

Welcome to the Crab Orchard Lake Campground

COVID-19 Camping Guidelines for 2021 Season

- ❖ All visitors must wear mask when physical distancing of 6 feet apart cannot reasonably be maintained.
- ❖ If anyone in your party is experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 don't attempt to stay at the campground.
- ❖ Campsites can only accommodate the single group of registered guest to that campsite.
- ❖ Limited shower and restrooms available.
- ❖ Campfires limited to the single group occupying that campsite.
- ❖ Campers are encouraged to use any self-contained restroom in their own camper for restroom or shower.
- ❖ All Campers are encouraged to visit www.cdc.gov/family/camping for updated best camping practices.

Camping Guidelines

- **Fees:** Campers pay fees at the Campground Station before setting up camp. Camping fees shall be paid daily or if desired, may be paid in advance for the duration of the visit. The daily fee covers use of the facility from 2 pm on the day of payment to 2 pm the following day. Interagency Senior and Access Passes are honored.

Full Service - \$25.00 daily

Electric and Water - \$20.00 daily

Non Electric - \$10.00 daily

- **Camping Permit:** The camping permit is part of the fee envelop and **must be placed on the campsite marker at the time of payment.** The campsite is not secured until permit is placed at the campsite. The person acquiring a campsite has until 2:00 pm to occupy that site with a habitable camping unit, or as of that time the site will become available for the next camper. No camping equipment shall be placed on any campsite while that site is occupied by another camping party.
- **Length of Stay:** Maximum camping period shall be limited to 14 days. After leaving for 48 hours campers may re-register.
- **Campsite Capacity:** Each campsite is limited to a maximum of eight (8) people per site and two camping unit (only one of which may be wheeled).
- **Campfire:** Open fires are permitted only in the fire grates or rings provided at the campsite.
- **Check Out Time:** Campsites must be vacated by 2 p.m. of the day the camping permit expires. After 2 p.m. an additional day will be charged.

- **Peace and Quiet:** Quiet hours are from 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.
- **Alcoholic Beverages and Controlled Substances:** The possession or use of any alcoholic beverages is prohibited. The delivery or possession of any controlled substance is prohibited.
- **Sanitation:** No waste, water, sewage, or effluent from sinks, toilets, or other plumbing fixtures shall be deposited upon or into the surface of the ground or water.
- **Vehicle/Boats:** Vehicle maintenance and or washing of vehicle is prohibited within campground. All-terrain vehicles (ATV's) are prohibited. All motorized vehicles must be licensed and operated by a licensed driver. Individuals wishing to use an assistive mobility devices, such as a powered wheel chair or golf car, must check with the Visitor Center to obtain the appropriate permit.
- **Firearms:** Firearms must comply with Illinois Concealed Carry and transportations laws.
- **Swimming Beach:** Beach is CLOSED until further notice.
- **Domestic Animals:** All dogs must be on a leash not to exceed 10 feet in length. We prohibit allowing dogs to roam. We prohibit all other domestic animals on the refuge unless confined in a vehicle, boat, trailer, kennel or other container.

Violation of the Rules: Individuals violating regulations, rules or posted signs may be subject to citation and or immediate eviction. Upon eviction, at the demand of the Service, the individual shall immediately remove all equipment and personal property. The Service may refuse to permit an individual to re-enter for a period of up to 365 days from such eviction. No refunds will be granted in such cases.