

THE RUSTED ROWBOAT

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This Weekend's Activities

Saturday, June 24:

Wet n' Wild Day at 3 p.m. behind the picnic shelter. Giant tarp slip and slide and water gun wars—always a big hit with the kids! *If we get stormed out, we will attempt to reschedule. Trivia Night is at 7 p.m. in the Event Center

Upcoming Activities

June 30 - July 2: 4th of July Celebration: Dance, Kid Games, Golf Cart Parade, Fireworks, and Brunch Potluck!

July 21-22: Christmas in July

July 29: Pirates, Princesses, and Dinosaurs Day + Moonlight Kayaking

Lodge Specials

- Pizza is Deep Fried Pickle
- Cookie is Strawberry
- Cinnamon Roll is Maple Bacon
- Baked Good of the Week is Chocolate Croissants



All About Wildlife

Have you been one to notice and enjoy all the wildlife we have present on the campground? Kids especially seem to love taking in all that Mother Nature has to offer! With our habitat consisting of woods, plains, marshes, ponds, and lake, we have the unique opportunity on this property of only 80 acres to get a vibrant mix of different creatures. Waterfowl sightings have included geese (we all know they're everywhere—we have at least 6 different couples that use the property for nesting every year!), several species of ducks, coots, loons, herons, cormorants, seagulls, and the occasional pelicans. Bird watchers have had the wonderful opportunity to spot a huge variety of songbirds here; if you feed them, they will come! Even the more rare birds such as orioles, cardinals, and blue jays make Lee Lake Campground their home. And of course, with all the water, we have a plethora of amphibious and water-dwelling creatures: many different types of frogs and toads (kids love trying to identify these!), salamanders, Western Painted Turtles and

Campground Birthdays & Anniversaries

Roger & Carol Meehan 36th Wedding Anniversary: June 27

Roger Meehan has a birthday on June 30

Announcements

– We are still having a lot of issues with speeders. Parents and grandparents, please talk with your younger age driving kids about minding the speed limit, as well; we would really hate for there to be an accident. Also, PLEASE mind the one-way roads! There have been many reports about people going the wrong way, and at higher speeds. The visibility is poor with the hills, and it could be a recipe for a head-on collision. That extra 2 minutes you're saving could equal a big problem in the long run.

– Remember that we have sign-up lists in the lodge for work requests (including pumps), and for the brunch potluck next week!

– Remember also to register guests. The state of MN requires us to be aware of who is here at all times. Our policies are always available to read on the website.

– New ice cream flavors are in, hooray! This week's new flavors are Cookies & Cream, Superman, Chocolate, and Salted Caramel Cold Brew!

snapping turtles (often found laying eggs in the spring), beavers, muskrats, minks, even crawfish and snails! Forest wildlife, where we find our mammals, is more active here than most people know, especially during the off-season. We have a small herd of deer that live in the woods year-round, and we see raccoons, foxes, coyotes, rabbits, turkeys, grouse, pheasants, rabbits, fishers, and plenty of rodents and birds of prey. We also get the occasional black bear, but that's usually in the spring as they're passing through and looking for some winter kill to eat! We have even had the random mountain lion or two pass through, but thankfully that is not very often, and we usually get a heads-up when they're in the area. Co-existing with wildlife may be something not a lot of people are used to or comfortable with, but we are always available if you have any questions or concerns! We have a lot of experience with wildlife, and have an open line of communication with DNR when needed.

Summer Camping Word Find

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- LAKE
- MOSQUITOES
- ICE CREAM
- VOLLENBALL
- SWIMMING
- FLOWERS
- BOATING
- SAND
- HEAT
- CAMPFIRE
- FIREWORKS
- TAN
- FRISBEE GOLF
- SNOWES
- FOREST
- SUN
- FISHING

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