



August 31, 2022

Anthony Lake

- The boat ramp and campground are open. There is a seasonal [fire restriction](#).

Applegate Reservoir

- UPDATE: Hart-Tish boat ramp has approximately five feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting. Copper and French Gulch have 15 feet or more of water at the bottom of the ramp.

Blue River Reservoir

- UPDATE: Lookout boat ramp has approximately 19 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. Saddle Mountain boat ramps have more than 30 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp.

Brownlee Reservoir

- UPDATE: Idaho Department of Environmental Quality issued an advisory for cyanobacteria is still in effect. The Oregon boating access sites in the reservoir include Farewell Bend State Park, Spring Recreation Site, Swedes Landing, Moonshine Mine, Hewitt Park and Holcomb Park. [Health advisory issued for BROWNLEE RESERVOIR – Southwest District Health \(id.gov\)](#)

- UPDATE: The Hewitt Park dock at the low water boat ramp is out of water. The boat ramp is still usable. The low water boat ramp has approximately eight feet of water at the bottom of the ramp.
- UPDATE: Holcomb Park boat dock and ramp are still in the water. There is approximately seven feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.
- Spring Recreation main boat ramp and dock are out of the water. The side ramp is available.
- UPDATE: Farewell Bend State Park boat ramp has approximately 12 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp.
- UPDATE: Moonshine Mine boat ramp has approximately 29 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp.

Campbell Lake

- Campbell Lake Campground and boat ramp are closed due to the Bootleg Fire.

Cape Meares Lake

- Extensive aquatic plant growth throughout the lake may cause navigation issues for some boaters.

Carmen Diversion Reservoir

- The reservoir and the U.S. Forest Service Road 750 will be closed through April 11, 2023 to allow Eugene Water and Electric Board to address sinkhole concerns.

Carter Lake

- Located approximately 11 miles south of Florence, this small coastal dune lake is a nice location for novice paddlers to hone their skills in the morning before afternoon winds pick up.

Columbia River

- Boating access is at capacity and there are a lot of boaters on the water. Please be patient and courteous when launching, retrieving, and parking. We want everyone to have a great time and catch fish. Boat Safe, Boat Sober and Wear your Life Jacket. Safety is in your hands.

- Port of Cascade Locks pumpout and dump station are out of service. The next available equipment downstream is at M. James Gleason and upstream is at Port of Hood River.

Coos Bay

- NEW: The Salmon Trout Enhancement Program annual salmon derby will be held on September 10th and 11th at the California Street boat ramp. [Coos Basin Salmon Derby - Home | Facebook](#)

Coquille River

- Sturdivant Park boat ramp has approximately three feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp at ordinary low water. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.
- NEW: The second Bass Fishing Derby is scheduled for September 3 - 4. A second \$1,000 small bass is in the Coquille River system. There are lots of tagged fish out there! [Port of Coquille River \(thepocrd.com\)](#)

Cottage Grove Reservoir

- The Lakeside boat ramp has over 30 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp.
- Wilson Creek boat ramp has approximately six feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.

Cottonwood Meadows Lake

- The Cottonwood Recreation Area is located approximately 45 minutes northwest of Lakeview. The campground, day use areas and boat ramp are open and usable.

Cougar Reservoir

- UPDATE: The water level is approximately 25 feet below the bottom of Slide Creek and Echo Park boat ramps. Paddlecraft may be able to carry down. The reservoir still has lots of water to explore from a kayak.

Crane Prairie

- UPDATE: The reservoir is 69 percent full. Boat ramps are open. Avoid ODFW buoys marking brown bullhead removal nets along the southeastern and southwestern shorelines.

Crescent Lake

- The reservoir is 13 percent full and dropping quickly. Crescent Lake campground and day use main boat launch is unusable due to low water. The low water boat launch to the west of the main launch is open.
- Spring campground and day use are open. The U.S. Forest Service recommends only launching small boats because of low water levels.

Crump Lake

- The lake is closed.

Crystal Creek

- Malone Springs is located approximately 40 minutes northwest of Klamath Falls. The small boat ramp is perfect for kayaks, canoes and standup paddleboard to paddle into Klamath Lake via the Upper Klamath Canoe Trail. There are opportunities for bird watching, as this recreation site is part of the [Klamath Birding Trail](#).

Davis Lake

- UPDATE: On September 1, 2022, the U.S. Forest Service is opening the campground and boat ramp at Lava Flow campground after the wildlife closure.
- UPDATE: Launching small boats and paddlecraft is possible at North Lava Flow campground adjacent to the lava field.
- UPDATE: Small boats and paddlecraft can launch at the West Davis recreation site, but be prepared to pull the boat through Odell Creek to reach a suitable water depth.

Deadhorse Lake

- UPDATE: Deadhorse Lake Campground and boat ramp will open September 1, 2022.

Detroit Lake

- UPDATE: State Park D boat ramp is out of the water; however, paddlers can carry down their kayaks, canoes, and stand-up paddleboards.
- NEW: Hoover boat ramp has approximately nine feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.

- UPDATE: Southshore, Cove Creek, State Park G and Mongold low water ramp have more than 10 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.

Dexter Reservoir

- UPDATE: Lowell and Dexter State Parks have approximately seven feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.

Diamond Lake

- UPDATE: Umpqua National Forest has detected an increase in algae blooms. South Shore boat launch and day use area. The South Shore also has an increase of elodea (water weeds) that can be problematic for boaters. Thielson View has low level of algae and water weeds and is a good alternative to South Shore. [Umpqua National Forest - Alerts & Notices \(usda.gov\)](https://www.usda.gov/land-management/forest/umpqua-national-forest/alerts-notice)

Dog Lake

- Dog Lake boat ramp and docks are open and usable.

Dorena Reservoir

- UPDATE: Harms Park boat ramp has approximately six feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. Baker Bay boat ramp has more than 30 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp.

Emigrant Lake

- Emigrant Lake North boat ramp is no longer usable due to low water and the dock is no longer installed. Carry down boats can use the boat ramp to launch.

Fall Creek Reservoir

- UPDATE: Cascara boat ramp and swim dock by the campground are closed.
- UPDATE: Winberry boat ramp has approximately 15 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp. North Shore boat ramp has more than 30 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. The Winberry swim dock is closed and no longer floating.

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) is closed. The area is anticipated to be reopened in 2023. [Faraday Lake \(portlandgeneral.com\)](http://portlandgeneral.com)

Fern Ridge Reservoir

- UPDATE: The floating restroom is repaired and back in service.
- Perkins Peninsula boat ramp has approximately four feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.
- Richardson Park and Orchard Point have approximately seven feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.

Foster Reservoir

- Gedney Creek, Sunnyside and Calkins boat ramps are open, and docks are floating.
- There is approximately four feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp at Calkins Park. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.

Fourmile Lake

- Fourmile Lake Campground and boat ramp will be closed through December 2022 for removal of damaged and dead trees affected by the Mountain Pine Beetle.

Gold Lake

- UPDATE: The Gold Lake Boat Launch is open.

Grand Ronde Lake

- The boat ramp and campground are open. Located approximately two miles from Anthony Lake, this is a great location for kayaking, standup paddle boarding and angling.

Green Peter Reservoir

- The water is dropping but Whitcomb Creek boat ramp has approximately 15 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp.
- NEW: Thistle Creek high water boat ramp docks are out of the water, but the ramp is still open. The low water ramp is still underwater.
- The reservoir has two floating restrooms. One in the Quartzville arm and one near Rumbaugh Creek. To keep the toilets functioning and unplugged, please flush after every use.

Haystack Reservoir

- The boat ramps are closed due to low water. Paddlecraft can be carried down.

Heart Lake

- The boat ramp is open but is in poor condition. The gamefish limits and gear restrictions have been lifted until September 18, 2022. ODFW is planning to treat the lake in September to address illegally introduced brown bullhead fish. There will not be any fish in the lake until spring 2023.

Hells Canyon Reservoir

- UPDATE: Idaho Department of Environmental Quality issued an advisory for cyanobacteria is still in effect. The Oregon boating access sites in the reservoir include Copperfield, Bob Creek and Hells Canyon Creek Recreation Site. [Health advisory issued for HELLS CANYON RESERVOIR – Southwest District Health \(id.gov\)](#)
- Copperfield boat launch is open and the dock is floating.

Hills Creek Reservoir

- UPDATE: The water level is approximately five feet below the end of the Bingham boat ramp. The bank is steep and may be difficult to use launch or retrieve paddlecraft.
- NEW: CT Beach boat ramp has approximately 3 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. The launch is recommended for small boats and paddlecraft at this water level. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.
- NEW: Packard boat ramp has more than 20 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp.

Holbrook Reservoir

- The boat ramp is dry, but kayaks and canoes can carry down to launch. ODFW has lifted gamefish limits and gear restrictions until October 31, 2022, [Fishing Report - Southeast Zone | Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife \(myodfw.com\)](#)

Howard Prairie Lake

- The water level is approximately 6% full. The boat ramps at Grizzly Creek, Willow Point, Klum Landing and Howard Prairie Resort are dry, but paddlers can carry their boats to the water. Small boats can use the unimproved access near the dam.

Jubilee Lake

- Located approximately 20 miles from Elgin, this high elevation lake is nice for kayaking and boats with small electric motors only. The boat ramp and campground are open.

KINGSLEY RESERVOIR

- NEW: The long-awaited reopening of the boat ramp on Kingsley Reservoir in Hood River County happened. The campground remains closed. There is a parking fee of \$5.00 or annual pass for \$30.00. County Parking Passes can be purchased at the Hood River County website. [Parking Passes | Hood River County](#)

Klamath Lake

- The Odessa boat launch is steep but can be used by small boats and paddlecraft to launch. This site is located approximately 35 minutes west of Klamath Falls. Odessa's peaceful and secluded setting is situated on the [Klamath Basin Birding Trail](#) and affords many opportunities to view bird life.
- The Rocky Point Day Use area and Boat Launch is located approximately 30 minutes northwest of Klamath Falls. The boat ramp is on Recreation Creek, which connects with the [Upper Klamath Canoe Trail](#). Boaters can paddle a 10-mile loop marked with signs and interpretive displays for the National Wildlife Refuge.

Lake Billy Chinook

- The Cove Palisades Resort and Marina wave attenuator is installed. Additional anchors will be installed to secure the attenuator. Work is anticipated to be completed by September 2022. The boating facilities are open during construction.

Lake Harriet

- The lake is ONLY accessible by Highway 26 and Skyline because Highway 224 is closed at Ripplebrook.

Lake Owyhee Reservoir

- UPDATE: The water is approximately five feet below the Gordon Gulch boat ramp. Indian Creek has approximately 12 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.

Lake Selmac

- Kellers Landing has a large drop off on each side of the boat ramp with a large berm approximately 10 feet out from the ramp.
- Mallard Boat Ramp is very short and steep and will often have aquatic plants in the launch area. Paddlers can launch from the ramp, bulkhead, or adjacent lawn.

Lemolo Lake

- UPDATE: Umpqua National Forest has detected an increase of algae blooms between low to moderate. The highest concentrations of algae are at Poole Creek and East Lemolo boat launches. [Umpqua National Forest - Alerts & Notices \(usda.gov\)](#)

Lookout Point Reservoir

- Meridian boat ramp, Hampton Landing and Black Canyon boat ramps are out of the water. There is more than 50 feet of water over the bottom of the boat ramp at Signal Point launch.

Loon Lake

- Loon Lake Recreation Site is open for day use from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm on Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays. There is no potable water available, and visitors will need to bring their own drinking water. [Loon Lake Opens for Weekend Day Use | Bureau of Land Management \(blm.gov\)](#)

Lost Creek Reservoir

- UPDATE: The water level is dropping, but there is approximately eight feet of water at the bottom of the Joseph Stewart boat ramp. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.

- UPDATE: Takelma boat ramp has more than 30 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp. The boarding docks were damaged and are unavailable. The floating restroom is installed and available. To keep the toilets functioning and unplugged, please flush after every use.

McKenzie River

- Approximately one mile downstream of Armitage Park boat launch, a gravel bar has formed that obstructs nearly the entire river width. No navigable channel exists for power boats. Those in drift boats will likely have to exit their vessel and carry it over or around the gravel bar. Caution is advised. For information about boating hazards and obstructions visit the [Obstructions Dashboard](#).

Miller Lake

- UPDATE: The road to Digit Point Day Use Area and Boat Launch has been graded. To protect the integrity of the access road, please drive slowly. The park is located on the south shore of the Lake approximately 40 minutes west of Chemult. The boat ramp and docks are open and usable.

Necanicum River

- The river is low and at summer flows. Drift boat runs are too low to safely navigate. Kayaking is still a great way to explore this river.

Nestucca River

- The river is low and at summer flows. Drift boaters should expect needing to drag their boat over shallow areas on all sections above Cloverdale.

North Santiam River

- Greens Bridge gate is closed. Boaters wishing to launch or retrieve boats must apply for a key through ODFW by calling 541-757-4186 and filling out a form. Once registered, anglers can pick up their key at Clyde's Lock and Safe in Salem. For information about boating hazards and obstructions visit the [Obstructions Dashboard](#).

North Umpqua River

- UPDATE: Amacher boat ramp and adjacent parking lot on the east side of the railroad trestle will be closed beginning August 22 through September 30, 2022. Improvements include replacing the upper portion of the boat ramp, paving the parking, creating a nonmotorized boat staging area, and installation of stormwater treatment structures. Access to the camping area, pavilion, trails, and parking west of the trestle will be open. The contractor is actively working.

- UPDATE: Bogus raft launch was destroyed in the Archie Creek fire. The U.S. Forest Service is planning to rebuild the launch in the future.

North Twin Lake

- UPDATE: The access road has recently been graded and re-graveled. To protect the integrity of the access road, the U.S. Forest Service requests that people drive slowly.

Ochoco Lake

- The reservoir is at 13% full. The boat ramp is closed however, people can carry down kayaks, canoes and standup paddleboards to hand launch from the dirt. The floating restroom was not installed this year.

Plat I Reservoir

- Located approximately three miles from Cooper Creek Reservoir and seven miles from Sutherlin, this 10-mph speed-restricted reservoir is a great location for kayaking and stand up paddleboarding. Call Sutherlin Water Control District with questions about visiting at 541-459-5450.

Prineville Reservoir

- There are fire restrictions at Roberts Bay and North Road areas.
- All boat ramps on Prineville Reservoir are out of the water. Hand launching kayaks, canoes and standup paddleboards can be done at Prineville Reservoir State Park. State Parks is exploring options to make it easier to get passed the mud to launch and retrieve. The floating restrooms will not be installed this year. Access to Social Security Beach is reduced for resource protection.

Rogue River

- NEW: The Bureau of Land Management has closed upland access between Robertson Bridge and Russian Creek because of the Rum Creek Fire. This includes Hog Creek, Indian Mary Park, Ennis Riffle, Galice, Rand, Almeda, Argo and Grave Creek. [Bureau of Land Management and Josephine County close recreation sites along Rogue River | Bureau of Land Management \(blm.gov\)](#)
- UPDATE: Baker Park sidewalk repairs and asphalt parking surfacing improvements is anticipated to begin by mid-September. The Park is anticipated to have full or partial closures during construction.
- NEW: Almeda boat ramp is closed for Rum Creek Fire.
- NEW: Argo boating access is closed for Rum Creek Fire.

- NEW: Rand boating access is closed for Rum Creek Fire.
- NEW: Ennis Riffle boat ramp is closed for Rum Creek Fire.
- NEW: Indian Mary Park is closed for Rum Creek Fire.
- NEW: Robertson Bridge boat ramp is closed for Rum Creek Fire.
- Ferry Hole has a small drop-off at the end of the boat ramp with cavities on the downstream side. Use caution when launching or retrieving.
- NEW: Galice boat ramp is closed for Rum Creek Fire.
- NEW: Grave Creek boating landing is closed for Rum Creek Fire.
- Griffin Park boat ramp is short and stops on a gravel bar. Adjacent to the boat ramp is a large gravel/sandy area to launch and retrieve. The site is recommended for rafts, kayaks and stand-up paddleboards.
- Lathrop Landing boat ramp has a buildup of sediment making the launch shallow which will require you to back further into the water to launch or retrieve.
- Schroeder Park has a large drop-off at the boat ramp. Use caution when launching or retrieving.
- Chinook Park boat ramp has an approximate eight-inch drop-off at the end of the ramp. When launching at certain river flows be prepared for the current to push you into a small rock barb and riffle.
- Pierce Riffle has a gravel bar just past the end of the boat ramp on the upstream side.
- The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is completing maintenance dredging and will also dredge a large gravel bar at the entrance of the boat basin. Work is scheduled to be completed by late October 2022. [Corps awards \\$5 million contract for Rogue River dredging at Gold Beach > Portland District > Portland District News Releases \(army.mil\)](#)

Snake River

- The Nyssa boat ramp and docks are open usable.
- NEW: Ontario State Parks boarding docks were repaired and reinstalled after being severely vandalized. If you see State Parks staff, please tell them thank you for completing these repairs so quickly.

Spring Creek

- Collier Memorial Park has a new kayak dock that is very popular. When paddling, please be respectful of this unique waterbody and only use designated put-in and take-out locations.

Summit Lake

- Summit Lake is closed.

Tillamook Bay

- Memaloose County Park is severely shoaled in, making launching and retrieving difficult. Monitor the tides closely.

Timothy Lake

- North Arm Campground, Oak Fork Campground, Gone Creek Campground, Hoodview Campground and Pine Point Campground boating access are open and ONLY accessible by Highway 26 and Skyline because Highway 224 is closed at Ripplebrook.

Todd Lake

- This small nonmotorized lake is located approximately 4.5 miles east of Sparks Lake. Wilderness permits are NOT required to access and use Todd Lake however recreators who use the nearby Todd Lake Trail ARE required to acquire a Central Cascades Wilderness permit for both day use and overnight use.
[Willamette National Forest - Recreation Passes & Permits \(usda.gov\)](https://www.usda.gov/land-management/land-use/wilderness/wilderness-permits)

Toketee Lake

- This lake is located approximately 60 miles east of Roseburg. The boat ramp is open and launches into a narrow channel to the main body of the lake. Angling and paddling are popular activities.

Tualatin River

- Rivergrove boat ramp is out of the water. Paddlecraft can carry down to launch and retrieve. Trailered boats should use Cook Park in Tigard.

Umpqua River

- Oregon Health Authority has issued permanent [recreational use advisory](#) from the mainstem Umpqua River downstream past Elkton to Lawson Bar. Pools in the bedrock along the river's edge are known to develop cyanobacteria blooms.

Unity Reservoir

- UPDATE: There is approximately 8 feet of water at the bottom of the boat ramp at Unity Lake State Park. Please avoid power loading your boat on and from your trailer. Power loading and unloading can damage the boat ramp's lower portion, causing expensive repairs and permitting.

Upper Klamath Lake

- UPDATE: Still in effect, Oregon Health Authority issued a [recreational use health advisory](#) on July 1, for areas around Eagle Ridge County Park due to the presence of cyanobacteria bloom and cyanotoxins above recreational use values for human exposure.

Waldo Lake

- All campgrounds and boating access are currently open at Waldo Lake; however, the lake is near the Cedar Creek Fire. Visitors should confirm the availability of facilities with the [US Forest Service](#).

Warner Valley Complex

- Campbell, Turpin and Alkali Lakes canoe launches are closed due to low water.

Willamette River

Lower (Columbia River to Willamette Falls)

- Sportcraft Landing access road is restricted to one-lane. The contractor is working hard to minimize delays. Flaggers are present. The upper parking area and a portion of the lower parking area are closed. This is anticipated to last through August 2022. Jon Storm Park dock, restrooms and pumpout and dump station are open, but the parking lot will be closed until completion of the I-205 bridge widening project.
- UPDATE: Still in effect. Oregon Health Authority issued an extended recreational use health advisory near Cathedral Park. [Recreational use advisory issued for the Willamette River near Cathedral Park \(govdelivery.com\)](#)
- ODOT will be doing repair work on the [St. Johns Bridge](#) columns this year. Portland Parks and Recreation does not anticipate any impact to the boat ramp and docks. There may be minor if any impact on the boater parking area. The two N. Philadelphia Avenue frontage roads connecting North Syracuse and North Willamette Avenues will close. The southern frontage road will remain open to local access. Additional information can be found on the ODOT project page.

Middle (Willamette Falls to Salem)

- UPDATE: Molalla River State Park will NOT be closed August 30 - September 1, for a contractor to remove some large tires that have washed away from the bank. Oregon State Parks and Recreation is working to find an available contractor to complete the work.
- NEW: Willamette Mission boat ramp main parking lot will be closed for striping and repairs September 1-2, 2022. If ramp access is needed, it may be accommodated with alternate parking. Boaters with questions can call 503-932-9774.
- Regulatory changes to the [Towed Watersports Education Program](#) for Newberg Pool are in effect.

Upper (Salem to Eugene)

- Buena Vista County Park is closed through September 30, 2022. The contractor is remobilizing to begin construction of the boat ramp, boarding docks, lower parking area, vault toilet and access road. During construction, there is no boating access at the park.
- The City of Independence installed a [prototype kayak locker](#) on the old ferry landing in front of Riverview Park and The Independence Hotel. It will fit two small boats or one canoe/large kayak. People will need to bring their own padlock.
- City of Salem and Willamette Riverkeepers are preparing for the third year of treatment of Ludwigia (Uruguayan water primrose) in Willamette Slough. Herbicide treatment is expected to occur from July 11 through July 22 (excluding the weekend) with follow-up treatment at the end of August 2022. Recreational users are advised to steer clear of the slough while treatment is in progress and 24 hours after the last scheduled treatment. [Willamette Slough Habitat Restoration Continues | News | Salem, Oregon \(cityofsalem.net\)](#)