

Girl Guides of Canada-Guides du Canada – Québec Council

Camp Wa-Thik-Ane General Information

1. Please use the accompanying information to help you decide on the site rental that best suits your Guiding group.
2. Once you have made your choice, fill in the reservation form and send it either electronically (accompanied by credit card info) to info@guidesquebec.ca or by Canada Post (accompanied by a unit/district cheque) to the provincial office:

GGC– Québec Council:
100 Alexis-Nihon, Suite 270, St-Laurent, QC H4M 2N7
Tel: 514-933-5839

3. Reservations will only be accepted once your form and deposit are received by the provincial office. No exceptions!
4. Guiding groups should consult **Safe Guide** prior to planning any camping activity.

Reservation forms and rate information are available on the [Camp Wa-Thik-Ane page](#) of the Québec provincial website [Quebec Provincial Website](#) (Program > Camping > Camp Wa-Thik-Ane > Renting Camp Wa-Thik-Ane)

Reservation Policy 2018

- 1st, 2nd and 3rd choice of site/date required.
- Share a site if you do not have the capacity number at time of booking. (the office will assist you).
- Site minimum charge of 75% of site capacity in effect for the following weekends May 25-27, June 1-3 and June 8-10.
- BBQ and Propane Rental for \$25.00 (use at Stavert lodge only).

Camping Season: Comprises the period from the opening of camp (this is dependent on spring weather but is usually the 2nd weekend in May) to the end of September.

Depending on the time of year and staff availability, those on hand could include a Site Manager (May to September), a lifeguard and a boating specialist (June through August).

NOTE: *Operating dates are subject to appropriate weather conditions and also dependent on availability of Safe Guide-approved waterfront staff. According to Safe Guide, swimming and/or boating tests (as applicable) must be done. It is recommended that these tests be done prior to your arrival at camp if possible. (See Safe Guide for detailed test requirements.)*

Program Activities - The following activities are always available at camp:

- Hiking: Trails along the shoreline or up to the bluff are there to enjoy and explore.
- Campfire/outdoor cooking: Fire pit and grill on each site allow all groups to participate.
- Nature study: wild flowers, woods, animals and fish abound, allowing for walks and program activities depending on the season.
- Ranger Lake offers a variety of pond discovery activities.

Facilities and Lodging:

Stavert Lodge: is a comfortable building overlooking the lake, accessible by car.

- Large dormitory bedroom – with 8 bunk beds (accommodates 16)
- Smaller leaders' room (accommodates 5)
- Fully equipped kitchen (dishes included) and dining area overlooking the lake
- Indoor toilet facilities with one shower
- Activity hall with a stone fireplace (see note)
- Full electricity and running water including heaters for spring/fall use
- Two tents *may be requested* for the platforms behind the lodge (accommodates an additional 8 people)

NOTE: The hall is a shared space used by all at the camp and can be reserved for specific activity periods by sending an email to lacbouchette@guidesquebec.ca



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Full Service Campsites: Huron, Iroquois, Algonquin, Cree, Mic Mac

Full service campsites are designed and equipped for a group to camp for one or more nights in tents with a large activity shelter. They include most of the necessary equipment for the experience:

- Sites have wooden platforms with tents (**either canvas and/or nylon – each tent sleeps a maximum of 4 with no exceptions**)
- Guiders should be prepared to put up some nylon tents, on full sites, upon arrival
- Wooden dining and activity shelter (marquee) with tables and benches
- Full kitchen with a wood stove or/and an electric stove (refer to chart)
- Pots, pans, baking dishes, and kitchen utensils for one large or several small groups
- Water tap with running drinking water close to the kitchen area
- Site-specific toilet facilities (either a flush toilet, shower house or latrines) (refer to chart)
- Outdoor fire pits for cooking and campfires

Site	Capacity	Electric lights	Electric stove & outlet	Wood stove	Tents	Latrines	Flush toilets	Hot water	Shower
Cree **	28	X	X	X	nylon	X			
Algonquin	32	X	X	X	canvas/nylon		X	X	X
Iroquois	40	X	X	X	canvas/nylon		X	X	X
Mic Mac	24			X	canvas/nylon		X		X-cold
Huron	40	X	X	X	canvas/nylon		X	X	X

Pioneer Sites:** **Montagnais** (18 max) and **Chippewa** (18 max) are recommended for patrol camping or for a more rustic experience. Use of these sites is weather dependent. For more information, please contact lacbouchette@guidesquebec.ca

**** NOTE: Site Minimums do not apply to Cree, Montagnais and Chippewa.**

Other Facilities:

Youngson Memorial Campfire Site: A beautiful amphitheatre overlooking Lac Bouchette.

Food Storage Building: This building is equipped with freezers as well as a large industrial walk-in refrigerator for perishable food storage for all sites (excluding Stavert Lodge). The building is open 24 hours a day for campers' convenience.

Large Established Waterfront: Equipped to GGC and government regulations and standards.



Things to do in the local area:

During the summer and fall, the Laurentian region really comes to life with a number of festivals and other activities. Units can add to their experience with a number of off camp activities available only a short distance away. These include:

- ACRONATURE - High rope & zip line adventure at Ski Morin Heights (10 minutes from camp)
- WATERSLIDES - There are a number of water parks in the vicinity www.parcaquatique.com/en or www.montsaintsauveur.com/en

