

Recreation Opportunity Guide



SALT CHUCK TRAIL

Description: The Salt Chuck Trail travels from Forest Road 2030 to the salt chuck in Kasaan Bay, where remnants of an abandoned mine may be seen.



Access: To reach the Salt Chuck Trail, take Forest Road 2030 toward Kasaan. Follow the camping and picnic signs towards Lake No. 3 dispersed camping area. The Salt Chuck Trail is on the right past Lake No. 3.

Distance: 1 mile (one way)

Trip Time: 1 hour (one way)

Difficulty: More Difficult

Elevation Change: 30 feet

USGS Map: Craig C-2

Terrain: The Salt Chuck Trail terrain is a mix of gravel and natural tread. The first ¼ mile of trail is an old roadbed, which later changes to a more primitive, natural trail along the Salt Chuck stream.

Recommended Seasons

Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
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Attractions: The Salt Chuck Trail offers opportunities to see the extreme tides in a salt chuck. The trail provides evidence of the historical mining that took place in the area. Visitors can see the abandoned mine shaft and mine cart track that leads into the earth. Many people like to pick berries and collect mushrooms in the Salt Chuck area.

Special Considerations: Abandoned mines are dangerous, enter at your own risk. Water levels change with the tides and may fill the mine with water. Old timbers and corridors may not support your weight.

Practice Leave No Trace Skills and Ethics

- ✓ *Plan Ahead and Prepare*
- ✓ *Travel and Camp on Durable Surfaces*
- ✓ *Dispose of Waste Properly*
- ✓ *Leave What You Find*
- ✓ *Minimize Campfire Impacts*
- ✓ *Respect Wildlife*
- ✓ *Be Considerate of Other Visitors*



Safety Tips

- ✓ *Discharging firearms is prohibited within 150 yards of cabins and across, or on, a body of water.*
- ✓ *Do NOT feed or approach bears!*
- ✓ *Water for consumption should be treated or boiled.*
- ✓ *Rubber boots, rain gear and insect repellent are recommended.*



