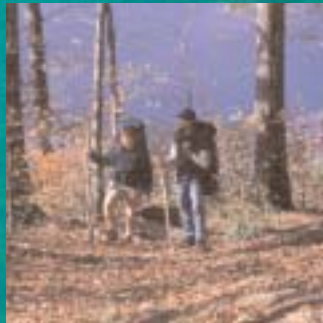


General Information and Map

# Land *Between The* Lakes<sup>®</sup>

NATIONAL RECREATION AREA



Visit LBL on the Internet!  
[www.lbl.org](http://www.lbl.org)  
or call 1-800-LBL-7077

COME OUTSIDE  
AND PLAY.

*Remember playing outside when you were a kid? You ran...and you jumped...and you yelled...and when the sun went down your mother called, "time to come home." And you came inside with rosy cheeks, smelling of the wind...and the earth...and of all that was good.*



We invite you to re-discover the simple pleasures of playing in the outdoors at USDA Forest Service Land Between The Lakes National Recreation Area.

Located in Western Kentucky and Tennessee, LBL offers 170,000 acres of wildlife, history, and outdoor recreation opportunities, wrapped by 300 miles of undeveloped shoreline.



*So don't just sit there...*  
**COME OUTSIDE AND PLAY.**

## Recreation



*There's so much  
to do at Land  
Between The  
Lakes, it's  
no wonder*

*we're called the heartland's  
outdoor playground! Hiking,  
mountain biking, and  
horseback trails thread  
through our backwoods  
and along quiet lakeshores.  
Or you can bounce up rocky  
hills and splash through the  
mud on your All-Terrain*

*Vehicle at the 2,500-acre Turkey  
Bay OHV Area. Watch for native  
wildlife as you paddle a canoe on  
peaceful Honker Lake, or enjoy a  
family picnic in the cool shade of  
one of our many picnic areas.*

*It's all here.  
Come explore  
our recreation  
opportunities.*



## CAMPING



Land Between The Lakes has something for every type of camper. Whether you wish to pitch a tent beside a secluded lake cove, have a modern RV set-up, or have a scout troop earning merit badges, LBL is the perfect place to sleep under the stars.

Visit our developed family campgrounds on Kentucky and Barkley Lakes: **Piney, Hillman Ferry, and Energy Lake.**

You'll find:

- modern hookups
- restrooms & showers
- outpost supply centers (*Hillman Ferry & Piney*)
- mountain bike rentals (*Hillman Ferry & Piney*)
- beach & activity areas
- camping shelters (*Piney*)

Enjoy one of our many other campgrounds along the shoreline.

Amenities include:

- boat ramps
- picnic tables & grills
- restrooms & showers (**Rushing Creek Campground**)
- group camping for up to 200 (**Colson Hollow Group Camp**)





Horseback riders will find all they need at **Wranglers Campground**, including:

- stalls
- modern hookups
- restrooms & showers
- farrier
- camping shelters
- nearly 100 miles of horse trails and backroads
- outpost supply center
- guided trail rides



Or cruise the rugged hills and camp at **Turkey Bay Off-Highway Vehicle Area**.

*For a campground fee schedule or more information, call us at 1-800-LBL-7077 or 270-924-2000.*



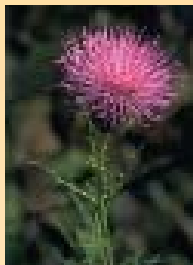
## HUNTING & FISHING

LBL offers more than 250 days a year of hunting seasons for large and small game and waterfowl. We also offer spring quota and non-quota hunts for turkeys and fall archery and quota gun hunts for deer.

LBL is surrounded by one of the world's largest man-made bodies of water, so it's no wonder some of the best sport fishing in the mid-South is right here. Crappie, bass, sauger, catfish, and bluegill are abundant.



## TRAILS



Over 200 miles of trails and rustic roads beckon, leading to some of the most scenic spots in LBL! Native wildlife inhabit our woods, fields, and lakeshores.

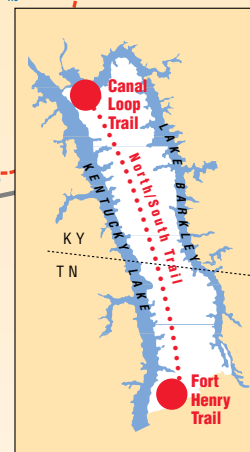
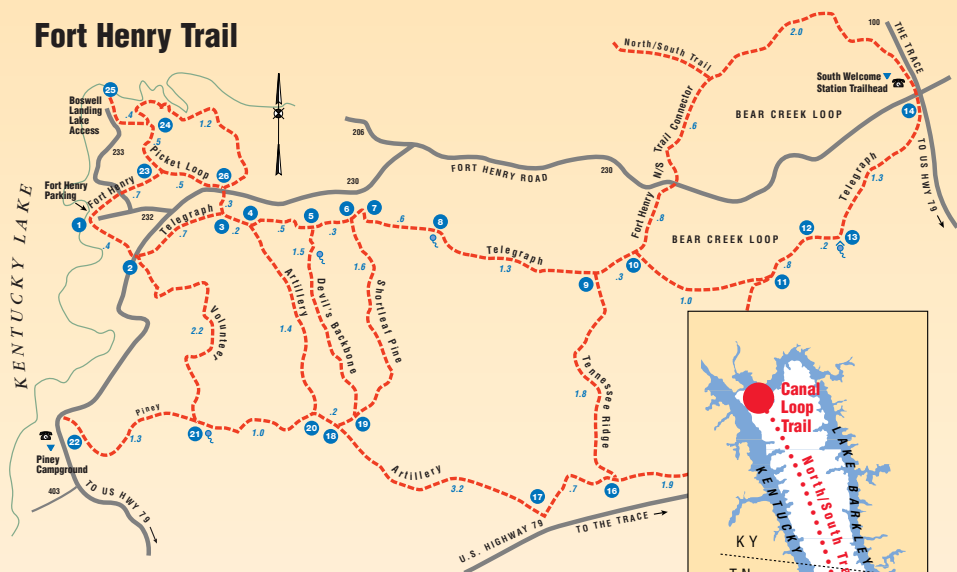


Follow the path of General Grant along our Fort Henry hiking trails, or ride your horse along the sparkling shoreline of Lake Barkley. Mountain bikers can peddle to some of the best bald eagle viewing in the Southeast!

Our extensive trail system offers a variety of excursion possibilities. Take a short afternoon walk, or spend the night traversing the 69-mile-long North/South Trail. Trails are open year-round—so, come and experience the changing seasons! Backcountry Camper Use Permits are required for overnight stays and are available, along with maps and trail descriptions, at any LBL welcome center.

Rent mountain bikes and canoes during the summer months, or join a guided horseback ride at Wranglers Campground.

*For more information on rentals or trail maps, call 1-800-LBL-7077 or 270-924-2000.*



# GROUP OPPORTUNITIES



**Brandon Spring Group Center** is a year-round, 128-bed dormitory style group facility, perfect for school, church, or retreat groups of all kinds. Amenities include:

- modern showers & restrooms
- fully-staffed kitchen
- group meeting areas
- outdoor recreation areas & amphitheater

Group camping areas offer a more rustic overnight experience. Group tours of LBL are available. All LBL facilities also have reduced group rates. *For more information, call 1-800-LBL-7077 or 270-924-2044.*

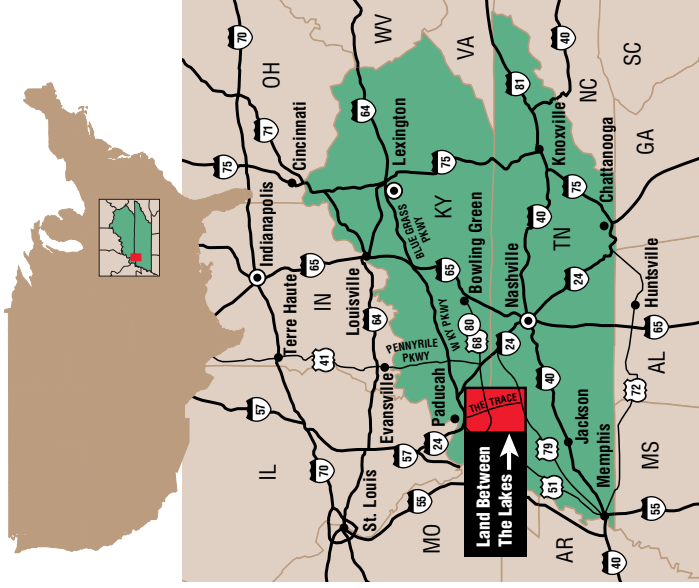
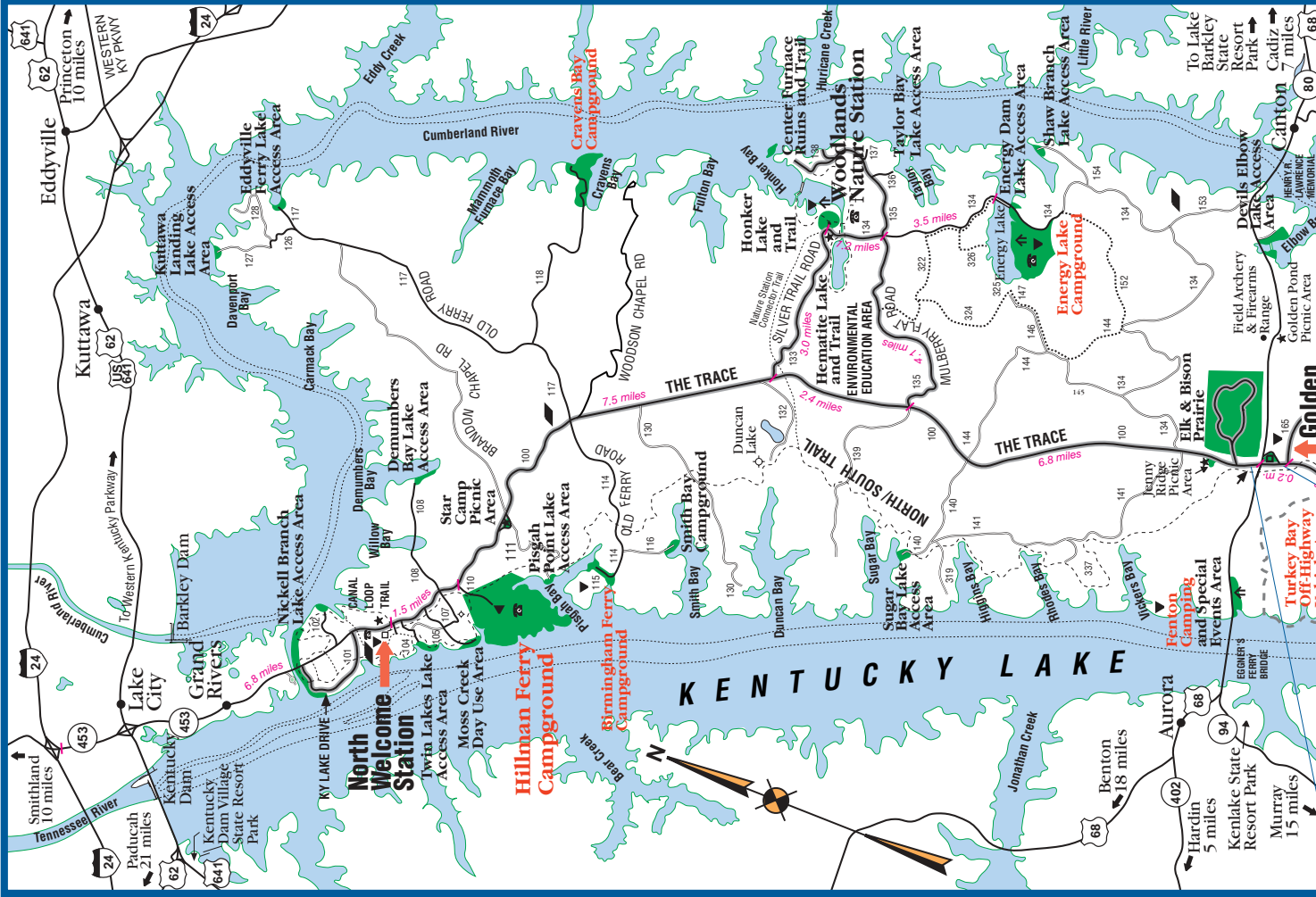
## Canal Loop Trail



## Safety

- **Forest Service Law Enforcement** offers 24-hour visitor assistance. Call **1-800-839-0028**.
- Ticks can be a nuisance during the summer. Tick repellent is available at all LBL welcome centers, facilities, and many area businesses.
- Please attend all fires until completely out. During periods of extreme fire danger, open fires may be prohibited.
- Firearms are prohibited except during pre-set gun hunt seasons.





### SCALE OF MILES

Huntsville, AL	210	St. Louis, MO	190
Knoxville, TN	278	Evansville, IN	100
Chattanooga, TN	230	Terre Haute, IN	213
Memphis, TN	200	Indianapolis, IN	284
Jackson, TN	125	Louisville, KY	200
Nashville, TN	90	Lexington, KY	245
Bowling Green, KY	90	Cincinnati, OH	300
Paducah, KY	50	Chicago, IL	395

# Land Between The Lakes®

NATIONAL RECREATION AREA

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270-924-2000**

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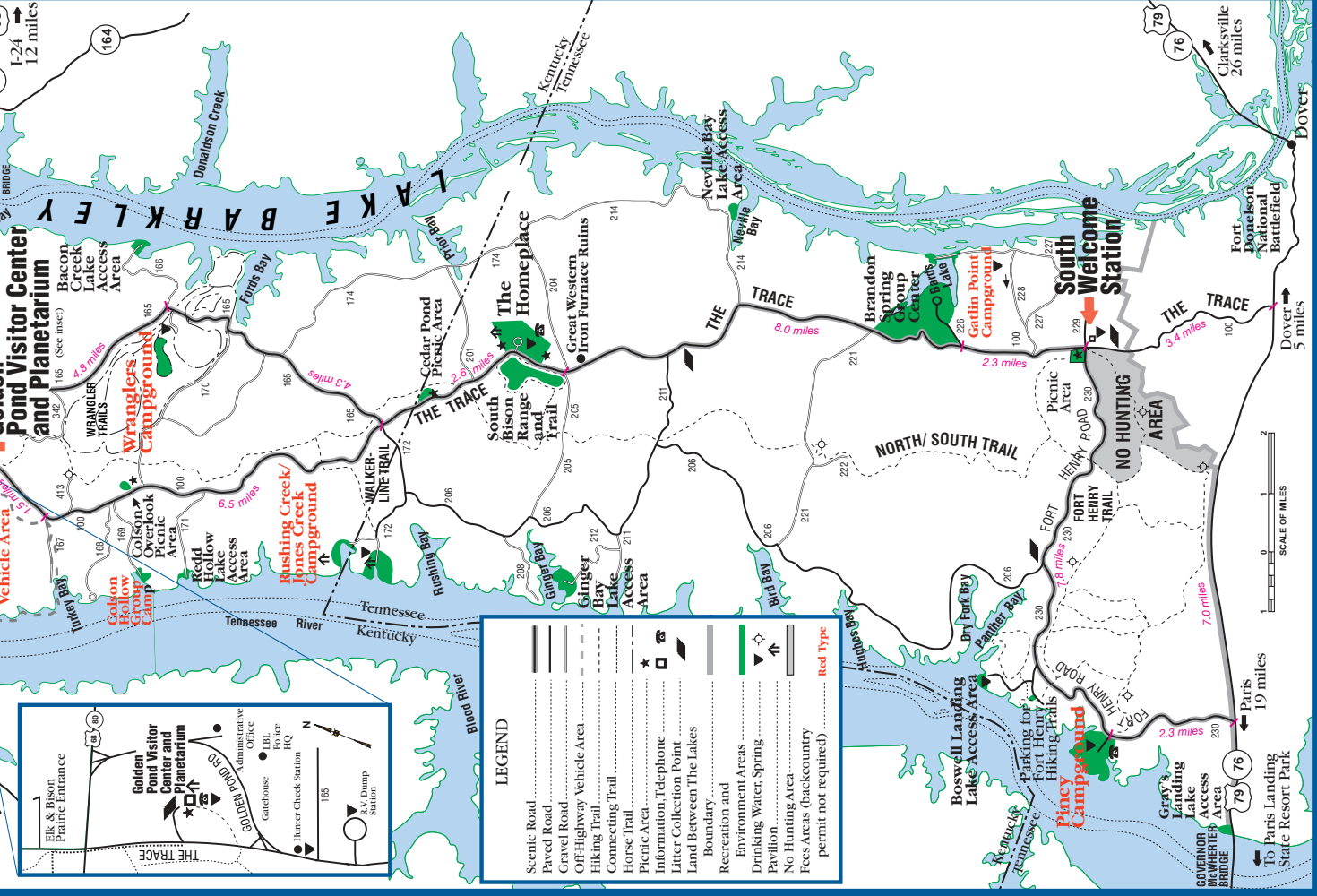
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## Family Attractions



*Have you ever stood before a majestic Bald Eagle? Or seen a solar flare through a*

*hydrogen refractor telescope? Have you danced a reel at an 1850's wedding celebration or seen the great American bison rolling in a buffalo wallow? The family attractions at Land Between The Lakes bring the region's history, science, and environment to life. Special events and celebrations offer fun for the entire family.*

*Come explore our family attractions.*

# WOODLANDS NATURE STATION



Get ready for a hands-on encounter with the natural world at our environmental education center nestled in the woods between **Honker** and **Hematite Lakes**.

Gaze into the eyes of a great horned owl, howl with a coyote, or watch for the elusive red wolf in our Backyard Exhibit Area. Then, explore with us during one of our many guided special events: a moonlight canoe trip, an afternoon nature hike, or a Sunday Safari. Little ones will love special days such as our children's festival, storytelling time, and evening owl prowls. Adults can take part in seminars on wildlife, gardening, and nature photography.

*Want to explore on your own?* Canoes are available for rent during the summer and fall months, and several

scenic hiking trails embark from the Nature Station. The Nature Station is open March through November.

*For more information or a calendar of events, call 270-924-2000 or 1-800-LBL-7077.*





# THE HOMEPLACE

History comes alive at this working 19th century farm. Each day interpreters in period clothing demonstrate the daily chores and activities, and you are invited to share in the experience. Our special events and festivals highlight the spirit and times of this era throughout the

season. You can join us as we plow the fields in the spring, make music in the summer's twilight, and bring in the harvest during the fall. Call us for a calendar of events!

Our farm consists of 16 original and restored log structures, most relocated from within 10 miles of **The Homeplace**. The Homeplace is open March through November. Group rates are available by reservation. *For more information or a calendar of events, call 270-924-2000 or 1-800-LBL-7077.*



## THE ELK & BISON PRAIRIE

On this 700-acre restoration of Kentucky's native barrens, you can see a habitat restoration project in progress, as we demonstrate how the region once looked during the time of Daniel Boone. A gently

winding road takes you through this dynamic habitat restoration effort. Watch for elk and bison, or listen as the wind rustles through Indian Grass, as the prairie comes back to life.

**The Elk & Bison Prairie** is open year-round from dawn to dusk. Tokens available at Welcome Stations or on-site admit one car. Group rates are available for commercial vans and buses. Guided group tours are also available by reservation. *Call 1-800-LBL-7077 or 270-924-2000 for more information.*



## Family Attractions

# THE GOLDEN POND PLANETARIUM & OBSERVATORY

*Some special events coming to our family attractions include:*

### Woodlands Nature Station

- Nature Photography Workshops
- Hummingbird Fest
- Campfire Tales
- Bald Eagle Viewing Trips

### The Homeplace

- Pickin' Party
- Independence Day in 1850
- An 1850s Wedding
- Snap Apple Night

*Special group rates are available at all of our facilities. Call 270-924-2020 for more group information.*



The Golden Pond Planetarium, operated by the Land Between The Lakes Association, brings to life the fascinating world of outer space and modern space exploration. Planetarium shows are held daily and updated throughout the operating season to cover such fascinating topics as black holes, white dwarves, and life on Mars.

It all unfolds daily from the comfort of our 81-seat planetarium. Backyard star-gazers and amateur astronomers won't want to miss our periodic Star Parties and public observing sessions, hosted by the West Kentucky Amateur Astronomers. The heavens come to life in Golden Pond!

The planetarium is open March-December; the observatory is open on a scheduled basis. Group shows and rates are available by reservation. *For more information and reservations, call 1-800-455-5897 or 270-924-2020.*



# COME OUTSIDE AND PLAY.

**Become a member of the Land Between The Lakes Association.** Contributors support numerous activities at LBL. Members receive quarterly Calendars of Events, special discounts, and more. Call the LBL Association at 1-800-455-5897.

# LAND BETWEEN THE LAKES FACILITIES CHART

	Backcountry Permit	Fees Charged	Tent-Trailer Sites	Cabins	Primitive Camping	Electricity	Non-Electric Sites	Electric & Water Sites	Electric, Water, & Sewer Sites	Dumping Station	Showers	Flush Toilets	Chemical Toilets	Drinking Water	Picnic Tables	Grills	Launch Ramps	Fishing Pier	Swimming Area	Playgrounds	Programs (in season)	Bike Rental	Bike Trails	Hiking Trails	Accessible Facility	Courtesy Dock	Camp Store/Outpost	Equipment Rental	Ice and/or Firewood Sales	Telephone	Washers & Dryers	Snack Food Machine	Soft Drink Machine	Food Concession	Horse Concession Sales	Horse Stall Rentals	Canoe Rentals	Pavilion	Seasonal Camping Reservations			
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† Day-use only   ● Day-use or overnight   ✓ Overnight campers only   ○ Showers closed in winter   ▲ Mountain bike trailhead   \*Open year round