White Mountains National Recreation Area

It’s not just another million acres...
The White Mountains National Recreation Area offers year-round activities. In the summer you can float Beaver Creek National Wild River through the most remote part of the White Mountains, hike and pick berries on the Summit Trail, or camp and fish at the Nome Creek campgrounds.

Cabin Information

The fees collected from the cabin rental program are used to fund recreation facilities such as new cabins and trails, maintain existing recreation facilities, develop information signs and interpretive displays.

- Users must register prior to occupying the public recreation cabins. Cabin user(s) must have the cabin permit present during their stay at the cabins.
- If you have not reserved the cabins, please do not impose upon those who have:
  - Do not ask to share the cabin.
  - Camp at least 1/4 mile away from the cabins.
- Dog owners are responsible for cleaning up after their dogs. Do not dispose of dog waste in the cabin outhouses.
- Pack out your trash — do not leave it for others to remove. Do not leave food and other items in the cabins, as it attracts bears, and other animals, such as rodents.

- Report any broken or missing cabin items to BLM. (axe, saw, stove, lantern, broom, etc.)
- Replace what you burn. Leave some dry firewood inside the cabins for the next user. Cut only dead and down wood.
- Discharging of firearms is prohibited within 1/4 mile of the cabins and across the trails.
- These public recreation cabins were established for non-commercial use only. The public recreation cabins are not available for use by commercial trapping operations except as a shelter in life-threatening situations.
- Please close the cabin windows, shutters, and door when leaving. Close the outhouse door to prevent snow from drifting inside.

Off-Highway Vehicle Use Information

Most of the lands along the southern and western boundaries of the White Mountains National Recreation Area are open to use by motorized vehicles with a total Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) of less than 1,500 lbs.

The Beaver Creek National Wild River corridor and the lands beyond are closed to summer use of motorized vehicles (contact BLM for a detailed map.) The remaining lands are open to winter use of snowmachines.

The Research Natural Areas, and the Table Top Mountain, Summit, and Ski Loop trails are closed year-round to all motorized vehicles.

Please contact BLM for more information and maps on areas open to motorized vehicle use:

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