

## Campground Information

Mahood Lake is a quiet 34 site destination campground for families and for fishing and is the only lake in Wells Gray that isn't glacier fed. It warms up enough for pleasant swimming! For the angler, the lake holds Kokanee, whitefish, burbot, Rainbow and lake trout. For anglers who want more excitement than lake trolling, the Canim and Mahood rivers, as well as several creeks, offer a multitude of opportunities for fly-casters. For visitors who just want to relax, there is a playground, several hundred metres of beach and a shelving foreshore which invites swimming, wading and sunbathing. There are 3 rustic campsites located at the east end of the lake, only accessible by boat.

**Length of Stay** is limited to a total of 14 days per year.

**Check-out Time** is 11:00 am. If a campsite has not been re-registered by this time it may be reassigned, unless special arrangements have been made with park operators.

**Reservations** can be made by visiting <https://campingbcparks.ca>

**Camping Fees** - Camping fees are on a "camping party" basis; which is defined as one to four persons, 16 years of age or older. With a maximum of 8 people including children (15 years of age and younger). At least one member of the camping party **MUST** be 16 years or older.

**Vehicles per Camping Party** - One vehicle and trailer, either one (but not both) may be an RV. A second vehicle (non-RV) may be allowed on site for an additional nightly charge of half the campsite fee to a maximum of \$12/night.

**Campsite Maximum** - One camping party per site, unless otherwise authorized.

**Quiet Time** is from 10:00 pm to 7:00 am. Generators are permitted between the hours of 9:00 am-11:00 am and 6:00 pm-8:00 pm.

**Vehicles, Tents and Equipment** must remain on the gravel portion of your campsite or tent pads.

**Under special circumstances, authorization is given for some activities which do not conform to regulations. Please bring any problems or concerns to the attention of British Columbia Parks or Park Operator staff.**

- Weather is unpredictable, and sudden storms can produce 1-meter waves. Always wear a personal flotation device, watch the weather. Never try to outrun a storm—go directly to shore. Boats drawn up onto the beach in front of the campground can also be damaged in a bad storm.
- Boaters must be aware of the strong current at the east end of Mahood Lake, and avoid boating near the outflow.

## Campground Ethics

**We hope you enjoy your visit to Mahood Lake Provincial Park. British Columbia Parks is dedicated to preserving the natural state of parks while providing recreational access to their features. Park regulations and policies protect park values, ensuring a quality experience for all visitors, both today and in years to come.**

**Here are a few simple rules and regulations to help make your stay more pleasant. Please be aware of them — we need your help.**

**Pets** must be kept on a leash while in the park and are not permitted in the day use area.

**Visitors** must leave by 10:00 pm. Only registered campers are allowed in the campsite after 10:00 pm. Day use areas are closed a half hour after sunset.

**Excessive Noise** is not permitted. Please remember that sound travels farther in open air, especially music and loud talking.

**Campfires** must not exceed half a metre in height. Do not leave your campfire unattended. Firewood can be purchased from the Park Operator.

**Trees and Shrubs** are easily damaged. Stay on roads and trails to avoid trampling of vegetation. Do not cut trees or shrubs for wiener sticks or use them for clothesline supports. Do not pick the flowers, berries, foliage etc.

**Bears** are seen occasionally within the Park. To avoid attracting them, burn all food scraps and tin cans. Keep a clean campsite. Store ALL food in your vehicle.

**Valuables** should be locked away out of sight. Report all thefts to the Park Facility Operator as soon as possible.

**Anglers** should possess BC angling licenses which are required for angling in all waters in BC.

## Contact Information

Reservations: BC Parks  
Phone: 1-800-689-9025  
Online: <https://campingbcparks.ca>

This park is proudly operated by Shuswap Adams Parks Ltd.  
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# Wells Gray Provincial Park

## Mahood Lake Guide



Welcome. Mahood Lake is located on the western edge of Wells Gray Provincial Park. Mahood Lake and River were named after James Adam Mahood, one of several Canadian Pacific Railway employees who conducted surveys of the area in the 1870s.

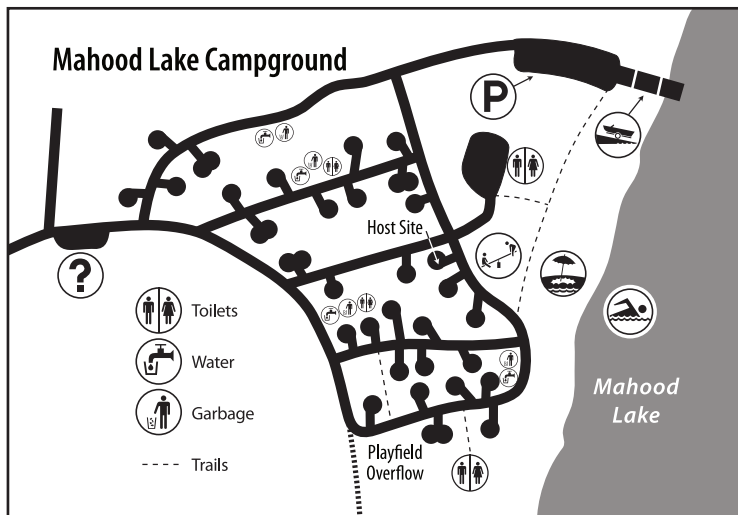
The campground is located at the southwestern tip of Wells Gray Park, accessed via 88 kms of paved and gravel roads from 100 Mile House and along the south shore of Canim Lake, or via 65 kms of gravel road from the Interlakes corner on Hwy #24, or across TFL 18 via logging roads from Clearwater.



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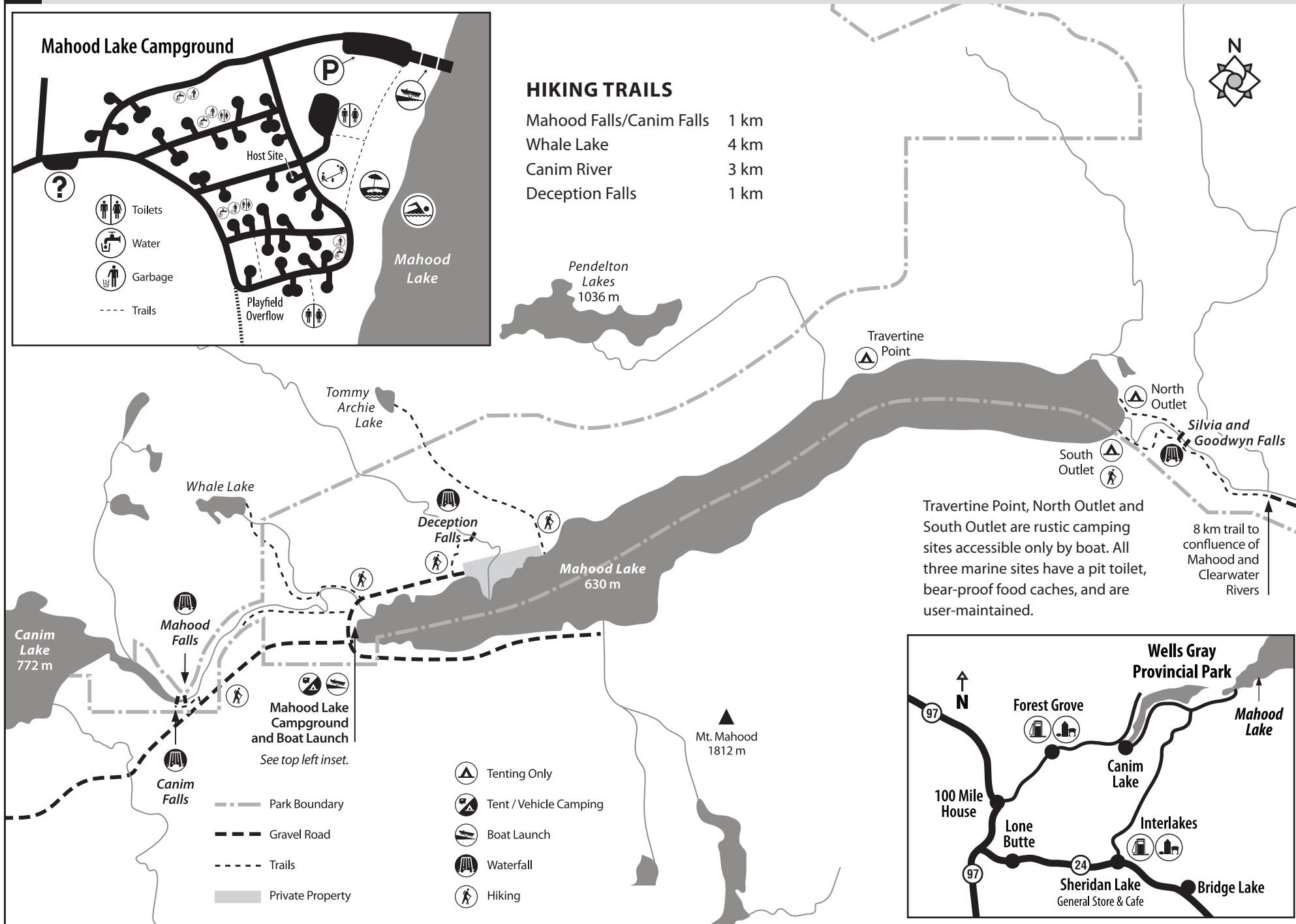
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## HIKING TRAILS

Mahood Falls/Canim Falls	1 km
Whale Lake	4 km
Canim River	3 km
Deception Falls	1 km



- Park Boundary
- Gravel Road
- Trails
- Private Property

- ▲ Tenting Only
- ▲ Tent / Vehicle Camping
- ▲ Boat Launch
- ▲ Waterfall
- ▲ Hiking

