



## Whiskey Creek Group Picnic Area

There are three designated group sites in this day-use picnic area, which is located on the northeastern shore of the Whiskey Creek arm of the lake.

The following are prohibited in the picnic area and on the beach: alcohol, smoking and pets.

Each site contains a large charcoal barbecue grill, two large serving tables surrounded by smaller tables for seating, and garbage cans. Open fires are not allowed.

There is one restroom with vault-type toilets. Drinking water and electricity are not available.

Boats may be launched from the Whiskey Creek Launch Ramp directly across the lake and may be moored on the picnic area shoreline. All groups holding a reservation share the beach area.

There are trees in the area that provide light shade, but portable shade structures are recommended on hot days.

### **Reservations and Fees**

Reservations are required from April 1 through October 31. The area is closed between November 1 and March 31.

Reservations can be made one year in advance by calling **1-877-444-6777** or by using the Internet address: [www.recreation.gov](http://www.recreation.gov)

Site #1 has a minimum of 20 people and a maximum of 80 people, although only 50 people can be seated at the picnic tables at one time. Site #1 costs \$50.00 per day.

Sites #2 and #3 each has a minimum of 20 people and a maximum of 40 people, although only 30 people can be seated at the picnic tables at one time. Sites #2 and #3 each cost \$50.00 per day.

All three sites can be rented at one time for \$150.00 (160 people maximum).

All vehicles must display a Seven Day Entrance Pass, which may be purchased at the Visitor Center, at the pay station at the Whiskey Creek Group Picnic parking lot or near the Whiskey Creek boat ramp. Refer to regulation #4 on the reverse side of this handout.

### **Other Phone Numbers**

For specific questions about the facilities at Whiskey Creek, call the Fee Program Office at (530) 242-3412. Reservations are not made at this number.

Dial 911 in case of emergency.

Call Whiskeytown Law Enforcement at (530) 242-3431 to report illegal and suspicious activities. Help make the park a safe place for everyone.

## **Regulations**

1. Alcoholic beverages are prohibited in this area.
2. No pets are allowed in the picnic area or on the beach.
3. Smoking is not allowed on the beach or in the picnic area. You may smoke in the parking lot.
4. All vehicles are now required to display a use pass. A Whiskeytown Seven Day Entrance Pass costs \$10 and an annual pass costs \$40. The following passes are accepted in lieu of a Whiskeytown pass: Lassen Volcanic Annual Pass, Golden Age and Access Passports, Interagency Annual, Senior and Access Passes, Military Annual Pass. Pass must be displayed on dashboard of vehicle.
5. No more than 80 people are allowed in site #1. Sites #2 and #3 allow only 40 people each.
6. Open or ground fires are not permitted.
7. Area hours are from 9 am until 9 pm. Park Rangers clear the area at 9 pm and lock the gate.
8. Vehicles are prohibited in the picnic area except to load or unload equipment. All vehicles must be removed to the dirt parking lot.
9. On the day of your arrival, the gate to the area will be closed but unlocked. Do not lock the gate, as only a park employee can unlock it.
10. All groups holding a reservation must share the beach area.
11. Protect our natural resources. Do not put nails in trees or damage or remove vegetation.
12. No fireworks.
13. Dispose of all trash properly. Put all leftover food, beverage containers, plates and utensils inside the bear-proof garbage cans and make sure that the latch is secure. If you have more trash than will fit inside of the bear-proof cans, please take the excess with you when you leave so that bears will not be attracted to it.

Bears that get human food sometimes become aggressive and dangerous and must be killed. You can prevent this by proper food storage.

Please help keep all wildlife healthy and wild by not feeding them or allowing them to get into your food or trash.

Report all bear incidents to the Visitor Center.