



# Great Meadows Campground

Stearns Ranger District • Daniel Boone National Forest • Kentucky



**Stearns Office**  
3320 US 27 North  
Whitley City, KY 42653  
606-376-5323



**Location**  
Take US 27 south for 4.7 miles to KY 92. Turn right and go 1.2 miles, and then turn right on KY 92 at the Fastway Store. Go 5.3 miles to KY 1363; turn left and go 11.4 miles to the end of the blacktop. Turn right on Forest Service Road 564; go 1.2 miles and then turn left on Forest Service Road 137; go 4.4 miles.



**Open Dates**  
Raccoon Loop open all year;  
Deer Loop open April 1 to  
November 15.



**Hours of Operation**  
Campers only from  
11 p.m. to 6 a.m.



**Fees**  
None.



**Campsites**  
18 sites with picnic tables.



**Water**  
No water November 1 to  
mid-April at either loop.



**Restrooms**  
Accessible vault toilets.



**Trash Pickup**  
None. Pack out your trash.



**Accessibility**  
Deer Loop campsites are  
accessible for persons with  
disabilities. Area trails do not  
meet accessibility standards  
for persons with disabilities.



Trails closed to motorized  
vehicles.



Horses are not allowed in the  
campground.



Consumption of alcohol and  
open containers of alcohol are  
prohibited.

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available at  
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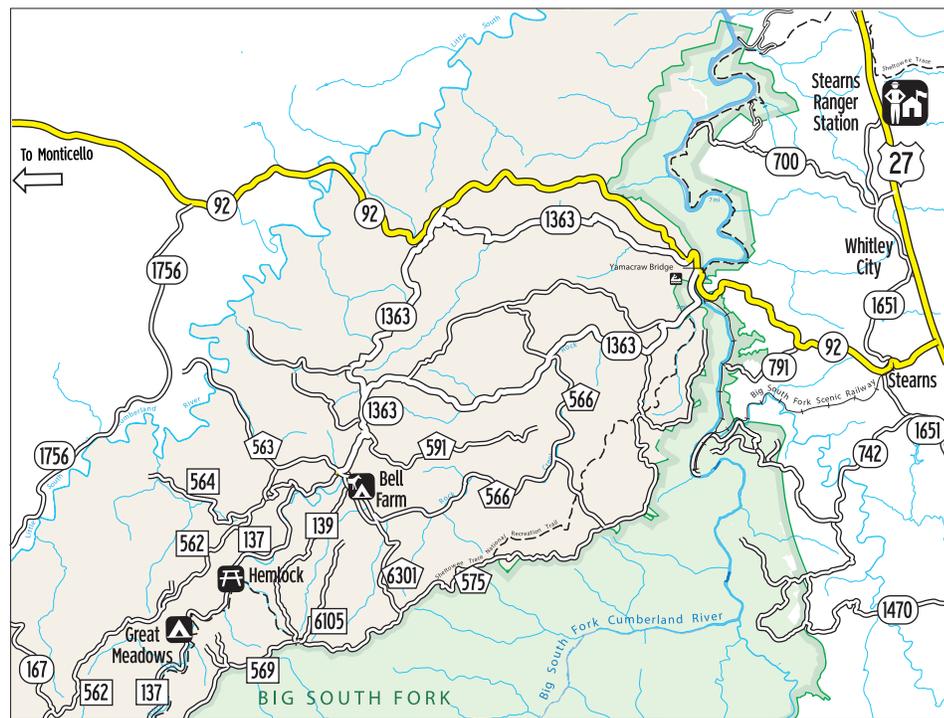
Great Meadows Campground, located on Stearns District of the Daniel Boone National Forest, is developed on both sides of the road. Deer Loop is on the right; Raccoon Loop is on the left. The campground can accommodate RVs up to 35 feet. No hookups or dumpsites are available. Campsite availability is on a first-come, first-served basis.



Rock Creek, a designated Kentucky Wild River, runs along the Raccoon Loop. The creek is stocked with rainbow trout. A Kentucky state fishing license and compliance with all state fishing regulations are required.

Closest Town: Whitley City      Latitude: 36.6289  
County:                    McCreary                    Longitude: -84.7259

Trails nearby: Sheltowee Trace Section 37 and Section 38; Mark Branch Trail #635 and Gobblers Arch Trail #636.



You are responsible for your own safety. All outdoor activities have inherent risks and you may encounter a variety of unexpected and/or dangerous conditions. It is your responsibility to be informed and take precautions. Learn more at [www.fs.usda.gov/r8](http://www.fs.usda.gov/r8).

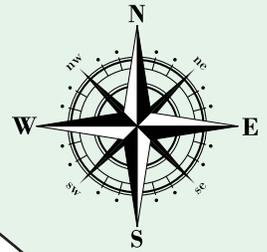
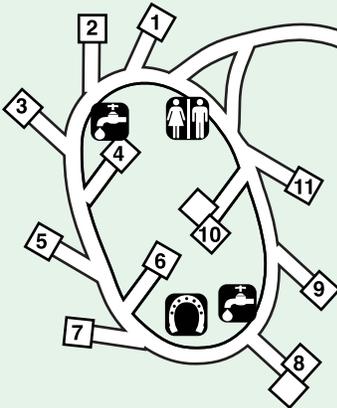


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## Deer Loop



### Storing Your Food and Trash in Bear Country



Food and trash storage is mandatory, to reduce odors that attract bears. Unless cooking or eating, store your food inside a hardtop vehicle, the trunk of a car or a bear-resistant container. Store your food garbage in the same manner where trash cans are not installed. When camping in the backcountry hang your food at least 10 feet off the ground and four feet away from a tree.

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Accessible vault toilets



Drinking Water



Horseshoe Pits

