

Manistee Ranger Station 412 Red Apple Road



The Marzinski Horse Trail and Campground were developed for the horse enthusiasts, who enjoy riding through a forested quiet trail system. The trail is accessed by both the Marzinski Trailhead and Campground and the Steinberg Trailhead. Neither trailhead is maintained for horse use in the winter months. Steinberg Trailhead doubles as a snowmobile trailhead. The Forest Service and volunteers maintain the trail system, which is marked by cedar-routed signs and posts.

LOCATION

Marzinski Trailhead and Campground is located between the communities of Wellston and Manistee.

NATIONAL FOREST ACCESS CAMPGROUND

From the east, travel west on M-55 from Wellston 11 miles to Marzinski Road. Turn left on Marzinski Road and travel .25 miles to the entrance.

From the west, at the junction of US31 and M-55, drive east about 7 miles to Marzinski Road. Turn right onto Marzinski Road and travel .25 miles to the entrance.

FACILITIES AVAILABLE

- 21 Primitive campsites (some with hitching posts)
 - 1 Vault toilet building
- 1 Hand Pump
- 21 Fire rings
- 21 Tables

Hitching Posts

20 Miles of maintained trails

SEASON

The managed season is from May 1through Labor Day. However, camping is allowed yearround, unless closed by snowfall. The trail is open year-round. Please check with the Manistee Ranger Station regarding dates outside the managed season (231-723-2211 or TTY 231-723-0124).



FEES

There are no fees associated with this trail system or campground. No reservations may be made for the campsites.

CONSIDERATIONS

Trails are open to non-motorized use only. They are designed for horse riders but may be used by hikers as well

Horse riders are asked not to access the Little Manistee River and be careful when crossing adjacent roads.

Camping is limited to 14 continuous days and you must occupy the site every day.

Care should be taken to keep the area clean and in the condition it was found, so visitors are asked to please pack out what they pack in.

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