

## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

### CAMPING

#### **REGISTERING FOR A CAMPSITE**

- Anyone entering campground must register & pay appropriate fee (current fees will be posted)
- You must register for your own site & you must be at least 18 years of age
- Have equipment & be ready to camp at time of registration
- · Camping permits can be issued for up to 2 weeks
- From July 1st through Labor Day, only 14 cumulative nights of camping will be permitted at any campground. This is to ensure new campers can enjoy
  their right to camp (the 14 night limit may be extended depending upon site availability)

#### CHECK-IN & CHECK-OUT TIMES

- **Check-in** time is from 12:00 noon until 9 p.m. (Campers must register for their campsite before 9 p.m. on the first night of reservation or the site will be subject to re-rental & all fees will be forfeited
- Check-out is 11 a.m. on camping permit expiration date

#### **OCCUPYING YOUR CAMPSITE**

- Each site is limited to 6 individuals, two tents or one unit of hard wheeled camping equipment and one tent, and two vehicles (additional vehicles required to park in a designated area & are subject to additional fees)
- All equipment must be set-up on the designated area of the site only

#### **GENERATOR USE**

- Use is limited to no more than five hours per day
- Hours must fall between the hours of 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. daily
- If the use of generator is deemed unreasonably loud by staff, an individual's use may be limited and/or prohibited

#### SPEED LIMIT

• 15MPH within campground

#### RECYCLING

Check with campground for rules & regulations

### **GENERAL BEHAVIOR**

**QUIET HOURS** 

- From 10 p.m. until 7 a.m. and strictly enforced
- Your cooperation is greatly appreciated by both the campground staff & your fellow campers
- Violators to this policy may be evicted and all fees will be forfeited

#### **CAMPFIRES & FIREWOOD**

- Fires must only be built in fireplaces provided & should never be left unattended
- Only dead & down wood may be used in fires
- No chainsaws permitted in campgrounds
- Cutting down trees (alive or dead) is prohibited
- Do not use fireplaces as chopping blocks
- Burning trash is prohibited
- Help stop the spread of invasive insects by purchasing your firewood at the campground or at a local vendor

#### FIREARMS & FIREWORKS

 Firework possession is prohibited in campground
Firearms are not permitted in campground except for fall & spring hunting seasons, & may not be discharged in campground

#### PETS

- Allowed with proof of rabies vaccination (tag dated with current year or rabies certificate)
- Can be walked on a leash no longer than six feet
- May not be left unattended
- Prohibited in facility structures, on beaches or dayuse areas
- You are responsible for cleaning up after your pet
- Exceptions LAKE GEORGE ISLANDS (pets prohibited on any islands, docks or vessels moored at docks) & ROGERS ROCK (pets prohibited on Temple Knoll, Flirtation & Waltonian Islands campsites)
- Horses at Luzerne & Bear Spring Mountain allowed with proof of current negative coggins certificate. Outof-state horse owners required to produce 30-day health certificate & patrons must carry horse's health papers with them at all times

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# SWIMMING, BEACHES & BOATING

#### SWIMMING & BEACHES

- Allowed at campgrounds with supervised bathing areas, when a lifeguard is on duty
- There may be times when lifeguards are unavailable, & for the safety of our customers these beaches will be closed & swimming will be prohibited
- Not all campgrounds offer swimming, inquire with the campground for more information
- Prohibited at all beaches: Swimming outside the designated swim area, athletic games, alcoholic beverages, glass containers, underwater swimming gear, inflatable devices & beach balls

#### BOATING

Boats of all kinds must be equipped with an approved floatation device for each person aboard

## PLANTS, ANIMALS & AQUATIC LIFE

#### PLANTS & ANIMALS

- Do not feed, attract or harass wildlife
- If you notice any animal acting strangely, contact campground staff immediately
- Do not remove or disrupt plants, animals, fossils or rocks

#### FISHING

- NY State fishing license required for anyone over age of 16
- Licenses are **NOT** available for purchase at campgrounds

#### JUNIOR NATURALIST PROGRAM

Our campgrounds become an outdoor classroom for children 5-13 and their families. Enjoy games & activities to earn a beautiful embroidered patch.

Inquire with campground for more info. or visit: ww.dec.ny.gov/education/21673.html



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## BUCK POND

Public Campground & Day Use Area

1339 County Rte. 60 Onchiota, NY (518) 891-3449

Regional Office: (518) 897-1309

### **CAMPGROUND MAP**





www.dec.ny.gov Book camping reservations at: newyorkstateparks.reserveamerica.com or by calling: 1-800-456-CAMP

