

MeadowFest

June 20-23, 2012

(Thursday 2 pm - Sunday 1 pm)
Jacks Gulch Group Campground
(~1 hour Northwest of Fort Collins)



Open Pagan Community Campout at beautiful new site in the National Forest. Drum, drum, drum, Sing, sing, sing, Dance, dance, dance, Repeat...
Pagan rituals facilitated by Sára Rain.

Things to do:

- ❖ Bask in the sun on a mountaintop
- ❖ Sing, Chant, Drum, Dance around the campfire
- ❖ Participate in Daily Rituals (optional)
- ❖ Ride a mountain bike and explore
- ❖ Take a hike in the forest
- ❖ Do some stargazing (moon 92%~99% full)
- ❖ Enjoy community potluck meals each evening

Space is limited! Please register early.

Camping (1 – 3 nights) – Only \$35 per Adult (16+years) Children free.
(No discount or refunds for partial stays, we have to pay for all three nights.)

OR

Day Pass - \$10 per adult / day, Children free

Campsite and event registration: Online at www.trigoddess.org Download. Fill out. Mail in.

Electric hookups. Water available. Please bring cook stoves. Community potlucks each evening.
A limited number of pre-registered, friendly, well-behaved, leashed dogs permitted.

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For event info contact: rain@trigoddess.org or Sára: (970)227-5275



MEADOWFEST REGISTRATION

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Fill out ALL sections, enclose check to "Sára Rain" and mail to:
MEADOWFEST, 2727 Alan Street, Fort Collins, CO 80524.

FEES WILL BE REFUNDED ONLY IF EVENT IS CANCELLED

Legal Adult/Guardian (18 yrs+) Name _____ \$ 35

Additional Adults(16 yrs+) _____ (X \$35 each) \$ _____

List Children (under 16 years) : _____ FREE

_____ FREE

Dogs (maximum 2 per campsite, 8 per festival) _____ FREE

Dogs must be pre-approved and pre-registered and leashed (Aggressive or yappy dogs will be sent home).

Total Enclosed..... \$ _____

Vehicle License: _____ Electric? Yes ___ Tent(space 7'x12')? Yes ___

Address: _____

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Telephone(s): _____

Email confirmation, or to be notified of future events (no other use): _____

Each adult must perform 2 workshifts. Adults with children will be expected to work one child activities shift as one of their two workshifts and provide materials for that activity. Select your workshifts upon arrival.

RELEASE & INDEMNITY

The undersigned (and his/her group) hereby specifically releases, indemnifies, and holds harmless, officers, agents, or volunteers from any liability, claims, actions, demands, and judgments resulting from loss of life or damage or injury to person or property while participating. My signature below indicates I have read and understand the Registration Information and I agree that my group and I will comply with the guidelines and requirements set forth. (Must be signed by each adult 18 years+)

Legal Signature: _____ Date: _____

WELCOME to MeadowFest

PLEASE REGISTER EARLY:

- ❖ Parking limited to 23 overnight vehicles, 1 per registration (Additional vehicles may park in National Forest nearby).
- ❖ Day pass vehicles may double park to the back of the gravel parking area (Lupine and Daisy lot).
- ❖ Camping limited to 22 (7'x12') tent sites and 9 Van (or small RV) spaces. (Camp in your tent or in your vehicle.)
- ❖ Fill Out "Registration Form", sign "Release & Indemnity", and mail form with check to address on form.
- ❖ Questions? Email rain@trigoddess.org or Call Sára: (970)227-5275

CHECK-IN:

- ❖ Check-in at the Community Pavilion, and choose your workshifts.
- ❖ If you haven't registered in advance, check at the Community Pavilion on arrival to see if there is space.
- ❖ If not preregistered, there may be space in (non-group) campsites (pay the MF daily fee + regular campsite fee).
- ❖ Space is limited in the group campground, so advance registration is encouraged.

CHECK-OUT:

- ❖ Check-out by 1 PM Sunday (Clean-up workshift starts at noon Sunday).
- ❖ Please fill out evaluation form and tell us what you think so we may continue to improve MeadowFest.

WORKSHIFT PARTICIPATION:

- ❖ Please contribute to make this festival a success by performing two 30-60 minute workshifts.
- ❖ Sign up for workshifts at the Community Center on arrival.

CAMPING:

- ❖ Choice of (1) Camper / Van / small RV space **OR** (1) parking space plus 1/2 large Tent Pad (about 7x12 feet per unit)
- ❖ Tent pads approximately 50 feet from parking area.
- ❖ Electric Hookups available for small RVs (28 foot maximum). No sewer hookup. Minimal generator use, please.
- ❖ Other Jack's Gulch campsites within 0.25 mile can handle up to 50 foot RVs (separate fee).
- ❖ Please treat the earth with great respect. This is our only home.

RITUALS / ACTIVITIES (All Rituals and Activities Are Optional):

- ❖ Thursday Evening Opening Ritual, Daily Rituals, Community Created Saturday Evening Ritual, Closing Ritual Sunday. Earth Prayer each morning.
- ❖ Nightly Community Campfires – Chanting and Drumming
- ❖ Community Pot Luck Meals – optional, or dine by yourself or with someone special on a nearby mountain (sans fire).
- ❖ There will be a few workshops each day. Perhaps drumming, knot tying, nature hikes ... There will be a chant time Friday and Saturday during the day. If you would like to offer a workshop, please contact Sára: (970)227-5275.

HIKING:

- ❖ You may hike the National Forest (300,000 acres available). Jack's Gulch Nature Trail is nearby.
- ❖ Lions, Bears, Gray Foxes, and Coyotes have been seen. Wear small bells when hiking alone so as not to surprise them.

CHILDREN:

- ❖ Children are welcome at all events. Whether your children attend events or not; keep track of your children.
- ❖ You are responsible for your children AT ALL TIMES. Do not permit children to wander unattended.
- ❖ Please volunteer to coordinate some simple pastimes for children (contact Sára: (970)227-5275)

DOGS:

- ❖ Up to 8 pre-registered well-behaved dogs are allowed. PLEASE do not show up with un-registered dogs.
- ❖ Your dog must be with you and on a leash or happily contained at all times. Dogs unable to behave will be sent home.
- ❖ Lions, bears, coyotes, and eagles prefer domestic pets – not as lean and sinewy as wild prey.

COOKING / MEALS:

- ❖ Large covered Community Pavilion available (with tables for cooking and serving).
- ❖ Separate vegetarian and non-vegetarian serving areas will be provided.
- ❖ 8:30 – 10 am Coffee, hot water and pancakes will be provided (please bring other toppings as you wish: fresh fruit, yogurt, etc).
- ❖ Potluck Dinners: Thursday, Friday, Saturday (Saturday is Mexican Theme).
- ❖ Dishwashing station provided daily Morning and Evening (scrape, wash, rinse, sanitize)
- ❖ Please scrape plates before washing. Bring table service, napkins, chairs, tea, juice, or other drinks.
- ❖ Please bring a potluck dish of 6 or more servings for each dinner in which you participate. Please wash and remove your personal and serving dishes after each meal so the cleanup workshift may clean the kitchen area.
- ❖ Please keep your food and coolers in your vehicle at night as we may have bears and other wildlife.

Jack's Gulch Group Campground Specifics:

- ❖ Well water available. You may want to bring your own drinking water. Do not clean dishes at water hydrants.
- ❖ Clean vault toilets (two, with disabled access).
- ❖ Up to 100 people day use/60 per night, no horses. Pets must be on a leash. All equipment must fit on the site pads. Vehicles park in developed areas only. Large covered Pavilion. 18 Large Picnic Tables (8 under the Pavilion.)
- ❖ Elevation 8,100 feet, situated in a large mixed ponderosa pine and aspen stand.

TRASH AND RECYCLING:

- ❖ Please use the recycling bins located at the Community Pavilion.
- ❖ Do not litter! If you see others litter, please remind them, or pick it up. Offenders will be gutted and fed to the bears.

FIRES:

- ❖ NO PERSONAL OPEN FIRES!! NO TIKI TORCHES OR OPEN FLAME!! There will likely be a fire ban.
- ❖ If there is no fire ban, please bring firewood for our Community camp fire (please refrain from bringing an entire tree).
- ❖ Please use fire safety! The land is often very dry. Remember this even when cooking on camp stoves.
- ❖ Camp Fires are tended by a designated Fire Tender. If you are not a designated Fire Tender, DO NOT touch the fire.
- ❖ Keep clothing, children, and pets away from open flames at all times.
- ❖ Responsible smoking in your own vehicle is permitted. Please be respectful and do not smoke around others.

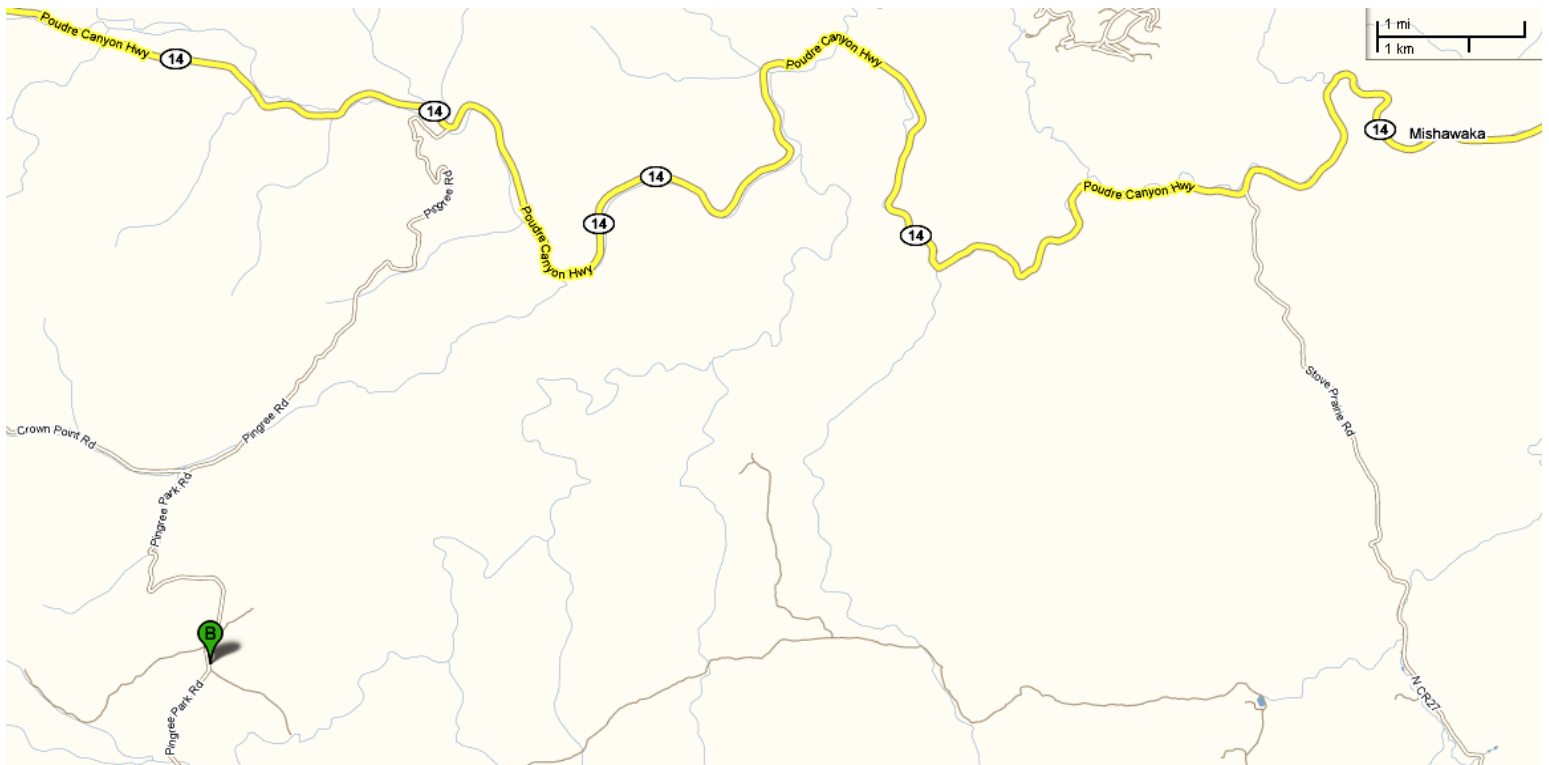
THINGS TO BRING:

- ❖ Complete camping set up---tents, pads, and sleeping bags, hiking gear---whatever you need to be comfy.
- ❖ Cool, warm and dry gear---we are in the mountains, expect any weather any time!
- ❖ There are a number of full size picnic tables available (at least 16).
- ❖ Chairs and camp stoves to share in the Community Center. Dishes, utensils and cups for your family.
- ❖ Sunscreen and bug repellent. Biodegradable earth-friendly soaps and other products.
- ❖ Drums, games, Frisbees, kites, dog and kid toys.

THANK YOU AND HAVE A GREAT MEADOWFEST!

Directions:

From Fort Collins, go North on Highway 287 to Ted's Place (Conoco Station).
Go West on Highway 14 for 26.2 miles to Pingree Road (12.6 miles past Mishawaka).
Go South 6.3 miles on Pingree Road/Pingree Park Road to Jacks Gulch Campground.
The Group Camping Area is the first right after the kiosk (Lupine and Daisy).
You are there.



Sunrise: 5:30 a.m.

Moonrise: 5:39 p.m. (June 20)

Moonrise: 6:47 p.m. (June 21)

Moonrise: 7:52 p.m. (June 22)

Sun apex: 1:02 p.m.

Moonset: 2:58 a.m. (June 21)

Moonset: 3:47 a.m. (June 22)

Moonset: 4:45 a.m. (June 24)

Sunset: 8:35 p.m.

92.3% full

97.6% full

99.8% full