

Grass RiverProvincial Park

Campground Tips

- Be Wildlife Smart. Do not feed any wildlife, including birds or squirrels. You are in black bear country secure all attractants such as food, cooking equipment and trash in a locked vehicle. Do not store food or attractants in your tent.
- Practice Leave No Trace.
 Pack out all gear and trash to keep the campsites clean for others.
- Keep dogs on leash and clean up after your pet.
- Learn to recognize and avoid poisonous plants such as poison ivy.
- Open fires are prohibited.
 Use portable stoves or fire pits provided.
- Don't Move Firewood -Moving firewood can spread harmful invasive species and destroy our forests.
- Prevent the spread of aquatic invasive species. Always clean, drain, dry watercraft and water related equipment. Visit manitoba.ca/stopais for full regulations.
- In case of injury or illness contact a Park Attendant or Park Patrol Officer. They can assist you to reach medical help.
- Full camping regulations are available in the Campers Guide, available from park offices and online at manitobaparks.com.

Gyles Campground

Keep a lookout for woodland caribou and moose grazing Manitoba Lowlands.



Gyles Campground is located in Grass River Provincial Park on the south shore of Simonhouse Lake. "Simonhouse" is named for Bill Simon who ran the Revillion Freres Trading Company post or "house" in the area.

Simonhouse is one of the two headwater lakes, the other is First Cranberry, of the Grass River system. The southern half of the lake's basin is dominated by limestone of the Manitoba Lowlands. The northern half's granite shores are part of the Canadian Shield. The limestone helps account for the clarity of Simonhouse's water. Once into the "Narrows" in the north end of the

lake the water begins to darken as the tea-colored Shield water flows in, at places like aptly named Ink Creek. The campground features the park's only accessible beach, shaded campsites, play structures and a boat launch. A solar heated gravity shower is available and a solar powered water treatment plant provides drinking water. There are no public phone at Gyles. Keep a lookout for some of Grass Rivers most popular animals including: woodland caribou, woodpeckers and moose.



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