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Family and Morale, Welfare, and Recreation
Usage of Non Hunting and Fishing Recreational Areas

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History. This publication is being updated to reflect appropriate revisions to the Use, Operation, Maintenance, and Management of Post Recreation Areas on Fort Leonard Wood (FLW).

Summary. This regulation establishes procedures and policies governing the use, operation, maintenance, and management of Installation Recreation Areas on FLW.

Applicability. This regulation applies to all personnel using FLW, Installation recreational facilities.

Proponent and Execution authority. The proponent agency of this regulation is the Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare, and Recreation (DFMWR).

Supplementation. Supplementation of this regulation is prohibited unless specifically approved by Headquarters, United States Army Maneuver Support Center of Excellence (MSCOE) and FLW.

Suggested and Improvements. Users are invited to send comments and suggested improvements on DA Form 2028 (Recommended Changes to Publications and Blank Forms) to DFMWR, ATTN: IMLD-MWR, 13486 Replacement Avenue, Suite 1103, Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri 65473.

Distribution. Electronic medium only and posted on the FLW Web Site.

*This regulation supersedes FLW Reg 215-3, 19 June 2002.

Summary of Changes

To

FLW Reg 215-3, Use, Operation, Maintenance, and Management of Post Recreation Areas

FLW Reg 215-3, 19 June, 2002 has undergone major revision.

- Name of regulation changed.
- AR-200-1, Environmental Protection and Enhancement.
- Changes to 4a and b addressed who is eligible for use of areas.
- Add 4c. Other Outdoor Recreational Activities
- Indiana Park can be reserved in part or in its entirety. Paragraph deleted
- Stone Mill Spring is primarily a trout management area and as such, will not be reserved for unit or organization functions, but will be used for small groups or family outings on a first come, first served basis. Paragraph deleted.

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1. Purpose.

To assign responsibilities and prescribe policies and procedures governing the use, operation, maintenance, and management of outdoor recreation areas on FLW and Lake of the Ozarks Recreation Area (LORA).

2. References and Forms.

a. Required Reference. FLW Reg 210-21, Hunting and Fishing Regulation.

b. Related References.

(1) AR 200-1, Environmental Protection and Enhancement.

(2) FLW Reg 210-14, Ranges, Training Areas and Training Facilities.

3. Explanation of Acronyms.

The acronyms, abbreviations, and definitions used in this regulation are explained in the glossary.

4. General.

a. Eligibility- Designated parks and picnic areas (Coyler Park, Happy Hollow, hiking trail, East Gate Campground) are intended for use by all authorized DoD personnel including civilians.

b. Required use of ISportsman-

(1) Personnel desiring to hunt, fish, or trap on FLW are required to conduct the safety briefing via iSportsman's website prior to issuance of any recreational or hunting/fishing permits as outlined in FLW Reg 210-21.

(2) Personnel recreating outdoors in maneuver/hunting areas of the FLW installation must obtain a Recreation Permit via the iSportsman's Website. The Recreation Permit is provided immediately after creating an account and taking the safety quiz at no cost. Each individual desiring to access an area for the purpose of recreation would be responsible for checking in and out of areas using the iSportsman's website at <<https://ftleonardwood.isportsman.net/>>.

(3) Outdoor recreation activities that would require a Recreation Permit (outside of the cantonment areas) include, but are not limited to; berry/mushroom picking, looking for shed antlers, cycling, hiking, and scouting for areas to hunt (see FLW Regulation 210-21).

(4) Those persons possessing an ISportsman Permit (hunters, fishermen and trappers) are also required to obtain the Recreation Permit, at no cost.

(5) Swimming is prohibited on FLW unless in established designated areas. Prohibited areas include Big Piney River and Happy Hollow.

5. Responsibilities.

- a. DFMWR is responsible to validate all active permits for the following; disabled veterans with at least 60 percent disability, youth, and any individual 65 and older. Individuals will have to physically come to the OAC with proper documentation prior to issuance of validation.
- b. DPW is responsible for grass mowing in areas accessible to motorized equipment, maintaining, and repairing installed property, grounds, buildings, and utility service.
- c. DPTMS (Range Operations) is responsible for announcing areas open for recreation, hunting, and fishing. The Privately Owned Weapons (POW) Range (range 1) is a recreational shooting range. The range is run and maintained by DPTMS, Range Operations.
- d. FLW Post Detail is responsible for routine policing, raking, grass mowing, and trimming in recreational areas not accessible to DPW equipment. These areas include Happy Hollow, Colyer Park, and the East Gate Campground in accordance with the installation police policies.
- e. Users are responsible for ensuring that all protocols outlined within this regulation are upheld at all times. Failure to uphold these regulations could result in fines and/or restrictions.

6. Recreation Areas.

- a. Colyer Park, with the exception of special holiday or major unit organization day activities, will generally be on a first-come, first-served basis. Large groups or organizations may reserve the north and south pavilion and other areas by contacting the OAC.
- b. Happy Hollow and the pavilion park area can be reserved by contacting the OAC. The area is off limits between 2100-0500 unless an approved function has been coordinated through OAC. Fishing is open to anglers remaining within 50 feet of the shoreline in lieu of those reserving Happy Hollow. No swimming authorized at Happy Hollow.
- c. The East Gate Campground is open for use by all DoD personnel; Military or Civilian. It is also available to special groups or units such as Boy/Girl Scouts, and some off post groups that have been pre vetted. You must check in with OAC prior to utilizing the East Gate Campground. Homesteading is strictly prohibited and campers (tent or RV) utilizing the East Gate Campground may not exceed fourteen (14) calendar days on the premises.
- d. The privately owned weapon range (range 1) is located off of FLW 30. All firearms that are used on this range must be registered on Fort Leonard Wood. Users must sign in to the range via ISportsman.
- e. Bloodland lake is located off of Airport Road (Arkansas Avenue) and is a primary recreation area on Fort Leonard Wood. Check in via ISportsman is required to utilize this area.
- f. Training Areas that are closed to the population will be reflected under the ISportsman website.

g. Personnel using only recreational facilities in the cantonment area such as Coyler Park, OAC, pools, or other sports/athletic facilities are NOT required to register with iSportsman. Happy Hollow and Lake of the Ozarks Recreation Area, which falls outside the cantonment area, also are NOT required to register with iSportsman to use.

7. Comments.

Comments or complaints concerning the park areas should be addressed to OAC, building 2290 or by calling (573) 596-4223.

Related References.

AR 200-1, Environmental Protection and Enhancement.

FLW Reg 210-14, Ranges, Training Areas and Training Facilities.

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Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare, and Recreation

DPTMS

Directorate of Plans, Training, and Mobilization Security

DPW

Directorate of Public Works

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MSCoE

Maneuver Support Center of Excellence

OAC

Outdoor Adventure Center

POW

Privately Owned Weapon(s)