

# YOUTH CAMP

Youth Camp offers an overnight camp experience for participants between the ages of twelve and fifteen. This camp, led by Wyoming Game and Fish Department staff and volunteers, is meant to inform campers about career opportunities within the Wyoming Game and Fish Department. Guest speakers will meet with campers to provoke a desire to work outdoors. Participants will also enjoy outdoor recreational activities.

We hope you find the information included in this packet helpful to you. Don't hesitate to reach out to us if you have questions.

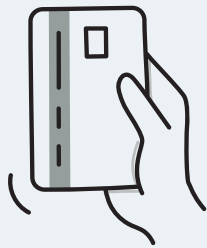
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# ABOUT WHISKEY MOUNTAIN CONSERVATION CAMP

Whiskey Mountain Conservation Camp is located near Trail Lake, approximately ten miles southeast of Dubois, Wyoming. The camp, located on historic bighorn sheep winter range, is situated on Torrey Creek about one mile from the Fitzpatrick Wilderness Trailhead. There is a good possibility of seeing lots of wildlife, such as moose, deer, osprey, and bighorn sheep. The scenery is beautiful, so consider packing binoculars or a camera to capture your amazing surroundings. Included in this packet is a map and directions on how to get to camp. The road into camp is a dirt road, but most passenger vehicles can navigate it without any problems.

## IMPORTANT DETAILS



### REGISTRATION FEE

**Registration fee:** \$150.00 per person

*Camp fees include meals and lodging.*

*Participants must complete an application expressing their interest in attending. Game and Fish will review the applications and inform participants if they have been accepted.*



### ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

**Boys Camp:** June 15-21, 2025

**Girls Camp:** July 6-12, 2025

*Please arrive between 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm on the first day of camp. Departure is at noon on the last day of camp. The dates of each camp are listed above.*

## DIRECTIONS

**Camp Address:** 704 Trail Lake Road in Dubois, WY.

If you are heading East on U.S. Highway 26/287, 4.3 miles east of Dubois, turn right at Jakey's Fork Road. If you are arriving from the Lander/Riverton direction, turn left. There is a sign for the fish hatchery and Whiskey Mountain Wildlife Habitat Management Area. Stay left at the immediate fork after the cattle guard. After approximately four miles, you should see Torrey Lake on your left. Stay on the main road by Ring Lake and Trail Lake. Stay on the main road. Do not make any turns. At approximately 7.6 miles, you should be looking at the camp entrance. Parking is on your left once you drive under the entrance gate. Registration is at the screen pavilion on the left.

The camp address is searchable on Google Maps for directions as well.

# OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

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## Phone Calls

Participants are asked to refrain from bringing their cell phones to camp. There is no cell service on the property, and our goal is for the campers to have an immersive experience. Camp staff have the ability to take calls in case of emergencies.

## Dietary Restrictions

All meals are buffet-style and served in the main dining hall. If you have dietary concerns, please be sure they are listed in your registration process so our caterer can accommodate them.

## Cabin Assignments

Participants will stay in cabins with running water, heat and indoor toilet facilities, including showers. The beds are large cots. Linens, blankets, and pillows are not provided, so you will need to bring your own pillows, sleeping bags, or sheets/blankets.



*Photos inside of cabins.*

# WHAT TO PACK

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Whiskey Mountain Conservation Camp is located in mountainous terrain. The weather can vary greatly, so come prepared to be outdoors in all weather types. Activities will continue regardless of the weather unless camper safety is at risk.

## Personal hygiene and cabin items

- Pillow
- Sleeping bag or other bedding to sleep on twin-sized cots
- Towel and washcloth
- Toiletries (toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo, body wash, etc.)
- Sunscreen & mosquito repellent
- Personal medications, if needed

## Gear

- Day pack/Backpack for hiking
- At least two large water bottles (32 oz. each) or an equivalent hydration pack
- Flashlight or headlamp
- A wristwatch or digital alarm clock

## Optional items

- Camera
- Binoculars
- Personal fishing gear for use during free time
- Valid fishing license & conservation stamp for campers 14+ planning to fish
- Book, playing cards, or other materials for free time

## Clothing for both warm and cold weather

- Layers (sweat pants, fleece or light jacket, sweatshirt, hat, and jacket etc.)
- Six days' worth of clothing for warm weather
- Raincoat
- Outdoor recreation and weather-proof clothing
- Hiking boots or a sturdy pair of closed-toed gym shoes
- Water shoes/sandals that strap to your feet
- Hats (one for sun protection and one for warmth)
- Sun hat
- Sunglasses
- Swimsuit or other water clothes



*Do not bring an item that may challenge the safety of any person or property; items include personal firearms, illicit drugs, alcohol, fireworks, etc. We aim to maintain the utmost protection for every person at Whiskey Mountain Conservation Camp.*