



2010 Information and Rate Schedule

Thank you for requesting more information about Charit Creek Lodge. Charit Creek Lodge is open every day of the year with the exception of Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. We hope the information provided below is helpful.

How to Get to Charit Creek Lodge

Located in the Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area, Charit Creek Lodge is remote and accessible by hiking or horseback trails only. Choose the shortest foot path of 0.8 miles or spend the whole day exploring the well maintained trails of the Big South Fork. You'll find a map included in this packet, and the visitors center at the Big South Fork will also have trail maps. We'll have a cool glass of lemonade waiting for you.

What to Wear/What to Bring

Summer in the Big South Fork is hot and Autumn and Spring are pleasantly cool, so dress accordingly. For your trip to the lodge, you'll need a canteen of drinking water (do not drink from the streams), a flashlight, rain gear, sturdy shoes and a light knapsack filled with your overnight necessities. For winter trips, dress in layers, as days could be warm and nights very cold. Units are heated by wood stoves, so be sure to bring a pair of longjohns and wool socks for sleeping. Because of our limited laundry facilities, you'll also need to **bring your own towel and washcloth (we do provide sheets)**.

Full Service Meals

As a full service guest, your rate includes dinner and breakfast. Lunch is included in the lodging rate for guests staying more than one night. Dinner is at 6:00pm **Eastern Time**. Please plan to arrive by 5:00pm **Eastern Time**. Your dinner will include a meat entrée, three vegetables, homemade bread, dessert and coffee or hot chocolate. For breakfast, you can expect pancakes, eggs, Canadian bacon, grits, muffins, juice and coffee or hot chocolate. Breakfast is served at 8:00am. Lunch is available by reservation for full service guests and the general public.

Running Water

The Lodge has complete restroom facilities. Showers are available seasonally.

Your Accommodations

There is no electricity at Charit Creek Lodge, but each room is equipped with kerosene lamps and a wood stove. We also provide comfortable beds and clean bed linens (you will, however, need to bring your own towels). There are two separate rooms in the main lodge and two cabins. The rooms in the main lodge and the 2 cabins each sleep 12. To reserve a private full service accommodation for your party on Friday or Saturday night, you must reserve six or more spots. Parties with less than six guests may be grouped with other guests. On weeknights, full service parties with less than six guests may be offered private accommodations.

Your Horse's Accommodations

Charit Creek Lodge has a stable with hay. Or if you prefer, you can picket or "tie out" your horse. A current negative Coggins test is required.

Full Service Guests

Rates for adults and children include overnight accommodations, bed linens, dinner the evening you arrive and breakfast the next morning. There is a minimum of six people or \$405 to reserve a private room for your party on Friday or Saturday night.

Adults\$67.50
Children (4-12 years old)\$55.50

14.25% State and Local Taxes Not Included.

Hostel Guests

Hostel-type accommodations are available for a maximum of 12 guests. We are not able to provide a private unit for under 12 hostel guests. The hostel rate includes use of showers and restroom facilities and use of the common area except during full service meal periods. Kitchen privileges are available with one designated cook from your party. Due to remoteness of our lodge, we regret that **refrigeration is not available. No meals are provided. Hostel guests provide their own bedding.**

Overnight \$20.00 per person
14.25% State and Local Taxes Not Included.

"Indoor Campers"

Indoor camping accommodations are available for a maximum of 12 guests. We are not able to provide a private unit for under 12 "indoor campers". This rate includes use of the showers and restroom facilities and use of the common area except during full service meal periods. Outdoor grills and sink are available. **Campers must provide all utensils and cooking supplies, as no meals are provided. Due to the remoteness of our lodge, we regret that refrigeration is not available. Campers provide their own bedding.**

Overnight \$15.00 per person
14.25% State and Local Taxes Not Included.

Optional Meals

Reservations for lunch can be made by day users of the recreation area as well as overnight guests. The lunches may be a packed lunch for hiking or an eat-in lunch. Lunch is served by reservation only.* Lunch reservations are requested at least 7 days in advance. Eat-in served at 12:00pm Eastern Time. Pre-payment is requested.

Lunch \$8.00
*Lunch is included in the lodging rate for guests staying more than one night.
 9.25% State and Local Taxes Not Included.*

Horses

Stall rental, including hay \$8.00
Picket or "Tie-Out" rental, per horse, including hay \$3.25

Payment Policy

Payment in full, including sales tax, is required to hold your reservation. If your reservation is made between the 1st and the 15th of the month, payment is due by the 1st of the following month. If your reservation is made between the 16th and the end of the month, payment is due by the 15th of the following month. Payment on reservations made less than 30 days before arrival date is due when reservation are made. Payment is accepted by check, money order, cash or credit card.

Cancellation Policy

Much advance planning is necessary to ensure your comfort in such a remote location. If you must cancel a reservation, 15 days notice is required to guarantee a full refund of your payment. If you need to cancel with less than 15 days notice, still notify us as soon as possible. If we are able to rebook your space(s) for that night, we will gladly return your payment. Refunds on cancellations without 15 days notice cannot be made if we are unable to rebook your space, regardless of the circumstances.

For reservations call or write:

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