

## Notes from Cabin Lake May 5, 2024

Picnic table held three inches of snow this morn. Pinyon jays, ravens, kestrel all complaining. There was some suet left by photographers the day before. Its quiet, with minimal traffic on The 18rd. Which is smooth easy driving.

Four days ago we arrived via the direct route, which is to leave LaPine and hwy 97 on the Finley Butte rd just south of Grocery outlet. (left or east) This becomes the The 22rd, which is the closest approach to Cabin Lake on pavement. This paved road was open where it crosses sugar pine ridge at 5700 ft. After passing the south ice cave we turned right(south) on The 18rd. Six miles of smooth graded all weather road leads to CLBB. Might not attempt it going home.

The repairs needed at the lower blind water system are being planned. If u have left over pond liner plz contact me.

Stay safe – Happy birding!

