



Lower Chatanika State Recreation Area

This quaint cabin is located at the entrance of Olnes Pond Campground. Amenities include a woodstove, small table, kitchen counter, sleeping platform, and is wired for electricity. Guests will need to provide their own firewood and generator. The cabin is available for reservation September 30th to May 1st. Please help keep it neat and attractive for those who will use it after your visit.

**This cabin is available for rent only between
September 30-May 1**

Important Information

- Let someone know where you are going and when you expect to return. Take a cell phone.
- **Quiet Hours are 11p.m. to 6 a.m. This includes the use of generators.**
- During winter months, tire chains or 4 wheel-drive vehicles are recommended. The road might not be plowed until several days after a snow storm.
- Cabins may only be used by those who have paid the rental fee in advance, and only on the days specified on the receipt. You must have your receipt-permit with you during your stay.
- Cabins may not be used for commercial activities.
- Refer to the attached information: "Reservation Cancellation and Use Policies."

BE PREPARED!

Refer to the cabin location map on the back of this page.

What to take to the Cabin:

- The cabin measures 10' X 16'. There is a half-loft for sleeping upstairs, and one plywood platform downstairs. The cabin can sleep a maximum of 4 adults.
- The cabin is supplied with a wood stove, table, seats, broom, ax, saw, and ash scoop. All other camping equipment and supplies must be provided by the user, including:
 - Sleeping bag and pad or air mattress
 - Food
 - Cookware, dishes, utensils
 - Cooking stove and fuel
 - Matches, lighters, paper fire starter
 - First aid items
 - Plastic trash bags
 - Jug of water
 - Saw or ax, just in case
 - Firewood
 - Flashlight
 - Lantern and fuel
 - Generator

LANTERNS ARE NO LONGER PROVIDED

Olnes Pond

Public Use Cabin

A few necessary do's and don'ts:

- Do not leave food or garbage in the cabin at the end of your visit. It might seem helpful to share food with future cabin users, but food (even in airtight containers) attracts bears and small animals. It doesn't take them long to seriously damage a cabin. Please pack out everything you packed in.
- Do not leave cookware, sleeping pads, or other items in the cabin at the end of your visit.
- Please leave some cut dry wood for the next visitor. A bow saw and ax are provided for your use. Only DOWN trees may be cut. Firewood may not be removed from the premises or the recreation area.
- Keep the fire in the stove under control. Do not leave the dampers open when you are not in the cabin, as a fire could start and destroy the cabin. Close all dampers completely at the end of your visit.
- Please dispose of all waste water in the toilet. Water dumped outside the cabin is unsightly, unsanitary, and attracts unwanted wildlife. **Do not place garbage in the toilet, please pack it out.**
- Target practice is prohibited. The recreation area is closed to the discharge of weapons. See regulations for details.
- Stay alert and cautious of any trapping activity in the area. Traps and bait may be located near trails. Children and pets should be monitored closely.
- Please tie dog teams and horses at least 100' from the cabin. Do not tether animals to live trees. Use a cable or other anchor system which does not allow the animals to scar living vegetation.
- Feel free to write your comments in the cabin's logbook. Please report any missing or damaged furnishings or other problems to the State Parks office in Fairbanks immediately.

Check out time is 12:00 noon.

Be sure to take this flyer along for reference.

The Lock Combination is: _____

Dial the combination on the bottom of the lock, push the lock together, and then pull it apart. The numbers must all be lined up.

PLEASE LOCK THE DOOR WHEN YOU LEAVE

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The turn off for Olnes Pond Campground is located at mile 10.5 of the Elliot Highway, approximately 22 miles north of Fairbanks. Follow the access road one mile to Olnes Pond State Campground located in the Lower Chatanika State Recreation Area. The public use cabin is located on the right as you enter the campground in the host campsite. This campground features a 16-acre pond stocked with Rainbow Trout and Arctic Grayling and access to a myriad of trails.

The use of off-road vehicles is allowed in Lower Chatanika State Recreation Area on **designated trails** and in areas **posted as open** to off-road vehicles. Motorized off-road vehicles **MUST HAVE MORE THAN ONE DRIVE WHEEL OR TRACK**, and be less than 64" wide. The vehicle must weigh less than 1500 pounds or exert less than eight pounds per square inch ground pressure. **MOTORCYCLES ARE PROHIBITED.**



The Alyeska gate and road, south of the park, accesses the Trans-Alaska Pipeline Right-of-Way. Security measures for the areas adjacent to the **pipeline require you to have a Right-of way Use Guidelines or RUG**, which has been issued to you within the past year. Contact Alyeska Pipeline Security for more information, or to apply for a RUG at (907) 450-5707.