

Welcome to the **Jacobson Lake British Columbia Recreation Site**, the gateway to our history. Discover the many treasures of the majestic Tulameen River valley and the high alpine ridges. Take a dip in a pristine alpine pond. Enjoy a hike in the Cascade Mountains and take in the great scenery.

Important: Please read

- These trails and sites are managed for rustic outdoor experiences.
- Please note that you may encounter poor road and trail conditions.
- Know your activity, yourself and your companion's abilities.
- Be ready to adjust your plan if / when circumstances or weather changes.
- Be cautious of wild animals.

Driving directions to Jacobson Lake Recreation Site:

From Hwy # 3 (Hope to Princeton): Head west out of Princeton on the Coalmont Road. At Tulameen follow the River Road and watch for signs.

From Hwy# 5 (Hope to Merritt): Take Coquihalla Lakes Exit # 228 off the freeway. Turn southeast onto the Tulameen River Forest Service Road and watch for signs.

CAUTION: Drive with your lights on and watch for industrial traffic.

Please consider others and help protect the environment.



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Camping & Day Use

- Enjoy your stay to a maximum of 14 consecutive days
- Rustic camping only
- No recreational vehicle facilities on site
- Do not build long term structures
- Return your site to its natural state before leaving
- Competitive, commercial or group use requires authorization

Trail Use

- No motorized vehicles are allowed on trails
- Stay on designated trails
- Be prepared for emergencies
- Be cautious of wild animals
- "No trace" camping policy exists in the backcountry

Garbage

- You pack it in, you pack it out
- Do not litter
- Do not empty your holding tank

Pets

- Keep your pet quiet and under control at all times

Campfires

- Keep your fires small and in the fire rings
- Do not light during strong winds or when campfire ban is in affect
- Do not cut trees or remove firewood
- Attend your campfire at all times, extinguish before you leave

Courtesy

- Respect the peace and quiet of others
- Keep your noise to a minimum at all times
- Obey designated quiet time: 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

The Ministry of Tourism, Sport and the Arts manages forest recreation sites and trails throughout the province to encourage outdoor recreation, improve fitness, and celebrate our heritage.

Recreation Sites and Trails Branch
For more information, visit the website
www.gov.bc.ca/tsa

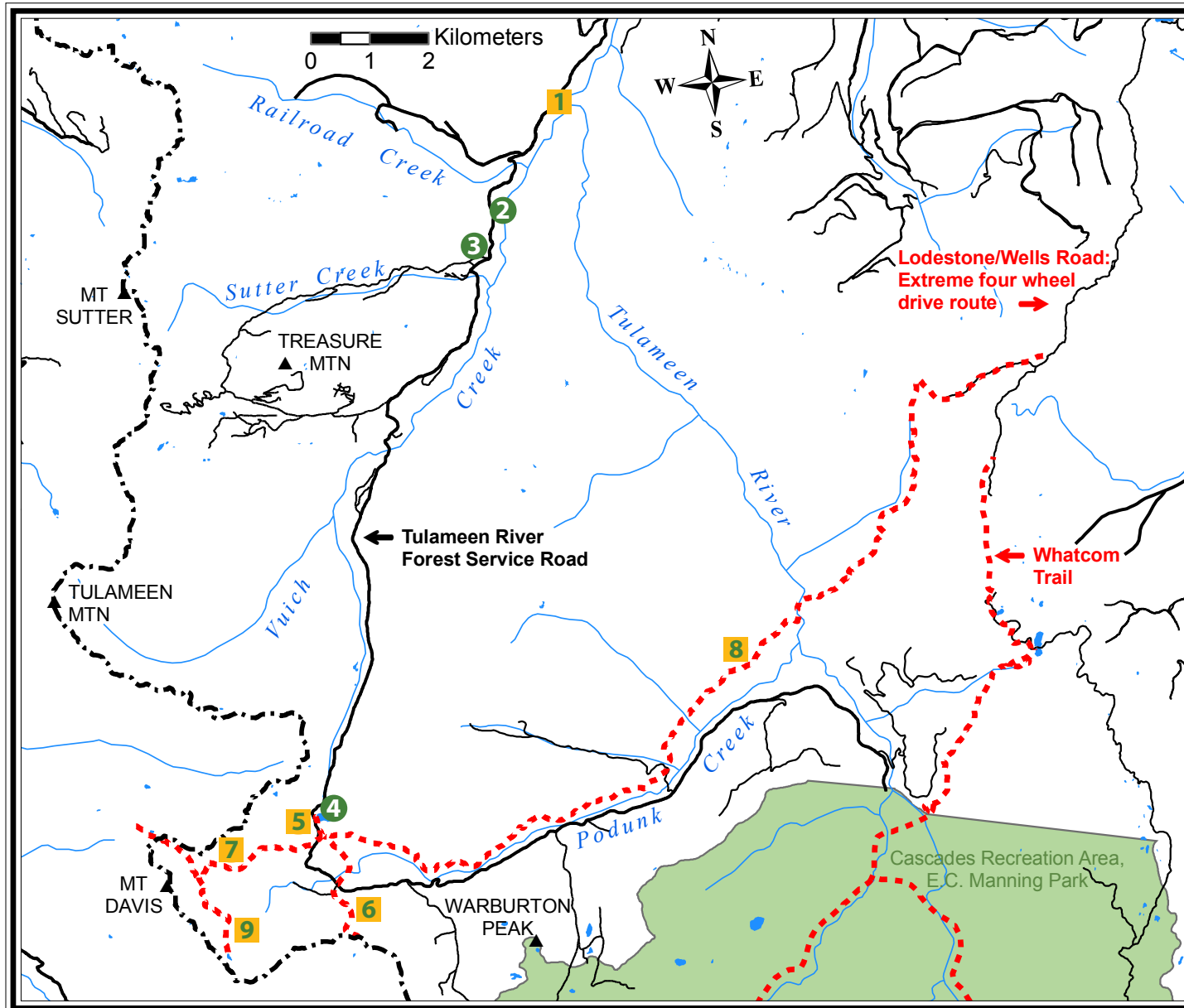
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1 Tulameen Falls: Easy grade, 1 km trail into spectacular water falls. Allow 1 hour for the 2 km return trip from 30.2 km Tulameen River FSR. Short hike for a hot day. Swim in the crystal clear river pools or shower in the fall's cool mist.

CAUTION:

Two main water crossings, hike in low water season

2 Vuich Falls Recreation Site: A 3 vehicle site with a nearby trail that views the cascading waters of Vuich Creek.

3 Sutter Creek Recreation Site: A 3 vehicle site on the high banks of Sutter Creek. Bright and open site nestled alongside a rushing mountain stream.

4 Jacobson Lake Recreation Site: A 6 vehicle site with horse corrals at 45.8 km on the Tulameen River FSR. Main trailhead and parking area for trail users.

5 Vuich Historic Trail: Easy grade, 1 km return trip from Jacobson Lake. Short section of the original Tulameen valley pack horse trail. Connects with the Hudson Bay Company Trail and the Rice Historic Trail south of Jacobson Lake.

6 Rice Historic Trail: Moderate grade, 4 km return trip. Allow 2 hours. Follow the old trail used by prospectors and trappers into lush grassy meadows littered with tiny ponds.

7 Hudson Bay Company Trail: "WEST" Discover the route used by the Fur Brigades from 1849-1860. Moderate grade, 7.5 km return trip from the main trail junction, allow 3.5 hours. The pristine "Palmer Pond" is at 1805 metres and the "Cascade Divide" is at 1850 metres elevation.

8 Hudson Bay Company Trail: "EAST" Challenge yourself to a backcountry camping experience. Follow the heritage route over the Tulameen River crossing at Horseguard Camp. Hike through the majestic mountain defiles and up onto the Tulameen Plateau, ending on the Whatcom Trail. Be prepared for over 20 kms (one way) of remote hiking. No trace camping policy applies.

9 Grant Pond Trail: Explore the hunting grounds of legendary Indian Blackeye. Trail forks off of the West section of the Hudson Bay Company trail at 2.5 km. Easy grade, 4 km return trip hike through sub alpine meadows along the base of Mt. Davis.