



2022 Camping Lottery Rules and Regulations

The annual camping lottery is a fun event for SLA members to kick off the New Year and get a chance to reserve their coveted camping spot. Due to the increased popularity of our annual Camping Lottery we must update and highlight some existing rules.

It is your responsibility to read all necessary information prior to submitting your camping lottery form. Information can be found on the camping tab of our website. Further information can also be obtained using the FAQ link within the camping tab, www.squamlakes.org/camp.

Participation in the lottery does NOT guarantee you'll receive your desired campsite or date selection. See 'The Drawing Process #9' below.

Bowman Cabin & Wister 4

Bowman Cabin and Wister 4 are not available for 2022.

Only one lottery form per household

You will only be awarded one site. (see "The Drawing Process" below)
Multiple forms received from the same address (household) will be eliminated.

Important Dates 2022:

Lottery opens: January 3 (@ 9:30 AM).
Lottery closes: January 25 (@11:59 PM)
Processing & email notification dates: February 7 – February 10.
Last Notifications sent out: February 10.
Non-awarded reservations: February 14 – February 18.
General reservations open: February 22.

2022 Camping Lottery forms cannot be submitted until January, 3 2022 @ 9:30am.

Emails

All notifications are sent via email, please check that the email you provide us is accurate. Also, make sure our emails (camping@squamlakes.org and info@squamlakes.org) are not in your spam folder or blocked.

Membership

You must be an active member to participate.

Membership must be valid as of **March 1st 2022**.

You are given the option to join or renew with this form.

If expired or a nonmember we will contact you via phone and email.

If we cannot get in touch before the drawing your form will be eliminated.

Selecting sites/dates

Put sites/dates you actually intend to use, do not put fillers then cancel.

Cancellations are subject to the \$25 admin fee no exceptions – see cancellation policy on our website's camping page.

You can select only one campsite for each choice and must specify which exact site, same with dates. Input only specific dates.

“First Night” – The day you plan to arrive.

“Last Night” – The final night you plan on staying at the site, checking out the following morning.

“# of Night” – The total number of nights for your stay.

You will only be awarded one site on your Camping Lottery form.

If you are awarded your first choice we stop there. Even if your 2nd or 3rd choices are available we do not award them to you. No exceptions.

The drawing process

We do not prioritize people based on their contribution amounts or duration of membership.

The process.

1. All received forms are placed in alphabetical order, by last name, and numbered 001 – x.
2. Corresponding “tickets” are then numbered and placed into a hat.
3. Numbers are drawn at random and matched to their corresponding lotto form.
4. Only 200 “tickets” will be pulled.
5. We look at your first choice and check it against our reservation calendar, if that site and date combination is available you are awarded it.
6. If your first choice is unavailable (dates overlap with another participant that was drawn earlier) we then move to your second choice and so on down the choices.

-It's entirely possible that all 3 of your choices may be unavailable.

7. Winners will be charged for their awarded spot.

8. After the drawing, **all** participants will be notified via email.

9. **Participants who were not awarded a site** will also receive an email letting them know. These individuals, who were not awarded a site, have between **February 14th – February 18th** to go to our website and reserve a spot before general reservations open to the public.

- Do not make online reservations prior to February 14th.
- An early access code will be emailed, this code must be entered into the online notes/comments section to be valid.

Payment

Please provide payment information on your lottery form.

If you're uncomfortable mailing, emailing, or faxing your card number give us a call (603-968-7336) once your lottery form is submitted so we may write it in.

If you are awarded a spot and we don't have a card number or the card is declined we call and email you. You then have **three (3) days** to get back to us before we eliminate your reservation.

NO AMERICAN EXPRESS. We are unable to process American Express cards.

IMPORTANT: Non-awarded participants will still be charged for membership if you chose to renew or join on the submitted form. You must be an active member to participate in the camping lottery whether you are awarded a spot or not.

Notification & Camping Confirmation Sheet

Winners (individuals who are awarded a site) will receive an email with a camping confirmation sheet attached by February 10th.

Contact us if you haven't received an email by February 11th.

Check spam folder.

Please review this sheet closely and contact us if there are any issues.

You do not need to sign and return the confirmation sheet.