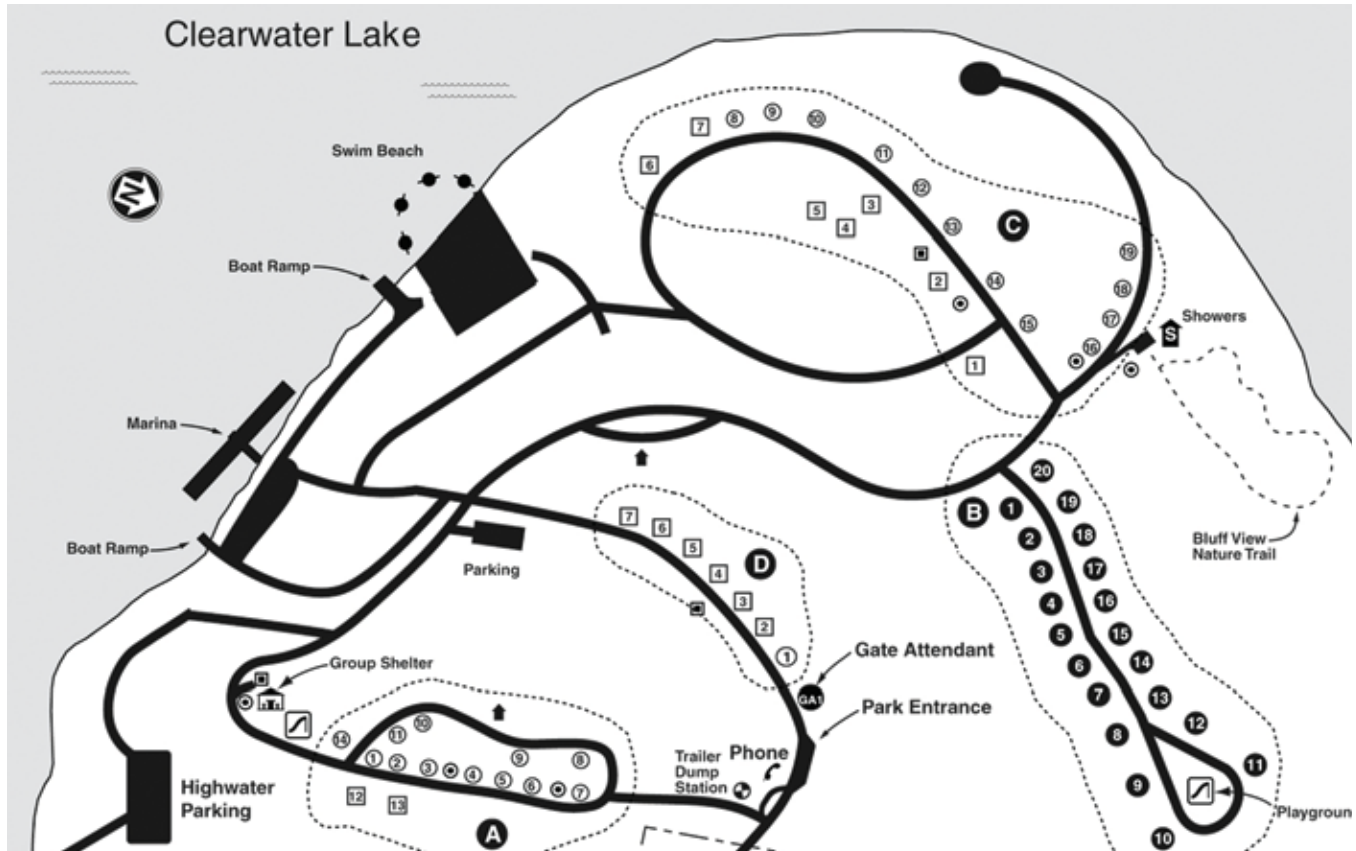


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Bluff View Recreation Area

Bluff View may be reached from Piedmont by driving north on Highway 49 to Route AA, which ends at the lake.

Aptly named, Bluff View is across from the longest and highest bluff on Clearwater Lake.

It is downstream from where Black River enters the lake. Black River is the main tributary to Clearwater Lake.

A popular activity here is motoring up into the river to one of the gravel bars. Adults break out the barbecue grill while youngsters play in the crystal clear water.

Bluff View is known for its spring run of white bass. The spawn typically occurs during spring turkey season, giving outdoorsmen a chance to bag a gobbler in the morning

and catch a mess of white bass in the afternoon.

Bass and crappie are popular here too, especially in Goose Creek Bay. It is the first cove on the east side of the lake downstream from the boat ramp and marina.

Recent installation of hardwood brush piles in and near Goose Creek make it easy to find a good place to catch fish.

If you don't care to fish, or they are not biting, get up early anyhow.

The bluffs face east here, and you'll want to spend some time with coffee cup in hand, looking at the bluffs as the early morning sun lights them up.

The situation changes later in the day as the bluffs provide shade fairly early on a summer afternoon.