



Brush Lake

Baldwin Ranger Station
650 North Michigan
Avenue
Baldwin MI 49304
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Brush Lake Campground adjoins Brush Lake which is 19 acres in size. Brush Lake is a popular fishing spot for bass, pike, bullheads, and panfish. The entire lake is surrounded by Manistee National Forest land.

LOCATION

Brush Lake Campground is located in Newaygo County, Michigan. The nearest Community is White Cloud, about 10 miles southwest.

NATIONAL FOREST ACCESS

Campground: From White Cloud, go north on M-37 about 2 ½ miles, then turn east on old M-20 for 6 ½ miles. Then take 6 Mile Rd. East for about ½ miles, and turn south on Forest Road 5534. The road will take you into the campground.

Boat Launch: From Forest Road 5534, continue east on 6 Mile Rd. an additional ½ mile to Pine St. Turn south on Pine St. and west on Forest Road 5691 to landing.

FACILITIES AVAILABLE

- 9 Primitive campsites and fire rings
- 1 Vault toilet
- Day use area
- Back-in Boat Launch

SEASON

The managed season is from Memorial Day through Labor Day weekend. However, camping is allowed year-round. Please check with the Baldwin Ranger Station regarding dates outside the managed season (231-745-4631 or TTY 231-745-8297).

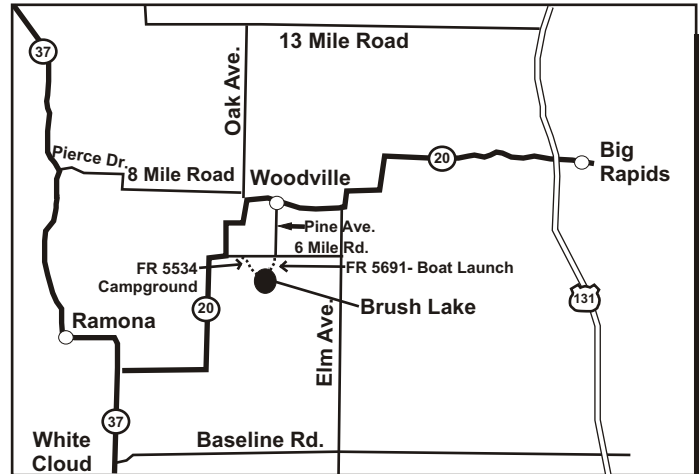
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HURON-MANISTEE VEHICLE PASS

A Huron-Manistee National Forest vehicle pass is required at this site. Daily passes may be purchased at the site. Weekly and annual passes may be purchased at the Baldwin Ranger Station or at local designated vendors.

CONSIDERATIONS

Camping is limited to 14 continuous days and you must occupy the site every day.



Care should be taken to keep the area clean and in the condition it was found, so visitors are asked to please pack out what you pack in.

Please do not wash dishes, clothes, or clean fish in the lake. Use biodegradable soap and dispose of waste water at least 200 feet away from any water source.

Please be careful with fire. Build fires in fire rings. Collect only dead and down wood for your fires. It is illegal to cut live trees.

Personal Flotation Devices (PFDs) are required by law for each watercraft occupant and **must** be worn by children 12 and under at all times.

For State Fishing Regulations Consult the DNR website: www.dnr.state.mi.us. A permit is required for commercial use of National Forest lands.

Water is not available and there are no garbage facilities.

Off-road vehicles are not allowed in the campground or in this area. The nearest trail system for unlicensed ATV's and motorcycles is located on M-20 north of White Cloud, Michigan.

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