

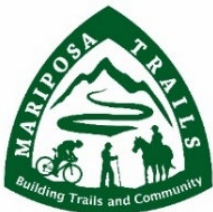
# Sims Cove Trail/Thursday, 3-7-26

## THE TRAIL

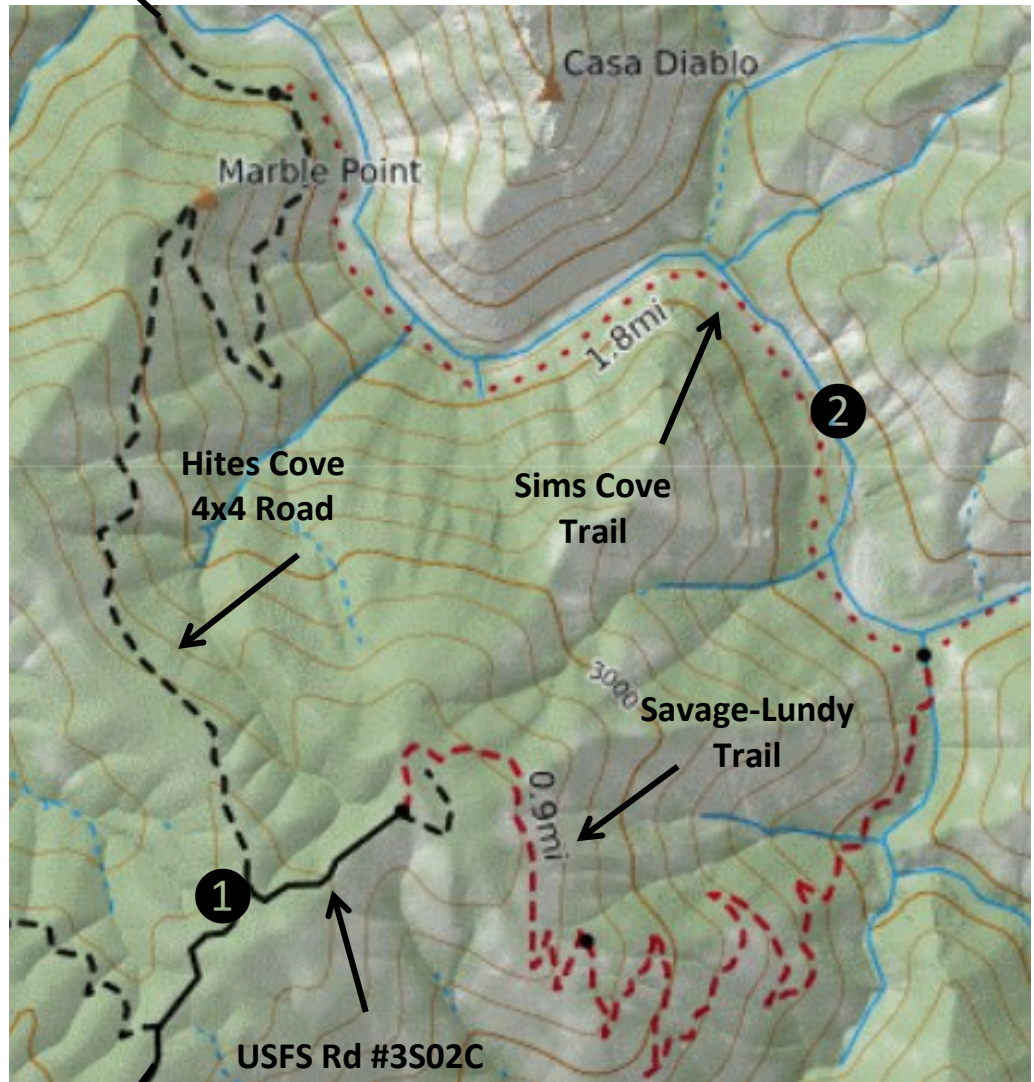
This is a difficult "loop" or "out-and-back" trail located between Devil's Gulch and the Hites Cove 4x4 Road. Access from either side, or make a loop of it. We recommend you hike it clockwise - coming up Savage-Lundy Trail in late afternoon/early evening to avoid direct sunlight. Avoid trail in summer. The views of river canyon are amazing. Backpacking camp at "Casa Diablo.". **Trail Stats:** 8-mile loop trail; elevation (3,897' at top / 1,780' at bottom). Learn more at [The Hiking Project](http://TheHikingProject.com)

## LEGEND

- ① Parking Area
- ② Camp Casa Diablo



Hites Cove



To Mariposa

## TRAIL STEWARDSHIP: WHAT TO EXPECT ON THURSDAY, 3-7-26

Arrive at the Jerseydale Fire Station by 9:30 AM in work attire and with personal day pack (water, snacks, lunch, personal items and clothing for the day). By 9:40 AM, we will circle up for introductions and a safety talk. From there we will drive to the work site. Personal Protective Equipment (gloves, helmets, etc) and hand tools will be provided to volunteers. Work assignments will be based on each volunteer's interests, skills and desire to learn. On this trip, the following work is possible: removing logs (chainsaw); brushing (loppers); and tread work (McCleods). Much of this work is located about 3 miles from the parking area (via Hites Cove 4x4 route). We will return back to the parking area by 4pm; refreshments will be offered.

## GETTING THERE

Meet at the Jerseydale Fire Station. From the Mariposa Visitor Center, travel 6.2 miles on Hwy 49 South, turn left onto Darrah Rd, which becomes Jerseydale Rd after crossing Triangle Rd. Jerseydale Fire Station is located at [6440 Jerseydale Road](http://6440JerseydaleRoad.com). Park car at the guest parking lot. Since parking is limited at the worksite, we will arrange a carpool at the Jerseydale Fire Station.