

Volunteer Opportunities with the Kootenai National Forest

Position: Campground Host

North Dickey Lake Campground, Murphy Lake Ranger District, near Eureka Montana

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Dates: May through September

Difficulty: Busy

Opportunity Description:

The campground hosts lives on-site at North Dickey Lake Campground and greets and welcomes campers, gives directions, explains rules and regulations and answers questions about the campground and surrounding area. The campground host will also perform minor maintenance on campground structures and signs and will clean and stock restrooms. Duties will also include painting and posting bulletin boards, cleaning fire rings, keeping records of visitation, etc. The host must be physically able to perform cleaning, some raking, shoveling and sweeping. The host is required to be on-site five days per week, especially on weekends and heavy use holidays.

North Dickey Lake is a medium size fee campground with 25 sites. Visitors are primarily Canadian and from the local area. The campground rests on the shores of Dickey Lake, popular for fishing and boating. North Dickey Lake Campground is located approximately 16 miles southeast of Eureka on Highway 93.

Housing: A host site electrical, water and sewer hookup suitable for an RV is provided for housing. Local phone service is provided and cell service is available.

Reimbursement: Volunteer is reimbursed \$100/week per couple, mileage to nearest town one time a week and propane and/or gas for generator.

A description of the North Dickey Lake Campground can be found at the following link:

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/recmain/kootenai/recreation>

Click on Camping & Cabins, then Campground Camping, Tobacco Area and finally North Dickey Lake Campground

