

Alturas Trail Head Campground- Sawtooth NF, Idaho



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Description: 7032-foot elevation. 28 campsites, including 5 double sites, on beautiful Alturas Lake. Spend sunny summer days fishing for trout, waterskiing, sailing, motorboating, swimming, and picnicking by the lake. A large sandy beach on the north shore features a picnic area. Canoeing and fishing on nearby Perkins Lake. Trails for hiking/horse riding at the end of Forest Road 205 lead into the Sawtooth Wilderness. An ATV trailhead is within 0.25, but there is no ATV use in the campground. An amphitheater is available for group events or for interpretive programs. The campground is shaded by a mixed conifer overstory.

The picnic area has an amphitheater and two group sites, one which can accommodate up to 50 people, and the other which can accommodate up to 75. The picnic area is accessible. Other picnic areas are at the north end of the lake, at Alturas Lake Picnic Area and Sandy Beach Picnic and Day Use Area.

Location: From Stanley, go south 21 miles on ID 75, then west about 4 miles on Forest Road 205.

Address: Sawtooth National Recreation Area
Stanley Ranger Station
HC 64, Box 9900
Stanley, ID 83278