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MENDOCINO UNIT

Jackson Demonstration State Forest

Campground and Trail Closures

Mendocino County, CA– California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE) Mendocino Unit is preparing for the Fall/Winter season at Jackson Demonstration State Forest (JDSF) by announcing scheduled closures of seasonal campgrounds and trails.

Campground Closure: The JDSF Camp One campground has been and will continue to be closed through the Fall/Winter season. The seasonal closure of JDSF Camp Dunlap and Horse campgrounds are scheduled for Monday, November 16, 2020. Big River campground will remain open until which time it is deemed necessary to close.

Trail Closure: Beginning from October 15, 2020, the “Trestle Trail” between Camp 8 and JDSF Road 1070 and JDSF Road 730 will be closed to mushroom gathering and other recreational activities. These routes are closed (October-May) as a precautionary measure in an attempt to slow the spread of *Phytophthora ramorum*, the invasive pathogen that causes Sudden Oak Death.

Each year, seasonal openings/closures occur, please refer to our website or contact our office by phone for current information. All CAL FIRE Mendocino Unit offices are closed to public access, until further notice, to prevent the public and our personnel from unnecessary exposure to COVID-19.

- JDSF Office: (707) 964-5674, Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. (unstaffed from 12 noon to 1:00 p.m.)
- Website: <https://www.fire.ca.gov/programs/resource-management/resource-protection-improvement/demonstration-state-forests/jackson/>.
- Providing multiple uses that benefit the public, the economy, and natural resources are what our demonstration forests are all about.

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