

PALISADE STATE PARK

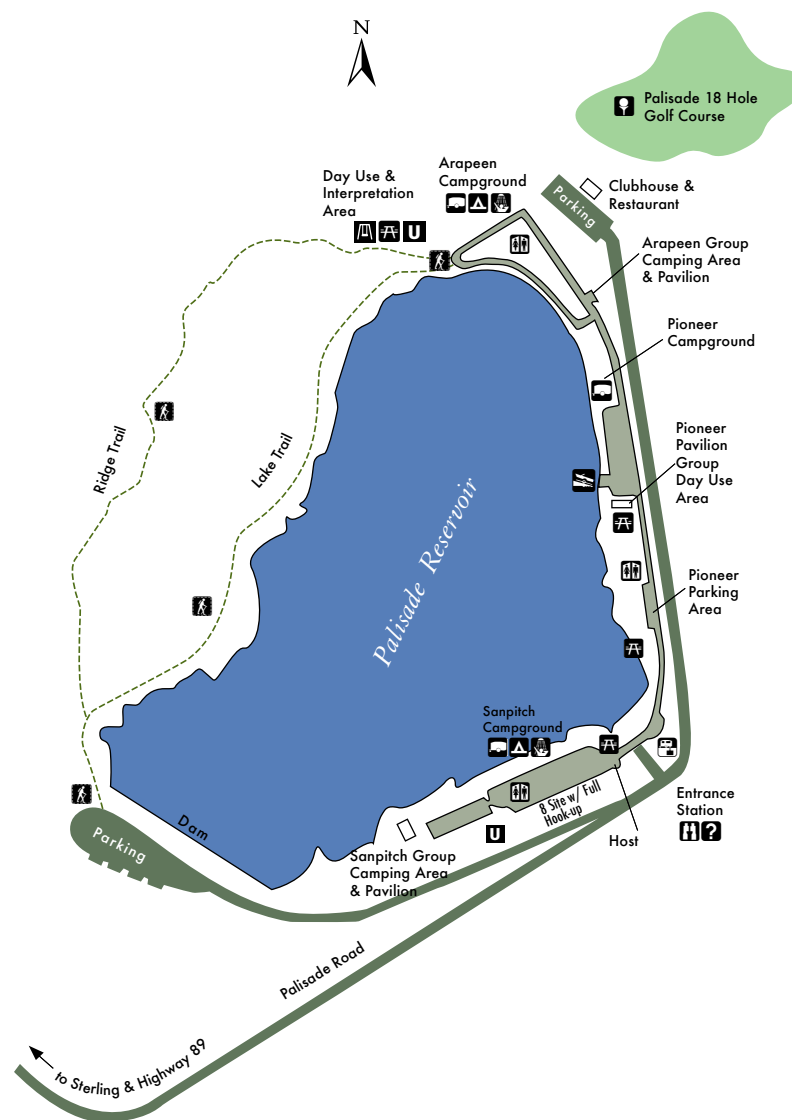


Reservations

Individual campsite reservations can be made a minimum of two days in advance of arrival date and up to 16 weeks in advance from park check-out date. Group-use reservations may be made up to 11 months in advance. Reservations are always recommended, and may be made by calling (800) 322-3770 or visiting www.stateparks.utah.gov.

User Fees

Day-use and camping fees apply year-round. Additional fees are charged for golf, canoe rental, and other services.



Map Legend

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| Day Use & Picnicking | RV Camping |
| Camping | RV Disposal |
| Information | Golf |
| Showers | Playground |
| Hiking | Horseshow Pit |
| Restrooms | Watchable Wildlife |
| | Boat Launch |

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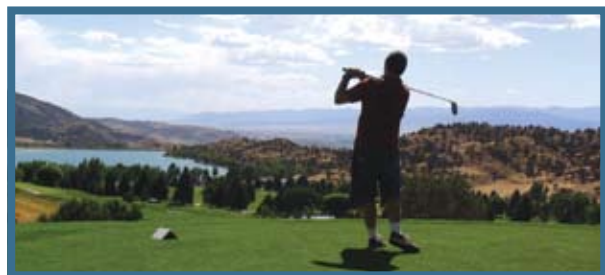
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Located in the geographic center of Utah, five miles south of Manti, Palisade State Park rests at an elevation of 5,868 feet and is nestled in a beautiful valley of Sanpete County. Its picturesque surroundings add a relaxing dimension to any activity.

Golf 18-holes, paddle or troll on Palisade Lake, then set up the perfect campsite. This park offers something for everyone, from its desert canyon golf course, RV and tent camping, to access for off-highway vehicle riding in nearby Six-Mile Canyon.



RECREATION

Camp, fish, swim, golf, hike, paddle and boat (electric motors only) at Palisade State Park. Winter activities include ice fishing, cross-country skiing, ice skating, and an occasional off-season golf tournament.

Pitch a tent or pull an RV into one of 55 campsites, with nine full hook-up sites. One day-use and two overnight group areas are available for family reunions and other gatherings. Modern restrooms with hot water showers, culinary water, and sewage disposal station also are available.

Hike, hunt in season, or ride off-highway vehicles in nearby Six-Mile Canyon, which provides access to Skyline Drive - a 10,000-foot-high road along the crest of the spectacular Wasatch Plateau.

GOLF

The 18-hole golf course, which is 6,360 yards from the back tee markers, offers some of the most challenging putting greens in the state. Many players regard the par-three, signature hole #4 to be among the best anywhere.

The pro shop is staffed by a PGA professional and provides a full range of services, including a snack bar that serves breakfast, lunch, and dinner, golf supplies and attire. Tee times are accepted up to seven days in advance by calling (435) 835-4653. Applications for group reservations are accepted.



PLANTS AND ANIMALS

Areas surrounding Palisade are of a semiarid terrain with juniper and pinyon pine trees, sagebrush, rabbit brush, and low-growing cactus. Native grasses and wildflowers fill in open spaces.

In summer, rock chucks, squirrels, and hares are common on the lower slopes. Birds include flickers, kingfishers, hawks, jays, and swallows. A favorite sighting is the beautiful Western tanager. From fall through spring, visitors may sight mule deer, elk, bald eagles, great blue heron, and migratory waterfowl. All plants, animals, minerals, and other natural features within the park are protected, and it is unlawful to remove, alter, or destroy them. Please do not tie or hang anything in the trees.

PALISADE HISTORY

Funk's Lake was created in 1873 by enterprising pioneer Daniel B. Funk, who wanted surrounding settlers to have a place to relax and recreate. At that time the valley was owned by a small group of Sanpitch Indians led by Chief Arapeen. Mr. Funk bargained with the chief and obtained a land patent from the government. He then set about the arduous task of building an earthen dam and diverting part of Six-Mile Creek to fill the lake. The lake quickly became a well-known pleasure resort, now called Palisade.

GUIDELINES

Please observe these park regulations to ensure a safe and pleasant visit:

Camping - Camp only in designated areas. Tents are allowed in Arapeen and Sanpitch campgrounds, but may need to be moved for watering and mowing. Each permit covers one vehicle and any attached recreation equipment. If space permits, one extra vehicle is allowed in a campsite for an additional fee. Up to eight people are allowed in one campsite.

Fires - Campsites provide barbeque facilities. Picnickers and campers should bring appropriate fuel. Ground fires and gathering of firewood are not permitted.

Parking - Park only in designated areas. Keep vehicle wheels on pavement. No overflow/overnight parking is available.

Boating - Palisade Lake is restricted to boats with electric trolling motors and nonmotorized boats only. Vessels with motors must be registered. Utah law requires all boat operators to have one life jacket of proper size and condition, readily accessible for each person on board. All boaters 12 or younger must wear a life jacket.

Fishing - Visitors with a valid Utah fishing license will enjoy fishing for rainbow, cutthroat and tiger trout. Please do not fish from the swim beaches.

Pets - Pets are allowed at Palisade, but should be on a maximum six-foot leash. Service dogs are the only

animals admitted into park buildings. Pets are not allowed on developed beaches or in the lake. Please promptly clean up after pets.

Firearms - Possession or use of firearms, traps or other devices capable of launching a projectile that can immobilize, injure or kill a person or animal, or damage property is prohibited unless the weapon or device is 1) unloaded and packed away to prevent its use, 2) being used for legal pursuit of wildlife or 3) being used by authorized enforcement officers in the performance of official duties. Please check hunting proclamations for legal use near state parks.

Fireworks - Unless authorized by the park manager, explosives and fireworks, including sparklers, are prohibited.

Vandalism - Please help keep our parks beautiful. It is unlawful to mutilate or deface any natural or constructed feature.

Speed Limit - Speed limit within the park is 15 mph unless otherwise posted.

Waste Water - It is unlawful to dump or drain waste water from campers or trailers onto the ground. Utility sinks and a sanitary disposal station are provided.

Quiet Hours - 10:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. No generators allowed during this time.

