

CRATER LAKE NATIONAL PARK  
CRATER LAKE, OREGON 97604

FISHING

- SEASON Approximately May 20 through October 31 although this is variable because of snowstorms. Cleetwood Trail to the lake is generally open from about June 15 to September 30. Park streams are small and insignificant.
- LICENSE No State of Oregon, or other license required within the National Park.
- LIMIT Daily and possession limit is 10 fish, and not more than 5 shall be over 12 inches in length. Fish under 6 inches must be released immediately upon catching.
- BOATING No private boats are permitted on the lake.
- CLEETWOOD TRAIL Located on north side of lake. Ample parking space. The trail is 1.1 miles and drops 650 feet. Rest areas along the trail.
- STREAMS Annie Creek and Sand Creek are the two largest, but are both relatively small. They parallel the major park road for some distance. Difficult to reach due to steep-walled canyons.
- SPECIES The lake contains kokanee or land-locked salmon, and rainbow trout. The streams contain eastern brook and rainbow trout.
- REGULATIONS By hook and line only with rod or line held in hand. Use of live or dead bait fish or non-preserved fish eggs as bait is prohibited. Depositing or use of other food to attract or feed fish is prohibited except when used as bait on hooks. Digging for bait is not allowed.