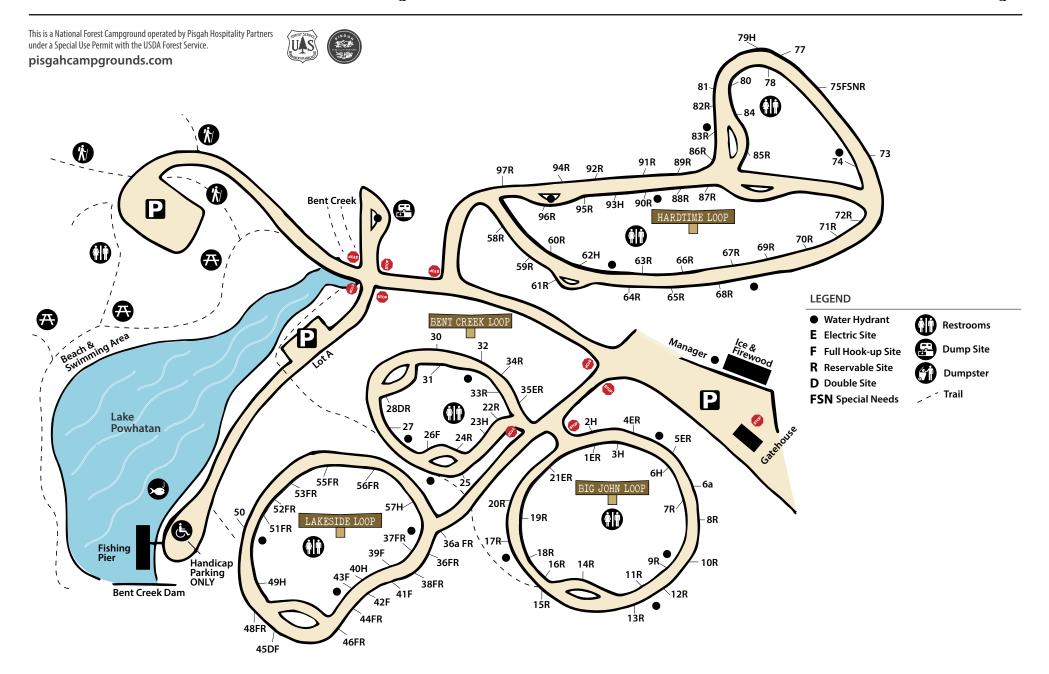
Lake Powhatan Campground & Recreation Area Map



Lake Powhatan Rules



PISGAH NATIONAL FOREST



375 Wesley Branch Road Asheville, NC 28806



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Hours:

• Gatehouse: 8am - 8pm, April 30 to October 29

• Check-out time is 12pm. Campsites must be renewed by 10am.

• Quiet hours: 10pm to 7am

Rentals: Site rentals are only available to individuals who are at least 18 years old. All activities at the campsite are the responsibility of the renter, and sites must be occupied on the first night of the visit.

Reservations are available online or by phone and must be made at least four days in advance of the arrival date. Contact the National Recreation Reservation Service at 877-444-6777 or recreation.gov.

Stay Limits:

- 14 days within a 30-day time period
- The cumulative 14 day stay limit applies to all Forest Service areas within 10 miles of the previously occupied campsite. Included in a cumulative stay limit: Davidson River, Lake Powhatan, North Mills River and Sunburst.

Campsite Capacity:

- Single campsites: up to 8 people, 2 vehicles and 1 wheeled camper
- Double campsites: up to 16 people, 4 vehicles and 2 wheeled campers
- Fees will be added for additional vehicles; any vehicle that does not fit on the pavement at the campsite must be relocated to the overflow parking area.

Visitors:

- Hang tags are available (and required) at the gatehouse for any visitor.
- Obtain the hang tag upon entrance, and return it when exiting.
- Visitors must exit the campground by 9pm. The campground gate closes at 10pm.

Lake Beach: Closed 8pm - 10am. Flotation devices are not permitted in the lake, with the exception of US Coast Guard-approved PFDs.

Parking: Do not park on the grass, in vacant campsites or on the road. RVs and vehicles must back into campsites. Please secure wheels on parking spurs or tent pads.

Speed Limit: Visitors must adhere to traffic signs and the 15-MPH speed limit in accordance with NC State Law. Do not ride bicycles after dark.

Refunds: All site refund requests are processed through the National Recreation Reservation Service at 877-444-6777 or recreation.gov. Refunds are not granted for weather-related circumstances; they are only considered for emergency situations.

Federal Interagency Passes (Senior and Access) are only permitted for single campsites. The person who uses the pass and occupies the campsite must be the same person to whom the pass was issued.

Pets: Keep all pets leashed or caged during your visit to the campground. Pets are not allowed in bathrooms. Clean up after your pet throughout your stay.

Weapons and Fireworks: Individuals in possession of firearms must conform to NC State Law. Weapons and fireworks cannot be discharged inside the campground or within 150 yards of the campground under any circumstance.

Lost and Found: Contact the campground manager for lost items that may be in the Lost and Found. Unclaimed items will be donated to a local charity.

Water Tanks: NC State Law prohibits the connection of hoses to water hydrants in loops. Fill RV water tanks at the potable water station near the dump station (excludes FHU sites).

Tents: Campers need to place tents within the gravel area of their campsite.

Campfires: Campfires are allowed in fire rings only; no other location is permissible for a campfire. "Dead and Down" wood is acceptable firewood, but do not remove trees, branches or any vegetation, whether living or dead. Damaging living trees is considered to be damaging federal property (CFR 261.9), a citable offense.

Food and Washing: Campers may not prepare food, clean fish or wash dishes at bathhouses or hydrants, as hydrants are not connected to the sewer system. All cleaning, washing and food preparation should take place at the campsite.

Generators: Campers wishing to use generators may do so between the hours of 8am and 8pm. Generator use is limited to four hours.