CAMPING IN THE MOUNTAINS

Fees subject to change

NANTAHALA NATIONAL FOREST

	MAP NUMBER	RESERVATIONS ✸	DUMP STATION	PICNIC AREA	RESTROOMS	AMPHITHEATER	SHOWERS	DRINKING WATER	BOAT RAMP	SWIMMING	FISHING	TRAILS	FEE ($)	NUMBER OF SITES	COMMENTS
AMMONS BRANCH **All year.** From HIGHLANDS, follow Main St. east out of town about 4.5 miles through Horse Cove. When pavement ends, bear right on Bull Pen Rd. and go 1.5 miles.	27				V								no fee	4	Primitive camp on Ammons Branch. No drinking water. Nantahala District: 828-524-6441
BLUE VALLEY **All year.** From HIGHLANDS, follow NC 28S 5.5 miles. Turn right at sign.	26				V								no fee	★	Dispersed sites on road, some near toilet. No water. Nantahala District: 828-524-6441.
BRISTOL HORSE CAMP **All year.** From HAYESVILLE, take SR 1307 for 3 miles to SR 1300, go 5.7 miles to SR 1344 (FR 340). Follow signs.	4				V								$5	7	On Fires Creek. Offers horse camping. Tusquitee District: 828-837-5152.
CABLE COVE **Apr. 15-Oct. 31.** From FONTANA VILLAGE, take NC 28S, 4.7 miles, turn left on FR 520 for 1.4 miles.	21				F								$10	26	Near Fontana Lake. One-mile nature trail. Cheoah District: 828-479-6431.
CHEOAH POINT CAMPGROUND **Apr. 15-Oct. 31.** From ROBBINSVILLE, take NC 129N, 6 miles to FR 520 for 1.4 miles.	20	✸			F								$15 $20	26	Sites 1-18: $15, first-come first served. ✸Sites 19-21, $20, RV sites, electricity.✸ Cabins, $35 per night.
HANGING DOG **Apr. 1-Sept. 15.** From MURPHY, take NC 1326W for 5 miles.	2				F V								$8	51	On Hiwassee Lake. Tusquitee District: 828-837-5152.
HORSE COVE **Apr. 15-Oct. 31.** From ROBBINSVILLE, take US 129N for 1 mile, left on NC 143W, right onto SR 1127 to FR 416.	19				F V								$10	18	In winter, no water with $5 fee, five sites all year. Cheoah District: 828-479-6431.
HURRICANE CREEK **Mar. 15-Jan. 1 (depending on weather)** Go south from Standing Indian on FR 67 (gravel) for 2 miles.	6				V								$6	★	No water. Nantahala District: 828-524-6441.
JACKRABBIT **May 2-Sept. 30.** From HAYESVILLE, take US 64E for 6.2 miles, turn left on NC 175 for 3 miles, turn right on SR 1115.	5	✸			F								$16	100	On Chatuge Lake Swimming area; lakefront sites. Tusquitee District: 828-837-5152.
STANDING INDIAN◆ **Mar. 31-Nov. 27.** From FRANKLIN, take US 64W for 9 miles, turn left on old U.S. 64 and follow signs.	8				F								$14	84	On Nantahala River. Nantahala District: 828-524-6441.
TSALI **Apr. 15-Oct. 31.** From BRYSON CITY, take US 19S for 9 miles, turn right on NC 28W for 5.5 miles, turn right FR 521 for 1.5 miles.	22				F								$16	42	On Fontana Lake. Mecca for mountain bikers. Cheoah District: 828-479-6431.
VAN HOOK GLADE◆ **March 30-Nov. 5.** From HIGHLANDS, take US 64W for 4 miles, turn right at sign.	23	✸			F								$15	19	Campers may use lake and hot showers. Nantahala District: 828-524-6441

PISGAH NATIONAL FOREST

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BLACK MOUNTAIN◆ **Apr. 14-Oct. 31.** From BURNSVILLE, take US 19E for 5 miles, turn right on NC 80 for 12 miles, right on FR 472.	54				F								$15	48	On South Toe River. Guided activities in-season. Campground office: 828-675-5616.
BOONE FORK **CLOSED TEMPORARILY.** For current status, call Grandfather District at 828-652-2144.	67				V								$3	15	On Boone Fork. Grandfather District: 828-652-2144.
CAROLINA HEMLOCKS◆ **Apr. 14-Oct. 31.** From BURNSVILLE, take US 19E for 5 miles, turn right on NC 80 for 9 miles.	57				F								$15	36	On South Toe River. Appalachian/ Burnsville Unit: 828-682-6146.
CURTIS CREEK **Apr. 1-Nov. 31.** From OLD FORT, take US 70E for 1.7 miles, turn left on FR 482.	52				V								$5	★	RV and tent camping. Free dispersed camping nearby. Grandfather District: 828-652-2144.
DAVIDSON RIVER◆ **All year.** From BREVARD, take US 64E to US 276, turn left. Follow US 276 for 1.5 miles.	34	✸			F								$18	161	$2 extra for riverside sites. Pisgah District. Campground office: 828-862-5960.
LAKE POWHATAN◆ **Apr. 1-Oct. 31.** From ASHEVILLE, take I-26E to exit 33, turn left on NC 191S for 4 miles, turn right on Bent Creek Ranch Rd., go 3.5 miles to entrance on left.	43	✸			F								$17	98	Lifeguard and interpretive programs in-season. Pisgah District. Campground office: 828-667-0391.
MORTIMER **Apr. 1-Nov. 30.** From LENOIR, take NC 90W to Colletts-ville. Turn right on SR 1328 (turns to gravel), go 8.5 miles. At NC 90, turn left.	65				F								$10	19	Next to Thorpe Creek. Picnic shelter. Grandfather District: 828-652-2144.
NORTH MILLS RIVER◆ **All year.** From ASHEVILLE, take I-26E to exit 40, turn right on 280W, go 4 miles, turn right on SR1345, go 5 miles.	41	✸			F V								$11	32	$3 extra for riverside sites. In winter, half price. Pisgah District. Campground mgr: 828-890-3284.
ROCKY BLUFF **May 1-Oct. 31.** From HOT SPRINGS, take NC 209S, go 3.3 miles, turn left into campground.	47				F								$8	30	On Spring Creek. Appalachian/Hot Springs Unit: 828-622-3202.
SUNBURST◆ **Apr. 1-Oct. 31.** From WAYNESVILLE, take US 276S for 7 miles, turn right on NC 215S, go 8 miles.	31				F								$10	10	Pisgah District. Campground Manager: 828-648-7841.

◆ : Operated by private concessionaire.

✸: Reservations available at 877-444-6777 or TDD:877-833-6777 or go online to recreation.gov.

★ :Primitive camp, undesignated sites.

FOREST SERVICE RECREATION SYMBOLS

- restrooms; V=vault; F=flush
- picnic area
- partial accessibility, may not meet ADA standards
- swimming
- drinking water
- shower
- mountain bike trails
- fishing
- hiking trails
- horseback riding
- dump station
- boat ramp
- amphitheater