

US Forest Service

San Bernardino National Forest

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Winter Operating Schedule for San Bernardino National Forest Offices

San Bernardino, Calif., November 30, 2010 – The San Bernardino National Forest has moved into the new winter operating schedule for ranger stations, visitor centers and offices.

San Bernardino National Forest Headquarters

602 S. Tippecanoe Avenue, San Bernardino, 909-382-2600

The office is open Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Arrowhead Ranger Station

28104 State Highway 18, Skyforest, 909-382-2758

The Ranger Station is open Sunday, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., and Friday and Saturday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Closed on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Children's Forest Visitor Center

State Highway 18, east of Running Springs in Arrowbear.

The visitor center closed for the winter season.

Barton Flats Visitor Center

State Highway 38 east of Angelus Oaks

The visitor center closed for the winter season.

Big Bear Discovery Center

41397 North Shore Drive, Highway 38, Fawnskin, 909-382-2790

The Discovery Center is open Friday through Tuesday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The Discovery Center is closed on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Idyllwild Ranger Station

54270 Pine Crest, Idyllwild, 909-382-2922

Hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (closed noon to 12:30 p.m.), Saturday and Sunday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The Ranger Station is closed on Thursdays.

Lytle Creek Ranger Station

1209 Lytle Creek Road, Lytle Creek, 909-382-2851

Hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., may be closed for lunch from 12:00-1:00 p.m.

Ranger Station closed on Wednesday s and Thursdays

Mill Creek Ranger Station

34701 Mill Creek Road, Mentone, 909-382-2882

Open Thursday through Monday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., may be closed for lunch from 12:00-1:00 pm.

Ranger Station closed on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Santa Rosa & San Jacinto Mountains National Monument Visitor Center

51500 Highway 74, Palm Desert, 760-862-9984

Open seven days a week 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Forest visitor should call ahead on holiday weekdays to confirm office hours and days of operation.

Forest offices may close during inclement weather.

For additional information on-line about the San Bernardino National Forest, please visit us at:

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/sbnf>

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