ALONG THE HISTORICAL LEWIS & CLARK AND NEZ PERCE TRAILS

The Lewis and Clark and the Nee-Me-Poo Trails designated on this map indicate the general routes the Nez Perce Indians and the Lewis and Clark Corps of Discovery followed across the Bitterroot Mountains. Roads have been built over some segments of these routes. Other segments have been opened and maintained. Some segments pass through dense forest, without any evidence of the trail, without signing or guidance of any kind.

Forest recreation managers encourage trail users to stay on the maintained segments of the Nee-Me-Poo and Lewis and Clark Trails on the Lolo Motorway to follow these historic routes. Otherwise there is a risk of getting lost or injured in the hazardous terrain where trail segments are obscure.

Lolo Campground and Rocky Ridge Lake Campground hold the only developed campsites along the historic routes until you reach U.S. Highway 12. All other campsites are unimproved dispersed sites without any facilities. Please be light on the land and choose sites where others have camped before you. For more information on campgrounds or other trails and roads, you can buy a Forest map or call any Clearwater National Forest office.

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- Roads
- Nez Perce Trail (Nee-me-Poo [NMP]) 40
- Lewis & Clark (L&C) Trails 25
- Nee-me-Poo Route - No trail tread (not suitable for travel)
- Lewis & Clark Route - No trail tread (not suitable for travel)
- Other trails (request a trail guide for more information on all trails)
- Streams
- Trailheads with Parking
- Lookouts

* Grizzly Bear Saddle formerly known as Papoose Saddle

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1/2" = mile