



# COWAN LAKE STATE PARK CAMPGROUND

Welcome to Cowan Lake State Park. Please follow all state park guidelines to help make everyone's stay safe and fun.

**Check-in -3PM Campsites, 4PM Cabins.** All camping units must be backed in. If you wish to check-in early, please reserve an extra night prior to arrival.

**Check-out -1PM Campsites.** All camping equipment and vehicles must be removed from the site by 1 PM. If you wish to extend your stay, please reserve an extra night prior to check-out.

**Campsites.** All campsites may be reserved by visiting [reserveohio.com](http://reserveohio.com) or by calling 1-866-644-6727. No walk-ins are offered.

**Golden Buckeye Card holders** (or other discount card) will be asked to show their card and identification upon check-in. Cardholders must be present to receive the discount.

**Registration Age.** No person under the age of 18 may camp in unless accompanied by a parent or guardian.

**Length of Stay/Number of People per Site.** Maximum stay is 14 nights within a 30-day period. Six (6) people per site maximum.

**Tent Camping.** No more than three tents per site, w/o recreational vehicle or two tents per site with recreational vehicle. All camping units must be 5 feet apart and camp only in the designated areas, not in or beyond the tree line.

**Alcohol.** Alcohol is permitted at your rented campsite only. All other Ohio Revised Code rules about intoxicating beverages apply.

**Parking.** Subject to space availability, two vehicles which includes a tow vehicle for a trailer are allowed per campsite, except that no more than three motorcycles may be parked on the site parking pad in lieu of other vehicles.

- Vehicles must maintain two wheels on the Campsite Pad and must not impede on another site.
- Absolutely no vehicles can be parked on the roadway or obstruct the roadway in any fashion.
- Visitors and additional vehicles must be parked at the camp store parking lot.
- Shower House Parking restricted to 30 minute time limit with valid pass.
- Violation of this rule may result in issuance of a citation from Law Enforcement. Vehicles are subject to being towed at the owner's expense. OAC 1501:46-13-03 (E), 1501:46-13-04

**Visitors/Quiet Hours.** Visitors are NOT permitted in the campground between 10PM and 7 AM. Registered campers are responsible for maintaining quiet hours between 10PM and 7AM.

**Gray Water.** Dish water must be disposed of in wastewater drains or dump station. No solids to be dumped in wastewater drains.

**Black Water.** Toilet wastewater must be disposed of at the waste dump station.

**Pets.** Two pet maximum (domestic cats or dogs) per site. Pets ARE NOT permitted on the beach or in any of the camp buildings. Pets must always be on a leash and NEVER left unattended.

**Collecting.** Collecting plants or the cutting or gathering of trees or dead wood is against the law.

**Fire Rings.** Keep all fires contained to fire rings. Do not remove fire rings from their designated locations. Smokeless fire pits must be contained to the fire ring area and are not permitted in the grass.

**Swimming.** A beach is located inside the park. Swimming permitted in designated areas only. No inflatables.

**Firearms/Fireworks.** No firearms, fireworks or drones in the camp areas.

**Trash.** Please respect your state park and help protect Ohio's natural resources. Do not leave trash in the fire rings or on your site.

**Bikes.** No riding bikes after dark without proper lighting. All bikes must obey all traffic laws.

**No Unlicensed/Motorized Vehicles.** Nonregistered motor vehicles, such as electric scooters, Segway, hoverboards, dirt bikes, fourwheelers, etc., are not permitted. Drones are not permitted in the park. Golf Carts are considered a motor vehicle and are required to be licensed through the BMV and are bound by all ORC traffic regulations. Driving off road is not permitted. Operators must possess a valid driver's license.

**Incllement Weather.** In the case of a severe storm, please go to the nearest shower house or tornado shelter building for shelter.

**FOR EMERGENCIES, DIAL 911 -FOR NON-EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE, DIAL #ODNR**