

Ozark-St. Francis National Forests

Sylamore Ranger District

Gunner Pool Recreation Area

Camping
Hiking
Picnicking
Swimming



Southern National Forests

Arkansas

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Attractions:

The Sylamore Ranger District is located within the heart of the Ozarks. Visitors can view picturesque rock bluffs, swim in crystal clear streams and hike wooded hillsides.

The Gunner Pool Recreation Area offers a campground stretching along the scenic North Sylamore Creek. Campsites are shady and private, with no electrical or water hook-ups. This recreation area is located within the Sylamore Wildlife Management Area. Hunting is permitted anywhere except within developed recreation areas or where otherwise posted. This management area provides hunting for whitetail deer, wild turkey, black bear, squirrel and other game in season.

Visitors can access the Sylamore Hiking Trail via a trailhead located within the Gunner Pool campground.

Surrounding Areas:

Discover one of the most spectacular and carefully developed caves anywhere, Blanchard Springs Caverns, located just minutes away from this recreation area. The White and Buffalo Rivers border the east and west sides of the district, where visitors can enjoy float fishing and canoeing.

Facilities:

- 27 campsites with grills, tables, lantern poles and tent pads.
- Chemical toilets.
- Drinking water.

Length of Stay:

Campers can stay up to 14 consecutive nights.

Access:

Access is by a steep, winding, dirt road, not recommended for large recreational vehicles.

Fees:

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

For more information, contact:

Sylamore Ranger District
P.O. Box 1279, 609 Sylamore Avenue
Mountain View, AR 72560
(870) 269-3228 or the Caverns at (870) 757-2211

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