

Campground Rules

- You are welcome to stay with us for up to 14 days in a 30-day period.
- Campsites must be clean and empty of vehicles and equipment at 2 p.m. checkout. You are welcome to utilize the day-use areas for the remainder of the day.
- Please observe quiet hours from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. Generators may not be used during these hours.
- Placing equipment on a campsite with the intent of saving the site for future use is prohibited.
- Each campsite is allowed one-wheeled unit and a tent, or two tents.
- Please drive with care and caution. Obey all posted traffic regulations and keep an eye out for pedestrians. Please keep all vehicles off the grass in the electric camping areas.
- Please utilize our garbage dumpsters and recycling containers.



Emergency - Call 911

Thank you for visiting!

Blackhawk Park is operated by the St. Paul District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. Our trained staff are here to assist you, and we welcome your comments and suggestions.



To make reservations for campsites or day-use shelters use Recreation.gov or (877) 444-6777



For more information contact:
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Make reservations



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**BLACKHAWK
PARK**
DeSoto, Wisconsin



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Blackhawk Park is situated in Pool 9 on the main channel of the mighty Mississippi River. The park is filled with a rich variety of river birch, cottonwood, swamp oaks and willow trees that offer a shady spot in the summer time and provide beautiful colors in the fall. The rangers provide a variety of programs and activities throughout the summer for all to enjoy.

Blackhawk is also home to a historic site. The park is located on the same site as the final battle of the Blackhawk War, known as the Battle of Bad Axe, which occurred on Aug. 1-2, 1832.

This site was also used as a camping area for Zebulon Pike in September of 1805 during his expedition to find the headwaters of the Mississippi River.



Visitor Information

- FIREWOOD ALERT! Only certified pest-free firewood is permitted in the park. Firewood restrictions are in place to prevent the spread of forest insects and disease.
- All unlicensed vehicles are prohibited. This includes golf-carts, ATVs and off-road vehicles.
- Please report any disturbances, vandalism or loss of property to a park ranger.
- Pets are welcome but need to be on a leash (6-foot maximum) and in the owner's physical control at all times. Owners are responsible for clean-up of all excrement.
- The display or use of firearms, air rifles, bow and arrows, sling shots and fireworks are not permitted.
- Campers and visitors may beach boats where accessible except for designated swimming areas and the boat launches. Please respect your neighbor.

Ammenities

Blackhawk Park offers two boat launches within the park. One boat launch is located on the main channel of the Mississippi River and the other is on Green Lake, which gives access to the backwaters of the Mississippi River. Both sites are available to campers and non-campers for a nominal fee. Blackhawk Park also offers a swimming beach, a fishing pier and two shelters available for reservation.



BLACKHAWK PARK



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Accessible	Interpretive	Playground
Boat Ramp	Maintenance	Recycle
Dump Station	Office	Restroom
Dumpsters	Parking	Swimming
Fish Cleaning	Picnic	Shower
Fishing	Picnic Shelter	Water

All Numbered Sites Have Electricity and are Reservable.

Reservations may be made two weeks in advance. Non-Elect. Camping

