



Manzanita Lake Campground

Welcome to Manzanita Lake Campground (elevation 5890'). Camping in Lassen Volcanic National Park can be a fun and rewarding experience. Remember that you are sharing this space with plants, animals, and other campers. Consideration and cooperation are important.

Obtaining a Campsite

Manzanita Lake Campground has 179 campsites and offers sites on a first-come, first-served basis for B-Loop and D-Loop and through reservation for A-Loop and C-Loop. Reservations may be made up to six months in advance online at www.recreation.gov, or by calling 1-877-444-6777. For arrivals with campsite reservations proceed to assigned site and verify name and dates listed on the reservation card on campsite post. For first-come, first-served campsites find a vacant site and self register at the bulletin board at the campground entrance within thirty (30) minutes of your arrival. The cost for each site is \$18 per night when the water is on and \$10 per night when off. Campsites cannot be saved for persons who are not present. Camping fees are not refundable and stays are limited to 14 days per year. Checkout time is 12:00 noon. **Clip your camping permit stub to your site post to show occupancy. Camping fees must be paid within thirty (30) minutes of occupying a site.**

Campsites

Each campsite is equipped with a picnic table, fire grate, bear-proof box and parking area. Electric and water hookups are not available, though potable water spigots are available in the campground. D-Loop is for tents only. Campsites are limited to 3 tents, 6 people, and 2 vehicles (including RV) per site. Vehicles must stay on paved/graveled areas. Please do not trench or level your site or put nails in trees. Help protect park resources.

Quiet Hours and Generators

Quiet hours are from 10:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m.

Generators may be used only from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Do not run continually and please keep use to a minimum so other campers are not disturbed.

Food Storage and Wildlife

This is bear country, and deer, squirrels and chipmunks are also year-round residents. Store all food in bear proof box provided at your campsite, including pet food. **It is illegal to feed, frighten, or disturb any wildlife. All resources such as wildflowers, plants, animals, and artifacts are protected by law in national parks. Please leave them for others to enjoy.**

Campfires

For firewood, do not cut, saw, or break any standing trees, dead or alive. You may gather dead wood that is down on the

ground, or you may purchase firewood in the park at the Manzanita Lake Camper Store. Fires are allowed only in designated fire grates. Do not build rock rings or burn trash in the grate. **Never leave fires or hot coals unattended and extinguish them completely before leaving.**

Sanitation

Wash dishes at your campsite, not in restrooms or water spigots. Please do not wash clothes, hair or bathe at water spigots or industrial sinks. Strained dishwater must be disposed of in the grates located in front of each restroom or industrial sink. Dispose of food particles in trash bins, not in the sink drains or grates. **Gray water from RVs and trailers must be contained & disposed of at the Manzanita Lake dump station.** Water is a precious and limited resource; use it wisely. **Please sort and place all trash and recyclables in the appropriate bins.**

Camper Store, Laundry, and Showers

Lassen Volcanic National Park operates the campgrounds. California Guest Services, the official park concessioner, operates the rental cabins, showers, laundry, and Manzanita Lake Camper Store. Showers and laundry machines take quarters. There is a change machine located by the showers. Wastewater treatment is an expensive undertaking in Lassen Volcanic National Park. Your quarters help return clean water to the park environment.

Vehicles and Bicycles

All roads in the campground are one-way and the speed limit is 10 mph. Keep all vehicles, including motorcycles and trailers, on paved areas at all times. Bicycles are permitted on paved areas only. Additional parking is available at the north end of Manzanita Lake boat launch and picnic parking area.

Recreation

Be sure to check the schedule of ranger-conducted activities in the park visitor guide, *Peak Experiences*. Visitor centers have exhibits, maps, videos, publications, and hiking information. The Kohm Yah-mah-nee Visitor Center is located approximately 28 miles from Manzanita Lake at the southwest entrance to the park; Loomis Museum is located in the plaza approximately 1 mile beyond the northwest entrance of the park. **Pets must be attended and on a leash not longer than 6 feet at all times. It is the owner's responsibility to clean up after them.**

Emergencies

Dial **911** or **(209) 379-1992** to report any emergency, 24 hours a day. Contact the campground hosts at the beginning of A-Loop sites 1-A and 1-B, or use the pay phones at the Manzanita Lake Camper Store and the Loomis Museum.

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