

Reservations

Reservations must be made at the RECREATION DEPT. Office, Room 300 City Hall. RESERVATIONS CAN NOT BE MADE AT CAMP.

Application for reservation will be accepted beginning Tuesday, June 14th. Season opens June 18th.

Reservations will be made for one or two week periods only.

Application for reservation at Camp Sacramento will be accepted from the following persons:

- (a) Persons who have continuously resided in Sacramento for at least six months.
- (b) Persons living outside of the City, but who are paying city taxes.
- (c) Persons living in the suburbs immediately adjoining the City, provided they reserve for a period between June 18th and July 17th or after August 20th.
- (d) Out-of-town relatives of any family of Sacramentans, provided they all occupy the same living quarters.



Typical One-Room Cabins.

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WILL PERSONS WHO ARE NOT LIKELY TO GO TO CAMP KINDLY PASS THIS FOLDER TO ANOTHER?

CAMP SACRAMENTO

CAMP RATES

Including Meals and Living Quarters

Adults—	
One week.....	\$8.75 Two weeks.....\$17.50
Children Five Years and Under Twelve—	
One week.....	\$5.60 Two weeks.....\$11.20
Children under Five Years—	
One week.....	\$2.80 Two weeks.....\$5.60

All non-residents who are not paying city taxes will be charged an additional fee of \$2.50 for each adult and \$1.00 for each child, whether reservation is made for one or two weeks.

Camp reservations must be made at the Recreation Dept. Office, 300 City Hall, and paid for in full before applicant leaves for Camp.

TRANSPORTATION RATES

Adults—	
One way.....	\$5.00 Round trip.....\$7.50
Children Five Years and Under Twelve—	
One way.....	\$2.50 Round trip.....\$3.75
Children under Five Years—	

No fare if they do not occupy a seat on the stage.

Credential Tickets for reduced transportation rates to Camp will be given campers when Camp reservations are made.

Transportation Tickets may be purchased at the Stage Depot, 5th and Eye Sts., on date of leaving for Camp. Stage leaves at 10:15 A. M.

Special Rate Excursions from Camp Sacramento to Lake Tahoe may be arranged with the Stage Company through the Camp Manager.

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Camp Sacramento

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In the Mountain-Lake
Country on the
'49 Road

Reservations may be made beginning June 14th

A VACATION IN THE MOUNTAINS

THE AIM of this folder is to acquaint people of the City of Sacramento with the opportunity offered by the City Government for an inexpensive vacation in the mountains. The Camp is operated on a self-paying, but non-profit making plan; therefore, the rates are kept at a minimum.

CAMP LOCATION

The Camp is located ninety-five miles from Sacramento in the mountain-lake country of the Sierra Nevadas, approximately five miles from the summit, and fourteen miles from Lake Tahoe.

THE GROUNDS

The Camp ground, consisting of approximately forty acres, is divided by the South Fork of the American River. All the camp buildings are on the upper mesa, overlooking the road, the river, and face the vast expanse of mountain landscape.

The lower area, or meadow, which is used by the campers for games, is green throughout the vacation period and offers a fine place for out-of-door sports.

THE TRIP

The Camp is easily accessible by private automobile over the roads which have recently been highly improved, or by the auto stages which ply between Sacramento and the Lake Tahoe resorts.

The Camp is reached by way of Placerville over the '49 road which still has much of the romance of the mining days connected with it. Leaving Placerville, the road leads through mountain country which is unsurpassed for beauty. Upon leaving Riverton one travels nearly twenty miles within seeing or hearing distance of the mountain stream.

STAGES

Stages leave the Union Stage Depot, 5th and I Streets, at 10:15 A. M. and arrive at Camp about 4:30 P. M. Stages leave Camp Sacramento at 9:00 A. M. and arrive in Sacramento about 3:00 P. M. Stages stop for about one hour at Placerville to allow time for lunch on going and return trips.

THE CABINS

The cabins have been built to accommodate various sized groups. Some are located overlooking the river, others "tucked away" among the trees, and others skirting the base of the hill. The buildings are all stained to harmoniously fit into the landscape, and, when lighted at night, give the appearance of a mountain fairyland. One of the joys of Camp Sacramento is its picturesque setting.

MEALS

Meals are served by the cafeteria plan at regular hours in the Camp dining hall. The best butter, meat, eggs, and other foods, are purchased; the meals are well cooked and neatly served. Fresh milk from tested cows is supplied first, to the children, but a limited supply is available for adults.

LUNCHESES

Campers who desire to go on all day hikes and picnics may secure lunches to take with them provided arrangement is made by registering with the Camp Manager the evening before the excursion is made.

WATER

Good mountain water, which is plentiful at Camp Sacramento, is conducted from an intake on Sayles Creek at a point beyond contamination.

STORE AND LIBRARY

A store with stationery, stamps, candies, tobaccos, notions, and other supplies incident to the need of campers will be open every day, and through the co-operation of the City Librarian a good supply of books will be furnished to the Camp for the use of campers.

CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND

The children's playground, which is equipped with swings, teeters, slide, sand box, parallel ladder and giant stride, is located in the shade at the east end of the Main Hall.

LAVATORY AND BATHING FACILITIES

The Camp is provided with a modern lavatory building which includes lavatories, shower baths, and tub bath for children. The electrical element for heating water, together with the hot water storage tanks, offers warm water for lavatory purposes, and a reasonable amount for bathing.

LAUNDRY

For the convenience of campers, a laundry has been installed where one may do light washing. Flat irons will be furnished.

GOOD PLACE TO REST

For those who desire a quiet, restful vacation, Camp Sacramento offers the opportunity, for the cabins are so located as to assure privacy; or the camper may quietly wander along the stream or back into the hills for a quiet, restful time.

ACTIVITIES

For those who seek activity, there is swimming, hiking, fishing, baseball, horseshoes, croquet, the big camp fire, or evening programs in the main hall, all of which afford a variety of entertainment.

CAMP SURROUNDINGS

The Camp is located within an area which is rich in scenery, and affords opportunity for many short walks. For those who enjoy hikes, the back country with its well defined trails to the various mountain peaks satisfies the spirit of adventure and mountain climbing. The streams near Camp, and the lakes which are within reasonable hiking distance, give plenty of opportunity for good fishing.

SERVICE

In order that the rates may be kept at a minimum price, a plan of mutual help in Camp upkeep and operation has been established. Under the plan, campers are expected to care for their own cabins and grounds, and to give a small amount of service as outlined by the Camp Manager when necessary. No unpleasant or unreasonable service is asked, and all persons who catch the "Spirit of the Camp" are willing to assist.

General Information

- (a) Applicants must be in good health or applications will not be considered.
- (b) The Camp is not open for transient service. However, a person taking guests to Camp may remain overnight if reservation is first made at the Recreation Department office. Other persons going with campers will be considered transients. *Positively no reservations will be made at Camp.*
- (c) If for any reason campers leave within a week no refund will be made.
- (d) Refunds will not be allowed for any unused portion of meal tickets, nor will any other person than the rightful owner be allowed to secure meals with ticket.
- (e) No rebate will be allowed by the Transportation Company for unused tickets or parts thereof.
- (f) Persons arriving at Camp after meal hours shown on Camp tickets will not be served.
- (g) *Campers are required to furnish their soap and towels.*
- (h) Beds with good mattresses are furnished, *but campers must take their linens, blankets and pillows.*
- (i) There will be a telephone at Camp.
- (j) Cats, dogs or other domestic animals will not be allowed in Camp.
- (k) The Camp Manager has authority to request persons to leave Camp for improper behavior or breach of Camp rules. Those who are requested to leave will secure no refund.

Camp Sacramento and



This is the place to tell old jokes, ghost stories, sing, do stunts and fuse friendships.



The bulls eye is the target for many hours of sport. Children and adults alike spend hours at the archery range.



The courts of the iron shoes are kept busy from morning until night by the campers.



Swimming is safe at Camp Sacramento. The river is not too shallow and not too deep.



The above picture shows the place which is the center of Camp Sacramento, the place of welcome to guests and friends, the shady playground, this point also one of the finest views of the



This view of the two-room cabin is typical of many others which are located among the giant pines.

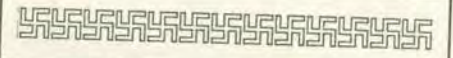


The cabins along the river are so located as to give one an unobstructed view of the stream.



The sand box, swings and other equipment on the Children's Playground afford many happy hours for the little tots.

and Surrounding Country



The great panorama of snow-capped peaks, rugged mountain walls, thousands of giant pines, the green valley floor, and Lake Tahoe with its blue and emerald shades, greets one from the summit.



Echo Lake, cupped in the "hills," is a mirror for the sky, and is often spoken of as a "mountain gem." Here one may indulge in happy moods, hike along the rugged shores, visit the weird cabin and grounds of the hermit, or sit and talk with friends.



Lovers Leap looks high, and it is high, but it is a comparatively easy hike from camp.



It takes a real hiker to make the trip to Horse-tail Falls, but one is well repaid for the effort.

of Camp life. The dining hall and assembly room, the Post Office and shady playground for the children, and the center of the camp fire. From views of the surrounding country can be obtained.



children's tots. Throughout the day campers frequent the front porch of the main building to read, write letters, and talk with friends.