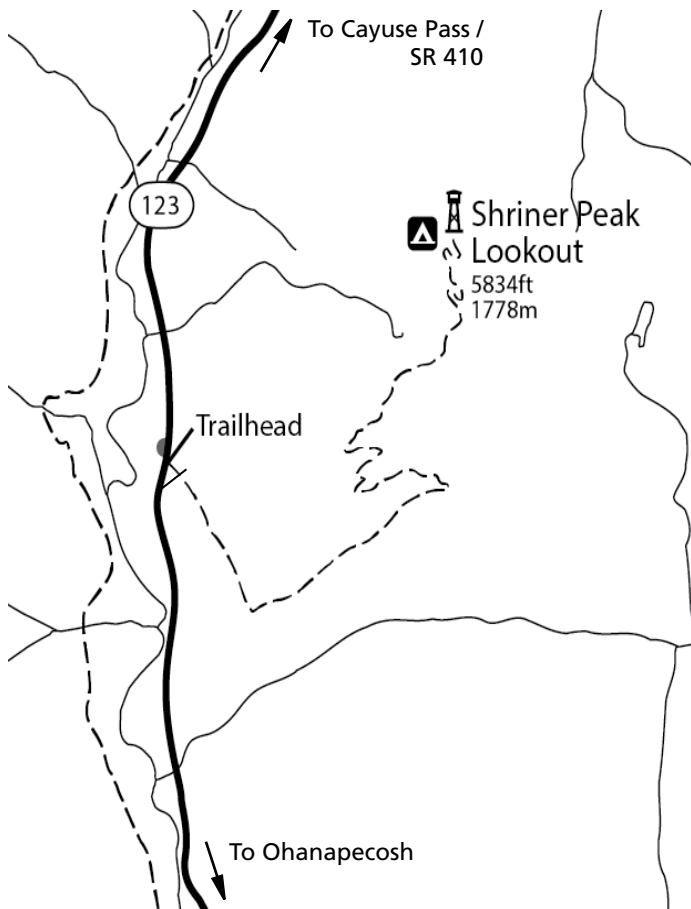




Shriner Peak



This trail leads hikers to a historic fire lookout and spectacular views of Mount Rainier. Subalpine meadows in summer and huckleberry and vine maple in fall provide spectacular color to those hiking this strenuous trail.



Do not feed or approach wildlife. Pets and bicycles are not allowed on park trails.
Do not pick flowers or collect other park resources (rocks, wood, etc.). Carry the "10 Essentials" and Leave No Trace of your visit. Use a topographical map. Permit required for wilderness camping.

Trail Description

Round-trip Distance:
8.4 miles (13.5 km)

Elevation Gain:
3,434 feet (1047 m)

Hiking Time Round-trip:
5 hours

Difficulty Level:
Strenuous

Wilderness Camp:
Shriner Peak

Trailhead: Drive 3.5 miles (5.6 km) north of the Stevens Canyon Entrance on SR 123. The trailhead is located 0.5 mile (0.8 km) north of the Panther Creek Bridge.

Along the Trail

Once on top of the ridge, hikers enjoy commanding views of Mount Rainier, the Ohanapecosh Valley and the Cascades. This area also provides the opportunity to see or hear black bear, elk, coyote,

and mountain goats. For hikers seeking solitude, this is a good trail choice—probably because it can be very hot and dry on a sunny summer afternoon.