## These facilities are ideal for:

- Family Reunions
- Church groups
- School teacher retreats
- Small business groups and meetings
- Family weekend outings
- Girl and Boy Scout outings

# **Tent Camping**

The reservation is open year round. In the winter we have several campsites with running water and portable toilets available. The main water system is shut down in campsites from mid October until early May. Campsites with flush toilets are available May 1 to mid October, except during our summer camping season.

# For Questions, Pricing and Reservations

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## **Owasippe Scout Reservation**

9900 Russell Road Twin Lake, Michigan 49457





# **Owasippe Scout Reservation**



100 Years of Service to Youth A Nationally Certified Facility

Are you looking for a unique place to have a meeting or just relax?

# Owasippe Scout Reservation has just what you are looking for.

Owasippe Scout Reservation is the oldest Boy Scout Camp in the Country. Owned and operated by the Chicago Area Council Boy Scouts of America, this pristine camp is located near Muskegon, Michigan, just 15 miles from the shores of Lake Michigan.

This 5000 acre facility offers beautiful campsites, a variety of styles of cabins, and many recreational opportunities. Small groups, or large gatherings will be able to partake in the splendor and beauty of this unique facility.

Within the property there are several lakes for boating and fishing activities; over 3500 acres of forest laced with hiking and biking trails.

#### **Special Program Supplements Available**

- Horse back riding—Mid May-Mid June, Mid August-October
- Row Boats—PFDs and paddles provided
- Canoes—Paddles and PFDs provided
- Fishing—some of the best bass and pan fishing in Michigan
- Mountain Biking—over 30 miles of trails, bring your bike
- Hiking—over 30 miles of hiking trails
- Nature Observation—see Wild Turkey, Deer, Coyote, Fox, Eagles, and much more
- Cross Country Skiing—15 miles of trails for winter use
- Swimming pool—mid August thru Labor day weekend
- Ropes Course—team building and physical challenges
- Museum with Scouting history

## **Facilities**

## Staff Village







Staff Village is a cluster of 19 cabins located across the road from the Administration Building Complex. Each cabin has a full kitchen and dining area. Fourteen of the cabins are equipped with two sets of bunks beds; the remaining five have one set of bunk beds and one double bed. In the living room of each cabin there is a pull out double bed. Each cabin has a full bath with hot water and a furnace for year round use. There is a playground in the center of the cluster. There is a picnic table and fire pit at each cabin as well. Guests provide their own bedding, towels, and cooking utensils. These cabins are available for renting May 1— Mid October, except for mid June—mid August during our summer camping operation.

### **Lake Cabins**







There are six Lake Cabins available which vary in size sleeping two to six people. Each are equipped with full bath, hot water, kitchen. Five of the six cabins are located directly on Lake Wolverine, the 120 private acre lake located in the center of the reservation. Guests provide their own bedding, towels, and cooking utensils. These cabins are available for renting May 1— Mid October, except for mid June—mid August during our summer camping operation.

# **Reneker Family Camp**







For those interested in a little more of a challenge in cabin camping, there are 40 cabins located in our Family camping area. These cabins contain two sets of bunk beds in the bedrooms, a full kitchen and dining area, living room and hand washing sink. The toilet and shower facilities are located in the center of the two 20 cabin clusters. Each public toilet facility contains a bathroom with shower, sink and toilet. As part of this public facility there are two sets of washers and dryers. A playground maybe found in the center of each cluster. A swimming pool is also available from mid August through Labor Day weekend.

# **Health Lodge**





Our Health Lodge is located just across from the Staff Village Cabins and would provide support for group meetings of 40 people. There is a large room with tables and chairs, a kitchen area, and break rooms for smaller meeting sessions. Groups would need to provide their own cooking utensils. These facility is available for renting year round except for mid June—mid August during our summer camping operation.