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Some Forest Service Campgrounds Open this Weekend

Several Flathead National Forest campgrounds operated by concessionaire Charlie Jantzen will be open and available for use this weekend, beginning Friday, May 15. Fees and services vary at each site.

Concessionaire campgrounds on the Flathead National Forest opening this weekend are Tally Lake, Big Creek, Emery Bay, Holland Lake, and Swan Lake Campgrounds. More campgrounds and other recreational sites will open as access increases to these areas.

Forest campers and visitors are reminded that all food and food-related items should be stored in a bear-resistant manner. The Flathead National Forest is home to grizzly and black bears, and responsible human actions will help with unwanted bear encounters.

For more information about the food storage regulations on the Flathead National Forest, contact a local forest service office or talk to your campground host.

The Flathead National Forest also offers cabins and lookouts, and six group sites that may be reserved through the National Recreation Reservation Service by visiting www.recreation.gov or calling 1-877-444-6777. Fees, services and seasons of availability vary.

For more information and images of the cabin rentals, or a listing of campgrounds on the Flathead National Forest and the respective facilities and services, including fees, visit the forest's website at www.fs.fed.us/r1/flathead or contact a local Forest Service Office.

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