Detroit Lake

State Recreation Area

On OR 22, 2 miles W of Detroit
44000 N. Santiam Hwy SE, Detroit, OR 97342
503-854-3766

Detroit Lake’s campground offers nearly 300 sites on the shore of a forested canyon reservoir in the Cascade Mountains. The nine-mile-long lake is a popular destination for fishing, boating, and other water sports. Sightseers enjoy views of snow-capped Mt. Jefferson in the distance.

Camping

Note: All campground loops are open from at least mid-May through mid-September. F Loop is open year-round. Most sites are reservable.

- 103 full-hookup sites (sewer, electricity, water)
- 68 electrical sites with water
- 96 tent sites with water nearby
- Paved parking, picnic tables, and fire ring at all sites
- Showers and flush toilets
- Swimming areas
- Firewood for sale

Universal Access

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Camping Rates

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Limited Parking

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Boating and Fishing

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Smoking in Oregon State Parks is allowed only in personal vehicles, RVs, campsites and portions of day use parks along state highways that are designated as safety rest areas by the Oregon Department of Transportation.
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- Campground quiet hours are between 10 p.m. and 7 a.m.
- All vehicles must be parked on pavement.
- Bicycles are permitted on park roads, but must be ridden with the traffic flow. Riders under age 16 must wear helmets.
- 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.

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

Note: There is no RV dump station at Detroit Lake.