Sly Creek Recreation Area Feather River Ranger District



Camping

Oroville-Wyandotte Irrigation District owns and operates two campgrounds on national forest

lands at Sly Creek Reservoir, under special use permit with the Plumas National Forest. Strawberry Campground has 17 units, and Sly Creek Campground has 25 units. Both campgrounds have drinking water, rest rooms, and garbage service. Each camping unit has a table and fire ring. Trailers up to 22 feet can be accommodated, however no hookups are provided. Maximum stay is 14 days. Facilities at Sly Creek Reservoir are usually open from April 1 through October. Camping is on a first-come, first-served basis

Sly Creek Campground is located near the dam and Mooreville Boat Launch Ramp, on the southwest side of the lake. Strawberry Campground is located on the Sly Creek arm of the lake, on the northeast side of the lake. Strawberry Campground is near the Strawberry Car Top Launch Facility.



Fishing

Hunting and fishing are regulated by the California Department of Fish and Game. Sly Creek Reservoir supports

rainbow, German brown, and kokanee salmon.



Off-Road Vehicles

The use of off-road vehicles is restricted within the Sly Creek Recreation Area boundaries.



Supplies

Supplies can be purchased in the communities of Brownsville, Challenge, Clipper Mills, and

Strawberry Valley.



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Other Activities

Sly Creek Recreation Area provides opportunities for many more recreation experiences for visitors. A

concrete boat launch ramp near the dam and Sly Creek Campground provides access to the water for fishing, water-skiing, or simply touring on boats. A car-top launch facility near Strawberry Campground provides water access for small fishing boats, canoes, and rafts. Visitors may also enjoy watching wildlife, driving or walking along scenic forest roads, or simply enjoying the peaceful surroundings of the forest.



Drinking Water

Only water from developed recreation sites is maintained for safe drinking. Open water sources are easily

contaminated by human or animal waste. Water from springs, lakes, and streams should be properly treated before drinking. One method of treatment is to boil water for five minutes or use approved filtration system.

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