



Camp Kintail 2017 Star Party

- 3rd annual Stargazers 101/Kintail Star Party
- Will take place weekend of ...
- Mark you calendar NOW
- More info to follow



Postponed to September

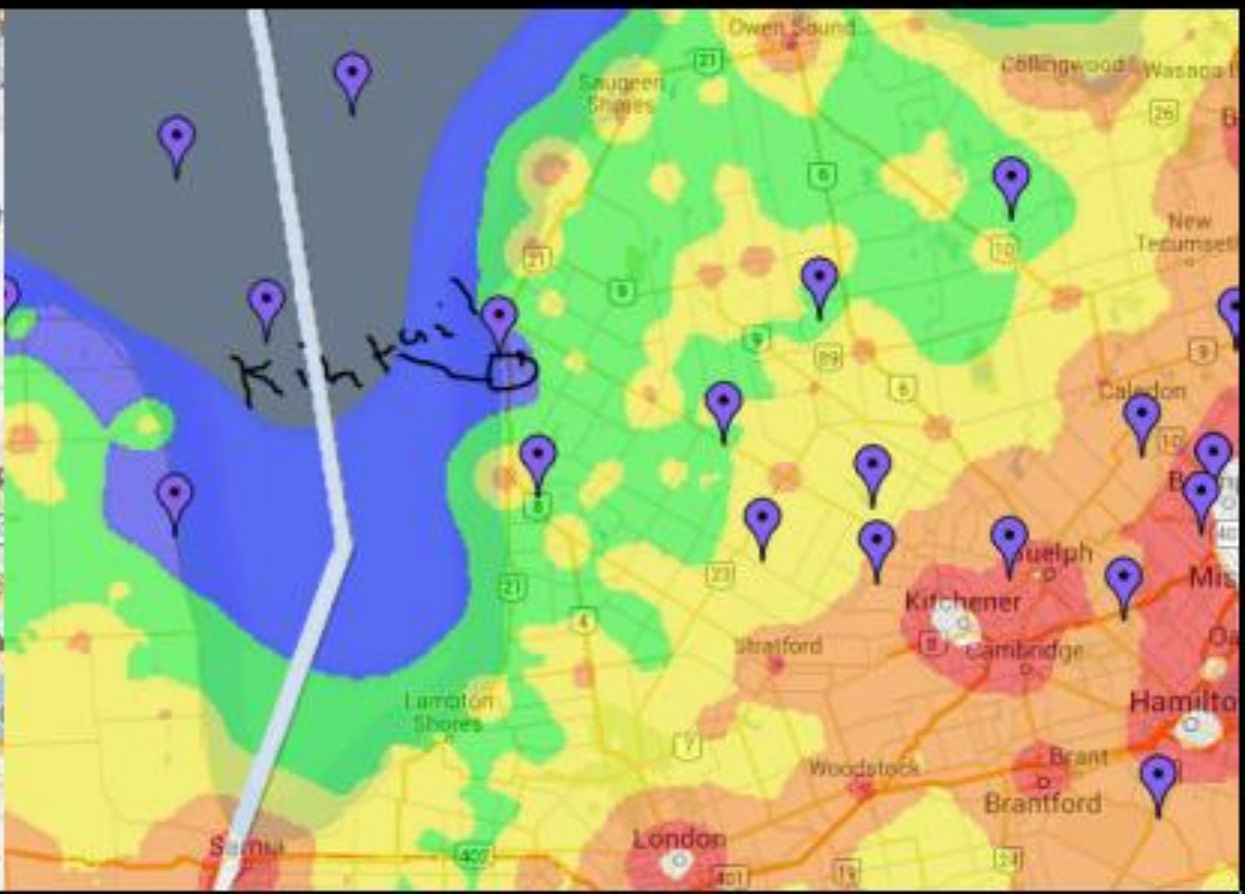
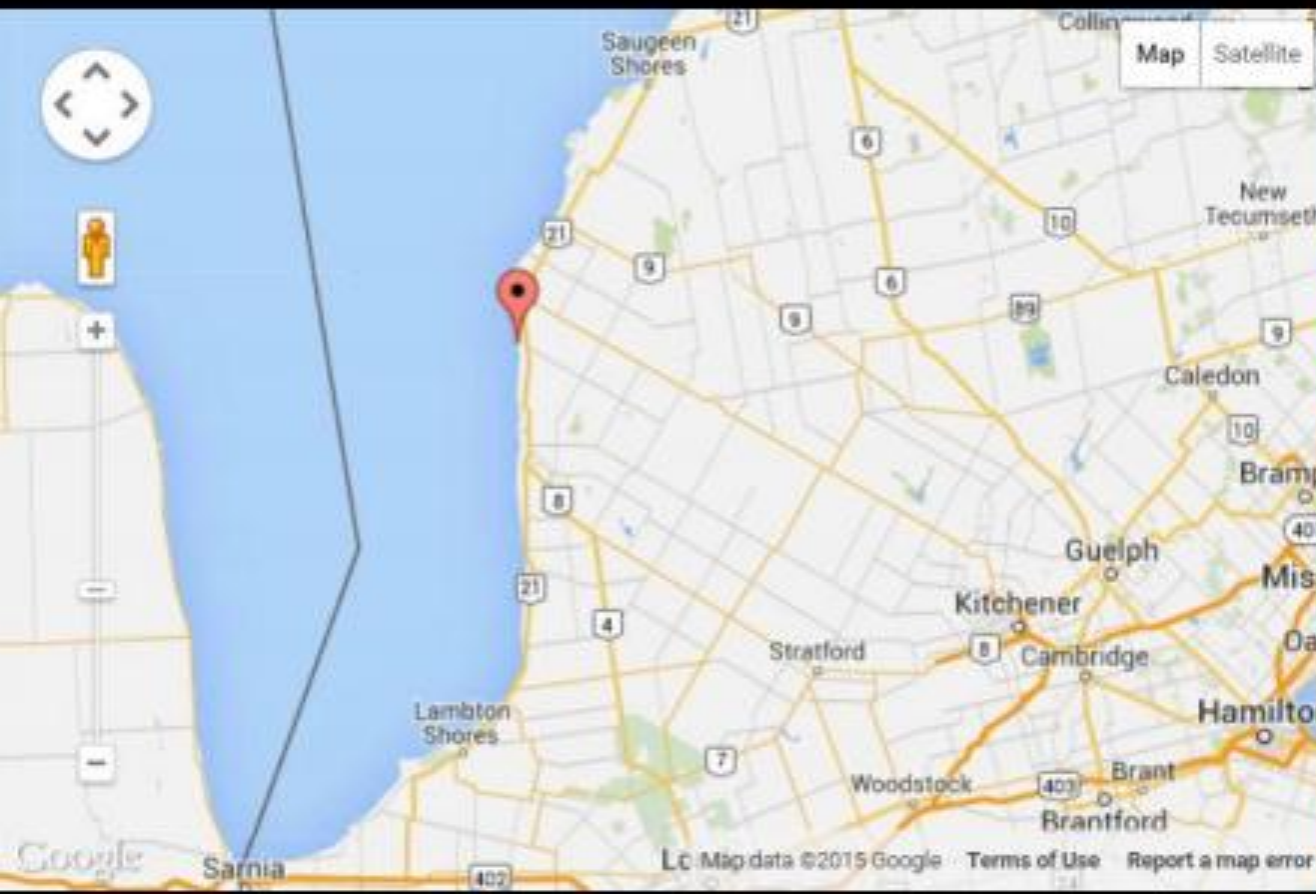
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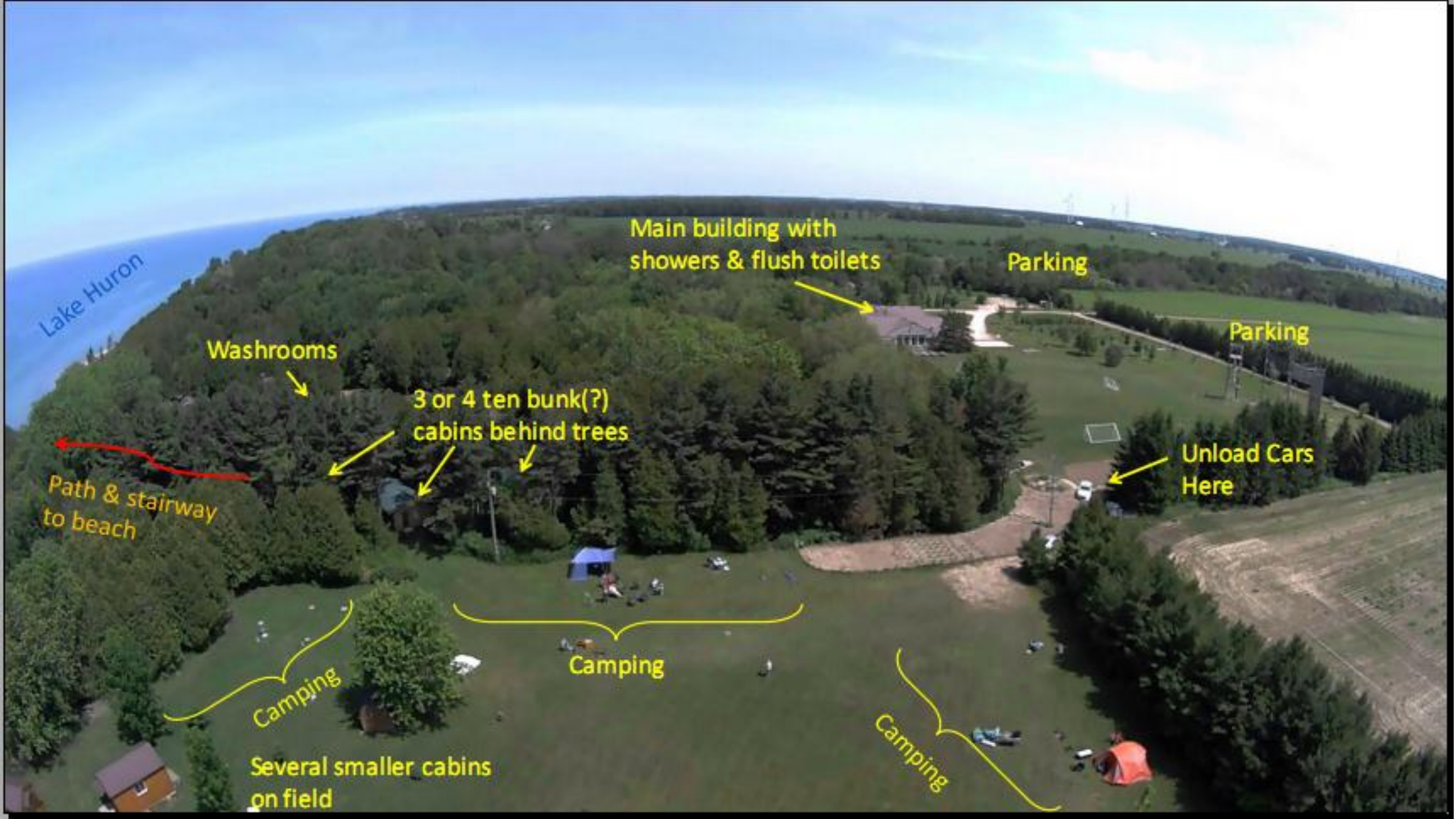
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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101 Stargazers Kintail Star Party

(no rain date this year!)

- Camp Kintail on Lake Huron
- Midway between Goderich & Kincardine
- Camping weekend at a very dark sky site
- Maps below shows location
- Details? See <http://www.campkintail.ca/>





Lake Huron

Main building with showers & flush toilets

Parking

Parking

Washrooms

3 or 4 ten bunk(?) cabins behind trees

Unload Cars Here

Path & stairway to beach

Camping

Camping

Camping

Several smaller cabins on field

Camp Kintail

Site Map



2017 Star Party at Camp Kintail



Here's what you need to know:

- Will be held **In September** (Friday & Saturday nights)
- Working to approve Thursday night for early birds
- This is a **CAMPING** weekend - Sleep in a cabin (bunk beds) or bring a tent
- Trailers not permitted as we cannot drive on grass under ANY circumstances
- Unload your car ~100m from camp area then move car to parking lot ~200m away
- Two heavy-duty 'red wagons' will be available for moving heavy equipment
- Showers and flush toilets are available (very nice)!
- Cost is \$22 per person per night (\$11 for children <12)
- Campers are be asked to pay upon arrival
- It's okay to bring a spouse or friend • Pets okay if kept leashed and cleaned up after
- Sign up with Rhett Mackend (ramtechgraphics@gmail.com)

While there are plenty of cabins with plenty of bunks, they cannot be reserved nor can we guaranty that you won't have to share a cabin with others.

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Rules:

- *NO WHITE LIGHTS! Red lights only ... Please.*
- *Green Lasers are allowed if used responsibly*
- *No driving on the grass!!!*

What to bring:

- *Enough food & drink to last your stay (closest restaurant is in Goderich)*
- *WARM CLOTHING! Sweaters, coat, light glove, dry shoes/boots etc.*
Check forecast before leaving home, then prepare for 10° cooler
- *Comfortable chair and/or lounge for day use*
- *Sunscreen – open skies at night mean no shade during the day*
- *Mosquito repellent*
- *Your telescope and all your favourite astronomy toys*



Camp Kintail joyfully responds to God's call by providing Christian hospitality and programming by forming a community where people play, live, and grow in God's creation.

Camp Kintail General Information 2017

The facilities at Camp Kintail are available for rental throughout April, May, June, September, October & November. The site covers 24 acres of wooded land on the beautiful, sandy shore of Lake Huron, situated half way between Goderich and Kincardine. Come and enjoy our wonderful sandy beach with Lake Huron sunsets that are rated in the top 10 in the world, and relax in the tranquility of our natural setting and comfortable buildings.

Our facilities are kept clean, well repaired, and updated every year. We have approx. 35 buildings on our site, many activities for you to try, and a good size, fully stocked commercial kitchen that has a walk in cooler attached. You may cook for yourself or hire Camp Kintail to cater. Your group will be assigned a staff member who will be your contact person throughout your stay. Clean-up, composting, recycling, and garbage procedures will be made available to you upon arrival. Your help keeping our site clean allows us to keep our rental rates low.

Camp Kintail has overall sleeping capacity for more than 300 people, the main dining hall in MacDonald Lodge can seat up to 300. MacKay Hall can be used as a second dining hall and seat up to 75 people. There are picnic tables and firewood at all buildings.

Facilities

MacDonald Lodge is Camp Kintail's largest building, with our main dining area and offices. It includes a large commercial kitchen fully equipped to cook for 300 people, a dining hall that accommodates 250 people comfortably, a fireplace, a furnished meeting room for small groups with tables and couches and a refrigerator, and 4 washrooms (14 toilets and 16 showers). It contains a commercial boiler system, so your group will never run out of hot water. There are also 8 private bedrooms with heat and hydro located in the back of this building, each sleeping 3-4 people with different bed configurations. See the floor plan on the website under rental/facilities for bed configurations. Each of these 8 bedrooms have new furniture with full size mattresses, heat and new windows. These bedrooms used the shared bathrooms located on the opposite side of the hallway. There are laundry facilities in the back of MacDonald Lodge if needed, and a 6 foot commercial BBQ.

Harmony House is the original Lodge that has been fully restored. This charming building has both indoor and outdoor fireplaces, a large meeting/dining room that seats approximately 80 people, a smaller meeting room that seats approx. 25 people, washrooms and a full kitchen. It has a large wrap-around deck with 50 feet covered, you can hear and

view Lake Huron from this deck and BBQ on a large new Napoleon BBQ. This building is used as a stand-alone meeting and dining facility for groups of less than 70 people. There are 2 bathrooms, laundry facilities, and the kitchen is new.

Feathers is a beautiful retreat cottage that is equipped with a household kitchen, 2 bathrooms, three bedrooms, and a comfortable living room with a pull out couch. Feathers sleeps up to 8, has an oil furnace and central air conditioning, and is great for a small group retreat or a comfortable space for leaders or older members attending your retreat when using MacDonald Lodge or Harmony House. Willow & Juniper cabins are directly behind Feathers, and have been rented together sometimes. These cabins have capacity to sleep 28 in single bunk beds. The Tir-na-Nog fire pit is also behind Feathers and is often used by people staying in this cottage.

Rec Hall is a large building with indoor space and seats up to 150. It has a wooden floor, new windows, low stage at the front, and is suitable for games, worship, indoor sports, meetings, or active workshops. It has a full upstairs loft that can be used for small group discussions or activities.

Cabins are available for rental groups to use in the spring and fall. Cabins sleep ten to twelve in bunk beds. There are 16 cabins with electricity and heat that are insulated and are accessible, and 4 that do not have electricity, heat nor are accessible. All cabins have front and back doors with decks, a picnic table, good camp mattresses on bunk beds, fire extinguishers and smoke detectors. People staying in cabins use the shared washroom facilities at cabin hall wash house, MacDonald Lodge or Harmony House.

*Accessibility: All of the main buildings above are accessible. MacDonald Lodge and Feathers have accessible washrooms and all but the four of the cabins at Kum By Yah are accessible.

Yurts are available, 1 is on Cabin Hill and the other 3 are in the Glen. The yurts are insulated and each have 5 bunk beds, 4 windows and a nice skylight that opens with a vent. The yurts in the Glen have an outhouse and private firepit. The yurts can be rented by themselves, or with any other buildings.

Tents: There are many great spots where people can stay in tents.

[There are pictures & further descriptions of all buildings under facilities at campkintail.ca](#)