

Welcome to Pinetop,

Following are some important reminders regarding your upcoming reservation in August 2025. Please share this information with your groups.

The maximum number of guests the camp can accommodate is 210 adults and youth combined. If the possibility exists that your group will exceed the number of youth and adults reserved in system, please update the system and advise the camp managers well in advance so that other arrangements can be discussed. We cannot exceed capacity due to camp and individual safety concerns.

There are private homes on Pine Top Road with children and pets. Please do not exceed the posted 10 mph speed limit.

Check in time is 1pm and check out time is 11am. There can be no early check in or late checkout on any day of your stay. Arriving earlier than 1pm to decorate or prepare is also not allowed. Please check in with the caretakers upon arrival and check out with caretakers well in advance of checkout time for a cleaning inspection. Please be advised that checkout means you must complete the checkout process in its entirety and have vacated the premises by the 11am checkout time on the day of your departure. Cleaning expectations are posted in all buildings.

There are four designated parking areas. Parking area 1 is adjacent to Cabin 7 (Pinecone cottage). It is the first left before the entry sign. Parking area 2 is the first right following the entry sign. It is generally used for overflow and oversize vehicle parking. Parking area 3 is opposite the caretaker's maintenance buildings. Please do not block the maintenance buildings. We now offer trash service for summer guests. **Parking area 3 must be empty of vehicles Tuesday evening through Wednesday noon to allow for the trash service to have access to the dumpster.** Parking area 4 is at the pavilion. For winter reservations, parking area 1 and 3 are the only parking areas plowed of snow.

There are short term loading and unloading areas adjacent to the lodge. This area is not available for parking.

RV's are not allowed. Summer camping is by tent or cabin only. There are no exceptions. Pinecone Cottage (Cabin 7) and the lodge are open year-round. All other cabins and tent sites are closed November 1 through April 15 annually.

Pets of any kind are not allowed on the premises.

Please remove shoes when in the carpeted areas of the lodge.

The pool is normally open from Memorial Day to Labor Day. You need to reserve the pool online. The pool will not be available this summer due to a major pool reconstruction project. The new pool house is open and available for bathrooms and showers.

No bedding is provided. The cabins 1 – 6 are basically bunkhouses. Guests will need to bring their own sleeping pads, sleeping bags, etc. We are pleased to announce that Cabin 7 – Pinecone Cottage, will now have cots instead of the old metal frames. Pinecone Cottage also has two bathrooms with flushing toilets, but no hot water. The lodge has bathrooms and showers, and as mentioned the pool house also has bathrooms and showers. There are also 3 outhouses on the property.

Shortly upon arrival, please gather your group for a short orientation provided by the Service Missionaries caring for the camp.

There is no Wi-Fi service available to guests. There is cellular reception from most major providers within the camp area.

No motorcycles, 4-wheelers, ATV's or dirt bikes are allowed.

Please do not use staples, tape, or nails to hang things inside the lodge or cabins.

All guests please keep clear of the area adjacent to the pool during construction.

Pine Top Road is off Highway 21 between milepost 36 and 37. Turn left coming from Boise nearly at milepost 37. Follow the signs to the camp after making the turn.

There is firewood provided at camp. Tent camping is in designated and reserved tent areas only. There is no tent camping allowed anywhere in the grassy area or in a non-designated spot.

Winter patrons:

Please be aware the entry road is steep, and although it is plowed, it is necessary that you have all wheel drive and appropriate snow tires. There is a parking area on Highway 21 adjacent to Pine Top Road where one could park and shuttle with others if needed.

Sledding is not allowed on Pinetop Road. There are multiple areas for sledding around the camp, and at Steamboat Gulch.

We pray you will enjoy your stay here at beautiful Pinetop Camp!

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