

Know Before You Go

The Bureau of Land Management manages two campgrounds at Hyatt Lake. Campsites are fee sites and available on a first-come, first-served basis. The main Hyatt Lake Campground has 56 campsites, ranging from RV sites to small drive-in and walk-in tent sites. One designated campsite for Pacific Crest Trail hikers is also available.

Facilities include flush toilets, hot showers, a dump station, a fish cleaning station, and two boat ramps with dock facilities. No electrical, water, or sewer hookups are available. Not all facilities are disabled accessible.

For a more primitive experience, the Wildcat Campground has 12 campsites with well water and pit toilets. A group camping area and a group day-use shelter are available. The Osprey kitchen has eight individual walk-in tent camping sites and two RV sites.

Campgrounds open in late April and facilities close in October. Sites can be used in the off-season without charge, but facilities are closed and water is not available.

For use of these fee sites, please contact the Medford Bureau of Land Management District Office for current rates and availability. Your fees matter – 100 percent of all fees collected are used on-site to fund operation, maintenance, and improvements.

Recreation Activities

Summer activities include fishing for trout and smallmouth bass, hiking, swimming, basketball, volleyball, horseshoes, and softball. In winter, cross-country skiing on track-set trails and snowmobiling on 60 miles of marked trails are activities of choice. You can go tubing at the Table Mountain Winter Play Area, where you will also find a fire ring and pit toilets.

A “Watchable Wildlife Site” on the west side of the Hyatt Lake offers a picnic area, interpretive displays, and a pit toilet. Birds and wildlife abound in the area. You can see bald eagles, golden eagles, cormorants, Canada geese, and osprey, as well as deer, otter, and other animals. Adjacent to the Hyatt Lake Recreation Complex is a 40-mile section of the Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail, stretching from Mt. Ashland to Griffin Pass. Two private resorts are also located on Hyatt Lake, offering meals, boat rentals, and other necessities.

Horse Camp

Wildcat Campground is a horse camp with a pit toilet and five

sites each with their own horse corrals. A trail from the horse camp area connects riders directly to the Pacific Crest Trail.

Softball Field

A well-maintained softball field is available for a fee. Tournaments and league play are welcome.

Mountain View Group Shelter

The Mountain View Group Shelter, overlooking Hyatt Lake and Mt. McLoughlin, accommodates up to 100 people. It is equipped with an electric stove, running water, tables, and a large fireplace.

Reservations

Reservations for the group shelter, Osprey kitchen, the softball field, the fire circle, and Wildcat Horse Camp can be made year round by calling the Medford Bureau of Land Management District Office reservation line at (541) 482-2031.

Directions to the Site

From Interstate 5, take Exit 14 in Ashland, Oregon. Turn on Highway 66 toward Klamath Falls. Follow Highway 66 for 17 miles until you reach the Green Springs Inn. Turn north onto the Bureau of Land Management’s East Hyatt Lake Road. Follow the road for approximately three miles until you reach the Hyatt Lake Recreation Complex. Stay to the right on East Hyatt Lake Road. An entry booth is located at the entrance to the campground where information for the Hyatt Lake Recreation Complex is available.

To reach Wildcat Campground, continue past the entry booth on East Hyatt Lake Road past the main campground entrance and continue for approximately two miles. The entrance to Wildcat Campground is on your left.

District Contact Information

Medford District

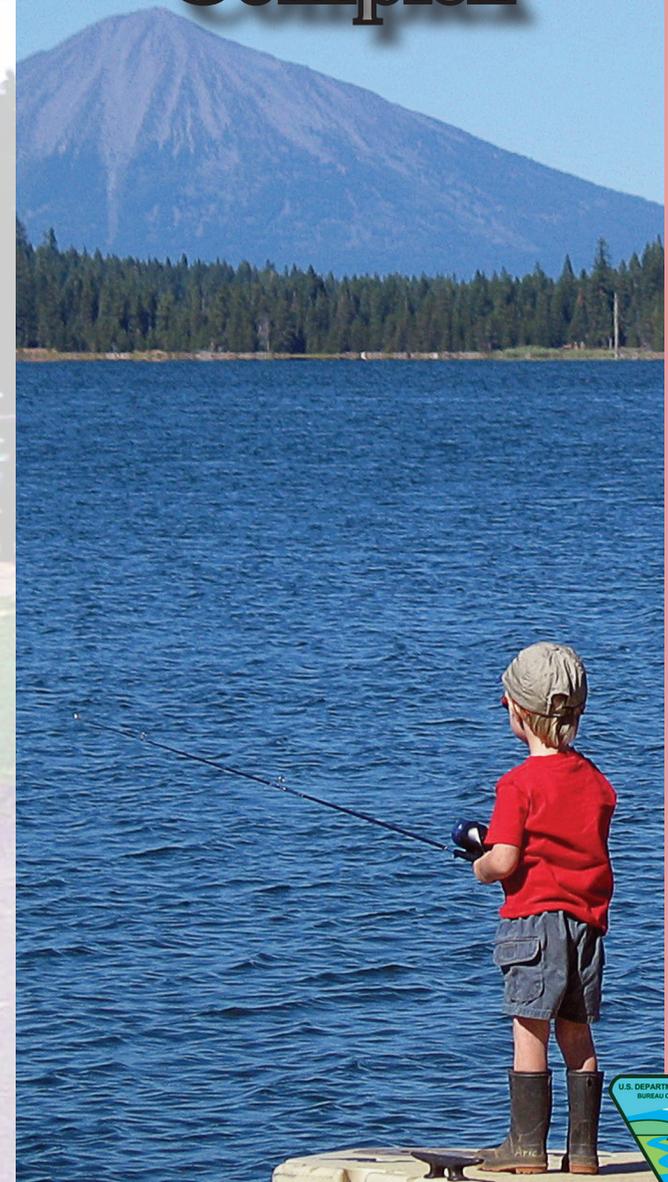
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Hyatt Lake Recreation Complex



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Welcome to Hyatt Lake Recreation Complex in the Cascade-Siskiyou National Monument

Hyatt Lake is at 5,200 feet elevation in Oregon's beautiful Cascade Mountains, only 20 miles east of Ashland, Oregon, and offers year-round outdoor fun. Hyatt Lake Recreation Complex surrounds Hyatt Lake, a reservoir constructed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in 1930 as part of the Talent Irrigation District. The Talent Irrigation District still manages the water level in Hyatt Lake.

