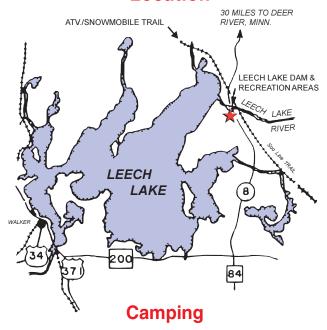
Location



- 1. Please check-in at the office from 9-11 a.m., 1-3 p.m. or 5-7 p.m.
- You may make reservations up to 240 days in advance by calling 1-877-444-6777 (TDD: 1-877-833-6777) or visit the website at www.reserveusa.com.
- 3. Vacant, reservable campsites may be available for up to four days without a reservation.
- Campsite check-out is noon on the last day of your stay. You may continue to use our picnicking, boating and day-use facilitates to finish out your visit.
- To help all guests enjoy the serenity of the north woods, quiet hours are 10 p.m. to 7 a.m. Please respect the privileges and privacy of others at all times.
- Please keep all camping units and equipment on your assigned camping pad or driveway surface to protect the grass, shrubs and trees. Only one wheeled camping unit per campsite is permitted.
- Do not place unauthorized camping equipment or other items on a campsite or make a personal appearance at a campsite for the purpose of reserving it for future occupancy.
- 8. An easily accessible dump station is available for refuse and gray water.

Your Safety Our Concern



E-Mail Addresses of other USACE Headwaters Recreation Areas

Cross.Lake@mvp02.usace.army.mil Gull.Lake@mvp02.usace.army.mil Lake.Winnibigoshish@mvp02.usace.army.mil Leech.Lake@mvp02.usace.army.mil Pokegama.Lake@mvp02.usace.army.mil Sandy.Lake@mvp02.usace.army.mil

For more information contact:

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Resource Manager

Leech Lake Recreation Area 01217 Federal Dam Drive NE Federal Dam, Minnesota 56641 (218) 654-3145

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For information on Nationwide Corps Recreational Facilities www.CorpsLakes.us



St. Paul District

Welcome to the

Leech Lake Recreation Area

Leech Lake, Minnesota

The Leech Lake campground is located in the heart of the Chippewa National Forest in Federal Dam, Minn., and is best known for its fishing and boat access to Portage Bay on Leech Lake. Excellent opportunities are available for walleye. perch, bass, northern pike and musky, where every cast has the potential to vield a true trophy. Leech Lake, particularly Portage Bay, is home to the legendary Musky Rampage of 1955. The campground offers well-maintained campsites, showers, clean facilities and boat mooring. Experience picturesque sunsets, autumn colors or just peaceful evenings around the campfire where the only "noise" you hear will be loons in the distance. Relax and enjoy vour visit!

This pamphlet provides you with general information and park rules that will ensure a pleasant and safe visit for all.

Please check bulletin boards for more information.

eech Lake fills a basin formed by receding glaciers. The 126,000 acre reservoir, formed upon construction of the dam in 1884, controls the runoff from a 1,163 square mile drainage area, contains 316 miles of shoreline and encompasses about 14 natural lakes. Lake levels were raised approximately two feet after impoundment.

The dam is located on the Leech Lake River, 214 river miles from the source of the Mississippi River at Lake Itasca, 27 river miles from the confluence with the Mississippi, and approximately 2,188 river miles from the mouth at the Gulf Coast.

Thank You for Camping with Us!

The Leech Lake Campground is operated by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. Our trained staff is here to assist you, and we welcome your comments and suggestions.

To help make your stay enjoyable, we ask that all campers observe these rules:

General Rules

- 1. Please keep all fires in the fireplace or grill.
- 2. Firewood is available for purchase. Please do not damage our beautiful trees throughout the campground.
- 3. Drive with care. Watch for pedestrians and obey posted traffic regulations. Keep motorized and trailered vehicles on gravel and paved surfaces.
- 4. Off-road and all-terrain vehicles, or ATVs, are not allowed.
- 5. Our boat ramps provide easy access to more than 110,000 acres of pristine water. Please moor your boat only in designated areas and observe posted boating rules.
- 6. Pets are welcome but please keep them leashed (no longer than 6 ft.) and attended. Owners are responsible for clean-up of all excrement.
- 7. The use or display of firearms, air rifles, bow and arrows, slingshots and fireworks are not permitted.
- 8. Report any disturbances, vandalism or loss of property to the park ranger or campground host.
- 9. Please use our recycling area whenever possible.
- 10. There is no designated swimming area.



Public pay phones are available at the day use boat landing parking lot and at the park main office.

EMERGENCY 911

911 ADDRESS 01217 FEDERAL DAM DR. N.E.

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ENGINEERS (LEECH LAKE).....(218) 654-3145 (CASS COUNTY) (218) 547-1424 **SHERIFF** (DEER RIVER)(218) 246-3011 **HOSPITAL** (GRAND RAPIDS) (218) 326-3401 **CLINIC** (DEER RIVER)(218) 246-8275 (GRAND RAPIDS) (800) 662-5770 (REMER)(218) 566-1441

FIRST AID

The park staff is trained to provide First Aid and CPR.



Leech Lake **Recreation Area**



Fishing Excellence





Shuffleboard Fun Relax by a Campfire





Boating Fun

