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**Fishing Season Opens Saturday April 25th
Access to Lakes Opening up in the Deschutes National Forest**

Bend—Opening day of fishing season is this Saturday, April 25th. Though there is still snow at higher elevations, several campgrounds with boat launch access and several resorts at the lakes will be open Saturday. For information on which campgrounds will be open you can go to <http://www.hoodoo.com>, or call Hoodoo Recreation at (541) 338-7869. Travelers on South Century Drive (Road 42) should be prepared for delays due to reconstruction work between Sunriver and the Cascade Lakes Highway. Drivers are encouraged to take an alternate route such as Forest Service Road 40 out of Sunriver or Burgess Road out of Wickiup Junction. The Cascade Lakes Highway is expected to be open south of Forest Service Road 40 to the Crescent Cutoff Road. For updated information please contact your local Ranger District or resort.

Although access to some day use boat launches will still be limited by snow on opening day, the following sites will have access to open boat launches:

South Twin Campground
North South Twin Campground
Gull Point Campground
West South Twin Campground
Sunset Cove Campground
Crescent Lake Campground
Camp Sherman Campground
Pine Rest Campground
Allingham Campground
Link Creek Campground
Cultus Lake Day Use
Rock Creek Day Use
Crane Prairie Day Use
Odell Lake Resort
Crescent Lake Resort
Shelter Cove Resort
Twin Lakes Resort
Crane Prairie Resort
Paulina Lake Resort