

PRESCOTT WATSON LAKE







This beautiful lake is an oasis when you are looking to escape the desert heat. Conveniently located next to our campground, only a 10 min walk between campsites 67 and 68. Watson's water surface is about 380 acres and is distinguished by its sky-blue calm waters surrounded by the Dells. The 4-billion-year-old Granite Dells were formed by a molten blob of rock some two miles beneath the surface. Under tremendous pressure, the magma cooled slowly enough to crystallize as a uniform rock. As uplift pressed the layers toward the surface, the overlying rock layers eroded away.

Fun on the Water - Watercraft

Boats with gas powered and electric powered motors are permitted, but there is a maximum 5 miles an hour "no wake" speed limit on the lake. Kayaks, canoes and peddle boats are available during open hours. Call Born to be Wild Adventures for watercraft rentals at (928) 499-5621 or <u>b2bwild.com</u>.

Fishing - License Required

Visitors can fish from boats or from the banks of Watson Lake. Fish varieties include bass, catfish, trout and sunfish. Fishing limits: 6 Trout, 6 Bass, 10 Catfish, Unlimited Crappie, Sunfish, Carp & Bullheads.

Hiking at Watson Lake Loop

At about 4.8 miles, the Loop combines a few trails. The Northshore trail covers rocky steep terrain, the Over the Hill trail covers rocky and slightly more moderate terrain, and the Peavine and Lower Granite Creek Trail are relatively flat. Enjoy a short hike to Granite Creek Dam and back via North Trailhead.

18-Hole Disc Golf Course

Views of the lake, boulders and the surrounding hills laid out over gradually sloping hills and scrub terrain. Upon entering the park, make the first right turn to the parking area for the start of the course. Our campground store has disc golf bags to borrow for no fee.

Bocce Ball

There are 3 courts with beautiful views at the south parking lot. Our store has bocce ball sets to borrow.

Kids Playground

An enjoyable playground including a play fire engine dedicated to the Granite Mountain Hotshots.

Park Events

Watson Lake includes many events including the Big Sting Country Thing, Moonlight Kayaking, Highland Games & Celtic Faire, Prescott Pow Wow, Prescott Antique Auto Show and much more! Subscribe to our newsletter via our website at porocks.com for up-to-date events and blogs.



Lake Map on Back Find our website at porocks.com

General information

- Summer Hours: 7:00am to 10:00pm
- Winter Hours: 7:00am to Sunset
- Parking Fee: \$3, Free Wednesdays

General information

- Fishing
- North and South boat launches
- Fish cleaning stations
- Picnic ramadas
- Large turf area
- Restrooms
- Horseshoe pits
- Picnic tables
- Barbecue grills
- Playground equipment
- Bocce ball
- 18-Hole Disc golf course
- Basketball court

Directions

- To walk, take the trail out of the campground in between sites 67 & 68.
- Driving, turn left out of the park then left at the roundabout into Watson Lake Park

Sorry, No Swimming



WATSON LAKE PARK

