



Central Cascades Wilderness Permit System

Quotas for Day Use and Overnight

Day Use Quotas

- Day-use permits are released at 7:00 am PDT, starting on June 5
- A portion of each day’s permits are released 10 days prior to the day of the trip; the remaining portion are released 2 days prior (e.g. for permits June 15, permits are released on June 5 and June 13)
- Search “Central Cascades” on www.recreation.gov and select “Central Cascades Wilderness Permit – Day Use”

| Three Sisters Trailheads - Day Use Quotas (individuals) | | | |
|---|-------------------|---------|--------|
| Trailhead | Total Daily Quota | 10 Days | 2 Days |
| Broken Top | 45 | 18 | 27 |
| Crater Ditch | 24 | 10 | 14 |
| Devils Lake /South Sister (Moraine Lake) | 120 | 48 | 72 |
| Devils Lake (Wickiup Plains) | 30 | 12 | 18 |
| Green Lake/Soda Creek | 90 | 36 | 54 |
| Lava Camp Lake (Matthieu Lakes) | 50 | 20 | 30 |
| Obsidian | 33 | 13 | 20 |
| Scott (HWY 242/WNF) | 16 | 6 | 10 |
| Sisters Mirror | 24 | 10 | 14 |
| Tam McArthur Rim | 90 | 36 | 54 |
| Todd Lake | 24 | 10 | 14 |
| Mt. Jefferson Trailheads - Day Use Quotas (individuals) | | | |
| Trailhead | Total Daily Quota | 10 Days | 2 Days |
| Duffy Lake | 34 | 14 | 20 |
| Jack Lake (Canyon Creek Meadows) | 72 | 29 | 43 |
| Marion Lake | 44 | 18 | 26 |
| Pamelia Lake | 28 | 11 | 17 |
| PCT Breitenbush / Breitenbush Lake | 16 | 6 | 10 |
| South Breitenbush (Closed as of March 2024) | 16 | 6 | 10 |
| Whitewater (Closed as of March 2024) | 33 | 13 | 20 |

Mt. Washington - Day Use Quotas (individuals)

| Trailhead | Total Daily Quota | 10 Days | 2 Days |
|-------------------|--------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| Benson/Tenas | 33 | 13 | 20 |
| PCT McKenzie Pass | 28 | 11 | 17 |

Overnight Use Quotas

- Full season permits will be released April 2, 2024 at 7:00 am PDT
- Additional permits are released 7 days prior to the start of a trip at 7:00 am PDT
- Search “Central Cascades” on www.recreation.gov and select “Central Cascades Wilderness Overnight Permits”

| Three Sisters Trailheads - Overnight Use Quotas (groups) | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------|-------------|--------|--|-------------------|-------------|--------|
| Trailhead | Total Daily Quota | Full Season | 7 Days | Trailhead | Total Daily Quota | Full Season | 7 Days |
| Box Canyon/Crossing Way | 3 | 1 | 2 | Obsidian/Scott | 7 | 3 | 4 |
| Broken Top/Crater Ditch | 2 | 1 | 1 | Park Meadow | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Chush Falls | 1 | 0 | 1 | Pole Creek | 5 | 2 | 3 |
| Devils Lake/Wickiup (South Sister) | 8 | 3 | 5 | Rebel/Olallie/Elk Creek/South Fork | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| East Fork- Upper and Lower | 2 | 1 | 1 | Scott Pass/Millican/Black Crater | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Elk Lake | 3 | 1 | 2 | Separation | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Foley | 3 | 1 | 2 | Sisters Mirror | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| French Pete | 2 | 1 | 1 | Six Lakes | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| Green Lake/Soda Creek | 7 | 3 | 4 | Skookum (Erma Bell Lakes) | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Horse Creek/Rainbow | 2 | 1 | 1 | Tam McArthur Rim | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| PCT Irish Taylor | 5 | 2 | 3 | Taylor Burn/Helen Lake/Jack Pine (closed as of March 2023) | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Lava Camp Lake (Matthieu Lakes) | 4 | 2 | 2 | Todd Lake | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Linton Lake | 1 | 0 | 1 | Up French Pete/Pat Saddle/Up Lowder | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Lucky Lake | 2 | 1 | 1 | Winopee/Corral Lk/Corral Swamp | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Many Lakes/Deer Lake | 3 | 1 | 2 | | | | |

| Mt. Jefferson Trailheads - Overnight Use Quotas (groups) | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------|-------------|--------|---|-------------------|-------------|--------|
| Trailhead | Total Daily Quota | Full Season | 7 Days | Trailhead | Total Daily Quota | Full Season | 7 Days |
| Bear Valley | 2 | 1 | 1 | Pamelia Lake | 7 | 3 | 4 |
| Bingham Ridge/Minto Mountain | 4 | 2 | 2 | PCT Breitenbush / Breitenbush Lake | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Cabot Lake | 3 | 1 | 2 | PCT Santiam | 5 | 2 | 3 |
| Crown Lake/Roaring Creek (Closed as of March 2024) | 4 | 2 | 2 | Pine Ridge | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Duffy Lake/Maxwell Butte | 7 | 3 | 4 | Round Lake | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Jack Lake (Canyon Creek Meadows) | 3 | 1 | 2 | S. Breitenbush/ Triangulation/Cheat Creek (Closed as of March 2024) | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| Jefferson Lake | 2 | 1 | 1 | Whitewater (Closed as of March 2024) | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| Marion Lake | 7 | 3 | 4 | Woodpecker | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Mt. Washington - Overnight Use Quotas (groups) | | | | | | | |
| Trailhead | Total Daily Quota | Full Season | 7 Days | Trailhead | Total Daily Quota | Full Season | 7 Days |
| Benson/Tenas | 4 | 2 | 2 | PCT Big Lake | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Dry Creek - Access Point | 2 | 1 | 1 | PCT McKenzie Pass | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Hand Lake | 1 | 0 | 1 | Robinson Lake | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Hortense Lake - Access Point | 2 | 1 | 1 | Tenas Lakes/Fingerboard Prairie | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Patjens | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | | |