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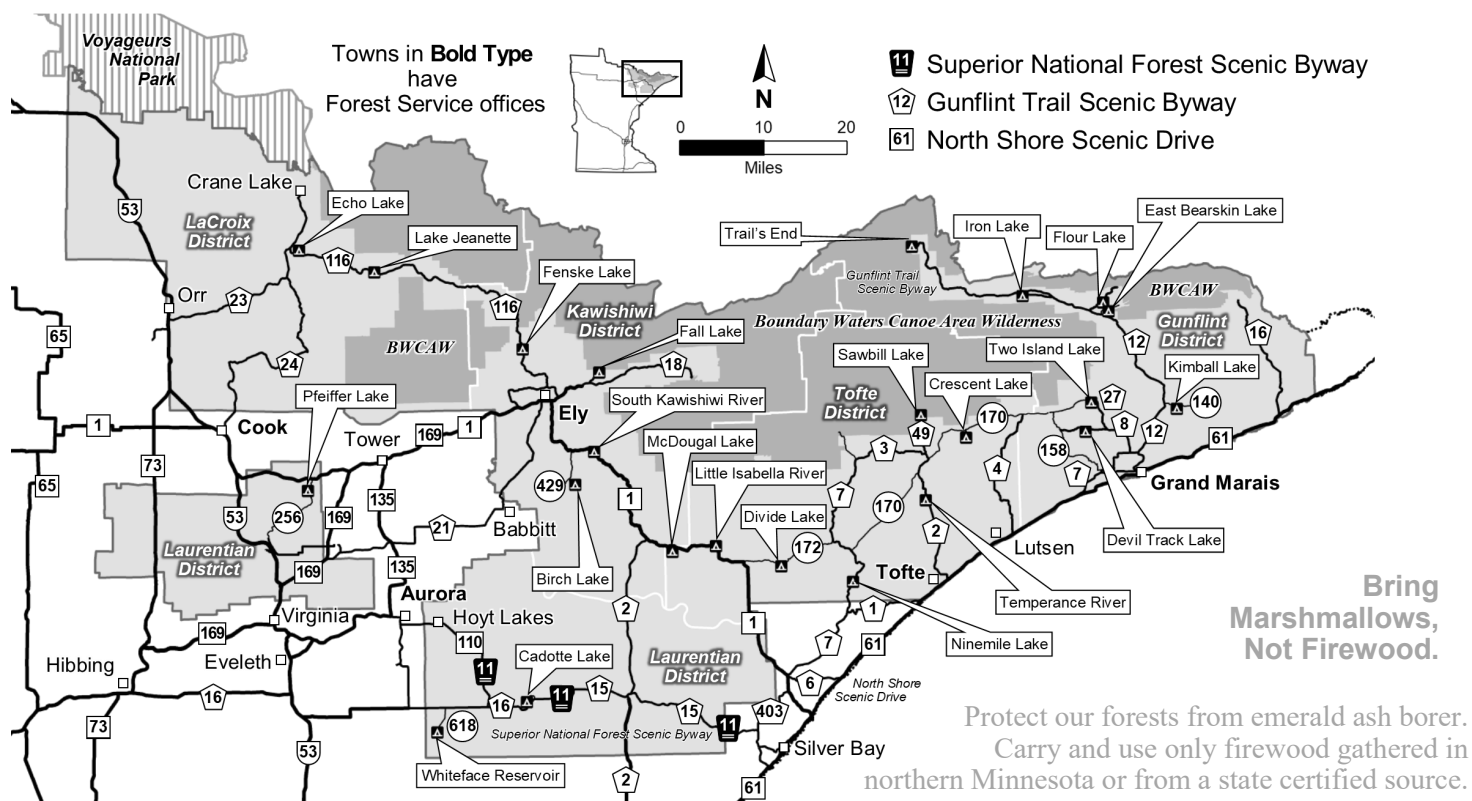
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# Camping

2023 Fees  
Inside



The Superior National Forest has four different types of camping opportunities outside of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness: **Fee Campgrounds**, **Rustic Campgrounds**, **Backcountry Campsites**, and **Dispersed Camping**. Whether you're in a tent or recreational vehicle (RV), one is right for you!



## Fee Campgrounds

Fee campgrounds provide sites that can usually accommodate tents, tent trailers, or RVs, as well as a few hike-in and tent only sites. These campgrounds include accessible outhouses, drinking water faucets, garbage and recycling, and possibly trails, fishing piers, boat launches, picnic areas, beaches, showers, and electricity. Each campsite has a fire ring, picnic table, and level tent pad. See individual campground Recreation Opportunity Guides for details. The next page lists 2023 fees and each campground's amenities.

- You'll need to visit the pay station at the campground to register and pay the fee, or pay when you reserve a site if applicable.
- Cash or check payments for non-reserved sites accepted at all campgrounds

- Payments for non-reserved sites through the Recreation.gov app available at some locations. Account must be created ahead of visit.
- Spurs on most sites hold one vehicle and one trailer. Additional vehicles may not park on grass or roads and require an additional nightly fee.
- Limit of nine people on single, premium, and long term sites; group sites available. 14 day limit outside of long term sites. Cabins vary in size, see website or call for specifics.
- Interagency Senior & Interagency Access passes and tribal memberships honored.
- Some sites in most campgrounds may be reserved through the National Recreation Reservation Service: [www.recreation.gov](http://www.recreation.gov)
- Some sites in all campgrounds are available on a first come, first served basis.



# Fee Campgrounds - 2023 Fee Season

Fees collected May - Oct., weather depending. Fee season may not match reservation season.

Ranger District	Campground	Reservations	Electricity	# Single Sites	# Group Sites	# Long Term	# Cabins	Additional Features B=Beach P=Picnic L=Boat Launch R=Rental Pavilion T=Trail	Single site fee per night	Premium Single Site fee per night	Group Site fee per night	Long Term Site fee per month or season	Cabin fee per night
<b>Gunflint</b>	Devil Track Lake			16					\$18	\$20			
	East Bearskin Lake	Y		32			4	<b>PL</b>	\$20				\$76
	Flour Lake	Y		37				<b>L</b>	\$22				
	Iron Lake	Y		7					\$22				
	Kimball Lake			10				<b>LT</b>	\$18	\$20			
	Trail's End	Y		32				<b>L</b>	\$22	\$24			
	Two Island Lake			38				<b>PL</b>	\$18	\$20			
<b>Kawishiwi</b>	Birch Lake	Y		29	1		2	<b>L</b>	\$19		\$60		\$89
	Fall Lake	Y	Y	64	2			<b>BPLT</b>	\$28		\$100 \$120		
	Fenske Lake	Y		15	1			<b>BPLT</b>	\$20		\$60		
	S. Kawishiwi River	Y	Y	31				<b>BPLRT</b>	\$20				
<b>LaCroix</b>	Echo Lake	Y		24	1			<b>BPL</b>	\$20		\$28		
	Lake Jeanette	Y		12				<b>LT</b>	\$20				
<b>Laurentian</b>	Cadotte Lake	Y		27		2		<b>BPL</b>	\$24	\$26		\$1125/seas	
	Pfeiffer Lake	Y		16				<b>BPLT</b>	\$20				
	Whiteface Reservoir	Y	Y	52	1	6/ mo, 6/ seas		<b>BPLT</b>	\$26	\$28	\$145	\$425/mo \$590/mo \$1125/seas \$1810/seas	
<b>Tofte</b>	Crescent Lake	Y		33	1			<b>L</b>	\$18		\$36		
	Divide Lake			3				<b>T</b>	\$15				
	Little Isabella River	Y		11		4		<b>P</b>	\$15			\$420/seas	
	McDougal Lake	Y		21		5		<b>BPLT</b>	\$15			\$420/seas	
	Ninemile Lake	Y		26				<b>PLT</b>	\$15				
	Sawbill Lake	Y		52				<b>P</b>	\$18				
	Temperance River			9					\$18				

**Water:** Water is available at all fee campgrounds. Most have solar powered community faucets.

*Trail's End:* \$24 sites have individual faucets. *Fall Lake:* Plumbed bathhouse with showers.

**Electric:** *Whiteface R:* Add'l \$6 fee. The group site and the \$590/month & \$1810/season sites incl. electric.

*Fall Lake:* Additional \$7 at 30 amp sites, \$9 at 50 amp sites. Fall Lake group site fees include electric.

*S. Kawishiwi:* Additional \$7 at 30 amp sites, \$9 at 50 amp sites.

**Single site:** 9 person max. with parking for 1 non-towed vehicle and space for 1 tent/RV (may be tent only)

**Premium single site:** Fee for single site with premium feature(s) such as water access, view, etc.

**Group site:** Fee for group site suitable for multiple tents/RVs, or groups over 9. Call district for details.

**Long term site:** Fee is for entire season except 6 sites available at a monthly rate at *Whiteface Reservoir*.

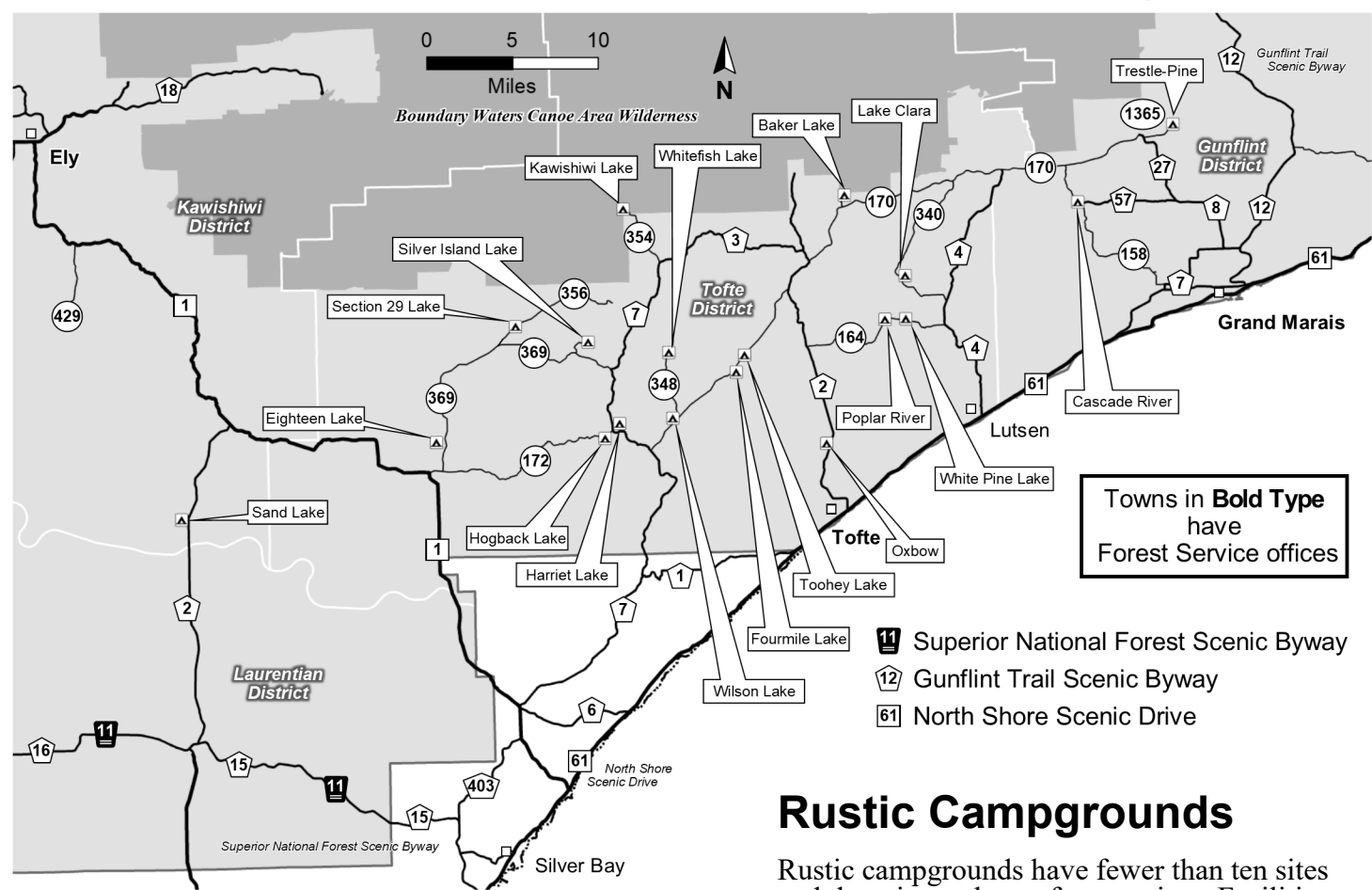
**Additional non-towed vehicle:** Fall, Cadotte, Whiteface \$8; Birch, Fenske, S. Kaw \$8; Others: Half single fee.

**Reservations:** [www.recreation.gov](http://www.recreation.gov) RECREATION.gov

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**Outside operating season:** No water or garbage; campground roads are unplowed and may be gated; toilet facilities may be unavailable.

# Superior National Forest - Rustic Campgrounds



## Rustic Campgrounds

Rustic campgrounds have fewer than ten sites and there is no charge for camping. Facilities include outhouses, tables, and fire rings but there is no drinking water or garbage cans. Sites are generally for tents, but some will accommodate a small RV or tent trailer. These campgrounds were often developed with fishing in mind, so be sure to pack your poles.

- Maximum group size of nine.
- Only use the facilities that are provided for fires, tents, and waste. Do not make additional fire rings, tent pads, trenches, or catholes.
- You will need to pack out your garbage.
- Quiet hours are enforced at developed campsites. Be aware that sounds from your campsite including radios, generators, or musical instruments should not disturb other campers even outside of quiet hours.

Campground Name	Number of Sites *	Fish **
Baker Lake	5 (2)	WNP
Cascade River	4 (1)	Bt
Clara Lake	3 (1)	WNP
Eighteen Lake	3 (0)	WPSm
Fourmile Lake	4 (2)	WNCP
Harriet Lake	6 (2)	WNC
Hogback Lake	3 (3)	Rt
Kawishiwi Lake	5 (5)	WNP
Oxbow	3 (0)	
Poplar River	4 (2)	Trout str.
Sand Lake	2 (0)	WN
Section 29 Lake	4 (0)	WN
Silver Island Lake	8 (8)	WN
Toohey Lake	7 (3)	WN
Trestle-Pine	2 (0)	WBtSm
White Pine Lake	3 (2)	WNP
Whitefish Lake	3(2)	WN
Wilson Lake	4 (3)	WNP

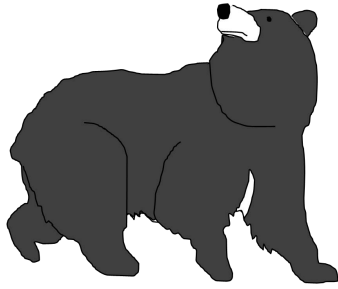
\* Total number of sites, (Number of sites with a parking spur of more than 21 ft. suitable for RV or trailer)

\*\*Fish codes: **Sm**=smallmouth bass, **C**=crappies, **N**=northern pike, **P**=perch, **M**=muskie, **Rt**=rainbow trout, **Bt**=brook trout, **W**=walleye

# Superior National Forest - Other Camping

## Be Bear Aware!

We love our bears, but nothing disrupts a camping trip like a visit by a bruin. While black bears seldom harm people, the experience can be frightening, and there may be damage to your gear and food.



The best way to prevent bear problems is to make sure they are never rewarded for misbehavior: Store your food and garbage properly!

- In campgrounds, secure food out of sight in hard sided vehicle. Never store food in a tent or screen house. Put garbage inside of dumpsters making sure to re-secure the bear bars if necessary.
- Backcountry and wilderness campers must hang a food pack correctly, or use certified bear resistant food containers. See our website for details.



## Backcountry Campsites

Backcountry campsites are the same style of campsites you may know from the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness, but since they are not in the BWCAW, they require no permits or fees. These single sites outside of a campground have a firegrate, flat space for a tent, wilderness latrine (an outhouse without the house), and may have a picnic table. There is a group size limit of nine.

- Please use only the facilities that are provided for fires, tents, and waste. You are not allowed to make additional fire rings, tent pads, trenches, or catholes.
- You will need to pack out your garbage.
- The Ranger Districts and the Supervisor's Office in Duluth have further information and locations of these sites. Locations are also on the current Forest Map.

**Campfires may be restricted or banned in dry weather, so bring a stove. Never leave campfires unattended. Be sure your fire is out before you leave the campsite.**

## Dispersed Camping

If your idea of camping is literally off the beaten trail, most of the Superior National Forest outside of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness is open for dispersed tent camping with no permits or reservations needed. This is camping outside of designated sites - just you and the woods without latrines, fire rings, or any additions. Please follow Leave No Trace ethics to make sure no evidence of your visit remains.

- Be aware of fire restrictions that apply to campfires outside of developed campsites. In dry conditions, campfires may be banned in the general forest, but still allowed in campgrounds.
- Parking motor vehicles or trailers is not allowed where it will impede traffic, harm vegetation, or harm soils.
- You may not cut live trees or construct any "improvements" at your camp, including trenches.
- Use a camp stove, or disperse all signs of a campfire if you use one. Do not leave a rock ring.
- You may not leave your camping equipment unattended for more than 24 hours.

**For more information, go to [www.fs.usda.gov/superior](http://www.fs.usda.gov/superior) on the web or contact:**

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