Standing Stone State Park
Standing Stone State Park and forest cover nearly 8,000 acres on a hilly portion of the Cumberland Plateau of north-central Tennessee. The area’s geology and natural diversity is significant. The rugged setting is dominated by oak-hickory hardwood forest. Hilltops offer visitors overlooks onto outstanding scenery, while deep wooded coves harbor abundant spring and summer wildflowers and an abundant assortment of mammals, birds, reptiles, and amphibians.

The park was developed during the Great Depression of the 1930’s by the federal Works Progress Administration and the rustic architecture constructed by the Civilian Conservation Corps. The park takes its name from the “Standing Stone,” a twelve-foot tall rock that stood in adjacent Putnam County beside the Avery Trace, an early federal road, now State Highway 70. A portion of this landmark is still preserved in Monterey, Tennessee.

Cabins
Standing Stone is equipped with three types of cabins: Rustic (A), Timber lodge (AA), and Modern (AAA). The park has 4 Rustic Cabins that can accommodate from two to eight people. April through October. Each of the three Timber lodge cabins can accommodate up to 10 people. These are open year-round, and have central heat and air-conditioning. All cabins are completely equipped for housekeeping. These are no tv’s or telephones in the cabins. One Modern cabin is available to accommodate pets at an extra charge. Otherwise, NO pets allowed in cabins. Cabins may be reserved two years in advance. Check-in is at 3:00 p.m. and checkout is at 10:00 a.m.

Group Lodges
Group Lodge 1 has five double beds and six single bunk beds, and accommodates up to 16 people.

Group Lodge 2 has eight double beds and accommodates up to 16 people.

The Overton Lodge has 48 single bunk beds. It includes two large bathrooms and an industrial kitchen area with commercial appliances. The Overton Lodge is secluded which makes it great for church groups and large family reunions. These 3 group lodges are not heated and are available April - October.

Group Lodge 3 has six double beds and accommodates up to 12 people. This lodge is heated and is available year-round.

All lodges are completely equipped for housekeeping. There are no tv’s or telephones in the lodges, except for one payphone at the Overton Lodge. Lodges may be reserved up to two years in advance. Check-in is at 3:00 p.m. and checkout is 10:00 a.m.

Gift Shop
A visit to Standing Stone would not be complete without a visit to our gift shop. Gifts can find a wide range of clothing, mugs, and various unique park souvenirs. The gift shop is open year-round.

Campground
Standing Stone State Park’s campgrounds offer 36 tent and trailer sites, each equipped with a picnic table, charcoal grill, water hookups, and 20, 50 and 50 amp electrical hookups. RV’s are limited to 45 feet. The campground is served with two central bathhouses and a dump station. Although the campgrounds is open year-round, only one bathhouse serves the campgrounds during the winter season. These are available only on a first-come, first-served basis, and maximum stay limit is two weeks. The campground provides accessibility to persons with disability. Backcountry camping is not allowed in the park.

Dogs, cats and other pets are prohibited unless they are on a leash or under physical restive control at all times. Pack animals are not allowed in the park. Notice: Vehicles over 50 feet must enter the park by Highway 92. The park contains a one-lane bridge.

Amphitheatre
The Amphitheatre has a scenic background and can be utilized for meetings, campfires, musical gatherings, and even small weddings. It seats around 100 people, and requires a park reservation.

Planned Programs
Standing Stone State Park provides interpretive programs June-August. Groups with specific interests can contact the park to arrange special programs on a year round basis.

Meeting Room
The Tea Room at Standing Stone is a conference-style meeting room that can accommodate up to 80 people. It has a large kitchen equipped with modern appliances. Great views of Standing Stone Lake make it ideal for wedding receptions, reunions and small conferences. Reservations are accepted up to two years in advance. The Tea Room is open year-round.

Boating
Aluminum fishing boats and pedal boats may be rented at the park office year-round. Patrons may bring their own electric trolling motor and battery for the fishing boats. Boating on Standing Stone Lake is permitted during daylight hours only. The only private boats allowed on Standing Stone Lake are canoes and kayaks. Visitors must follow all TN Boating Regulations.

Fishing
Year-round fishing, on the lovely 68-acre Standing Stone Lake, is a popular activity among park guests. Visitors enjoy catching a variety of fish such as largemouth bass, blue gill, crappie, lake trout, and catfish. Valid TN Fishing license is required.

Hiking
Standing Stone State Park offers over 8 miles of day-use hiking trails, providing access to some of the park’s loveliest areas. Trails range from easy to strenuous around beautiful Standing Stone Lake. Hikers may inquire in the Park Office about maps for open trails.

Picnic Pavilions and Playgrounds
There are 9 open picnic sites with tables and charcoal grills provided. They are available on a first-come first serve basis. There are eight pavilions that accommodate 50 to 75 people each. These are sheltered, and have concrete floors and charcoal grills. Five pavilions require reservations and three are available on a first-come first serve basis. Most picnic areas are near restrooms and playgrounds.

Swimming
The pool opens Memorial Day and closes no later than Labor Day. The pool provides accessibility to persons with disability. Bathhouses and a snack bar are adjacent to the pool area. Notice: The pool is closed weekdays...

Nearby Attractions
- Dale Hollow Dam, Celina, TN, 10 miles
- Dale Hollow Lake, 5 miles

Nearby State Parks
- Cordell Hull 26 miles
- Burgess Falls 40 miles
- Sgt. Alvin C. York 42 miles

Annual Events
- Easter Egg Hunt, March 4 April
- Naturalist Rally, April
- Camper’s Night Light Contest, August-September
- National Rolls Royce Marbles Championship
- Festival, September
- Car Show, October
- Standing Stone 3-mile run, November