Quaking Aspen Cabin Sequoia National Forest

Giant Sequoia National Monument Western Divide Ranger District



About:

At approximately 7,200 feet in elevation, the Quaking Aspen Cabin is located adjacent to Quaking Aspen Campground within the Giant Sequoia National Monument in the Sequoia National Forest.

Nearby trails to hike include the Camp Nelson Trail, the Summit Trail, Dome Rock, the Trail of the 100 Giants, the Freeman Creek Trail, and the Slate Mountain Botanical Area.

Fishing is available in nearby Peppermint Creek, within driving distance. Horseback riding is available at the Golden Trout Wilderness Pack Station, also within driving distance.

NO SMOKEING ALLOWED INSIDE THE FACILITIES

Reservations:

Cabins on the Western Divide Ranger District are managed under concessionaire agreement with California Land Management (CLM).



Reservations are to be made through Recreation.gov or at (1-800-444-6777).

Instruction for payment of fees will be provided by Recreation.gov. Length of stay is limited to 14 days

Enjoying Your Stay:

The cabin sleeps 6 and is equipped with 1 queen size bed, 1 bunk bed and a full size sofa sleeper. The cabin has electricity, is heated and has hot & cold running water. A refrigerator, cook stove/range, microwave and coffee maker and available. Pots, pans, plates, cups, glasses, and utensils are also provided for 6 persons.

Cabin users should bring linens, pillows, blankets, towels, toiletries, and condiments, like salt and pepper etc..

Suggested additional items would be paper towels, tinfoil, baggies, trash bags, and wood for the outside fire ring, camp chairs for setting around the campfire and/or porch. A flash light along with a camera and lots of insect repellent. There is a porch, picnic table, and a campfire ring outside for your enjoyment.

The shaded area and lush vegetation are the preferred summer home for insects.

Things to Do:

The Trail of 100 Giants is located 13 miles southward down M 107 the Western Divide Highway, with great views of the Kern River Canyon and Dome Rock along

the way. The world's 5th largest giant sequoia, the Stagg Tree, is located about 14 miles away in Sequoia Crest.

OHV's and Mountain Bikes:

Off-highway Vehicles (OHV's) that are licensed or registered under the Green Sticker program are allowed on dirt roads signed for their use with a brown and white Forest Service Road Sign. These roads also appear on the Sequoia National Forest map.

All trails outside wilderness areas are open for bicycles unless signed closed.

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Campfire Permits

You may want a campfire for cooking, enjoying its warmth, and roasting marshmallows.

For campfires, stoves, lanterns or barbeques used outside a campground or recreational vehicle and some developed campgrounds, you need a campfire permit.

The permit is free, valid for a full year from January 1 to December 31, and may be obtained in person from Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management, CAL FIRE offices, or online at https://www.readyforwildfire.org/prevent-wildfire/campfire-safety/

Your responsibilities for building and putting out your fire safely are explained on the campfire permit. 36 CFR 261.52(k) PRC 4433.

Be aware that as fire danger becomes greater, campfires may be prohibited. Please check to find out if there are fire restrictions in the area where you intend to camp.

You are welcome to gather dead and down wood to use for your campfire, but not to take home unless you obtain a fuelwood permit.

Firearms:

Firearms are not to be discharged within 150 yards of campgrounds, roads, trails, buildings or any body of water. Discharging of a firearm or any other implement capable of taking human life, causing injury, or damaging property is prohibited.

Thank you for your help in making forest visits enjoyable and safe! Plan ahead by obtaining a National Forest map at one of the following offices:

Western Divide Ranger District 32588 Hwy 190 Springville, CA 93265 559-539-2607

Forest Supervisor's Office 1839 S. Newcomb Street Porterville, CA 93257 559-784-1500





YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES:

The person holding the reservation must accompany the group and be at least 18 years of age. There are trash cans and recycling receptacles in the adjacent campground. We ask that no water be left running and the cabin is left "clean as a whistle," just as you found it or better and ready for the next occupants. Cleaning tools and supplies are provided for your convenience.

The cabin and campground area are frequented by black bears.

BEARS AND OTHER WILD THINGS:

Black bears and other scavengers such as raccoons, squirrels, and jays live in Sequoia National Forest and they are naturally attracted to food and other scented items such as sunscreen and citronella candles. Please protect your food and your personal safety by storing coolers and all other food and scented items inside your vehicle whenever you are not using them. Keep a clean campsite and never feed wild animals!

PETS:

Pets are not allowed inside the cabins. In developed recreation areas, pets must be under your control and on a leash no longer than 6 feet.

Please be courteous and dispose properly of your pet's waste.

DRINKING WATER:

Piped water at cabins is safe to drink and checked regularly. Visitors should not drink spring or stream water without proper treatment. To be safe, boil or filter all water from rivers and streams before drinking.

Practice a Leave No Trace! Ethic.

When you leave your campsite, Take all garbage, large and small.

PACK IT IN!
PACK IT OUT!