CHICKASAW STATE PARK
Chickasaw State Park
20 Cabin Lane
Henderson, TN 38340
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731-435-0010 (after hours emergencies only)

HOURS OF OPERATION
7 a.m. until 10 p.m. CT year-round
Camper quiet time is 10 p.m.

DIRECTIONS
The park is located in Chester and Hardeman counties, 18 miles south of Jackson on Highway 100.

HUNTING
Over eight miles of hiking trails, easy to moderate, are available. Trail maps may be obtained at the park office.

GIFT SHOP
T-shirts, caps, coffee mugs and hiking sticks are a few of the items available at the gift shop in the park office.

PICNIC PAVILIONS
Chickasaw has three picnic shelters/pavilions that may be reserved for an event or gathering. Depending on the shelter, the maximum capacity ranges from 32 to 50 people. The shelters are equipped with picnic tables, a grill and access to restrooms.

HORSEBACK RIDING
Chickasaw State Park has five miles of horse trail and the surrounding Chickasaw Forest has hundreds of miles of trail. Horses may be rented at the stables or bring your own.

WRANGLER CAMP
The wrangler campground has 32 sites with water and electric hookups. There are posts at each site to picket your horses, and stalls may be rented at the stables.

FISHING
Lake Placid provides catches of bass, bream and catfish. Fishing boats may be rented year-round from the boathouse or park. Paddleboats, canoes, kayaks, and paddleboards are available for daily rental, seasonally. Private boats are not allowed on Lake Placid, with the exception of canoes and kayaks.

SWIMMING
The park’s picturesque swim beach is open April to October, from 8 A.M. until sunset. Swimming is free of charge. There are no lifeguards on duty and swimming is at your own risk.

BIKING
Bicycles are allowed on park roads and cyclists may access miles of additional roads in the adjacent Chickasaw State Forest.

PLANNED PROGRAMS
Games, arts and crafts, campfire programs and guided hikes are available in the summer months.

NEARBY STATE PARKS
• Pinson Mounds State Park: 17 miles
• Big Hill Pond State Park: 46 miles
• Natchez Trace State Park: 46 miles
• Pickwick Landing State Park: 53 miles

ANNUAL EVENTS
• October: Frontier Days
• December: Christmas Lighting at the Park

NEARBY ATTRACTIONS
• Shiloh National Military Park: 45 miles

GET INVOLVED
Friends and volunteers assist in protecting, preserving, and promoting the cultural and natural resources of their favorite state park. They do this by giving of their time and talents to ensure the park’s integrity for future generations to enjoy. It’s easy to show your support—join a Friends group or participate in one of the many volunteer opportunities offered to individuals, families, and groups. To learn more, visit tnstateparks.com/about/get-involved.

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takes its name from the Chickasaw Indians who once inhabited West Tennessee and North Mississippi. Located along the border of Hardeman and Chester counties, Chickasaw was one of Tennessee’s 20 New Deal-era state parks. Chickasaw Forest Park opened in 1937 and was operated by the State of Tennessee beginning in 1939. The property was transferred to state ownership in 1955. Chickasaw is situated on some of the highest terrain in West Tennessee. Of the 14,384 acres of timberland, 1,462 acres are used for recreation.

MEETING ROOMS

Sagamore Lodge is a historic building that is utilized as a meeting facility. The Lodge will seat 100 people and is popular for weddings, meetings and reunions.

CABINS

Chickasaw offers 13 cabins nestled among tall pines and located within easy access to Lake Placid. The cabins sleep four to six people. The kitchens contain full-size appliances as well as utensils for cooking and serving.

GROUP LODGE

The group lodge facility accommodates 36 people. The facility is open year-round.

GROUP CAMP

The Lake LaJoie Group Camp accommodates up to 123 people in rustic cabins. The group camp is open from April through October.

GOLFING

Challenging, exciting, rewarding, and tranquil are just a few words that describe this remarkable 18-hole Jack Nicklaus Signature Design Golf Course. The golf course is run by a concessionaire. Visit GolfatChickasaw.com to learn more.

CAMPING

Chickasaw has 29 tent campsites and 53 RV campsites. Water is available at each tent campsite. All RV sites have water and electric hookups and half have sewer hookups. Each campsite has a picnic table, grill and playground. Modern bathhouses provide hot showers and restroom facilities. A dump station is available in the RV campground.