## Inhospitable yet Inviting

Stop at Harvest Depot for your sack lunches. Lava Butte is located at Lava Lands. The dry moonscape is fascinating, and best visited during the cool of the day. Walk out Trail of the Molten Lands to the Phil Brogan Viewpoint and you can see Mount Bachelor, the three Sisters, and, on a clear day, Mounts Jefferson and Hood.

Make sure to stop in the excellent Visitors Center, which tells how the lava flow and the entire Newberry National Volcanic Monument was formed. Take the shuttle—\$3/person, exact change only—to the top and walk around the caldera and enjoy the views.

At Benham Falls, enjoy the leisurely 1/2 mile walk from the parking lot, across the bridge to the falls, located at another parking lot! An excellent walk for young children, but watch for bikers.

Check out the other brochures in this series to Paulina Lake, Lava Cave, Newberry Country, and Paulina Slides.

For more on Newberry National Volcanic Monument, scan here



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#### **To Lava Butte**

From La Pine Chamber of Commerce: Turn left onto Hwy 97 for 16.5 miles Exit 151 go right on Cottonwood Road, for 2 miles. You'll go under the highway. Right on Crawford Road for 100 ft. Left for 50 ft. to entrance kiosk Be careful NOT to end up back on Hwy 97 **Arrive at Lava Lands Visitor Center** 

#### **To Benham Falls**

Turn right out of the Lava Lands parking lot for 3.5 miles

Cross Railroad tracks, bear right for 3/4 mile

Arrive at the parking Lot.



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## Day Trippin' on the "Trail"



# Lava Butte & Benham Falls



