RECREATION OPPORTUNITY GUIDE



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Coho Campground

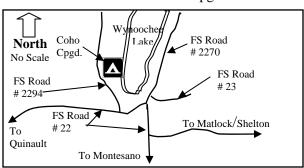
Managed by Wilderness Adventures, LLC under a Forest Service Special Use Permit.

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ACCESS: From Route 12 via Montesano:

Turn north on the Wynoochee Valley Road (1 mile west of Montesano). Drive 35 miles on the Wynoochee Valley Rd. and FS Road #22 to a major intersection. Turn left to stay on FS #22. Drive a short distance and turn right on FS Road #2294. Drive one mile to campground.

From US Highway 101 north of Shelton: Turn west onto Route 102 (Dayton-Airport Rd.), drive 5 mi. to Dayton-Matlock Road, turn right, go 9.4 mi. to Matlock, continue straight at the junction onto the Matlock-Deckerville Road, which turns into the Boundary Road. Drive 8.8 miles, make a right turn onto Cougar-Smith Road, drive 5.5 miles to FS Road #22 (from Hwy 101 to FS Road #22 is 29 mi.). Turn right; drive 15 miles on FS Road #22 to a major intersection. Turn left, stay on FS Road #22, drive a short distance, turn right on FS Road #2294. Drive 1 mile to Coho Campground.



FACILITIES: There are 46 campsites that will accommodate tents, trailers, and RVs up to 34 feet in length. There are also 10 walk-in tent camp units. One walk-in site will serve a group of 12 persons. Coho has piped water, tables, fire rings, paved road, flush toilets, trails and a boat ramp. There is a public telephone located at the entrance to the Tacoma Power day use area. There are no trailer hookups. The RV waste dump station is just outside of the campground on FS Road #2294. Garbage cans are provided.



Recommended Season SPRING SUMMER FALL WINTER

SETTING: Coho Campground is located on the west shore of Wynoochee Lake. Evergreen conifers and hardwoods provide a beautiful wooded setting.

OPPORTUNITIES: Picnicking, swimming, hiking, boating, hunting, and fishing are possible in the area. The 16-mile Wynoochee Lake Shore Trail follows 6 miles along the lakeshore, extends another 2 miles upriver to a bridge over the Wynoochee River, then returns to the campground in 8 miles on the opposite side of the river/lake. The Working Forest Nature Trail is a ½ mile trail located on the north side of the campground off the Wynoochee Lake Shore Trail. Visitors can enjoy exhibits at the vista overlook and a view of the river gorge located just below the dam. Tacoma Power has a Fish Collection Facility a few miles below the dam on the river. There are picnicking and swimming facilities at the dam. For general lake info call 1-(888) 502-8690. There are no commercial services available at Wynoochee Lake or Coho Campground. Motorists should have sufficient fuel for the return trip.

FEES: Camping fees are \$16 per night for drive-in sites and \$12 per night for walk-in sites. Group walk-in site #53 is \$16 per night with a maximum of 12 persons. The \$16 fee covers two licensed passenger vehicles and a maximum of eight people. (50% reduced fee with Golden Age/Access & Interagency Senior/Access passes.) The two vehicle rule includes any combination of the following: passenger cars, trucks, and/or recreation vehicles (NOTE: boat and recreation trailers are not considered passenger vehicles). An additional \$5.00 fee is charged for each passenger vehicle over the limit. No more than 8 people per campsite. Maximum stay is 14 days. Boat Launch fee \$5.00 per day & \$5.00 weekend, Day use per vehicle \$5.00 Pets must be leashed. Season lasts from May to November.