Lassen Volcanic National Park January 9-10

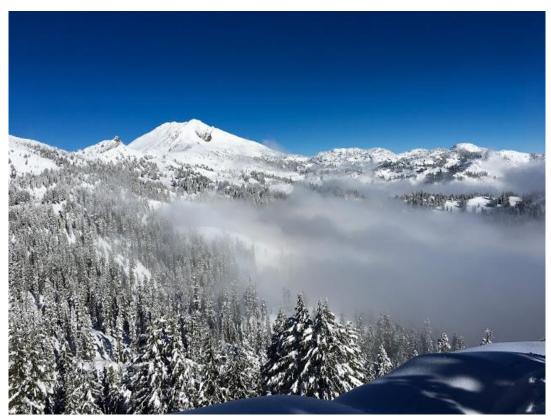
At first there were three, then there were five but when it came time to go there were two. Richard C and I hit the road Sat morning and were at Lassen by 10:00. It was snowing which it continued to do into the night. After setting up camp in the walk-in campground at the South Entrance we headed for the slopes of the old ski area. Great skiing in a foot of new powder. We quit around 4:00 and headed down to Mineral for dinner.

Sunday morning dawned bright and sunny but cold. After breakfast and breaking camp, we headed up the ridge between West Sulfur and Forest Creeks. This is the standard route to get to the East Ridge of Brokeoff Mt. Some pioneers had broken trail ahead of us so the going was easy. Had to watch out for the snow bombs coming off the trees though. From the top of the ridge we worked our way up and down the east side back to the Sulfur Works. Again, great powder skiing. Our final run was the schuss back to the Visitor Center along the road. By then it was getting dark, so, nothing to do but head home.

- Dave E.



SUNDAY MORNING VIEW FROM CAMP



WHERE TO GO? POWDER EVERYWHERE