

Mid-June to mid-October

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Northshore Campground

Eldorado National Forest Pacific Ranger District

Location

23 miles east of Placerville on Highway 50 and 31 miles north on Ice House Road (Forest Road 3), take the Loon Lake fork

Activities/Facilities Within 5 Miles

- ⇒ Swimming and Fishing
- ⇒ Boat Ramp at Loon Lake Campground
- ⇒ Picnic Area (5 sites) at the Loon Lake Boat Ramp
- ⇒ Rubicon OHV Trail (summer)
- ⇒ Hiking and horseback riding in Desolation Wilderness
 - Permits required for both day use and overnight use. Overnight permits are available www.recreation.gov or the Placerville Ranger Station on Highway 50, Exit 54 in Camino). Day use permits area available at the Loon Lake trailhead in the summer and Placerville Ranger Station year-round.
- ⇒ Loon Lake Chalet rental cabin, reservations required.

Things You Should Know

- ◆ **CAUTION:** There are bears in the area. Please keep all foods, soaps, and garbage properly stored.
- Single units are limited to 2 vehicle and 6 people per site.
 Double units are 4 vehicles and 12 people. An additional fee will be charged for extra vehicles if the parking spur will accommodate it.
 - Vehicle = Any equipment that is required to be licensed/ registered. Includes RVs, trailers, cars/trucks, boat/car trailer, motorcycle/atv, etc. Vehicles parked in a truck or on a trailer are not counted separately.
- Keep family pets on a leash at all times.
- Use the grill or fire ring provided and make sure your fire is dead out before leaving. Use only water, not soil. Use only

dead and down wood for your campfires. Check ahead. Campfires may not be allowed during fire restrictions.



Elevation	6,500 feet
Operated by	Concession
Fee	Yes
Reservations	Yes
Interagency Passes	Accepted for Single Family Units
Checkout Time	1:00 PM
Maximum Stay Limit (developed campground)	14 days per district/yr
Pets Allowed	On a Leash
Number Of Units	25
Tent Units #	12
Tent, Trailer, or R.V. Units #	9
Walk-In Tent Sites #	4
Double Unit #	9
Triple Unit #	None
Accessible Campsites	See Map
Picnic Sites	No
Group Sites	No
Piped Water	Yes
Toilet Type	Vault
Accessible Toilets	Yes
Showers	No
Tables	Yes
Grills	Yes
Fire Rings	Yes
Bear Boxes	No
Hook-Ups	No
Dump Station Nearby	At Loon Lake Boatramp.

Information

General Season

(depending on snowfall)

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