Wishon Campground
Sequoia National Forest
Giant Sequoia National Monument
Western Divide Ranger District

Location:
Open year around. Wishon Campground is located 12 miles east of Springville via State Highway 190 on Camp Wishon Road (M208) (along the North Fork of the Middle Fork of the Tule River). Elevation is 4,000 feet.

Information About The Site:
- The campground has 31 single family units and 4 double family units.
- Some units can accommodate recreational vehicles up to a maximum length of 24 feet.
- Vault toilets, potable water, tables, and BBQ stoves are provided.
- There are five bear boxes at five separate sites.
- The Doyle Springs Trail leading to Mt. Home State Forest is accessible from the campground; also, there is a self-guided nature trail at the site.
- Fishing is available year around on the Tule River Drainage. Consult the CA Department of Fish & Game for specific regulations. Supplies are available in Springville.

WARNING - Entering the river is dangerous; watch out for swift water, treacherous currents, and slippery rocks.

Drinking Water:
Piped water at campgrounds 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.

Reservations and Fees:
Campgrounds on the Western Divide Ranger District are under concessionaire agreement with California Land Management (CLM). Reservations are to be made by calling (1-877-444-6777), or the Internet as follows: www.recreation.gov.

Instructions for payment of fees will be provided by Recreation.gov or available at the campground entrance. Visitors will be able to reserve a type of site (i.e., tent, RV, etc.). Unreserved sites are available on a "first-come first-served basis". Length of stay is limited to 14 days.

Fee is $22.00 per night for single units and $44.00 per night for double units. Persons wishing to use the facilities for day use only will be charged $10.00.

Family Campground Courtesy:
Respect the rights and privacy of other campers. Place trash in receptacles or pack it out with you. Treat signs, tables, and facilities as if there were your own. Keep noise to a minimum. Leave your campsite the way you would like to find it.

Pets:
Pets are welcome in developed recreational 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.
**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/](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.

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

**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 the provided bear box or inside your vehicle whenever you are not using them. Keep a clean campsite and never feed wild animals!

**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.

**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.

**Driving Safety:**

Be alert and keep to the right when driving steep and narrow mountain roads. Use lower gears and don’t ride your brakes.

**Practice a Leave No Trace! Ethic.**

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

PACK IT IN!

PACK IT OUT!