

2024 Boogie Camping Information

Hello Edisto Blackwater Boogie Campers!!

Thank you for reserving your campsite for the Edisto Blackwater Boogie. Staying onsite for the entire event will ensure you get the maximum festival experience!

At the Boogie, we pride ourselves on being open and welcoming to people from all walks of life no matter what your background, economic status, race, religion, political affiliation, gender identity, sexual orientation, or any other factor that makes you uniquely you. The Boogie is a place to groove together as one human family, so come as you are; we can't wait to spend the weekend with you!

We ask that all of our campers agree to uphold our camper code of conduct:

1. Follow the rules.
2. Cooperate with event staff and volunteers.
3. Treat all with respect and dignity.
4. Just be cool and have some fun!!

Please read on for very important information, rules, procedures, and tips that will make your camping experience as seamless as possible.

PLEASE NOTE: PURCHASE OF A CAMPSITE DOES NOT INCLUDE ADMISSION TO THE FESTIVAL GROUNDS. Each person entering the festival (child or adult) will be required to have a ticket. Purchase tickets here [EBB Passes](#)

- **Check-in time** for camping begins at 12:00 pm Friday afternoon. **Check-out time is 2:00 pm on Sunday.**
 - **Please Observe Check In Time:** Campers arriving prior to **12pm** will be asked to wait before checking in and setting up camp. Feel free to enjoy the State Park while you wait.
 - **Check-out time will be strictly enforced** as there will be campers coming into the park on Sunday. All campers must be fully checked out by **2pm** on Sunday.
 - The state park has extended checkout time by two hours this year so that campers can stay for the music Sunday between 10am-12pm at the Loblolly Stage.
 - The State Park is offering a 50% discount for campers that would like to spend the night Sunday. You will need to call Givhans Ferry State Park Office at (843) 873-0692 to make reservations and receive the discount.
- Upon entering the park, all campers will check in at the camper check in tent located just past the park guard house as you enter the park. Those with assigned sites will receive their site assignment and primitive campers will be directed to the primitive areas. A camper-escort will escort you to your campsite or camping area. If an escort is unavailable, campers will be given directions to camp sites or camping areas.

- **There are 4 different camping options at the Edisto Blackwater Boogie. Please make sure you understand which camping option you have purchased. Please check your order confirmation if you are unclear.**
 - **Full Hook-up campers:** These sites are located in the main camping loop and have drive-up accessibility. Full Hook-up campers are allowed either a maximum of one trailer/RV and one tent, OR two tents per site. There is a six-person maximum at each site. Water and electric hookups are available.
 - **Walk-in Private Tent campers:** These sites are located adjacent to the main camping loop but need to be accessed by the trail between the restrooms and playground area. Campers must park across the road from the restrooms and **carry or haul** camping gear to campsites from there. **PARKING IS A FEW HUNDRED YARDS FROM THE SITES** please be aware and prepared!
 - **Primitive Campers - Single Site (2 person/one tent) and Primitive Campers - Double Site (up to 6 people/two tents).**
 - **Primitive Campsites** are first-come first-serve and do not have water or electric hook-ups. They must be purchased online or at the gate.
 - Primitive campers can choose to camp in one of our two primitive camping areas: The Meadow or The Forest. **New this year: Campers wanting to camp in the Forest must be checked in no later than 4pm Friday afternoon. After 4pm Friday afternoon only Bands and Volunteers will be allowed to access the Forest for camp set up. NO CAR CAMPING OR CAMPING IN PARKING AREAS IS PERMITTED** - Anyone camping in an undesignated area will be asked to move to one of the designated areas. Save yourself some time and frustration by only camping in one of the designated areas.
 - **The Meadow** is located adjacent to the general parking area. We recommend this area for families as it is typically the more quiet of the two primitive areas. The entry for the Meadow is at the rear left side of general parking - this is the parking area on your left as you enter the park, after the pay booth. A small walking-only trail leads you over a wooden bridge to the camping area. Portalets will be near the entrance trail to the meadow and the restroom is about a 2-3 minute walk from the meadow.
 - **The Forest** is located at the back of the park behind the main stage area. This camping area typically has more activity at night as this is the area where many of the bands and volunteers camp. There is a restroom located in the parking area for The Forest. Forest campers can park in the designated parking area behind the main stage area and carry

camping gear into the sites. **New this year: Campers wanting to camp in the Forest must be checked in no later than 4pm Friday afternoon. After 4pm Friday afternoon only Bands and Volunteers will be allowed to access the Forest for camp set up.**

- We recommend primitive campers bring a gallon of water or two along with a portable battery pack/power bank for any small electrical needs such as phone charging. **Generators are not allowed in primitive camping areas.**
- **For all campsites, fires must be confined to designated grills or fire rings.** Small grills and camp stoves are allowed in all camping areas. Fire rings should not be moved. **Firewood will be provided for primitive campers near the entrances to the primitive camping areas.**
- **Quiet Hours** in the camping areas are 12:00 AM to 8:00 AM. This means only quiet conversations after 12AM!
 - Please respect your fellow campers by keeping the volume of conversations and activities down during these hours. We will have overnight security reminding campers to be respectful during these times.
 - Please keep in mind that this is a festival, and some after hours noise is to be expected. Be prepared for this if you are a light sleeper.
 - *If you are a night owl, join the bonfire next to the education pavilion after the festival ends for the night. This is a highlight of the festival for many! It's a great spot to bring your instrument and share a song or sit back and enjoy some more great acoustic music!*
 - **Campers that persist with loud conversation or music in the campgrounds after quiet hours will be asked to move to the group fire, adjacent to the pavilion. Campers that fail to cooperate, are aggressive or disrespectful to volunteers or other campers in speech or action will be asked to leave without refund. Hate speech of any kind will not be tolerated.**

The Boogie came together in love, help us protect the family vibe we've worked together to build!

- **Lighting:** Lighting is limited in the festival area and in the state park so we recommend that you bring a flashlight or headlamp for safe travels after dark.
- **Coolers are not allowed** in the event area. Please enjoy your food and beverages at your campsite. Please help us bring our vendors back next year by keeping outside food and drink at your campsite.
- **Pets** are allowed in camping areas. You must pick up after your pet; please bring waste bags with you if bringing a dog. All pets must be on a leash no greater than 6 feet or crated at all times. They cannot be left unattended in a vehicle or at your campsite. If a dog is excessively vocal (excessive barking, whining, etc), showing signs of aggression, or left unattended, you will be

asked to remove the animal from the park. Multiple or extremely serious infractions will result in the dog's owner being asked to leave without refund.

- **Motorized vehicles such as golf carts/gators/rangers/dirt bikes/mini-bikes are not allowed** in the camping or festival area during the event other than those being used for official festival use.
- **Pests**
 - Fire ants - The park will treat for fire ants prior to the festival, however, it is likely that there will still be some mounds around. Please watch your step and keep an eye on your children and pets.
 - Mosquitos - Dorchester County Mosquito Control should be treating the park prior to the event, however, due to potential standing water in the surrounding area, we highly recommend bringing insect repellent.
 - Scavengers - Please be sure to keep any food items and trash in a secure location to prevent squirrels, racoons, and other scavengers from being attracted to your camp.
- **Yoga** - Join us at 9am on Saturday and Sunday for yoga at the Loblolly Stage located adjacent to the River House.
- **Breakfast** - A coffee cart will be on site Saturday and Sunday starting around 7:30am to provide coffee and light breakfast options for campers.
- **Bonfire** - Be sure to join us for some great music and camaraderie around the bonfire located next to the Education Shelter after the event ends on Friday and Saturday night.
- **Site assignments** - Will be issued one to two weeks prior to the event. If you plan to camp at the park Thursday or Sunday night and reserve a site with the park, please email us with your site number at edistoblackwaterboogie@gmail.com as soon as you have made your reservation so that we can assign you to the corresponding campsite.

PLEASE SHARE THESE RULES WITH EVERYONE IN YOUR GROUP SO THAT ALL ARE AWARE OF RULES AND EXPECTATIONS

We are looking forward to an amazing, 5th Annual Edisto Blackwater Boogie and are thankful for your support! Please send any questions to edistoblackwaterboogie@gmail.com See you soon!!