

US Army Corps of Engineers MOBILE DISTRICT

BASIC CAMPGROUND RULES

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The Corps of Engineers welcomes you to Allatoona Lake. In order to make everyone's stay a pleasurable one, listed are some of the basic campground rules derived from TITLE 36 CFR (Code of Regulations). For complete regulations, see bulletin board, Park Attendant Contractor or visit website http://www.sam.usace.army.mil/Missions/CivilWorks/Recreation/AllatoonaLake.aspx

- CAMPSITE OCCUPANCY is limited to a maximum number of <u>eight (8)</u> people per campsite, (six years of age or older). Persons camping under <u>eighteen (18)</u> years of age must be accompanied by an adult. Children may not be left <u>unattended</u> in the campground without adult supervision.
- 2. **CAMPING EQUIPMENT** must be set up on gravel impact area or paved pullout.
- 3. The "orange rental verification card" must be posted on the numbered campsite post <u>immediately</u> after registering. Camping permits are not transferable.
- 4. **VEHICLES ON CAMPSITES** are limited to a maximum number of **three (3)** per campsite other than camping equipment.
- 5. **CHECK-IN TIME** is guaranteed for reservations after **4 PM** seven days a week.
- 6. CHECK-OUT TIME is 3 PM seven days a week. Campers and their guests are required to leave the campground at check out time. An additional night's camping fee may be charged for late departures.
- GATE is locked from 10:30 PM to 7 AM. From Oct 1 to Mar 31, gate is locked from 9 PM to 7 AM.
 Emergency exits only during these hours. (For emergency exit, see Park Attendant Contractor at their campsite which is located near the gatehouse).
- 8. <u>VISITORS</u> must depart the campground by <u>10 PM</u> or if the camper checks out prior to this time. From Oct 1 to Mar 31, visitors must depart the campground by <u>8:30 PM</u> or if the camper checks out prior to this time. Visitors are subject to all rules, regulations and restrictions.
- COURTESY PASSES are restricted to the hours of 7 AM until dark. Passes will not be issued when the park is over 50% occupied due to safety considerations.
- 10. <u>CAMPING LIMIT</u> is **14 consecutive days** or **14 nonconsecutive days** in any <u>**30-day period**</u> at all Corps of Engineers-operated campgrounds on the Allatoona Lake Project.
- 11. **QUIET HOURS** are in effect from 10 PM to 6 AM daily. Unreasonably loud noise is prohibited at any time.
- 12. PASSES MUST BE DISPLAYED from rearview mirror of all vehicles.
- 13. **FIREWORKS, FIREARMS, EXPLOSIVES, and PROJECTILE-FIRING DEVICES** are prohibited.
- 14. **CAMPFIRES** must be confined to fireplaces or grills. **Do not leave fires unattended.** Extinguish all fires upon departure from campsite. Only dead wood on the ground may be collected for firewood.
- 15. <u>DESIGNATED SWIMMING AREAS</u> are not supervised. Swim at your own risk. Swimming at launching ramps and courtesy docks is prohibited.
- 16. **TREES** in the park should be protected. Hang lanterns on metal hangers provided at the campsite. Do not nail, saw, or cut trees.

- 17. PETS MAXIMUM TWO (2) PETS PER CAMPSITE (NO EXCEPTIONS) Wild, exotic, vicious and/or aggressive pets and livestock are not permitted in the campground. Excessive barking or disturbance by pets is prohibited at any time. All pets must be penned, caged, or restrained on a leash no longer than six (6) feet. Invisible fences or shock collars are not sufficient. Pet owners must dispose of all pet waste in dumpsters. Pets are not allowed in restrooms, on playgrounds, or on beaches. DO NOT LEAVE PETS UNATTENDED.
- 18. **SINKS** in restrooms and laundry rooms are not to be used for washing pets or dishes, or for cleaning fish, etc.
- 19. GRAY/WASTE WATER from RV's and portable toilets/showers must be caught in holding tank or other receptacle and deposited at the dump station. Washing vehicles, camping equipment, or anything that produces gray water to be discharged on or around the campsite is prohibited.
- 20. **FEEDING GEESE AND OTHER WILDLIFE** is prohibited due to health and environmental concerns.
- 21. ALL GARBAGE MUST BE PLACED IN THE DUMPSTERS which are located at shower wash houses and dump stations. Do not deposit garbage in fireplaces or grills. Campsite must be kept clean during occupancy. Clean your campsite upon departure. Do not leave garbage bags on the site.
- 22. <u>VEHICLES</u> must be street legal, operated by a licensed driver on established road-ways in accordance with State Highway Regulations and parked on paved surfaces. No golf carts/ scooters/mini-bikes, etc. No riding on the exterior of vehicles. No joy riding.
- 23. Golden Age/Golden Access Passports and Interagency Senior/Access Pass: The Passport or Pass holder is the only individual authorized to use a discount pass when registering and paying user fees. The holder must be a member of the camping party, must occupy the campsite overnight, and will be required to show photo identification and passport or pass.
- 24. Any act or conduct which interferes with, impedes, or disrupts another person's use of the project (boisterous, rowdy or disorderly) is prohibited.
- Failure to abide by these park regulations and restrictions may result in legal action, expulsion, and/or forfeiture of fees paid.
- 26. The person registered for a campsite shall be presumed to be responsible for any violation of rules unless proven otherwise.
- 27. Interference with any Park Ranger or Government employee in the conduct of their official duty is prohibited. Individuals may be required to furnish proper identification to Park Rangers.