

Morro Bay State Park

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Morro Bay State Park features lagoon and natural bay habitats. The bay's most prominent landmark is Morro Rock—illegal to climb. The park has opportunities for sailing, fishing, hiking, and bird watching. The park museum has exhibits that cover natural features and cultural history, Native Californian life, geology, and oceanography. The park also has a marina and an 18-hole public golf course. On the bay's northeast edge is a pristine saltwater marsh that supports a thriving bird population.

PARK FEES are due and payable upon entry into the park. Use the self-registration system if the entrance station is closed. The campsite fee covers one vehicle and one legally towed-in vehicle. Additional fees apply for extra vehicles, including motorcycles. A valid camping/extra vehicle tag must be visible inside the windshield.

VEHICLE PARKING: No more than two licensed vehicles per site (motorcycles exempt). A trailer is considered a vehicle.

CAMPSITE driveways are either 25 or 35 feet. All vehicles must be parked entirely on the pavement. Picnic tables must remain at designated campsites.

OCCUPANCY: Eight people maximum are allowed per campsite.

CHECK-OUT time is at noon. Please vacate your site by that time. Check-in time is 2 p.m.

QUIET HOURS are from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. Radios and other sound-producing devices must not be audible beyond your immediate campsite. To ensure an enjoyable experience for everyone, please do not disturb other campers, regardless of the time of day or night.

FIRES/FIREWOOD: Fires are only allowed in fire rings provided. Collecting dead or downed wood is prohibited. Firewood is available for sale at camp host sites. All fireworks are prohibited.

DOGS must be kept on a six-foot-maximum leash and may not be left unattended at any time. They are allowed in the campground, on paved roads, and on trails in the Black Hill area. Dogs must be confined to a vehicle or tent at night.

Please clean up after your pets.

HORSES are not allowed in the campground or other areas of the park west of South Bay Boulevard.

SPEED LIMIT: The maximum speed limit is 15 mph. When pedestrians, bicyclists, or children are present, even 15 mph might be too fast. Use good judgment.

BICYCLES are allowed only on paved roads and multi-use trails. Bicycle riders under age 18 must wear a helmet. Bicycles ridden after dark must be properly illuminated. Please ride safely.

GENERATORS may only be operated between the hours of 10 a.m. and 8 p.m.

SHOWERS: Tokens are required (sold at restrooms).

ELECTRICAL OUTLETS in the restrooms are for short-duration use. Do not use outlets for long duration charging/appliances. Do not use extension cords in these outlets. Outlets ouside of the restrooms are for State Parks Maintenance use only.

TRASH: Please recycle your trash whenever possible. Receptacles are located throughout the campground.

GROUP CAMPS: Except for the expanded occupancy, all general regulations apply. Chorro Group Camp is limited to 35 campers and 15 vehicles (2 RVs maximum). Osos Group Camp is limited to 25 campers and 10 vehicles (2 RVs maximum). Vehicles are not permitted past the parking logs.

DAY-USE AREA: The picnic area next to the campfire center in the campground may be used by the public and school groups. Day-use fees are required for all vehicles visiting the picnic area and not registered in the campground.

CAMPING RESERVATIONS: You may make camping reservations by calling (800) 444-7275 (TTY 800-274-7275). To make online reservations, visit our website at **www.parks.ca.gov**.

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