



August 8, 2024

Our Boating Safety Advocates will be at various locations during the summer. We encourage you to drop by and say hello or ask questions if you are nearby.

- Saturday and Sunday August 17 and 18 at Toledo Wooden Boat Show

Wildfire Season is upon us. Closures are indicated in this guide, as available to us at the time of publication. Many fire restrictions are in effect throughout the state. Be sure to check local closures and guidelines to plan ahead for your recreational activities.

Several roads and highways have been closed across the state to support firefighting efforts making some parks intermittently inaccessible. Please refer to [Road & Weather Conditions Map | TripCheck - Oregon Traveler Information](#) when planning your trip.

Water levels change rapidly this time of year. Know Before You Go.

[Water forecasts \(army.mil\)](#)

[Hydromet Pacific Northwest Region | Bureau of Reclamation \(usbr.gov\)](#)

The U.S. Department of Agriculture Forest Service is asking for boater input on the Willamette National Forest. [Investing in Willamette National Forest Recreation Sites \(arcgis.com\)](#) This is YOUR opportunity to tell them about boating access needs!

Agate Lake

- UPDATE: Agate Lake boat launch is open, and the lake is 49% full. Water is dropping quickly. Small boats and paddlecraft are recommended.

Agency Lake

- Henzel and Petric Park's boat ramps are open.

Alsea River

- The Port of Alsea boat launch is open. Alsea Bay has no maintained channel or jetties. Because of new siltation around and in the marina, please avoid using the boat launch on minus tides.

Ana Reservoir

- UPDATE: The County ramp is open and the docks are floating. There is lots of water in the reservoir.

Anthony Lakes

- Anthony Lakes Campground and boat launch are open. The lake is a wonderful place for nonmotorized boats and boats with electric motors to enjoy. The water is cold so remember to wear your life jacket.

Applegate Reservoir

- UPDATE: Hart-Tish ramp is open and there is approximately 20 feet of water over the bottom of the ramp.
- UPDATE: Copper ramp is open and there is approximately 2 feet of water over the bottom of the ramp. This is a primitive ramp consisting of a paved roadbed leading into the lake. The pavement turns to dirt as the reservoir recedes.
- UPDATE: French Gulch boating access open and there is approximately 90 feet of water over the end of the ramp.

Ben Irving Reservoir

- Ben Irving boat launch is open and accessible.

Benson Lake

- ADVISORY: Due to nearby wildfires, multiple trails are closed in the Columbia River Gorge. Please visit the USFS advisory page for up-to-date information. [Mt. Hood National Forest - Alerts & Closures \(usda.gov\)](https://www.usda.gov/land-management/land-use-planning/mt-hood-national-forest/alerts-closures)

- This small lake is located within Benson State Recreation Area about a mile west of Multnomah Falls. Please note the park is accessible to eastbound traffic only from I-84 exit 30. There is a short carry down trail from the parking for nonmotorized boaters to access the lake. This is a nice alternative to the Columbia River and a good place for less experienced paddlers.

Beulah Reservoir

- UPDATE: The Beulah launch has approximately 9 feet of water over the end of the ramp.

Big Lake

- Big Lake West, Big Lake campgrounds, and Big Lake Day Use boating access sites are open.

Blue Lake (Multnomah County)

- ADVISORY: Visitors have reported encountering leeches in certain areas of the lake. [Metro alert and closure information | Metro \(oregonmetro.gov\)](#)
- Blue Lake Regional Park is open.

Blue River Reservoir

- ADVISORY: The Lookout, Mona, and Saddle Dam boat ramps are closed due to the Ore Fire. [fseprd1193868.pdf \(usda.gov\)](#)

Bradley Lake

- Bradley Lake boat ramp is open.

Brownlee Reservoir

- ADVISORY: Idaho Department of Health and Welfare on August 5, 2024 issued a harmful algal bloom health advisory for Brownlee and Hells Canyon reservoirs, urging caution when recreating in or near the water.
- The area near Brownlee Reservoir between Morgan Creek and Canyon Creek is under a Level 1: Be Ready (Prepare to Evacuate) evacuation notice. The area between Canyon Creek and Quicksand Creek are under a Level 2: Be Set (Prepare to leave at a moment's notice) evacuation notice. The area between Quicksand Creek and Richland are under a Level 3: Go (Leave immediately) evacuation notice.
- UPDATE: Moonshine Mine boat ramp is open. There is approximately 38 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp.

- UPDATE: The Spring Recreation Campground and boat ramp are open. There is approximately 3 feet of water over the bottom of the ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the lower portion of the boat ramp causing expensive repairs and permitting. Call the Baker BLM office at 541-523-1256 for current ramp conditions.
- UPDATE: Hewitt Park low-water ramp and docks are open. There is approximately 20 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp. A bank stabilization project will begin August 15th at the Hewitt RV and Tent sites areas. The boat ramp will remain open, but campers may be moved to Holcomb Park during construction. This project is anticipated to be completed by early October.
- UPDATE: Farewell Bend State Park is open.
- Holcomb Park boat launch is closed due to low water levels.
- The floating restroom has been removed for the season.

Bull Prairie Reservoir

- ADVISORY: The area surrounding Bull Prairie Campground listed as Level 2: Be Set (Prepare to leave at a moment's notice) evacuation due to the Boneyard, Monkey Creek, and Snake fires.
- UPDATE: Bull Prairie Lake Campground is currently listed as open. [Umatilla National Forest - Bull Prairie Lake Campground \(usda.gov\)](https://www.usda.gov/land-management/land-use/ummatilla-national-forest-bull-prairie-lake-campground)

Bully Creek Reservoir

- ADVISORY: The Cow Valley Fire has closed access to Bully Creek Reservoir.

Campbell Lake

- Campbell Lake campground and ramp are open.

Cape Meares Lake

- The boat ramp is open. The launch and maneuver area are very small. Be careful when launching and retrieving, you may encroach onto Bay Ocean Road. Weeds are getting thick in much of the lake.

Chetco River

- Alfred A. Loeb State Park, Miller Bar, Nook Bar, Redwood Bar, and South Fork Campgrounds and Day Use areas have large drop offs on the access to the gravel bar.
- The Port of Brookings Harbor will be hosting several events this season. These events can cause congestion near the dock and rinse station. Cones and signs are put out to help traffic flow.
 - August 8-11 – Pirates of the Pacific Festival

Chickahominy Reservoir

- The boat ramp is open, and the docks are floating.

Clackamas River

- UPDATE: Moore Creek, Hole-in-the-Wall and Sandstone Bridge Boat Access sites are open.
- Clackamette Park is open and available for nonmotorized launching, however the boat ramp is closed due to safety concerns.
- The Milo McIver State Park boat ramp is open. Campground will be closed for restroom upgrades and general improvements from September 16, 2024 – January 31, 2025.

Clear Lake (Linn County)

- UPDATE: Boating access at the Cold Water Cove boat slide is open.
- Clear Lake Resort, marina and ramp are open. This is a great place to paddle, but dress appropriately because the water is very cold year-round.

Clear Lake (Wasco County)

- UPDATE: The lake is 18% full. The campground and boat launch are open. The water level will continue to go down to meet agricultural water rights. This is a nice place for paddlers to explore even when water levels are low.

Cleawox Lake

- Jessie M. Honeyman State Park small boat ramp and large day use beach and dock are open. Small boats are recommended. Remember to clean, drain and dry any boat and remove any visible vegetation. Help prevent the spread of aquatic invasive species.

Coffenbury Lake

- Fort Stevens State Park boat launch and docks are open. Remember to Clean, Drain and Dry between waterbodies to prevent the spread of aquatic invasive species.

Cold Springs Reservoir

- UPDATE: Cold Springs Reservoir is approximately 25% full. The reservoir is located approximately 20 minutes east of Hermiston. There is a primitive boat ramp and gravel parking. This is a great place to paddle, fish and watch wildlife.

Columbia River

- ADVISORY: Due to nearby wildfires multiple trails are closed in the Columbia River Gorge. Please visit the United State Forest Service [advisory page](#) and Oregon State Park [park notices](#) for a list of closures.
- UPDATE: Sandy Beach short-term tie-up dock on Government Island is damaged. Use caution when accessing the dock. As of August 6 a large barge is grounded out near the dock.
- The pump out station at the Port of Cascade Locks is out of service until further notice due to low water. The boat ramp and boarding docks are open.
- Hammond, Warrenton, and Rainier City Marinas are open.
- Sand Island shuttle service is open. There are two large short-term tie-up docks for recreational boater use only.
- The City of St. Helens Courthouse Docks are open. The pumpout and dump station are available.
- The Hayden Bay pumpout is online.
- M. James Gleason boating access is open. The pumpout and dump station are operational.
- Chinook Landing ramp, docks and restrooms are open. The pumpout and dump station are open.
- Rooster Rock day use is open. The launch ramp is only usable during higher river flows due to heavy sedimentation.
- Mayer State Park, Hat Rock State Park, Boardman Marina and boat ramp, Irrigon Marina, boat ramp, recreational boat short term tie-up dock and pumpout and dump station are open. and Port of Arlington's pumpout and

dump station are open. The boat ramp and recreational boat short-term tie-up dock are open.

- Port of The Dalles restrooms are closed for repair, and two portable restrooms are available. The boat ramp, short-term tie-up dock, pumpout and dump station are open. The marine fuel station is operated by the Yacht Club and offers both diesel and gasoline.

Cooper Creek

- Cooper Creek boat launch is open.

Coos Bay

- UPDATE: The Eastside Boat Ramp is open and a couple docks have been installed. The other boarding docks are being repaired and the City is anticipating having piling replaced in August. The City anticipates a full reopening in September.
- California Street boat ramp is open, and the first half of the boarding docks have been replaced. The City of North Bend is having the remaining docks repaired.
- Shinglehouse Boat Ramp is open. The boarding docks have been vandalized and removed. There are no plans to replace them currently.
- The Charleston marina is open year-round. Both pumpout and dump stations are operational.
- Empire Boat Ramp is open, and docks are installed.
- North Spit docks are not installed and there is sediment build up on the boat ramp.
- Repairs to North Jetty. Construction is expected to last until December 2025. <https://www.nwp.usace.army.mil/Media/News-Releases/Article/3327429/corps-of-engineers-to-begin-critical-repairs-to-coos-bay-north-jetty-closes-roa/>

Coos River

- The Myrtle Tree boat ramp is open.

Coquille River

- UPDATE: Sturdivant Park's boat ramp and docks are closed for construction.
- UPDATE: Arago Boat Ramp is open and boarding docks are installed.

- UPDATE: Coquille Boat Ramp is open. Most of the sediment has been removed. There is some at the bottom of the boat ramp that may impact launching at low tides.
- The campground at Bullard's Beach State Park will be closed September 16, 2024 through March 17, 2025 to upgrade the main sewer line for the campground. The day use portion of the park will remain open with limited disruptions.
- The Port of Bandon boat ramp and marina, Bullard's Beach, Rocky Point, and Riverton are open.

Cottage Grove Reservoir

- UPDATE: Wilson Creek boat ramp is open and has approximately 5 feet of water over the end of the ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the lower portion of the boat ramp causing expensive repairs and permitting.
- UPDATE: Lakeside Boat Ramp is open. There is more than 30 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp.

Cottonwood Reservoir

- ADVISORY: OHA on August 1 issued an advisory for the Reservoir due to the presence of cyanobacteria bloom. [Recreational use advisory issued for Cottonwood Reservoir August 1 \(govdelivery.com\)](https://govdelivery.com)

Cougar Reservoir

- UPDATE: Slide Creek Campground and Echo Park are open. However, the water is more than 35 feet below the bottom of the ramps. The boating access sites are not usable.

Crane Prairie

- UPDATE: The reservoir is 79% full.
- Crane Prairie Day Use boating access boarding docks are installed.
- Rock Creek boating access docks have been installed.
- Quinn River boat launch and campground are open. The ramp has a shallow slope, and the asphalt approach is damaged and breaking apart.
- Crane Prairie Resort and Marina are open.

- Browns Mountain boating access has a shallow slope with four-inch gaps between concrete planks. The location on the reservoir provides for calmer water and is a great place for paddlers to explore.

Crescent Lake

- ADVISORY: Spring Campground and Crescent Lake Day use and Campground boat ramps are currently closed due to the Red Fire. [Deschutes National Forest - Alerts & Closures \(usda.gov\)](https://www.usda.gov/land-management/land-use/forestry/alerts-closures)

Crump Lake

- ADVISORY: Check with Oregon Department of State Lands to determine if access to the lake is open. OAR 141-088-0250 shawn.zumwalt@dsl.oregon.gov

Crystal Creek

- Malone Springs boat launch is open. Hand launching is available.
- Rocky Point ramp on Recreation Creek is about ten-minute drive south and trailered boats can use the boat ramp.

Cullaby Lake

- Cullaby Lake Park is open, and docks are floating.
- Carnahan Park is open.

Cultus Lake

- Big Cove, West Cultus, and Little Cove Boat-In Campgrounds are open.
- Cultus Lake Day Use and boating site are open.
- Cultus Lake Campground and boat ramp are open, and dock installed.
- Cultus Lake Resort is open for the season. [Home - Cultus Lake Resort](#)

Davis Lake

- East Davis Lake campground and boat launch are open.

Deadhorse Lake

- Deadhorse Lake Campground and boat ramp are open. The boating access is primitive and great for nonmotorized boats and boats with electric motors

Delintment Lake

- ADVISORY: Delintment Lake is closed due to the Falls Fire. [Malheur National Forest - News & Events \(usda.gov\)](#)

Depoe Bay

- Depoe Bay boat ramp is open.

Depot Slough

- The Wooden Boat Show will be held at the Port of Toledo August 17-18. [Wooden Boat Show | Port of Toledo, Oregon](#)
- The Port of Toledo recreational short-term tie-up docks, pumpout and dump station are open.

Deschutes River

- Heritage Landing, Lava Island Falls (Big Eddy), Aspen, Slough, Besson, Tetherow and Harper's Bridge, Big River, Pringle Falls, and Cow Meadow Campgrounds, Tenino, Bull Bend, and Wyeth and boating access sites are open. Many of these locations are also trailheads for the Deschutes River Trail. To learn more about the trail, visit [Deschutes National Forest - Deschutes River Trail \(usda.gov\)](#)

Detroit Lake

- ADVISORY UPDATE: OHA on July 16, 2024 issued an advisory for the North Santiam River from Mehama upstream to (and including) Big Cliff Reservoir and Detroit Reservoir due to the presence of concerning levels of cyanobacteria. [Recreational use advisories issued for North Santiam River, Big Cliff Reservoir and Detroit Reservoir July 16 \(govdelivery.com\)](#)
- UPDATE: The water level at State Park D ramp is approximately 5 feet below the bottom of the boat ramp. Nonmotorized boats can carry down.
- UPDATE: Cove Creek Campground boat ramp is open, and water is 10 feet over the end ramp. The boarding docks are off the guideway. Use caution when using.
- UPDATE: Southshore Campground is open. Water is 8 feet over the end of the ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the lower portion of the boat ramp causing expensive repairs and permitting.
- UPDATE: Hoover Campground is open, and water is 6 feet over the bottom of the ramp. The boarding docks are off the guideway. Use caution when using. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer.

Power loading and unloading can damage the lower portion of the boat ramp causing expensive repairs and permitting.

- UPDATE: Kane's Marina is open and there is approximately 3 feet of water under the marina.
- UPDATE: Mongold lower boat ramp is open, and water elevations are approximately 100 feet over the bottom of the ramp.
- UPDATE: State Park G loop boating access is open. The water elevation is approximately 18 feet over the bottom of the boat ramp.
- Detroit Lake Marina is open.

Devils Lake (Deschutes County)

- Devil's Lake Campground is open.

Devil's Lake (Lincoln County)

- Devil's Lake State Park West Campground and dock are open.
- Devil's Lake State Park East boat ramp is open.

Dexter Reservoir

- Lowell State Recreation Site and Dexter State Park will host Columbia Drag Boat Association races from August 16th to 18th and will be closed to the general public. [Drag Boat Racing | Columbia Drag Boat Association | United States \(cdbaracing.com\)](https://www.cdbaracing.com)
- Lowell and Dexter State Park boat ramps are open, and water is fluctuating around nine feet over the bottom of the ramps. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the lower portion of the boat ramp causing expensive repairs and permitting.

Diamond Lake

- NEW: Southshore, North End, Thielson View and Diamond Lake Campground ramps are open.

Dog Lake

- Dog Lake Campground and boating site are open.

Dorena Reservoir

- UPDATE: Harms Park boat ramp is open, and there is approximately 5 feet of water at the bottom of the ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat

on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the lower portion of the boat ramp causing expensive repairs and permitting. The main road leading to Harms boat ramp will have ongoing construction this summer for a culvert replacement project. Please access the park via Shoreview Drive to Row River Road along the north side of the lake. [Row River Road Culvert Replacement Project - Lane County](#)

- UPDATE: Baker Bay boat ramp and campgrounds are open. There is approximately 50 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp.

Duncan Reservoir

- Duncan Reservoir is a small campground with boat ramp. It is located approximately 10 miles south from Silver Lake. open typically from Memorial Day to September 30th.

East Lake

- East Lake and Cinder Hill Campgrounds are open.
- Deschutes National Forest is not installing docks at East Lake because the water level is too low. [Deschutes National Forest - Home \(usda.gov\)](#)
- East Lake Resort Marina is open. [MARINA | eastlakeresort](#)

Eel Lake

- William M. Tugman State Park boat launch and kayak launch are open. The south trail around Eel Lake is closed near mile marker one in response to a slide.

Elk Lake (Deschutes County)

- Sunset View Day Use, Elk Lake Day Use, Point Campground, Little Fawn and Elk Lake Resort boating access sites are open.

Emigrant Lake

- UPDATE: North boat ramp is open. The lake is 34% full. The West ramp is now closed due to low water levels.

Estacada Lake

- Timber Park nonmotorized launch is open. Call the park at 503-630-5210 for the most up to date information.

Fall Creek Reservoir

- UPDATE: North Shore Day Use long ramp-road has a shallow slope and works best for small boats and paddlecraft. There is more than 50 feet of water over the end of the ramp. The short ramp is closed.
- UPDATE: Winberry boating access is open, and docks are floating. Water is nearly 10 feet over the end of the ramp.
- UPDATE: Cascara boating access is closed for all boating due to low water levels.

Faraday Lake

- The lake, park and surrounding areas are closed for construction. Parking near the bridge and access to all areas across the bridge (Southeast of the Clackamas River) are closed. The area is anticipated to be reopened in the Fall of 2024. [Faraday Lake \(portlandgeneral.com\)](http://portlandgeneral.com)

Fern Ridge Reservoir

- Perkins Peninsula Park is open. There is approximately four feet of water over the end of the ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the lower portion of the boat ramp causing expensive repairs and permitting. [Perkins Peninsula Park - Lane County](#)
- Richardson Park Marina is open, and there is approximately seven feet of water over the end of the ramp. [Richardson Park - Lane County](#)
- Orchard Point Marina is open, and there is approximately eight feet of water at the end of the ramp. [Orchard Point - Lane County](#)
- The floating restroom has been installed for the season.

Floras Creek

- Boice Cope Campground and boat ramp are open.

Foster Reservoir

- Sunnyside Park day use, and boating access is open. There is approximately 22 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp.
- Gedney Creek is open, and water is 16 feet over the end of the ramp.
- Calkins Park boat ramp is open. There is four feet of water over the end of the ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the lower portion of the boat ramp causing expensive repairs and permitting.

Fourmile Lake

- UPDATE: Fourmile Lake Campground and boat ramp are open, and the lake is 19% full.

Galesville Reservoir

- Chief Miwaleta boat launch is open and accessible.

Garrison Lake (Port Orford)

- 12th Street boat ramp and Pinehurst gravel ramp are open. Pinehurst is a great access site for paddlecraft to explore the lake.

Gold Lake

- Gold Lake Campground and Day Use Area are open.

Grand Ronde Lake

- Grand Ronde Lake Campground and boating access is open. This small access is approximately two miles from Anthony Lake. If you are looking for something less busy than Anthony Lake, check out this site. This hand launch site is a lovely spot for paddling.

Green Peter Reservoir

- UPDATE: Thistle Creek upper ramp is open. The water is fluctuating at the end of the upper ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the lower portion of the boat ramp causing expensive repairs and permitting.
- UPDATE: Whitcomb Creek campground is open, and there is approximately 7 feet of water over the bottom of the ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the lower portion of the boat ramp causing expensive repairs and permitting.
- The floating restroom on the Quartzville arm has been removed.

Haystack Reservoir

- UPDATE: Haystack Campground and Haystack West are open for day use and camping. The docks are in the water. The reservoir is 89% full.

Heart Lake

- UPDATE: Heart Lake boat launch is located less than an hour west of Lakeview. The boarding dock is broken.

Hells Canyon Reservoir

- ADVISORY: Idaho Department of Health and Welfare on August 5, 2024 issued a harmful algal bloom health advisory for Brownlee and Hells Canyon reservoirs, urging caution when recreating in or near the water.
- Hells Canyon Creek boat ramp and Visitor Center are open.
- Copperfield boat launch is open.

Henry Hagg Lake

- UPDATE: Ramps A and C have more than 45 feet of water over the end of the boat ramps.

Hills Creek Reservoir

- UPDATE: Packard Creek Campground and Day Use area are open. The Boat Ramp is open year-round, and the water is approximately 85 feet over the end of the ramp.
- UPDATE: CT Beach boating access has approximately 19 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp.
- UPDATE: Bingham boating access water level is 6 feet over the bottom of the boat ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the lower portion of the boat ramp causing expensive repairs and permitting.

Holbrook Reservoir

- Holbrook Campground and boat launch are located less than an hour west of Lakeview.

Hosmer Lake

- Hosmer Lake boating access is open.

Howard Prairie Reservoir

- UPDATE: Howard Prairie Resort boat launch is open and boarding docks are floating. The Campground is open. The reservoir is 48% full.
- Willow Point, Grizzly and Klum Landing are open. However, the boat launches are closed due to low water.

Hyatt Lake

- UPDATE: Wildcat Campground and boat ramp are open for the season. The reservoir is 50% full.

- Cascade and Mountain View boat ramps are currently closed due to utility system upgrades.

Jubilee Lake

- Jubilee Lake Campground is open. Nestled in the Umatilla National Forest, this high elevation lake is known for good fishing, swimming, and nonmotorized boating. From Highway 204, turn North onto Forest Service Road 64. Follow the road for 12 miles and the campground entrance will be on your right.

Kilchis River

- UPDATE: Mapes Creek boat launch is closed for repairs. It is anticipated to be reopened the end of August.

Kinglsey Reservoir

- ADVISORY: Campground and boat ramp are closed due to the Whisky Creek Fire until further notice. [Kingsley Campground - Hood River County, OR](#)

Lake Billy Chinook

- All three floating restrooms have been installed. They are located at Kettle falls, Deschutes, and Metolius arms.
- Perry South, Cove Palisades State Park, Lower Deschutes, Crooked River and Upper Deschutes, and Cove Palisades Resort and Marina are open.

Lake Harriet

- ADVISORY: There is construction on Forest Road 57 until September 1st. Detours may not be suitable for trailers. [Mt. Hood National Forest - Alerts & Closures \(usda.gov\)](#)
- Lake Harriet Day Use area and boat ramp are open.

Lake Lytle

- UPDATE: The City park is open. Construction of a new restroom facility has begun and is anticipated to complete in the Spring of 2025.

Lake of the Woods

- Aspen Point, Sunset Campground, Rainbow Bay and Lake of the Woods Resort boating access sites are open.

Lake Owyhee Reservoir

- UPDATE: Gordon Gulch boat ramp is open. Two of the three dock sections have been repaired and are available for use. There is approximately 43 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp. There is a very large hole in the concrete ramp. Launching is still available. Oregon State Parks anticipates making repairs this year.
- UPDATE: Indian Creek boat ramp is open. There is approximately 58 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp.
- UPDATE: Leslie Gulch boat ramp is open, dependent upon the weather. Water is 15 feet over the bottom of the boat ramp. Contact Vale District Bureau of Land Management for more up-to-date information (541) 473-3144.
- McCormack boat ramp is open.

Lake Simtustus

- ADVISORY: Portland General Electric reports on August 2, 2024 a harmful algal bloom has been sighted on Lake Simtustus. [Be aware](#) and "**when in doubt, stay out.**" Pelton Park boat launch, marina and campground are open.

Laurance Lake

- Kinnikinnick East and West are open. Laurance Lake near Hood River is a nice location for paddlers to explore.

Lava Lake

- Lava Lake boating access is open, and the docks are installed. Lava Lake Resort and Marina are open.

Lemolo Lake

- ADVISORY: United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service has issued an Emergency Fire closure for this area. [Umpqua National Forest - Alerts & Closures \(usda.gov\)](#) **This includes all boating access sites on Lemolo Lake.**

Little Cultus Lake

- Little Cultus Campground and boating access are open.

Little Lava Lake

- Little Lava Lake Campground and boat launch are open.

Lofton Reservoir

- Lofton Reservoir campground and boat launch are located less than an hour west of Lakeview. The boat ramp is open.

Lookout Point Reservoir

- UPDATE: The Signal Point boat ramp is open. There is approximately 29 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp.
- UPDATE: Black Canyon Campground and boat ramp are open. However, the water is 48 feet below the bottom of the boat ramp.
- UPDATE: Hampton is open. However, the water is approximately 60 feet below the boat ramp.
- The Meridian boat ramp is closed due to low water.

Loon Lake

- Loon Lake Recreation Site is open from Memorial Day to September 30th. [LOON LAKE RECREATION SITE | Bureau of Land Management \(blm.gov\)](#)
- The East Shore Day Use Area is open year-round. Paddlecraft can carry down from the Day Use Area.

Lost Creek Reservoir

- UPDATE: Joseph Stewart Resort and Marina are open. The boat ramp is open and there is more than 17 feet of water over the end of the boat ramp.
- UPDATE: Takelma boat ramp is open and there is approximately 75 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp.

Luckiamute River

- ADVISORY: The bridge accessing North Luckiamute State Natural Area (Crocker Road) is closed due to severe structural damage caused by a tree limb. The bridge is unsafe to cross and will remain closed to all traffic until a complete overhaul can be completed in early 2025. Until that time, the only way to access North Luckiamute is by boat. [Luckiamute State Natural Area - Oregon State Parks](#)

McKay Reservoir

- UPDATE: McKay Creek National Wildlife Refuge North and South boating access is open, and the reservoir is 61% full.

McKenzie River

- Frissell, Paradise Campground, McKenzie Bridge, Bruckart Landing, Hamlin, Forest Glen, Finn Rock Landing, Silver Creek Boat Launch, Ben and Kay Dorris State Park, Helfrich Landing, Goodpasture, Greenwood Landing, Leaburg Landing, Deerhorn Landing, Hendricks Bridge, Bellinger Landing, Hayden Bridge, Armitage Park, are open.

Miller Lake

- Digit Point Campground and boat launch are open. Water systems are nonpotable only. We have received comments from boaters that the road to Miller Lake is rough. Use caution when towing a boat on the road.
- Gideon Creek Day Use Area is open. This is a nice place to launch paddlecraft.

Millicoma River

- Doris Place and Rooke-Higgins ramps are open.

Minam River

- Minam State Recreation Area boat launch is open. Parking in this area is day use only.

Morgan Lake

- Morgan Lake Campground and boat ramp are closed due to extreme fire danger. [Morgan Lake City Park CLOSED Effective July 25, 2024 | La Grande, OR \(cityoflagrande.org\)](https://www.cityoflagrande.org/news/2024/07/25/morgan-lake-city-park-closed-effective-july-25-2024)

Necanicum River

- NEW: The Highway 101 boat ramp is closed for the off season, it will reopen to anglers in the fall.
- Quatat Marine Park and Cartwright Park boating access sites in Seaside are open. The automatic gate at Quatat was vandalized so the mechanism has been removed for repairs. Gates can be opened and closed manually.

Nehalem River

- Nehalem Bay State Park boat ramp and docks, Wheeler short-term tie-up dock and boat ramp, Nehalem County Ramp, Roy Creek ramp, Nehalem H Street and Tohls Street docks are open.

- Nehalem Bay State Park campground will be closed to install new utilities from October 1st, 2024, through May 20th, 2025. [Nehalem Bay State Park - Oregon State Parks](#)

Nestucca River

- UPDATE: The river above the first bridge is too low for drift boats.

North Fork Reservoir

- North Fork Reservoir Lower Launch is open.
- Promontory Park boat launch is open. Call the marina at 503-630-5152 for hours.

North Santiam River

- ADVISORY: Oregon Health Authority (OHA) issued a recreational use health advisory for the North Santiam River from the confluence with the South Santiam River up to the mouth of the Little North Fork Santiam River in Mehama due to the presence of cyanotoxins above recreational use values for human exposure. [Recreational use advisories issued for North Santiam River, Big Cliff Reservoir and Detroit Reservoir July 16 \(govdelivery.com\)](#)
- Jefferson boat ramp is open. The ramp is gated, please contact the City of Jefferson City Hall for access. [Contact - The City of Jefferson Oregon Welcomes You](#)
- Buell Miller, Lyons-Mehama and Stayton Bridge boating access are open year-round.
- Fishermen's Bend Recreation Site has limited day use; no camping or dump station is available. [FISHERMENS BEND | Bureau of Land Management \(blm.gov\)](#)
- Greens Bridge access is gated. Anglers who wish to launch or retrieve from this site must apply for a key by calling the local ODFW office at (541) 757-4186 and provide your fishing license number.

North Twin Lake

- ADVISORY: The Campground and boating access are temporarily closed due to fire suppression activities in the area. [Deschutes National Forest - North Twin Lake Campground \(usda.gov\)](#)

North Umpqua River

- Colliding Rivers, Hestness, Amacher, Umpqua Landing, and Whistlers Bend ramps are open and accessible.
- Bogus Creek raft launch is closed from the Archie Creek fire. The U.S. Forest Service is working on plans to rebuild the boating access.

Ochoco Lake

- UPDATE: The reservoir is 69% full. The boat launch is open.
- The floating restroom has been installed for the season.

Odell Lake

- ADVISORY: Trapper Creek campground is within the USFS wildfire closure boundaries. [Deschutes National Forest - Alerts & Closures \(usda.gov\)](https://www.usda.gov/land-management/forest/alerts-closures)
- Odell Lake will host a Kokanee Power Oregon Fishing Derby on August 18th, from 6:00 AM to 2:00 PM. [Kokanee Power of Oregon Main Page - Oregon \(kokaneepoweroregon.com\)](https://www.kokaneepoweroregon.com/)
- Princess Creek and Sunset Cove Campgrounds, boat ramps and docks are open.

Odessa Creek off of Upper Klamath Lake

- Odessa Picnic Site boat ramp is located approximately ½ mile from Upper Klamath Lake is open. Remember to Clean, Drain and Dry before launching at a new waterbody to prevent the spread of aquatic invasive species.

Olalla Reservoir

- Olalla Lake Access is located approximately 10 minutes north of Toledo. The access is owned by Georgia Pacific and is seasonally available through mid-summer, while the water levels are high.

Olallie Lake

- Peninsula Campground is closed due to extensive damage from the Lionshead Fire. [Mt. Hood National Forest - Peninsula \(Olallie Lake\) Campground \(usda.gov\)](https://www.usda.gov/land-management/forest/peninsula-campground)
- Olallie Lake Resort is open for the season. [Olallie Lake Resort](https://www.olallielake.com/)

Pacific Ocean

- UPDATE: Cape Kiwanda dory launch is open.
- Sunset Bay State Park campground is open for day use year-round.

Paulina Lake

- Little Crater Campground and Day Use, Paulina Lake Campground and Day use boating access sites are open.

Phillips Reservoir

- UPDATE: The reservoir is approximately 45% full, and the Union Creek Campground and Day Use Picnic Area are open.
- Mason Dam boat ramp is open.

Pilcher Creek Reservoir

- UPDATE: The County ramp and campground are open. The docks are out of the water. Located approximately 15 minutes west of North Powder.

Pine Hollow Reservoir

- Both the South and North boat ramps are open.

Powers Pond

- Powers Park kayak launch is open.

Prineville Reservoir

- UPDATE: Jasper Point Campground and boat ramp are open, with 19 feet of water over the end of the ramp.
- UPDATE: Powderhouse Cove ramp is open, with 1 feet of water over the end of the ramp.
- UPDATE: Prineville State Park Day Use is open, and currently has 31 feet of water over the end of the ramp. The boarding dock is available. Day Use hazard buoys and no wake buoys are installed. State Parks will be replacing wales on the boarding dock throughout July.
- The unimproved Roberts Bay and County ramps are open.
- Both floating restrooms have been installed for the season.

Rogue River

- The Clash at Cougar Lane whitewater hydroplane boat races will take place between Copper Canyon and Foster bar from August 17th, 10:00 AM through August 18th, 3:00 PM. [Home \(river-racers.com\)](http://river-racers.com)
- Argo, Rand boating access, Galice, Hog Creek, Ferry Hole, Griffin Park, Baker Park, Riverside Park, Dees Landing (Coyote Evans Wayside), Gold Hill Sports

Park, TouVelle, Dodge Bridge, and Valley of the Rogue State Parks, Upper Rogue Regional Park (Shady Cove), Rogue Elk, and Casey County Park are open.

- Grave Creek boat ramp is accessible. Please be aware that Rainie Falls Trail is still closed due to landslides. BLM asks that you stay out of that area.

Rogue River Bay

- The Port of Gold Beach facilities are open.

Saunders Lake

- The county boat ramp is open.

Scappoose Bay

- Scappoose Bay Marina and boat ramp are open. The Marina will undergo improvements to the boat ramp approach and parking areas. Improvements will include installation of new pay stations, additional parking, wider sidewalks, paving, curbing, and striping. Construction is anticipated to be completed before spring 2025. Normal traffic routes and access may be interrupted.

Siletz River

- Moonshine Boat Ramp, Old Mill Park and Hee Hee Illahee are open.

Siltcoos Lake

- The floating restroom is now online.
- Westlake County Park is open.

Siuslaw River

- Port of Siuslaw Floating Restroom has been installed
- The Port of Siuslaw boat ramp is open, and the boom logs have been removed for the season.
- Schindler, Tiernan, Konnie Memorial, Tide County Parks, Mapleton, Bender Landing, Farnham, Linslaw, and Deadwood are open.

Skipanon River

- Warrenton Marina is open.

Smith River

- Dailey Ranch Slide is open for nonmotorized retrieval. Be aware of a log currently making it difficult for larger drift boats to retrieve at this location.
- Vincent Creek boat launch is well suited for nonmotorized boats.
- Bolon Island and Riverside ramps are open.

Snake River

- Nyssa boat ramp and docks are open. There are large voids between the boat ramp concrete planks. Use caution when launching and retrieving.
- Dug Bar is open.

South Twin Lake

- South Twin Lake Campground and boat ramp are open.

South Umpqua River

- Charles V Stanton, Happy Valley, and Pickett boat ramps are open.

Spring Creek

- Collier Memorial Park campground, and Spring Creek Day Use are open. When using this area be respectful, use only designated put in and take out areas, plan ahead and use approved upland sanitation. Do not beach your paddlecraft, handle mare's eggs, or disturb wildlife. Protect your access to this waterway.

Suttle Lake

- Link Creek, South Shore, and Blue Bay Campgrounds are open, and the docks have been installed.

Tahkenitch Lake

- **ADVISORY:** As of July 16, access is restricted to the Tahkenitch Lake boat ramp for damage. The docks adjacent to the boat ramp and the parking area remain open. Alternative access to the lake can be found a short distance to the south at Tahkenitch Landing campground and day use area where several campsites have been converted to parking spots to accommodate additional boat trailers. For more information, please call the Oregon Dunes National Recreation Area in Reedsport at 541-272-6000 or visit the Siuslaw National Forest webpage at [Siuslaw National Forest - Alerts & Closures \(usda.gov\)](https://www.usda.gov/land-management/land-use-planning/siuslaw-national-forest/alerts-closures)
- Tahkenitch Landing Campground and boat launch are open.

Tenmile Lake

- Tenmile Lake will host a Rogue Valley Bassmasters tournament August 17th, 6:00 AM through August 18th, 3:00 PM. [Home \(roguevalleybass.com\)](http://roguevalleybass.com)
- UPDATE: Tenmile lake is experiencing low water at the County launch. The end of ramp buoys are installed and low water signs are posted. Use caution when using the nonmotorized kayak launch. A portion of the launch dock is submerged. The County is investigating if the dock has been punctured and filling with water.

Thompson Reservoir

- UPDATE: Thompson Reservoir and Eastbay Campgrounds are open however the water is extremely far from the boat ramp and unusable.

Thief Valley Reservoir

- ADVISORY: Oregon Health Authority (OHA) issued a recreational use health advisory for the reservoir August 5, 2024. [Recreational use advisory issued for Thief Valley Reservoir \(govdelivery.com\)](http://govdelivery.com)

Tillamook Bay

- All Port of Garibaldi facilities are open.
- The Memaloose boat launch is open.

Tillamook River

- The Burton Bridge ramp is open.

Timothy Lake

- ADVISORY: There is construction on Forest Road 57 through September 1st. Detours may not be suitable for trailers. [Mt. Hood National Forest - Alerts & Closures \(usda.gov\)](http://usda.gov)
- Stone Creek, Oak Fork, Gone Creek, Hoodview, Pine Point, West Shore Day Use and North Arm are open.

Toketee Lake

- Toketee Lake is closed. [Umpqua National Forest - Alerts & Closures \(usda.gov\)](http://usda.gov)

Town Lake

- The Town Lake ramp near Pacific City is open.

Triangle Lake

- Triangle Lake Park is open. The lake is very popular for towed watersports and paddling. Remember motorized and nonmotorized boaters want to use the water.

Trojan Pond

- ADVISORY: Portland General Electric reports on August 2, 2024 a harmful algal bloom has been sighted at Trojan Pond. [Be aware](#) and "**when in doubt, stay out.**"

Tualatin River

- UPDATE: Hazelbrook Road nonmotorized access under Hwy 99 is now open for use.
- Willamette Park Paddle Access, and Fields Bridge Park boating access sites are open.
- The Stark (Rivergrove) boat launch is open but in need of repairs. Recommend paddlecraft launch. Limited parking is available on the park side of the street.
- Browns Ferry, Tualatin Community Park, and Jurgens Park boating access sites are open.
- The Farmington boat launch is open. In June 2024, construction will begin on a new roundabout at the intersection of Farmington and River roads. During this project, Farmington Paddle Launch will remain open. Be prepared for detours or delays entering and exiting the site. Work is expected to be completed in fall 2025.
- Rood Bridge Park and kayak launch are open.

Turner Lake

- North Turner Lake boat ramp is open.

Umpqua River

- OKBF Tour Event #4 kayak bass fishing tournament will take place from Reedsport to Scottsburg on August 24th, between 5:45 AM and 2:15 PM. [KFNW – The Northwest's Kayak Tournament Tour Series \(kayakfishingnorthwest.com\)](#)
- Salmon Harbor east and west basins, pumpout and dump station, Gardiner ramp, Bumble Bee, Rainbow Plaza, Scottsburg, Scott Creek, Sawyer Rapids,

Yellow Creek, James Wood, Cleveland Rapids, and River Forks, boating access sites are open.

Upper Klamath Lake

- Odessa campground is open.
- Rocky Point Boat Launch and docks are open.
- Wocus Bay ramp is open. ODOT is still performing construction on Highway 140 and has set up their office in the parking lot.

Unity Reservoir

- ADVISORY: The State Park Day Use boat ramp is temporarily closed due to nearby wildfires. [Unity Lake State Recreation Site - Oregon State Parks](#)

Waldo Lake

- Shadow Bay Day Use and boating access are open.
- North Waldo and Blair Lake, and Islet Campgrounds and boat launches are closed. [fseprd1049655.pdf \(usda.gov\)](#) Call 541-782-2283 for the most current road conditions.

Wallowa Lake

- ADVISORY: Fire crews may be filling planes in Wallowa Lake to combat wildfires in the region. Boaters are advised to watch for notices posted at entry points and stay out of the water when helicopters and planes are dipping in the lake.
- Wallowa County Park and Wallowa State Park are open, and docks are installed.

Warm Springs Reservoir

- UPDATE: The boat ramp is open, with approximately 8 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the lower portion of the boat ramp causing expensive repairs and permitting.

Wickiup Reservoir

- ADVISORY: North Wickiup and Gull Point Boating Sites are within the USFS wildfire closure boundaries. [Deschutes National Forest - Alerts & Closures \(usda.gov\)](#)
- The reservoir is 38% full.

- Reservoir Campground is closed for the 2024 season due to significant hazard tree mitigation needs.

Lower Willamette (Columbia River to Willamette Falls)

- The debris boom at Jon Storm Park short-term tie-up dock is damaged. Use caution when operating near the piling. The restroom, pumpout and dump station are open. The parking lot is currently closed for the I-205 widening project to allow construction access.
- The Oak Grove ramp will be closed August through September 2024 for restoration. [River Forest Confluence Restoration \(wordpress.com\)](https://www.riverforestconfluence.com)
- Milwaukie Bay Park is open, and docks are installed for the season.
- George Rogers Park is open.
- St. John's Bridge in Cathedral Park continues to be under restoration. The project has been extended. ODOT anticipates completing the work in Cathedral Park by March 1, 2025, and all work completed by June 2025. The boat ramp, docks and parking area are open during construction. [St. Johns Bridge Repair Project: Project Extended as Preservation Work Continues \(govdelivery.com\)](https://www.govdelivery.com)
- Foothills Park, Tryon Cove, and Cedaroak boat launches are open.
- Sportcraft Landing is open. The ODOT bridge contractor is working, so watch for barges and work boats in the area.

Middle Willamette (Willamette Falls to Salem)

- NEW: There is a tree under the docks at Hebb Park limiting access. Use caution when operating close to the docks.
- Molalla State Park boat ramp, Boones Ferry ramp and docks, Champoeg State Park short-term tie-up dock and bent paddle launch dock and Rogers Landing boating access site are open.

Upper Willamette (Salem to Eugene)

- ADVISORY: Construction is underway on the Van Buren bridge. Please be cautious when passing through this area. The river channel is marked with buoy lines and signs directing river users where to go. [Oregon Department of Transportation : Project-Details : Projects : State of Oregon](https://www.oregon.gov/transportation/transportation-projects)

- UPDATE: Peoria boat ramp has a large cottonwood tree blocking access in the channel near the boat ramp. The County is working to have the tree removed.
- Monteith Riverpark in Albany will host River Rhythms on Thursdays at 7:00 PM. [River Rhythms \(albanyoregon.gov\)](http://albanyoregon.gov)
- Willamette Park in Corvallis (Crystal Lake) boat ramp is open, and the docks are now installed.
- The Aquathusiast ramp in North Riverfront Park (Michael's Landing) is open. Vehicle access from 1st Street is open. Vehicle access from 2nd Street is closed.
- Independence Sports Park boat ramp, Buena Vista County ramp, Bowman Park, Takena Landing, Hyak Park, Peoria Park, McCartney Park, Harrisburg Landing, Whitely Landing, and Island Park are open.

Willamette River - Coast Fork

- The Highway 58 bridge at Dilley Lane is part of the larger Lower Salt Creek Bridge project for seismic retrofits and scour protection. The boating access will be closed as of March 4th, 2024. The Federal Highway Administration is working with the contractor for an anticipated schedule. Oregon Department of Transportation : Project-Details : Projects : State of Oregon

Willamette River – Middle Fork

- Clearwater Park is open.
- Jasper Bridge boating access is closed. Paddlers can carry down from the main parking lot at Jasper State Recreation Area located approximately 5 minutes from the bridge.
- Westfir Confluence Takeout gate will remain closed for the season but is accessible for recreational use. Please call Cascades Outdoor Center at 541-246-9007 or Westfir City Hall at 541-782-3983 for the gate code.
- The Middle Fork boat ramp near the Dexter Dam is closed through the summer of 2026 for the Dexter fish facility upgrade. [Portland District > Locations > Willamette Valley > Dexter > Dexter Fish Facility \(army.mil\)](http://Portland District > Locations > Willamette Valley > Dexter > Dexter Fish Facility (army.mil))

Willow Creek Reservoir

- UPDATE: Willow Creek Campground and ramp are open and docks are floating. The water level is dropping quickly about 2 feet a week.

Willow Lake

- Willow Lake Park boating access is open.

Wilson River

- The river is floatable by drift boat or smaller watercraft below Mills Bridge. The upper reaches remain too low for drift boats but are accessible by raft or individual watercraft.

Woahink Lake

- Jessie M. Honeyman State Park and the East Woahink Lake boating access is open.

Wolf Creek Reservoir

- The County ramp is open. Located approximately 10 minutes northwest of North Powder.

Yaquina Bay

- The Port of Newport boating sites are open, and docks are floating. Check with Coast Guard Station Yaquina Bay for bar conditions prior to launching. [District Thirteen \(uscg.mil\)](https://www.uscg.mil/districts/district13/)

Yellowjacket Lake (Clemens Reservoir)

- Yellowjacket Campground and boat ramp are closed due to the Falls Fire. [Malheur National Forest - Yellowjacket Campground \(usda.gov\)](https://www.usda.gov/land-management/land-ownership/land-ownership-types/national-forests/malheur-national-forest/yellowjacket-campground)