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Brazos Bend State Park



Brazos Bend State Park Volunteer Organization
To learn more about volunteering at the park or to make a tax-deductible contribution, visit www.brazosbend.org or stop by the Nature Center.

Alligator Etiquette:

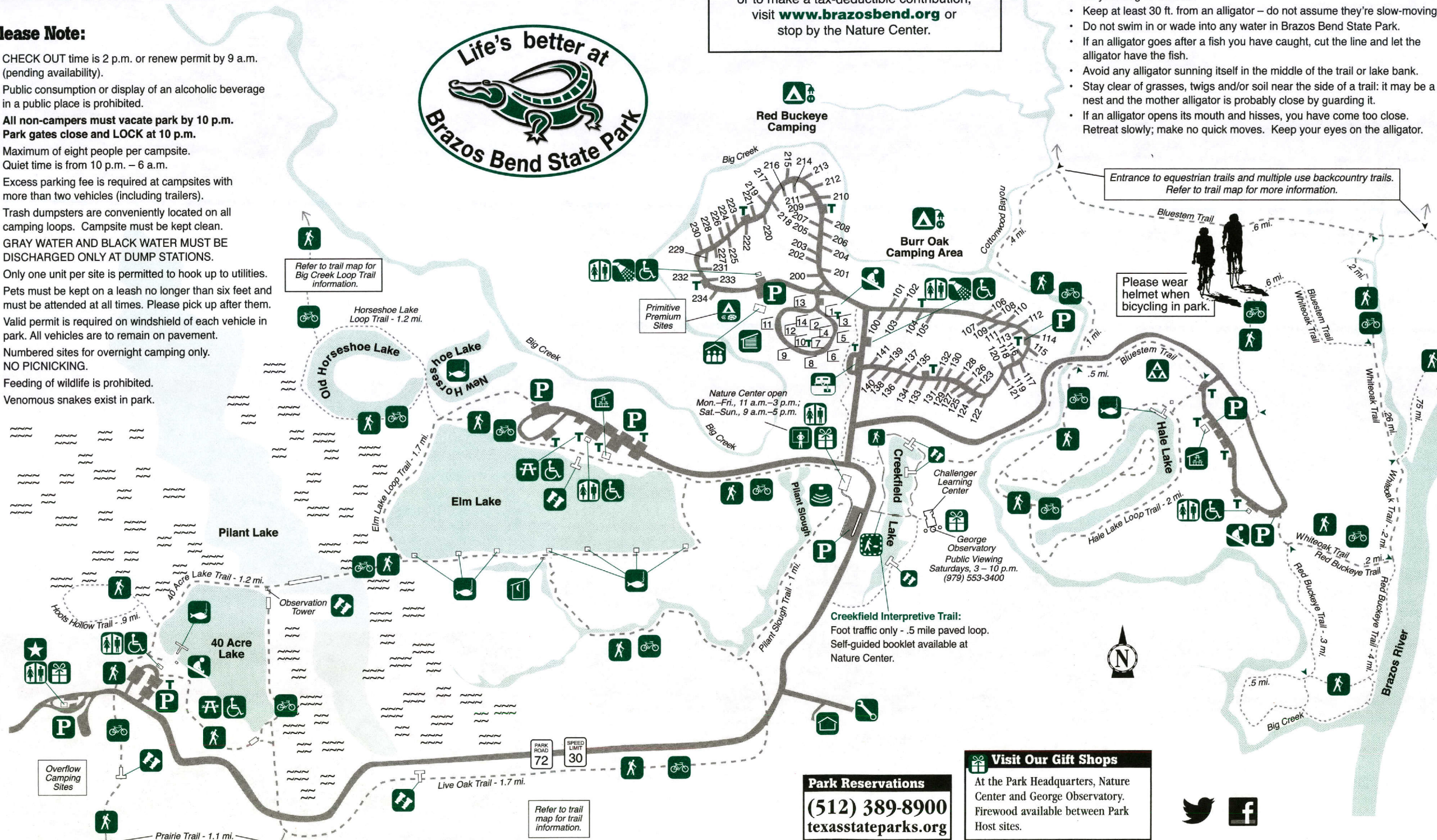
- **ABSOLUTELY DO NOT FEED OR ANNOY THE ALLIGATORS.**
- Keep pets on a leash no longer than six feet. Do not throw objects in water for your dog to retrieve.
- Keep at least 30 ft. from an alligator – do not assume they're slow-moving.
- Do not swim in or wade into any water in Brazos Bend State Park.
- If an alligator goes after a fish you have caught, cut the line and let the alligator have the fish.
- Avoid any alligator sunning itself in the middle of the trail or lake bank.
- Stay clear of grasses, twigs and/or soil near the side of a trail: it may be a nest and the mother alligator is probably close by guarding it.
- If an alligator opens its mouth and hisses, you have come too close. Retreat slowly; make no quick moves. Keep your eyes on the alligator.

Legend:

- Headquarters
- State Parks Store/ Gift Shops
- Restrooms
- Composting Toilet
- Showers
- Sponsored Youth Camp Area
- Water/Electric
- Primitive Premium Sites
- Dump Station
- Residence
- Screened Shelter
- Amphitheater
- Dining Hall
- Wheelchair Accessible
- Interpretive Trail
- Bike Trail
- Hiking Trail
- Picnic Area
- Group Picnic Shelter
- Parking
- Fishing Pier/Bank Fishing
- Playground
- Maintenance
- Nature Center
- Wildlife Viewing
- Trash Container
- Unimproved Trail
- Paved Trail
- Stabilized Trail
- Marsh

Please Note:

- CHECK OUT time is 2 p.m. or renew permit by 9 a.m. (pending availability).
- Public consumption or display of an alcoholic beverage in a public place is prohibited.
- **All non-campers must vacate park by 10 p.m. Park gates close and LOCK at 10 p.m.**
- Maximum of eight people per campsite. Quiet time is from 10 p.m. – 6 a.m.
- Excess parking fee is required at campsites with more than two vehicles (including trailers).
- Trash dumpsters are conveniently located on all camping loops. Campsite must be kept clean.
- GRAY WATER AND BLACK WATER MUST BE DISCHARGED ONLY AT DUMP STATIONS.
- Only one unit per site is permitted to hook up to utilities.
- Pets must be kept on a leash no longer than six feet and must be attended at all times. Please pick up after them.
- Valid permit is required on windshield of each vehicle in park. All vehicles are to remain on pavement.
- Numbered sites for overnight camping only. **NO PICNICKING.**
- Feeding of wildlife is prohibited.
- Venomous snakes exist in park.



Entrance to equestrian trails and multiple use backcountry trails. Refer to trail map for more information.

Please wear helmet when bicycling in park.

Nature Center open Mon.-Fri., 11 a.m.-3 p.m.; Sat.-Sun., 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Park Reservations
(512) 389-8900
texasstateparks.org

Visit Our Gift Shops
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