



# RECREATION OPPORTUNITY GUIDE

## PAYETTE NATIONAL FOREST

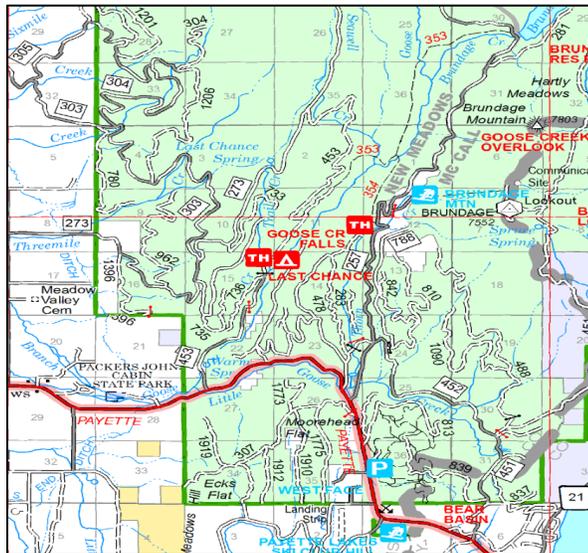
### Last Chance Campground

New Meadows Ranger District  
 3674 Highway 95  
 New Meadows, ID 83654 (208) 347-0300



**Recommended Season:**  
 Late May – Mid-September  
*dependent upon snow levels*

**ACCESS:** Travel north of McCall on Highway 55 for seven miles and then turn right onto road #453; a small sign on the right indicates Last Chance Campground before the turnoff. Travel north two more miles on dirt road #453 to the campground. Volunteer Camp Hosts are present from May to September. This campground tents to fill up quickly on weekends and holidays, so plan accordingly!



**FACILITIES:** This popular campground along Goose Creek features twenty single sites, three double sites, and one group area. Each site has a fire ring and a picnic table. All sites are available on a first come, first serve basis. There are vault toilets and drinking water through a hand pump and an artesian well. There are no hookups and no trash receptacles; please pack out your trash. A day use area has a horseshoe pit and picnic tables.

**SETTING:** Last Chance Campground is situated among large ponderosa pine and Douglas fir trees, which offer a charming forested setting. The campground is situated along Goose Creek, at approximately 4,653 feet.

**OPPORTUNITIES:** This campground boasts many opportunities for recreation. Goose Lake is a short distance away, which features a picnic area, restrooms, and fishing piers. There is excellent fishing in the reservoir, or try your luck in Goose Creek, next to the campground. Popular Goose Creek Trail #533 begins at the campground and leads to Goose Creek Falls and onto Brundage Reservoir. Hiking to Goose Creek Falls is a family friendly hike that everyone is sure to enjoy. A special treat is to go huckleberry picking in late summer along the trail!

**FEE:** Campsites are \$10/night for a single site and \$15/night for a double site. The Interagency Pass and Golden Passport are accepted at this site. Camping is limited to 18 days.