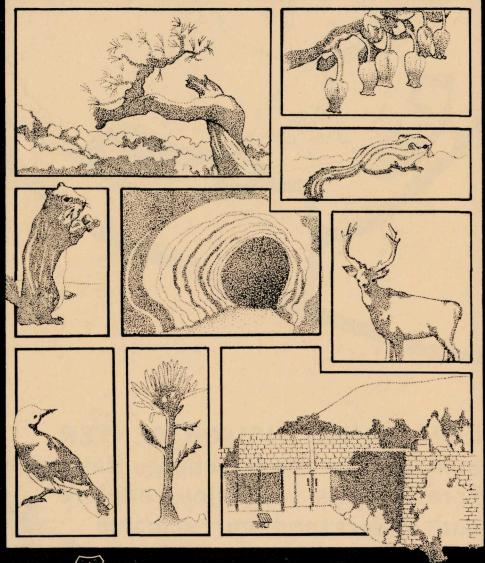
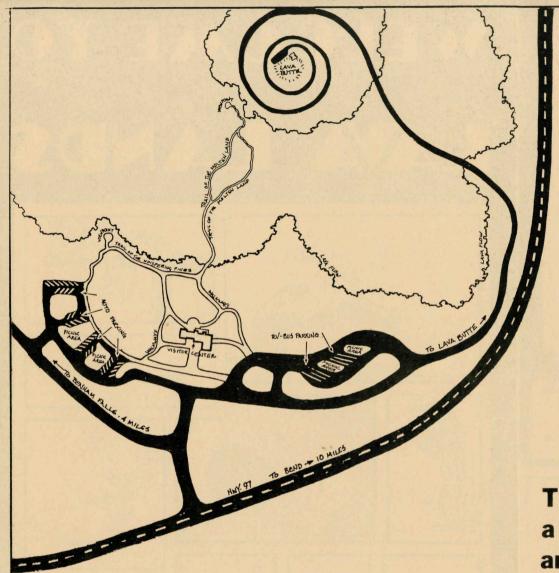
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## LAYA LANDS



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**DESCHUTES NATIONAL FOREST** 



MILEAGES FROM LA	VA LANDS TO	
	Miles	Approx. Time
BEND	10	15 min .
BENHAM FALLS	4	15 min
BURNS	140	3 hrs
CRATER LATE LAKE - - NORTH ENTRANCE - SOUTH ENTRANCE	97 137	2 hrs 3 hrs
CRESCENT	35	40 mln
EUGENE	135	3 hrs
FT. ROCK STATE PARK	58	1.5 hrs
HIGH DESERT MUSEUM	4	10 min
KLAMATH FALLS	130	3 hrs
LA PINE	20	30 min
LAVA CAST FOREST	13	45 min
LAVA RIVER CAVE	1	5 min
MADRAS	52	1 hr
MEDFORD	202	4 hrs
MT. BACHELOR	25	45 min
PORTLAND	170	3.5 hrs
PRINEVILLE	45	1 hr
REDMOND	26	40 min
SALEM	141	3 hrs
SISTERS	31	40 min
SUNRIVER	5	10 min

The LAVA LANDS...
a unique concentration of ancient and recent volcanism.

LAVA LANDS VISITOR CENTER, managed by the Deschutes National Forest, helps you enjoy, explore and understand our volcanic landscapes.

LAVA BREACHED THE SIDE OF LAVA BUTTE ABOUT 6,200 YEARS AGO, SPILLING OUT AND COVERING 10 SQUARE MILES OF THE SURROUNDING COUNTRYSIDE.

THE ELEVATION AT THE VISITOR CENTER IS 4,500 FEET. THE ELEVATION OF LAVA BUTTE IS 5,020 FEET.

THE LAVA LANDS VISITOR CENTER WAS BUILT IN 1975.

LAVA BUTTE FIRST BECAME A FOREST FIRE LOOKOUT IN 1928.

LAVA RIVER CAVE, 1 MILE SOUTH OF THE VISITOR CENTERY IS THE LONGEST UNCOLLAPSED LAVA TUBE IN OREGON, MEASURING 1.2 MILES.

THERE ARE 2 SELF-GUIDED INTERPRETIVE TRAILS AT THE VISITOR CENTER: THE TRAIL OF THE MOLTEN LAND AND THE TRAIL OF THE WHISPERING PINES. THERE IS ANOTHER INTERPRETIVE TRAIL ON TOP OF LAVA BUTTE, THE CRATER RIM TRAIL.

A PAVED ROAD WINDS
1.5 MILES FROM THE
VISITOR: CENTER TO
THE TOP OF LAVA
BUTTE.

COMMENTS-SUGGESTIONS-IDEAS. . .

THE PONDEROSA PINE TREES SURROUNDING THE VISITOR CENTER WERE SOME OF THE FIRST SEEDLINGS GROWN BY THE DESCHUTES NATIONAL FOREST, BEND PINE NURSERY, AND WERE PLANTED HERE IN 1952.

On behalf of the LAVA LANDS VISITOR CENTER staff, we thank you for your visit and hope you take with you some new horizons from the learning experience provided. If you have any thoughts or ideas that might help us serve you better, we would appreciate hearing from you. please Please call us at (503) 388-5664, or write us with your comments.

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