region you'll find plenty of accommodations for dining, lodging and equipment supplies. Don't forget your permit for sno-parks in Oregon, and remember snowmobile registration is required in Oregon and California. Please **Tread Lightly** for the benefit of those who follow and the well-being of our outdoor environment.



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# SNOWMOBILING



Klamath, Lake, & Modoc Country

Southern Oregon & Northern California

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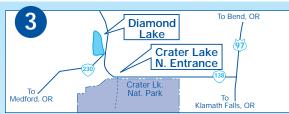
#### **Crescent Lake Junction**

17 mi. W of U.S. 97 on Oregon Hwy. 58.

Venture into the Cascades Recreation Area, Royce Mountain, Odell Lake Lodge, Willamette Ski Area and Maklaks areas on miles of groomed trails. Crescent Lake Junction offers restaurants, lodging, fuel and supplies.

Information: Crescent Ranger District, 541-433-2234.

#### Walt Haring Sno-Park To Bend, OR 1/4 mi. N of Chemult, OR, take 2 Forest Service Rd. 9772 W. to Walt Haring sno-park. Sno-Park This new sno-park provides access to miles of groomed trails. Connects with Diamond Lake trail system. Great views of Mt. 9772 Thielsen and Mt. Scott . Chemult, OR Information: Chemult Ranger District, 541-365-7001. To Klamath Falls, OR



#### Crater Lake National Park

*From Hwy. 97, take Hwy. 138 W 15 mi. to park's north entrance.* Snowmobile 10 miles of groomed roadway to north rim of the deepest lake in the U.S. Snow depths over 10 feet in peak of winter. Off-road travel prohibited.

Information: Crater Lake National Park, 541-594-2211.

#### **Diamond Lake**

From Hwy. 97 take Hwy. 138 W 22 mi.

A snowmobile mecca with more than 200 miles of groomed trails. Motel, cabins, and lodge. Lounge in the heart of Cascade Range. Rugged Mt. Thielsen Wilderness forms horizon to the east.

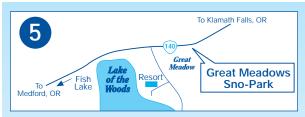
Information: Diamond Lake Resort, 541-793-3333 or 1-800-733-7593.

#### Annie Creek Sno-Park

From Hwy. 97 near Chiloquin, OR take Hwy. 62 N 25 mi. to sno-park.

Great place to start a trip to Lake of the Woods or Diamond Lake. Plenty of parking space just outside Crater Lake National Park. Snowmobiles are not allowed in Crater Lake National Park, with the exception of access to the North Rim from the Diamond Lake side.

Information: Klamath Ranger District, 541-885-3400.



#### Great Meadows Sno-Park

35 mi. W of Klamath Falls, OR on Hwy. 140.

165 mi. of groomed trails are well-suited for beginners through experts. Food and lodging available at resorts on Lake of the Woods and nearby Fish Lake. Equipment rentals available at Lake of the Woods. Enjoy views of Mountain Lakes and Sky Lakes wilderness areas. Two other sno-parks are in the area.

Information: Klamath Ranger District, 541-885-3400.

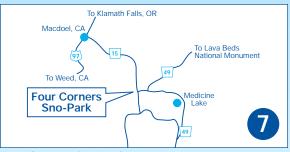


#### Quartz Mountain Sno-Park

63 mi. E of Klamath Falls, OR along Hwy. 140 at Quartz Mtn. Pass.

Plenty of scenery and space at this sno-park, which now has vault toilet facilities. More than 70 miles of marked, ungroomed trails provide a look at open ponderosa pine forests on Oregon's sunny side. A popular trail stop is the Aspen Ridge Resort, where the buffalo still roam in a meadow below the resort.

#### Information: Bly Ranger District, 541-353-2427.



#### Four Corners Sno-Park

From Macdoel, CA take old Hwy. 97 1/2-mi. S to Forest Service Rd. 15. Follow Rd. 15 approx. 30 mi. to sno-park.

Rest rooms, a warming hut, picnic tables and loading ramps are maintained at this sno-park. Many miles of groomed trails lead to other sno-parks nearby.

Information: Goosenest Ranger District, 530-398-4391.

Door Knob Sno-Park From Tulelake, CA, W 5 mi, on East-West Road, S 9 mi. on Forest Service Rd. 10, S 6 mi. on Forest Service Rd. 49 to sno-park. Access from south via Forest Service Rds 97 & 10. Accommodations are basic at this park in the Medicine Lake Highlands, but 31 miles of groomed trails offer great views of Mount Shasta and to the Medicine Lake Highlands. Information: Doublehead Ranger District, 530-667-2246.





#### Deer Mountain Sno-Park

From Macdoel, CA take Hwy. 97 S 20 mi., take Deer Mtn. Rd. 4 mi. to sno-park.

Miles of groomed trails radiate from Deer Mountain Sno-Park and link up with three other sno-parks. There are rest rooms, a warming hut, picnic tables and loading ramps at this sno-park.

Information: Goosenest Ranger District, 530-398-4391.