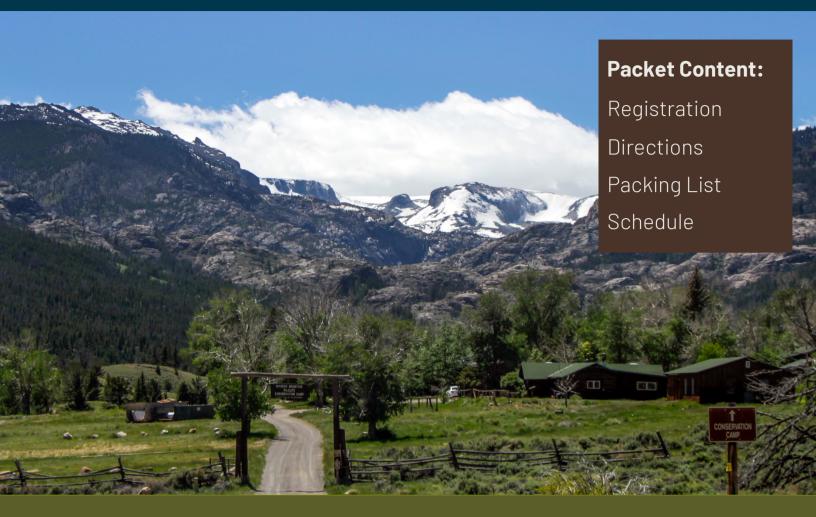


# **Fishing Camp**



Fishing Camp offers an overnight camp experience for participants ages ten and up. Campers will learn the basics of two types of fishing, fly fishing and spin casting, through hands-on fishing trips. Campers should arrive with an interest in fishing and limited experience.

All participants must have a valid fishing license.

We hope you find the information included in this packet helpful to you. Don't hesitate to reach out to us if you have questions.

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# **Registration Fees**

### Registration Fee:

\$150.00 per person for the first two participants within your family. If there are more than two people in your family, the following discounts apply.

Three Participants: 10% discount Four Participants: 15% discount Five Participants: 20% discount Six+ Participants: 25% discount

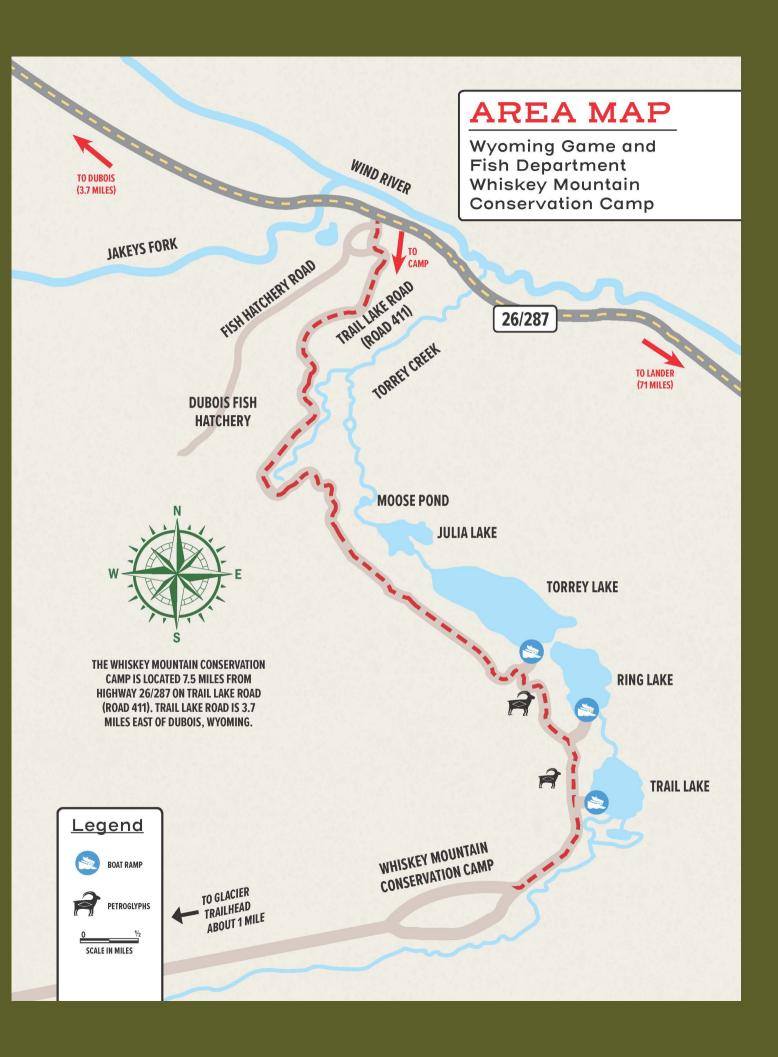
Camp fees include meals and lodging.

### **Directions**

Camp Address: 704 Trail Lake Road in Dubois, WY.

If you are heading East on U.S. Highway 26/287, 4.3 miles east of Dubois, turn right at Jakey's Fork Road. If you are arriving from the Lander/Riverton direction, turn left. There is a sign for the fish hatchery and Whiskey Mountain Wildlife Habitat Management Area. Stay left at the immediate fork after the cattle guard. After approximately four miles, you should see Torrey Lake on your left. Stay on the main road by Ring Lake and Trail Lake. Stay on the main road. Do not make any turns. At approximately 7.6 miles, you should be looking at the camp entrance. Parking is on your left once you drive under the entrance gate. Registration is at the screen pavilion on the left.

The camp address is searchable on Google Maps for directions as well.



# **Arrival and Departure**

Please arrive between 10:00 am and 11:30 am on June 27, 2024. Departure is at noon on June 30, 2024.

# **About Whiskey Mountain Conservation Camp**

Whiskey Mountain Conservation Camp is located near Trail Lake, approximately ten miles southeast of Dubois, Wyoming. The camp, located on historic bighorn sheep winter range, is situated on Torrey Creek about one mile from the Fitzpatrick Wilderness Trailhead. There is a good possibility of seeing lots of wildlife, such as moose, deer, osprey, and bighorn sheep. The scenery is beautiful, so consider packing binoculars or a camera to capture your amazing surroundings. The road into camp is a dirt road, but most passenger vehicles can navigate it without any problems.

### **Other Considerations**

### **Phone Calls**

There is no cell phone service at camp; however, there is strong wi-fi. You should enable "wi-fi calling" on your phone before arriving at camp. There is a landline available for emergencies.

### **Dietary Restrictions**

All meals are buffet-style and served in the main dining hall. If anyone in your family has particular dietary concerns, please be sure they are listed in your registration process so our caterer can accommodate them.

### **Cabin Assignments**

Participants will stay in cabins with running water, heat and indoor toilet facilities, including showers. The beds are large cots. Linens, blankets, and pillows are not provided, so you will need to bring your own pillows, sleeping bags, or sheets/blankets. Each registered family group will be staying in its own assigned cabin. Due to capacity restrictions, however, families with more than five members may be assigned to more than one cabin. If this happens, at least one adult must stay in each place with children under eighteen. Child care is not provided by camp staff. Participants must be age ten and up to attend.





Photos of inside cabins.

### **What to Pack**

Whiskey Mountain Conservation Camp is located in mountainous terrain. The weather can vary greatly, so come prepared to be outdoors in all weather types. Activities will continue regardless of the weather unless camper safety is at risk.

- Valid Wyoming Fishing License and Conservation Stamp
- Pillow
- Sleeping bag or other bedding to sleep on twin-sized cots
- Layers for cool weather (pants, sweatshirt, fleece)
- Four days' worth of clothing for warm weather
- Raincoat
- Hiking boots or a sturdy pair of closed-toed gym shoes
- Water shoes/sandals that strap to your feet
- Towel and washcloth
- Hats (for sun and warmth)
- Light jacket
- Gloves
- Toiletries (soap, shampoo, body wash, toothbrush, chapstick, lotion, etc.)
- Sunscreen & mosquito repellent
- Day pack/Backpack for hiking
- At least two large water bottles (32 oz. each) or an equivalent hydration pack
- Personal medications
- Flashlight or headlamp
- A wristwatch or digital alarm clock
- Swimsuit or other water clothes
- Polarized sunglasses

### **Optional Items:**

- Personal fishing gear
- Camera (digital or phone)
- Binoculars
- Personal reusable coffee/tea mug
- Book, playing cards, or other materials for free time

Do not bring an item that may challenge the safety of any person or property; items include personal firearms, illicit drugs, alcohol, fireworks, etc. We aim to maintain the utmost protection for every person at Whiskey Mountain Conservation Camp.

### **Tentative Schedule**

### Day 1

11:00 am Participants Arrive & check-in 12:00 pm -1:00 pm Lunch & Orientation 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm Ice breakers 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm Fish identification 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm Casting Basics 6:00 pm Free Time 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Dinner, Announcements & Macroinvertebrates 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Campfire

### Day 2

7:00 am - 8:00 am Breakfast
8:00 am - 12:00 pm Canoeing & spin casting
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm Lunch
1:00 pm - 1:30 pm Free Time
1:30 pm - 4:00 pm Bear ID & safety
4:00 pm - 6:00 pm Fly tying
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Dinner &
Announcements
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Campfire

### Day 3

7:00 am - 8:00 am Breakfast
8:00 am - 12:00 pm Fly fishing &
Macroinvertebrates investigation
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm Lunch
1:00 pm - 1:30 pm Free Time
1:30 pm - 6:00 pm Outdoor skills
presentation
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Dinner &
Announcements
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Game night &
Optional sunset fishing

### Day 4

5:00 am - 7:00 am Optional sunrise fishing
7:00 am - 8:00 am Breakfast & Announcements
8:00 am - 11:00 am Waterfall hike
11:00 am - 12:00 am Clean cabins & prepare for departure
12:00 pm Sack lunch & depart

# Whiskey Mountain Conservation Camp Parking Area