

Ozark – St. Francis National Forests

Magazine Ranger District

Spring Lake Recreation Area

Camping
Swimming
Boating
Fishing



Southern National Forests

April 2008

Attractions:

The Magazine Ranger District is located in the Arkansas River Valley on the western edge of the Ozark National Forest. This area is known for its beautiful, natural scenery, sandstone bluffs, flowing streams, lakes and pristine landscapes. Open from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend, 82-acre Spring Lake is a favorite area for water sports such as swimming and fishing. Camping and picnicking are also popular pastimes.

The beautiful hardwood forest surrounding the lake provides the backdrop for wildflowers that bloom year-round

Surrounding Areas:

Areas of interest include Cove Lake, Mt. Magazine State Park, Mt. Nebo State Park, Sorghum Hollow Horse Camp, Mt. Magazine Scenic Byway, Huckleberry Horse Trail, and Petit Jean River. Medical services and camping supplies are available sixteen miles away in Dardanelle.

For more information, contact:

Magazine Ranger District
P.O. Box 511
Hwy 22 East & Kalamazoo Road
Paris, AR 72855
(479) 963-3076

Facilities:

- 13 family campsite units.
- 19 family picnic units.
- Central restrooms.
- Drinking water.
- Pavilions.
- Swimming beach.
- Bathhouse with showers.
- Boating – “No wake” restriction at all times
- Camping trailers are allowed, but no special facilities with hook-ups are available.
- Free use boat ramp on west side of lake.

Note: All campsites have a picnic table, tent pad, fire ring, and lantern pole.

Fees:

User fees and regulations are posted at the self-service pay station near the entrance.

Location:

Take Arkansas 27 (paved) southwest from Dardanelle for 9 miles, then right (west) on Arkansas 307 (paved) 3 miles to Forest Service Road 1602 (gravel) continuing 4 miles to Spring Lake, OR take Arkansas 307 (paved) north from Belleville for 4 miles to Forest Service Road 1602 (gravel), continue on 1602 for 3 miles. Negotiable by camping trailer rigs.

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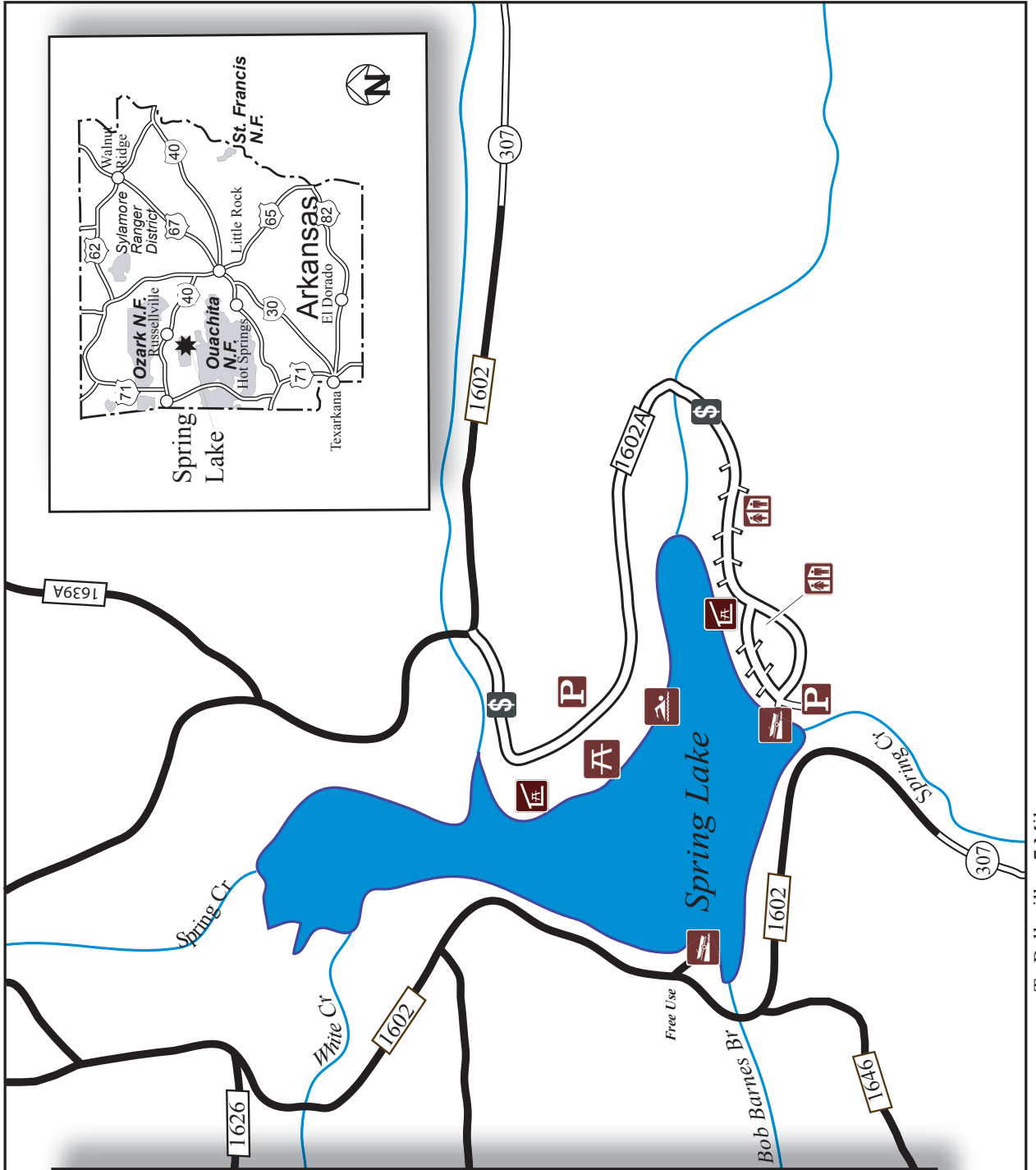


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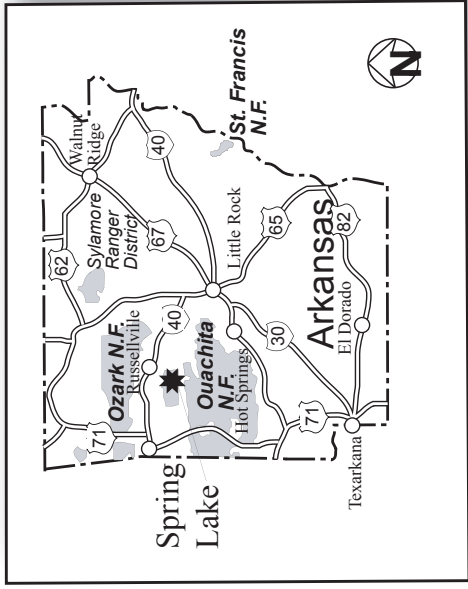
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To New Blaine - 12 miles



	Parking Area
	Picnic Area
	Restroom
	Boat Ramp
	Swim Area
	Pavilion
	Fee Area
	Paved Road
	Unpaved Road
	Forest Road
	State Hwy.
	Campground Location



To Dardanelle - 16 miles

To Belleville - 7 Miles