

# Where To Go Camping



*Wahpekute Lodge #53  
Twin Valley Council  
Mankato, MN*

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**Council Scout Camps**  
**Twin Valley Council**  
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**(507) 387-3123**

# Cuyuna Scout Camp

**Location:** Crosslake, MN; approximately 30 miles north of Brainerd, MN

**Length:** 1 week

**Price:** Youth: \$185 (Includes camp patch)

Early Bird Youth: \$175 (Payment received by May 5 with roster and planning checklist. Includes free camp t-shirt and patch)

Super Saver Youth: \$165 (Twin Valley Council unites only: Payment received by May 5 with roster and planning checklist and troop participates in TVC popcorn sales and Family FOS. Includes free camp t-shirt and patch)

Adult: \$80 (Includes camp t-shirt, patch, and steak fry)

\$15/day (T-shirt and patch extra)

**Meal Plan:** Patrol method only. No dining hall offered.

**Programs:** Foxfire Rendezvous

Chapel service

Indian Lore outpost

Astronomy Outpost

Discover Scuba

Mile Swim

Project C.O.P.E.

River Tubing

Eagle Trail

Life to Eagle Seminar

OA Wacipi

Over 30 merit badges offered

Fishing outpost

Wilderness Survival outpost

Sunday/Friday night campfire

Water Carnival

BSA Lifeguard

Golf

Small boat sailing

SPL/Scoutmaster Meetings

Baden Powel Patrol Award

Cuyuna Olympics

# Cuyuna Scout Camp

**Scenery:** Cuyuna Scout Camp is located in scenic North Central Minnesota. The camp is on 640 acres north of Brainerd and just outside of Crosslake. There are 5 beautiful lakes that border on the camp and one, Russel Lake, which is fully within camp boundaries. It is not unheard of to see eagles, and loons are a common occurrence. The camp has 14 developed campsites which are designed for a group to operate under patrol method. The camp boasts a beautiful wooded area and is known for its birch and pine trees.

**Contact:** Cuyuna Ranger  
Keith Fitzpatrick  
P.O. Box 250  
Crosslake, MN 56442  
(218) 692-3612

# Norseland Scout Camp

**Location:** Approximately 9 miles north of St. Peter or 15 miles south of Gaylord just off Highway 22

**Length:** Varies

**Price:** Contact Scout Office

**Facilities:** Main lodge with bunk beds to sleep 34, full kitchen, 2 hot showers, 4 toilet, fireplace, heating.

Quonset Lodge with bunk beds to sleep 14, full kitchen, 2 hot showers, 2 toilets, fireplace, heating.

Campsites with latrine and water nearby, fire ring, and picnic tables

**Contact:** Contact the council or:  
Norseland Scout Camp  
41556 370<sup>th</sup> St.  
St. Peter, MN 56082  
(507) 246-5330

# Cedar Point Scout Camp

**Location:** Approximately 11 miles south of Fairmont, MN, ½ mile west of Highway 15 on 200<sup>th</sup> Ave.

**Length:** Varies

**Price:** Contact Scout Office

**Facilities:** Polaris Lodge with bunk beds to sleep approximately 50, full kitchen, 1 toilet, fireplace, heating.

Wade Lodge with full kitchen, 2 hot showers, 2 toilets, fireplace, heating. No bunk beds.

Shower House with 6 toilets, 6 showers, handicapped toilet/shower

Campsites with latrine and water nearby, fire ring, and picnic tables

**Contact:** Contact the council or:  
Cedar Point Scout Camp  
125 200<sup>th</sup> Ave., Apt. #2  
Fairmont, MN 56031-5039  
507-235-6690

## **Out of Council Scout Camps**

# Camp Wilderness

**Location:** Near Park Rapids, MN

**Length:** 1 week

**Price:** Youth: \$190

Early Bird Youth: \$185 (paid before May 1)

Adult: First two adults free, \$60 for each after that

**Meal Plan:** Dining hall, except for two meals per week

**Program:** C.O.P.E.

Merit badges

Trailblazers

Waterfront Activities

OA Callout ceremonies

High Adventure Activities

**Contact:** Camp Wilderness

P.O. Box 295

Park Rapids, MN 56470

(218) 732-4674

# Tomahawk Scout Reservations

**Location:** Spooner, WI

**Length:** 1 week

**Price:** Youth: \$226  
Early Bird Youth: \$216 (Before April 15)  
Adult: \$84

**Meal Plan:** Dining hall

**Program:** Merit badges  
Foxfire outpost  
Waterfront activities  
2 horse corrals  
OA Callout ceremonies  
Superior High Adventure Lake

**Contact:** Northern Star Council  
393 Marshall Ave.  
St. Paul, MN 55102  
(651) 224-1891

# Many Point Scout Reservations

**Location:** Park Rapids, MN

**Length:** 6 days

**Price:** Youth: \$215  
Early Bird Youth: \$210 (before April 15)  
Adult: \$80

**Meal Plan:** Dining hall or commissary

**Program:** First year program  
Waterfront activities  
Merit Badges  
C.O.P.E./Climbing  
OA Callout ceremonies  
Super Troop award

**Contact:** Northern Star Council  
393 Marshall Ave.  
St. Paul, MN 55102  
(651) 224-1891

# Lewis and Clark Scout Reservation

**Location:** Near Yankton, SD

**Length:** 6 days

**Price:** Youth: \$195  
Early Bird Youth: \$175 (before March 1)  
Adult: \$80

**Meal Plan:** Dining hall or commissary

**Program:** Eagle Trail  
1<sup>st</sup> Class Trail  
Merit Badges  
OA Callout ceremonies  
Waterfront activities  
High Adventure  
C.O.P.E.

**Contact:** Sioux Council  
7200 W 49<sup>th</sup> St.  
Sioux Falls, SD 57106  
(605) 361-2697

# **National High Adventure Bases**

# Northern Tier

The Northern Tier National High Adventure Program offers three different bases. The first is Charles L. Sommers located near Ely, MN. The following is from [www.ntier.org/CLSommers.htm](http://www.ntier.org/CLSommers.htm):

“Your scout crew will enter the Charles L. Sommers Canoe Base through the portal of the fur trading post stockade. This historic canoe base is located 22 miles east of Ely on beautiful Moose Lake, the premier entry point into the Boundary Waters Wilderness Canoe Area. The base features 28 sleeping cabins, a trading post, rustic dining hall, voyageur encampment area, Bay Post outfitters and an authentic post and beam style Commissary. Enjoy a voyageur rendezvous in the Lodge and a well-deserved sauna your last evening at the base. The Charles L. Sommers programs are ideally suited for novice canoeists, but offer challenging routes for experienced travelers as well. You may choose to visit beautiful waterfalls, travel into remote country, find the best fishing locations, visit ancient pictographs, or experience a combination of all of these.”

The next base is Don Rogert located near Atikokan, Ontario. The following is from [www.ntier.org/Atikokan.htm](http://www.ntier.org/Atikokan.htm):

“About 12 miles west of Atikokan, Ontario on Perch Lake, you’ll find the Donald Rogert Canoe Base. The Rogert base is on the Hudson Bay Company’s historic fur route between Old Fort William and Rainy Lake. With the Crown Jewel of Canada’s canoeing wilderness, Quetico Provincial Park to the south and Turtle River-White Otter Provincial Park to the north, the Rogert Canoe Base is the perfect site for your crew’s ultimate remote canoeing experience. Millions of acres of pine forests, glacier lakes,

meandering rivers and thundering waterfalls await you. Observe wildlife, catch walleye, northern, lake trout and smallmouth bass, visit ancient Indian pictographs or just relax in this natural playground.

Launch your trip from an entry point of your choice. For an adventure off the beaten path, consider one of our remote fly-ins.”

The third base is Northern Expeditions located near Bissett, Manitoba. The following is from [www.ntier.org/Bissett.htm](http://www.ntier.org/Bissett.htm):

“Crews choosing the adventure and challenge of a Northern Expeditions trip will begin with a program and outfitting at our modern base on the outskirts of Bissett, Manitoba. Bissett is known for its rich gold mining heritage and as a jumping off spot to some of the best wilderness adventure anywhere. It’s also on the edge of the Atikaki Provincial Park, a great destination for trophy fishing and remote trips.

Your trip starts with an exciting floatplane ride north into the Canadian bush. Your crew will enjoy the opportunity to overlook some of the beautiful and rugged terrain in which you will be traveling and to enjoy the adventure of the Canadian bush pilot experience.”

There is also the OA High Adventure program which is offered to Order of the Arrow members at Sommers. This program involves a week of service and a week of trekking. For more information on Northern Tier, visit [www.ntier.org](http://www.ntier.org) or use the following contact information:

Northern Tier  
National High Adventure Program  
14798 Moose Lake  
P.O. Box 509  
Ely, MN 55731  
(218) 365-4811

# Philmont Scout Ranch

Philmont Scout Ranch is located near Cimarron, NM and offers amazing wildlife, beauty, and fellowship. The following was taken from

<http://www.scouting.org/HighAdventure/Philmont/AboutPhilmont.aspx>:

“Born in 1938 as Philtorn Rockymountain Scoutcamp, today's Philmont Scout Ranch is a bustling center for high adventure and training. Youth and adults take advantage of the ranch's camping, training, and work programs. Most activity takes place during the summer, but Philmont also offers its Fall Adventure and Kanik winter program.

More than 860,000 Scouts, Venturers, and leaders have experienced the adventure of Philmont since the first camping season in 1939. Throughout its existence, conscientious attention to low-impact camping techniques has helped maintain the ranch's wilderness flavor.

The area surrounding the ranch is rich with history, from the Native Americans who made this arid land their home to the land barons of the 19th century. The town of Cimarron boasts a number of historical buildings, including the St. James Hotel—site of at least 26 killings during Cimarron's wilder days.”

Once again there is an OA High Adventure Program which gives Order of the Arrow members a week of service and a week of trekking. For more information on Philmont you can visit <http://www.scouting.org/HighAdventure/Philmont.aspx> or use the following contact information:

Philmont Scout Ranch  
Attn: CHQ  
17 Deer Run Road  
Cimarron, NM 87714  
(575) 376-2281

# Florida Sea Base

The Florida Sea Base is located near Islamorada, FL and provides great adventure under the sea. The following is from [www.bsaseabase.org](http://www.bsaseabase.org):

“The Florida National High Adventure Sea Base is owned and operated by the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America to offer unique educational aquatic programs to our members. Located in Islamorada and on Summerland Key in the beautiful the Florida Keys as well as Marsh Harbour, Great Abaco Island, Bahamas, the heart of the Florida Keys, the near shore reefs and crystal clear waters offer unparalleled opportunities for long term and short term programs year round. Our Conference facilities are utilized for youth and adult Scouting Conferences and non-Scouting groups when available... write or call for specific program information and costs.”

Like the other two bases, there is also an OA High Adventure program which gives Order of the Arrow members an opportunity to experience the base through a week of service and a week of trekking. This will also get you SCUBA certified. For more information on Florida Sea Base visit [www.bsaseabase.org](http://www.bsaseabase.org) or use the following contact information:

The Florida Sea Base  
P.O. Box 1906  
Islamorada, FL 33036  
(305) 664-5612

# **State Parks**

# Sakatah Lake State Park

Sakatah-Singing Hills State Trail runs through Sakatah Lake State Park and stretches 39 miles from Mankato to Faribault. The paved trail offers hikers, bikers, skiers, and snowmobilers beautiful scenery through Minnesota's hardwoods. Sakatah Lake, a natural widening of the Cannon River, lures canoeists to paddle the calm waters, and anglers to catch walleye, large mouth and white bass, northern pike, and panfish. Whatever the season, visitors enjoy camping and picnicking.

Generally the park office is open from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on weekdays, and from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. If the office is closed when you arrive, please use the self-registration station to the left of the office door. There will be a sign in the window with pertinent information.

**Fall Facilities Information:** The park is open year-round, and beautiful to explore in any season. Modern restroom facilities and showers are closed for the season. Vault toilets are available year-round. Electricity is available for \$4 per night. The dump station is closed.

**Contact:** 50499 Sakatah Lake State Park Road  
Waterville, Minnesota 56096  
(507) 362-443

# Rice Lake State Park

Long ago, American Indians harvested wild rice from this lake where today, the shallow waters and marshy edges of Rice Lake attract many waterfowl during migrations. Rice Lake is a major wetland in the area. Visitors enjoy camping under the tall hardwoods, photographing spring wildflowers, picnicking, and bird watching. For a more secluded camping experience, paddle across the lake and camp in a canoe campsite. Winter activities include cross-country skiing and snowmobiling on the trails.

Office hours will vary. If no one is available, you may leave a message at (507) 455-5871. When the office is closed, please use the self-registration station at the front of the office to purchase daily and annual permits, and to register for camping. Annual permits purchased through self-registration will be mailed to you.

**Contact:** 8485 Rose Street  
Owatonna, Minnesota 55060  
(507) 455-5871

# Myre Big Island

This park has something for everyone. The trails take visitors around wet lowlands, oak savanna, and grasslands. Albert Lea Lake and park marshes draw hundreds of waterfowl during migration. Oak savanna and prairie landscape, including wetlands, dominate most of the park. One of the more unique aspects of the park is the 116-acre Big Island that is covered with baple/basswood forest. Another is the glacial esker located in the northeast section of the park.

Best time to contact the park: Fall: Saturday - Sunday. 9:00 - 4:00 or leave a message. Summer: Daily 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. If no one is available, please leave a message.

**Contact:** 19499 780th Ave.  
Albert Lea, Minnesota 56007  
(507) 379-3403

# Minneopa State Park

The word Minneopa comes from the Dakota language and is interpreted to mean "water falling twice," referring to the beautiful waterfalls of the Minneopa Creek. Walk the trail which encircles the falls, leading down a limestone stairway to the valley below. Ascend the opposite side and enjoy a panoramic view of the valley which reveals the underlying geology of this area. Visit Seppmann Mill, a wind driven grist mill fashioned in German style from native stone and lumber, or hike through oak savanna and native prairie grasslands overlooking the scenic Minnesota River Valley.

Best time to contact the park: Now through Labor Day: Mon., Wed., Fri. from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. After Labor Day: Office hours will vary. If no one is available, please leave a message.

**Contact:** 54497 Gadwall Road  
Mankato, MN 56001  
(507) 389-5464

# Flandrau State Park

The gentle flowing Big Cottonwood River meanders through this southern park. The sand-bottom swimming pond, picnic area, campgrounds and group center attract many visitors every summer to this very popular state park. The terrain is diverse, offering views of wooded river bottoms, oxbow marshes and open grasslands. Hikers and cross-country skiers enjoy the flat trails on the bottom of the valley or more challenging routes on the oak-shaded bluffs. Visit historic stone buildings crafted by Works Progress Administration (WPA) crews. Vegetative features include goat prairies, small white lady's slippers, and the floodplain forest.

Best time to contact the park: Fall and Winter – Monday and Friday - 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.; Weekends - 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. or leave a message.

**Contact:** 1300 Summit Ave  
New Ulm, MN 56073-3664  
(507) 233-9800

# Lake Shetek State Park

The word "Shetek" is Ojibwe for "pelican," a bird which visits Lake Shetek during the summer and fall. The park contains the largest lake in southwestern Minnesota, which forms the headwaters of the Des Moines River. Expect great fishing for walleye, northern, crappie, and bullheads. Loon Island, a 45-acre bird sanctuary, is accessible on foot via a causeway and includes an interpretive trail. Visit the Koch Cabin and monument memorializing pioneer settlers. The park includes a swimming beach, boat launch, campgrounds and a scenic six-mile loop bicycle trail into the town of Currie. Boat and canoe rentals are available.

Best time to contact the park : Labor Day to Memorial Weekend 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. as available, Memorial Weekend through Labor day 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.

**Contact:** 163 State Park Road  
Currie, MN 56123-1018  
(507) 763-3256

## **Other Local Parks and Camps**

# Daly Park

This scenic, wooded/open-space park provides a wide range of facilities for overnight campers and picnickers. An island with a 0.5 mile-long primitive trail allows exploration of the natural state of the island. It is along the shores of Lura Lake (1,263 acres) which contains crappies, sunfish, perch, northerns, walleye, bass, and bullheads. A fishing pier and dock are provided with a double-ramped boat landing. The park is 75.81 acres big. Park Size: 75.81 acres, Acquisition Date: June 1968

**Location:** On the Northeastern shore of Lura Lake off County Road 191, about 4.5 miles southwest of Mapleton.

**Facilities:** Picnic tables, Picnic shelters, Firebases, Drinking water, Electrical hookup, Swim beach, Bathhouse, Playground, Nature Trail, Fishing, Fishing Dock, Boat launch, Dump Station, Resident Caretaker, Tennis Court, and a Resident caretaker

**Camp sites:** 15 tent camping sites (reservations needed), and 71 mobile camping sites (reservations needed)

**Price:** Reservations are made by phone or in person only. Both tent and mobile campsites are \$13 a night (\$9 a night for senior citizens Sunday through Thursday).

**Contact:** 507-524-3000

# Bray Park

Bray Park features open space and attractive wooded areas. Overnight RV and tent campers are welcome. There are numerous activities for young and old to enjoy. The park contains a 0.7 mile-long hard-surfaced nature trail. There an additional 1.4 mile-long primitive footpath trail includes a unique 70 foot-long swinging bridge over a ravine. A log cabin/interpretative center is available and can be reserved for group meetings, family gatherings, and company picnics. The camp is located on the southeastern shore of Madison Lake.

**Location:** Off County Road 48, about 2 miles southeast of the City of Madison Lake.

**Amenities:** Picnic tables, Picnic Shelters, Firebases, Drinking water, Electrical hookup, Swim beach, Bathhouse, Playground, Nature trail, Interpretive center, Fishing, Fishing dock, Boat launch, Dump station, Canoe & Paddleboat Rentals, and a Resident caretaker

**Camp sites:** 10-tent camping sites (reservations needed) and 33 mobile camping sites (reservations needed)

**Price:** Reservations are made by phone or in person only. Both tent and mobile campsites are \$13 a night (\$9 a night for senior citizens Sunday through Thursday).

**Contact:** Call (507) 243-3885 to make a reservation

# Rapidan Dam Park

The 32 acres of riverfront property provides public access to the Blue Earth River at the Dam. This stretch of river is one of the most natural and scenic areas in Southern Minnesota, including views of rock bluffs, wooded hills, rapids and waterfalls on side streams. It is a largely undisturbed remnant of the "Big Woods" of Southern Minnesota.

**Location:** The Rapidan Dam Park is located off of County Road 9, next to the Rapidan Dam.

**Facilities:** Canoe launch, Fire rings/grills, Horseshoe pits, Nature trails, Picnic tables, Picnic shelters, Firebases, Drinking water, Playground, Fishing, Resident caretakers, Restrooms, Park Size: 35.4 acres, Acquisition date: February 2004

**Park Season:** The park is open from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. April 1st to November 1st.

**Camp sites:** They have 20 Primitive camping sites.

**Price:** Overnight tent camping sites are available for \$9 per night.

**Contact:** For more information call 507-546-9997

# Woods Lake Park

**Location:** Approximately 10 miles south of Blue Earth on US Highway 169 turn for 1 mile to the West, then 1 mile to the North.

**Facilities:** Showers, Swimming, Restrooms, Grills, Picnic Tables, 39-acre park.

**Park Season:** May 1<sup>st</sup> through October 1<sup>st</sup>

**Camp sites:** 20 campsites and 10 Tent sites.

**Price:** Electric Hook-up sites: \$20.00 per night - tax included  
Senior Citizens (60): \$18.00 per night - tax included  
Holding Site for Long Weekends:\$3.00 per night - tax included  
Shelter Reservation: \$25.00 tax included (Reservation guaranteed when payment received)

**Contact:** Gary Gack  
3451 380<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Elmore, MN 56027  
507-943-3543

# Pihl's Park

Pihl's Park was originally built as a private retreat by Joe Pihl who always enjoyed sharing his beautiful retreat with the public. In the 1960's he donated his retreat to Faribault County to be used as a public park for everyone to come and enjoy.

**Location:** 10757 570<sup>th</sup> Avenue

**Facilities:** 20-acre park, two shelters, picnic tables, grills, playground with a merry-go-round, swings, slide, teeter-totter, and a modern play structure, horseshoe arena, Frisbee-disc golf practice course, three hole mini-golf course. There is a short nature trail on Rice Lake. Some recreational/sporting items are available for sign-out.

**Park Season:** The Gate opens at 8:00 am and closes at 10:00 PM, seven days a week from the first of May through the first of October

**Camp sites:** 30 sites with electrical for RV camping and a separate rustic area along the shore line for tenting, All campsites have a fire ring and a picnic table. Handicap-accessible restrooms, with showers and a drinking fountain, are centrally located, in the park.

**Price:** Electric Hook-up sites: \$20.00 per night - tax included  
Senior Citizens (60): \$18.00 per night - tax included  
Holding Site for Long Weekends:\$3.00 per night - tax included  
Shelter Reservation: \$25.00 tax included (Reservation guaranteed when payment received)

**Contact:** Diane Kahl  
10757 570th Avenue  
Wells, MN 56097  
507-553-5864

# Flying Goose Campground

The Flying Goose Campground has been around for over 40 years. Flying Goose is on Beautiful Lake Imogene that has a beautiful sand beach and is approximately 1 mile long and 3/4 wide.

**Location:** The campground is located approximately one mile southwest of Interstate 90 at exit 107, or five miles east of Fairmont, approximately 125 miles East of Sioux Falls.

**Facilities:** General Store, Restrooms and Hot Showers, Laundromat, Activity Building, Hay Rides, 18 Hole Mini Golf Course, Scenic Hiking Trail, Boat Landing, Pontoon Rental, Paddle Boat and Canoe Rentals, Rec Center, refrigerator, stove and sink, outdoor patio with fire ring, Free Wireless Internet on several sites

**Camp sites:** 110 Total Sites: 10 Big Rig - 100' pull thru- 50 amp, full hook up, 10 Beach Front water and electric, 30 pull thru sites, 6 Lake View water and electric, 54 Seasonal sites, Primitive campsites, 2 Sanitary Dump Stations

**Price:** Tent, No Hookups- \$25.00, Electric & Water /restrooms- \$30.00, Electric, Water /lakeside- \$38.00, Full Hookup- \$35.00, 50 Amp Big Rig- \$40.00, Weekly- 6 Nights Regular Rate 7th Night FREE! , Monthly – Big Rig Sites- \$550.00, Monthly- Full, 30 amp- \$525.00

**Contact:** Flying Goose Campground  
2521 115<sup>th</sup> Street  
Fairmont, MN 56031  
507-235-3458

# Beaver Trails Campground and RV Park

Picnic table & fire ring, 3 Playgrounds, great fishing, a heated swimming pool, paddleboats, free wireless (Wi-Fi) internet access, Coffee and fresh made Donuts, FREE Hayrides Friday and Saturday, Train Rides for Kids, Story Time for kids, Contest - Posted Weekly, Kid's Crafts, Horseshoes, 3 Stocked ponds, Lots of solitude, Large Game room, Mini-Golf, The Beaver Grill Now Open With New Expanded Menu, "Billy Beaver" mascot

**Location:** On Interstate 90 approximately 10 miles east of Austin.

**Facilities:** Restroom facilities and free showers, Convenience Store Laundromat with Culligan soft water Storm shelter

**Park Season:** Memorial Day Weekend thru Labor Day Weekend

**Camp sites:** 3 park Cabins, 20-30 & 50 Amp sites, Many sites with sewer, Primitive sites, Extra large drive thru sites, 4 campgrounds in one

**Price:** Between \$30 and \$53. \$2.50 per child ages 4-17. \$5.00 per person ages 18 and over.

**Contact:** 21943 630th Avenue  
Austin, MN 55912  
507-584-6611  
camping@beavertrails.com

# Land of Memories Park

A rustic, relaxing camping experience close to Mankato. One hundred acres of beautiful scenery and abundant with a variety of open grassy areas, shaded wooded sites and secluded spots to camp along the Minnesota River for both tents and recreational vehicles.

**Location:** The Land of Memories Campground is located just off of Highway 169/60 on the southwest side of Mankato.

**Facilities:** Restroom/shower buildings, electrical outlets, individual fire rings and picnic tables, picnic shelters, hiking Trails, and playground equipment. A dump station is available. For those who like to fish and canoe, the campground is bordered by both the Blue Earth and Minnesota Rivers. Both rivers offer canoe routes, and a boat landing is available for access to the Minnesota River.

**Campsites:** Wildlife featuring 47 camping sites,

**Price:** Sites with electricity are available for \$13 or \$16 per day. Sites without electricity (tent sites) are available for \$11 per day.

**Contact:** <http://www.ci.mankato.mn.us/LandOfMemories/Page.aspx>

# Jackson KOA

With easy access to I-90, the Jackson KOA makes a perfect stopping point, halfway between Chicago and Mount Rushmore and only a day's drive to the Badlands or Wisconsin Dells.

**Location:** ¼ mile north of I-90 Exit 73 on US Highway 71.

**Facilities:** LP gas is available on-site, Corral for your horse, free high-speed wireless Internet and the pavilion. Heated pool, bike rentals, volleyball, horseshoe pits, campground store, Swimming Pool (May 25 - September 10), playground, mini golf, hayrides and ice cream socials. Kids can check out the area's farm animals and pick apples in season. Jackson KOA is close to great fishing and waterskiing lakes, car races, golf courses and restaurants.

**Park Season:** April 15 - October 15

**Campsites:** RV sites, tent sites with grills, one or two room Kamping Kabin, or a long level pull thru site.

**Contact:** 2035 Highway 71 North  
Jackson, MN 56143  
(507) 847-3825