

McKinney Falls

State Park



Please wear helmet when bicycling in park.

Complete Park Rules and Regulations brochures are available at the park headquarters and posted throughout the park.

Legend:

- Headquarters
- State Parks Store
- Rest Rooms
- Showers
- Walk-in Sites
- Water/Electric
- Group Camp
- Dump Station
- Residence
- Screened Shelters
- Amphitheater
- Hiking Trail
- Bike Trail
- Interpretive Trail
- Pay Phone
- Picnic Area
- Dining Hall
- Parking
- Playground
- Maintenance
- Historic Ruins
- Visitor Center
- Scenic Overlook
- Birdwatching
- 12** Sites with 50 amp service
- PH** Park Host

Friends of McKinney Falls State Park, Inc.
A non-profit 501(c)(3) corporation supporting this state park.

Volunteer
Become a Friends Group Member
Donate

Brochure and application available at the park headquarters.

Park Reservations
(512) 389-8900
www.tpwd.state.tx.us

Texas State Parks Store
Ice, firewood, T-shirts, caps and one-of-a-kind gift items are available at the headquarters building and the Smith Visitor Center.

Please Note:

As a State Park, the primary focus of this site is to provide recreational opportunities while protecting fragile park resources and maintaining public safety. Help us to protect this special place and provide for everybody's enjoyment by following some simple guidelines:

For all park visitors:

- **Keep camp and picnic areas clean.** Leaving no trace of your visit helps keep this area beautiful.
- **Public consumption or display of an open container of alcoholic beverage is prohibited.** All outdoor areas within the park are "public."
- **Pets must be on a leash no longer than six feet and must not be left unattended.** This keeps them and others safe while protecting wildlife.
- **Leave all plants, animals, minerals and artifacts in the park as you found them.** Everything in the park is protected by State Law for everyone's enjoyment.
- **Persons under 18 years old are not permitted to ride in the back of a pickup truck or on a trailer.**
- **Stay on designated trails.** It is harder to spot poisonous wildlife and plants off trail. Creating or using unauthorized trails causes confusion, destroys vegetation and increases soil erosion.
- **Numbered sites are for overnight camping only. NO PICNICKING.**

For overnight park visitors:

- **Campsite CHECK OUT time is 2 p.m.** Renewal requests should be made by 9 a.m. and are subject to availability.
- **A maximum of eight people are permitted per multi-use campsite or screened shelter and four people per primitive campsite.** Overcrowding damages vegetation, increases soil compaction and erosion, and often leads to noise problems.
- **A maximum of two tents are permitted at multi-use campsites, one tent at primitive campsites and no tents or RVs are permitted at screened shelters.**
- **Quiet hours are enforced from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m.** Guests who do not have a camping (overnight) permit **MUST** leave the park by 10 p.m. Unnecessary noise can ruin your neighbor's outdoor experience.
- **Gathering firewood is prohibited.** Dead wood is an important source of food and shelter to wildlife and it helps to replenish nutrients in the soil.
- **Black water and gray water can only be discharged at the dump station.** This water carries bacteria that can spread serious illness and food particles that can attract undesirable animals, including fire ants.
- **Park all vehicles on the paved parking surface.** Vehicles driven off the edge of the pavement damages the paved surface, destroys fragile vegetation and causes soil compaction and erosion. Excess vehicles **MUST** park in the overflow parking areas in front of the rest rooms or in the day use parking areas.