

Lake Owyhee & Succor Creek

CAMPGROUND



Lake Owyhee State Park & Succor Creek State Natural Area

Off OR 201, 33 miles SW of Nyssa
1298 Lake Owyhee Dam Road, Adrian, OR 97901
541-339-2331



Latitude: 43.628054 N
Longitude: -117.232197 W

Reserve early! Reserve campsites and tepees two days to nine months in advance by calling Reservations Northwest (1-800-452-5687) or visiting www.oregonstateparks.org.

Lake Owyhee State Park is a remote oasis that offers camping and boating on the shore of a scenic desert canyon reservoir.

Seasonal Camping *(Open April 15-October 31)*

McCormack Campground

- 29 electrical sites with water
- Eight tent sites with water nearby
- Two tepees (open May 1)
- Paved parking, fire rings, and picnic tables at all sites
- Hot showers and flush toilets
- RV dump station
- Firewood for sale

Indian Creek Campground

- 26 electrical sites with water
- Five primitive tent sites with standing barbecues
- Boat ramp
- Marine fuel and ice

Universal Access

Tepee A and sites #16 and 17 at McCormack and #59 and 60 at Indian Creek are accessible to campers with disabilities.

Camping Rates

Rates are subject to change. You can get up-to-date information by calling 1-800-551-6949 or visiting www.oregonstateparks.org.

Try a Tepee

Lake Owyhee's two tepees offer a unique camping experience. Both have electricity and foam mattresses; a picnic table and fire ring are just outside. The tepees are available May 1-October 15 and are reservable up to nine months in advance through Reservations Northwest (1-800-452-5687).

Discovery Season

From October 1-April 30, camping in an Oregon state park costs less. At Lake Owyhee and Succor Creek, you can get \$4 off summer rates on electric and tent sites.

Need to cancel your reservation? Follow these guidelines: If your reservation is for today or tomorrow, call 541-339-2331. Otherwise, call Reservations Northwest at 1-800-452-5687.

Boating and Fishing

Owyhee Reservoir is a 53-mile-long lake filling a deep but narrow canyon brimming with colorful volcanic rock formations. Many boaters return year after year to explore the desert canyon and rugged mountains. Some of the geological features are visible only by boat.

Anglers are rewarded with excellent warm-water catches, especially largemouth bass and black crappie. The reservoir also has catfish and is occasionally stocked with rainbow trout.

The Indian Creek campground and the Gordon Gulch Day-use Area both have boat ramps. Another ramp is located near the dam.

Play It Safe

Follow park rules and boating safety regulations. The nearest emergency services are 33 miles away, in Nyssa. The closest hospital is in Ontario, about an hour's drive from the park.

'Owyhee': Like 'Hawaii'?

In his account of an 1826 expedition, famed trapper Peter Skene Ogden says that the Owyhee River was named in honor of two Hawaiians killed on an earlier trip to the area. "Owyhee" was a variation of Hawaii commonly used in the early 19th century.

Succor Creek State Natural Area

A remote haven for rockhounds and wildlife enthusiasts, Succor Creek State Natural Area lies in a deep, rocky canyon. Limited souvenir collecting is permitted in the park. A rough 15-mile gravel road leads from Oregon 201 to the natural area, which has eight primitive campsites and a vault toilet on the west side of Succor Creek. There are an additional 15 primitive walk-in sites on the east side of the creek. No water is available.

Wildlife Viewing

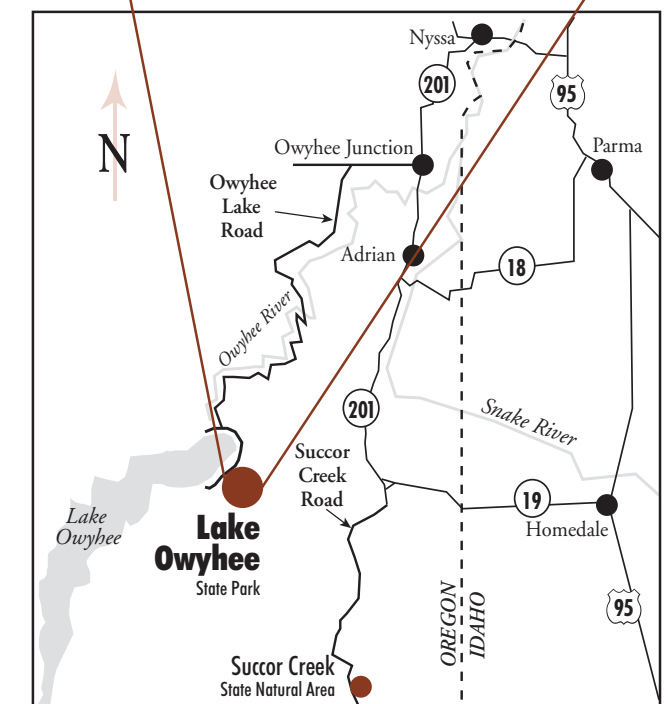
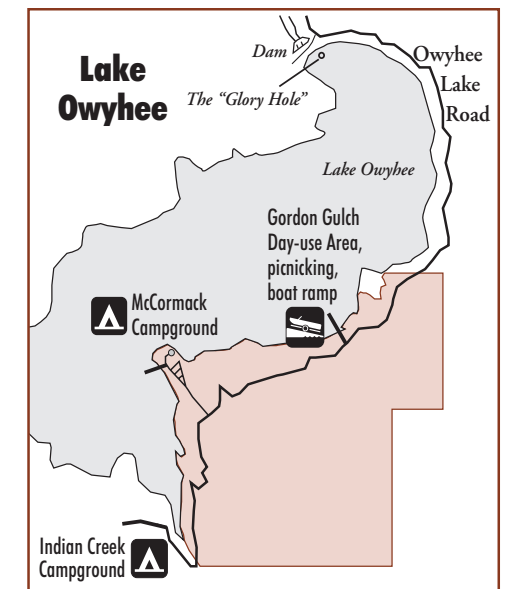
Unusual rock formations aren't all you'll see in the Lake Owyhee and Succor Creek areas: wildlife is abundant here. Look for golden eagles, coyotes, ground squirrels, rabbits, pronghorn antelope, mule deer, and wild horses (watch out for rattlesnakes, too). You might even see California bighorn sheep or a mountain lion.

Park Information:

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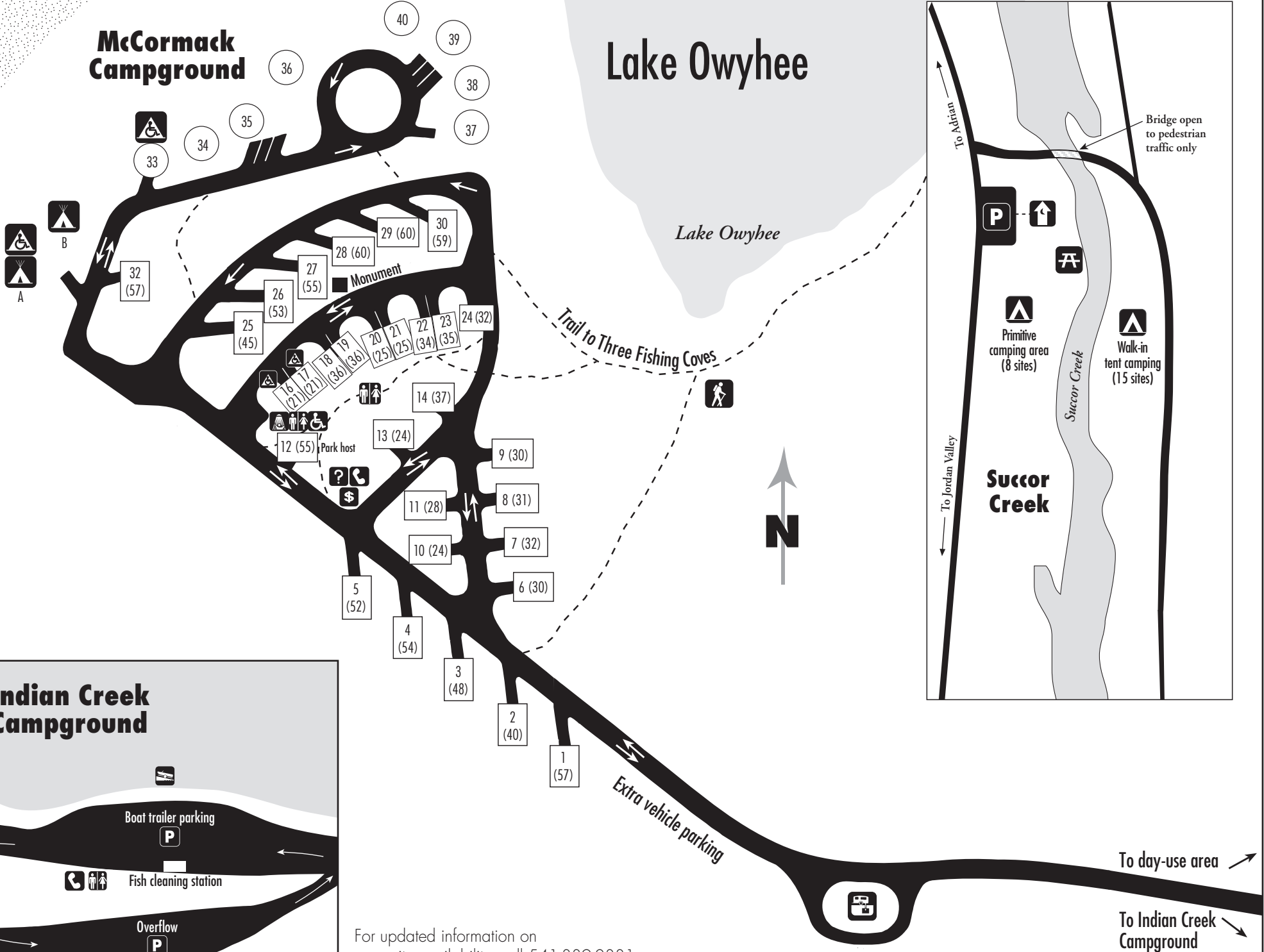
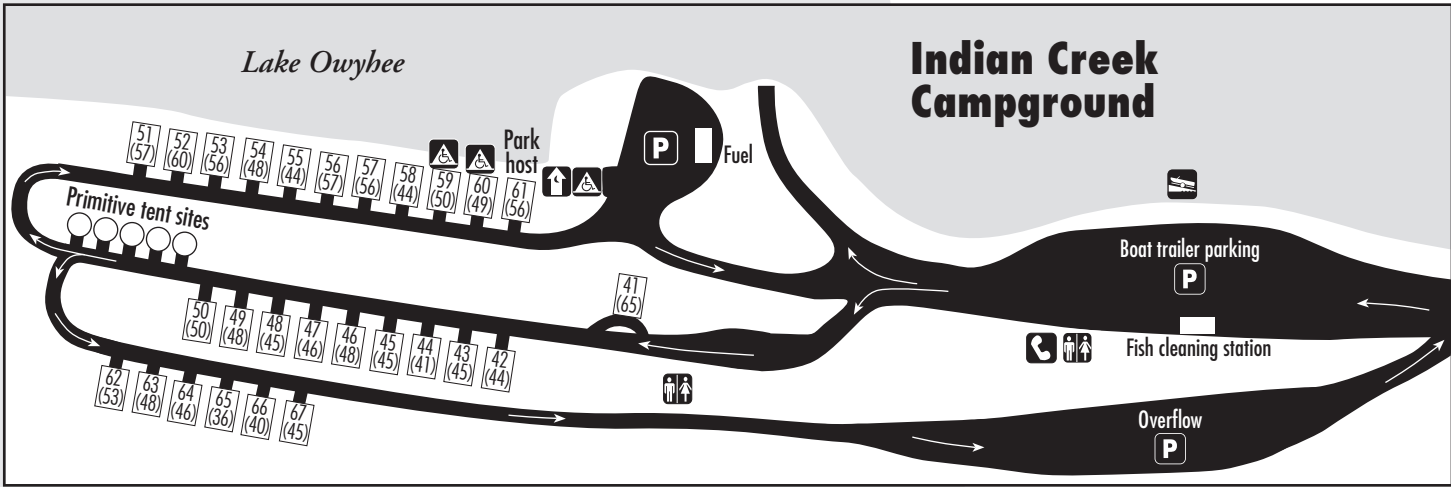
This park is operated as a partnership between the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department and the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation.

Please help make camping at Lake Owyhee and Succor Creek a safe and enjoyable experience by following these and other park rules:

- Campground quiet hours are between 10 p.m. and 7 a.m.
- All vehicles must be parked on pavement.
- Pitch tents (maximum two per site) on tent pads only.
- Bicycles are permitted on park roads, but must be ridden with the traffic flow. Riders under age 16 must wear helmets.
- The speed limit on park roads is 15 mph in all areas.
- Dispose of sink wastewater by pouring it into a container and dumping it into screened pits. Do not dump grease.
- Pets must be physically restrained at all times when not confined in a vehicle or tent. Leashes must be no longer than six feet. All waste must be properly removed. (See our “Pets in Parks” brochure for details.)

Check-in after 4 p.m., **Check-out** by 1 p.m.

Key			
29 (60)	Electric site (site length in feet)	Accessible camping	Picnic area
36	Tent site	Shower	Boat ramp
Camping		Restroom	RV dump station
Tepee		Vault toilet	Hiking
P	Parking	Phone	Fee station
Trails	Trails		



For updated information on campsite availability, call 541-339-2331.