PERRY

Perry State Park is located 18 miles northeast of Topeka on Highway 237. The state park has two areas totaling 1,597 acres located on the southwestern shores of Perry Reservoir. Combined with the 12,500-acre reservoir and nearby 11,000-acre wildlife area, this state park is well situated to accommodate any outdoor preference.

Campgrounds

Park facilities include more than 200 campsites, two boat ramps with courtesy docks, six shower houses, many restroom facilities, two dump stations, 10 group shelter houses available for reservation, eight rental cabins, and a fish grinder/cleaning station. Eighty-five percent of park roads are paved. The park trail system includes more than 40 miles of trails. Perry also offers a swimming beach with a beach house. Open beach hours are 6 a.m. to 9 p.m.

The park has 11 campgrounds. Four campgrounds offer campsites with electric and water hook-ups. In all, there are 118 electric/water campsites and 100 primitive campsites. Several prime sites are available in the Cougar Pass Campground. Eagle Landing Campground has specific sites available for long-term camping. Equestrian camping is available in Wild Horse Campground. Reservable campsites in equestrian campground are by phone only, primitive are all first-come, first-served.

Wildlife Area

Perry Wildlife Area provides abundant wildlife watching opportunities due to its diversity of habitats. Non-game species are plentiful and include numerous species of mammals, birds, reptiles, amphibians, and insects. Large numbers of migratory waterfowl and shorebirds may be observed on area marshes during migration periods. Many birders make the area a routine stop.

Fees

Fees required for Perry State Park include vehicle permits, camping and utility permits, special event permits, and reservations. All permits must be purchased from the state park office before facilities can be used. If the park office is closed, permits can be purchased from one of four self-pay stations located throughout the park. Vehicles are permitted on maintained roads only. Primitive camping is permitted, but please take your trash with you.

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Things to Remember

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