

Bassar Diggins

Bassar Diggins is located on Lookout Mountain between Ontario and Baker City. With its high elevation, it makes for cool summers under the aspen, western larch, and Douglas fir trees. Deer, elk, grouse, and chuckar make Bassar Diggins a great hunting camp. With all the wildflowers in bloom and the wildlife around it is a wonderful place for summer camping. The view from the nearby lookout is well worth the steep road getting there.



Activities:



Facilities: The camping area has 3 sites, vault toilets, picnic table, and shade trees. No potable (drinking) water is available on site. However, spring water is available for animals.

Fees: Bassar Diggins is a free-use area. Maximum stay is 14 days.

Season: June 15 - October 1 (depending on road conditions).

Other: Durkee, Oregon is the nearest town, 25 miles away. Access is via standard gravel roads which are poorly marked. The following odometer readings may be helpful:

- Exit 338 on I-84 to gravel road, turn left.
- 0 - .1 mi. Turn right at first opportunity. Beginning of Lookout Mountain Road. The following junctions are reference points only. Stay on the Lookout Road.
 - 0-4.8 mi. Junction with Morgan Creek Road
 - 0-3.7 mi. Junction with Hibbard Creek Road (corrals)
 - 0-4.1 mi. Junction with Fox Creek and Sisley Creek Road
- 0-1.4 mi. Turn right, leaving Lookout Rd.
- 0-.2 mi. Take right fork and enter Bassar Diggins campground. You have traveled a total of 14.3 miles since leaving the freeway.

