



## Recreation Sites Operating Dates

An \* indicates that a site may be reserved at [RECREATION.gov](https://www.recreation.gov).

### WATAUGA RANGER DISTRICT: 423-735-1500

Recreation Site	Dates Open
<b>Holston Mountain Area</b>	
<a href="#">Little Oak Campground*</a> :	
Hemlock & Poplar Loops	April 26 - Oct 11
Big Oak & Lone Pine Loops & Boat Ramp	April 26 - Oct 11
Primitive Camping Only (no flush toilets)	April 5 – April 26; Oct 11 – Nov 15
Jacobs Creek Campground & Day Use Area	April 27 - Oct 12
<b>Iron Mountains</b>	
Backbone Rock Recreation Area:	
Day use area ( <a href="#">Pavilions*</a> )	March 15 – Nov 22
( <a href="#">Campground</a> )*	April 26 - Oct 11
<b>Watauga Lake Area</b>	
<a href="#">Cardens Bluff Campground*</a>	April 26 - Oct 11
<a href="#">Dennis Cove Campground*</a>	April 26 - Oct 11
Shook Branch Swim Area	April 26 - Sept 13
<a href="#">Watauga Point Recreation Area*</a>	April 5 - Oct 12
<b>Roan Highlands</b>	
Carvers Gap Trailhead (Vault Toilet)	March 15 – Nov 22
<b>Unaka Mountains</b>	
Laurels Picnic Area ( <a href="#">Pavilions*</a> )	March 15 – Oct 12

### UNAKA RANGER DISTRICT: 423-638-4109

Recreation Site	Dates Open
<b>Unaka Mountains</b>	
Buffalo Mtn. ATV Trail	March 15 – Jan 2, 2022
Limestone Cove Day Use Area	April 30 – Nov 15

<a href="#">Rock Creek Campground*</a> Lower Day Use Area	May 21 – Nov 1 Open Year Round
Chestoa Day Use Area	Open Year Round
<b>Bald Mountains</b>	
Horse Creek Campground <a href="#">Pavilion*</a> & Day Use Area	April 30 – Nov 15 April 30 – Nov 15
<a href="#">Katy Branch Group Site*</a>	April 30 – Nov 15
Old Forge Campground	March 18 – Dec 15
Round Knob Pavilion	Open Year Round
<b>French Broad River Area</b>	
Paint Creek Corridor Day Use	Open Year Round
<a href="#">Paint Creek Campground</a>	April 30 – Nov 15
Round Mountain Campground	April 30 – Nov 15

**TELLICO RANGER DISTRICT: 423-253-8400**

<b>Recreation Site</b>	<b>Dates Open</b>
<b>Citico Creek Area</b>	
Jake Best Campground	March 3 – Nov 30
Young Branch Campground	Open Year Round
<b>Tellico River Area</b>	
Big Oak Cove Campground	May 4 – Nov 30
<a href="#">Donley Cabin*</a>	Open Year Round
Holly Flats Campground	May 4 – Nov 30
<a href="#">Indian Boundary Campground*</a>	April 22 – Nov 2
Indian Boundary Swimming & Picnic Area	April 22 – Nov 2
Indian Boundary Overflow Campground	Open Year Round
North River Campground	Open Year Round
Spivey Cove Campground	May 4 – Nov 30
Davis Branch, Holder Cove, Rough Ridge, State Line, Young Branch Horse Camp, Birch Branch & <a href="#">McNabb Group*</a> campgrounds	Open Year Round

**OCOEE RANGER DISTRICT: 423-338-3300**

<b>Recreation Site</b>	<b>Dates Open</b>
<b>Starr Mountain Area</b>	
Lost Corral Campground	Open Year Round
<b>Hiwassee River Area</b>	
Lost Creek Campground	Open Year Round
Quinn Spring Pavilion	Open Year Round
Hiwassee Picnic Area	Open Year Round
<b>Ocoee River Area</b>	
Chilhowee Recreation Area: <a href="#">Campground*</a> <a href="#">Group Camp*</a>	April 16 – Nov 7 April 23 – Nov 7
Mac Point Beach Day Use	April 25 – Nov 1
Ocoee Whitewater Center Site Building	Open Year Round TBD (COVID-19)
Parksville Beach Day Use	Open Year Round
<a href="#">Parksville RV Campground*</a>	Mar 19 – January 18, 2022
Parksville Group Campground	April 25 – Nov 1
<a href="#">Thunder Rock Campground*</a>	March 19 – Nov 7
Tumbling Creek Campground	Open Year Round
<b>Big Frog Area</b>	
Sylco Campground (No vehicle access)	Open Year Round