



DESOTO National Forest



Big Biloxi Recreation Area

DeSoto Ranger District

Wiggins, MS

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Features

Camping Picnicking Interpretive Trail Swimming Fishing

Description

The banks of the Big Biloxi River is the setting for this recreation area. The area provides a cool refreshing experience from cities nearby. Facilities include 25 camping units, all with utility hook ups, a picnic area with a pavilion, bath house, with hot showers, telephone, dump station, and a 1 mile nature trail. The river is an excellent place to fish for bream, bass, and catfish. Big Biloxi is open year-round unless weather conditions require the area to be closed. Big Biloxi is a fee area. The fee station is located just beyond the entrance gate. There is a camp host on duty. Nonetheless, users should make sure that they have correct currency before arriving at the recreation area.

The following daily rates apply:

- Day Use - \$5.00, (per vehicle)
- Camping - \$20.00, (Camping \$14.00 & Hookup \$6.00, (per vehicle))

Passes Honored - Access, Annual, Senior, and MS Adventure
Passes can only be purchased at the District Ranger's Office.

Discounts:

- Day Use - Free, (Users with Annual or MS Adventure honor passes.)
- Day Use - \$2.50, (Users with Access and Senior honor passes receive a 50% discount.)
- Camping - \$13.00, (Users with Access and Senior honor passes receive a 50% discount. There is no discount given on hookup fee.)

Location

Located approximately 14 miles from the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

Directions

Take HWY 49 to DeSoto Park Road. Turn west and travel 1/2 mile to recreation area.

Accessibility

The restrooms, nature trail, and several campsites are fully accessible.