



Canyon Campground

Elevation: 4200 ft

Managed Season: Check Scenic Canyons or contact the Ranger District for updated information

Services Include: Water, Tables, Grills, Fire Pits, Garbage, Toilets

Fee System: Fees subject to change, check Scenic Canyons at <http://www.sceniccanyons.com>.

Overnight \$12.00, Day Use \$6.00

Units: Total of 6 units with a capacity of 8 people per unit and a maximum RV length of 30 feet

General Information

This is a fee campground. Fee envelopes and a collection box are provided near the entrance. Concessionaires manage the campground. The concessionaire visits weekly from mid-May to Labor Day weekend. This area is accessible for a season that varies between April 20 and October 20 due to snow levels.

Canyon Campground is one of 4 campgrounds that lie along State Highway 55, next to the North Fork of the Payette River. This campground has 6 units. Drinking water is supplied from a well with a hand pump. One vault toilet is located within the campground. Three of the units have paved parking and can accommodate small to medium RV's up to a length of 30 feet. All units have tables, grills and fire pits. Vacationers traveling through Idaho use this campground heavily.

National Recreation Reservation Service (NRRS): This campground is not part of the NRRS. Call 1-208-365-7000 for more information.

Travel: Canyon Campground is located in Southwestern Idaho, 41 miles north of Boise. Take State Highway 55 north to Banks (35 miles). Proceed north on Highway 55 (6 miles) to campground. Watch for recreation signs.

Fishing: The Idaho Department of Fish and Game manages the river fisheries. Fishing is good to excellent most of the year. Fishing occurs from the riverbanks. Whitefish and rainbow trout are the predominate species.

Hunting: Hunting is good on both sides of the river. Due to the heavy highway traffic, hunting is best on the higher slopes. Big game (deer, elk & bear) is located throughout the surrounding mountains.

Recreation sites nearby: Big Eddy Campground, Cold Springs Campground, Swinging Bridge Campground, South Fork of the Payette River

Trails: There are no trails near this campground.

Boating: The Payette River is famous for white water kayaking. There are many small access sites along the river. During the summer you can observe rafts and kayaks on the river every day.

Banks river access site is located 8 miles south on the highway. This site has been developed for this sport. It is also the mouth of the South Fork of the Payette River and the location of the Banks Store and Cafe.

Site Seeing: The area is in high, forested mountains along the North Fork of the Payette River. Highway 55 is a State Scenic Byway.



