

**2009 OUTDOOR RECREATION AWARD:
UNIQUE CABINS AT HIGGINS LAKE KOA**

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**KOA Kampgrounds Among the Best Campground
Recreation Destinations**

More than three dozen KOA Kampgrounds receive 2009 Outdoor Recreation Awards

BILLINGS, MT. (May 25, 2009) - Thirty-eight Kampgrounds of America locations are included in the *2009 Outdoor Recreation Awards*, which identifies top North American campgrounds in many recreational categories, according to an announcement by ReserveAmerica, a leading recreation reservation service.

Winning *2009 Outdoor Recreation Awards* campgrounds are listed in categories such as top biking trails, beaches, parks, scenic views and much more. "The seventh-annual guide offers a great resource for campers and their families who are looking to plan and reserve a camping trip for this spring or summer," says Seth Rosenberg, general manager for ActiveOutdoors and ReserveAmerica.

More than 4,000 parks were reviewed and evaluated on criteria including educational programs, overall beauty and scenery, family beaches, visitor centers and camping amenities such as hot showers and laundry facilities. The featured locations were also selected based on testimonials, campground ratings and feedback provided by park rangers, regional park management and campers throughout the year, according to a ReserveAmerica.

The *2009 Outdoor Recreation Awards* KOA Kampgrounds, selected by ReserveAmerica are:

Amazing Spots

Oregon Dunes KOA, OR

Biking Trails

Silver City KOA, NM

Bird-Watching Spots

Montpelier Creek KOA, ID

Sweetwater/I-75/Exit 62 KOA, TN

Canoeing Spots

Hayward KOA, WI

Onawa/Blue Lake KOA, IA

Educational & Historical Facilities

Casey KOA, IL
Fredericksburg/Washington DC S KOA, VA
Williamsburg KOA, VA

Fishing Spots

Kentucky Lakes/Prizer Point KOA, KY
Manchester KOA, TN
Sugarloaf Key/Key West KOA, FL

Hiking Trails

Brighton/401 KOA, ONT CANADA
Gaylord KOA, MI
North Sydney/Cabot Trail KOA, NS CANADA

Horse Friendly Parks

Dubois/Wind River KOA, WY
Limon KOA, CO
Bristol/Kingsport KOA, TN

Kid-Friendly Parks

Shelby/Mansfield KOA, OH
Wisconsin Dells KOA, WI

Park Beaches

Emmett KOA, MI
Naples/Marco Island KOA, FL
Sugarloaf Key/Key West KOA, FL

Picnic Areas

St. Mary/East Glacier KOA, MT
Winthrop/N Cascades Nat'l Park KOA, WA

Romantic Spots

Niagara Falls North/Lewiston KOA, NY
San Antonio KOA, TX

Scenic Views

Devils Tower KOA, WY
Petoskey KOA, MI
Royal Gorge/Canon City KOA, CO

Tours & Events

Branson KOA, MO
Elkhart Co/Middlebury Exit KOA, IN
Newburgh/New York City N KOA, NY

Unique Cabins

Higgins Lake/Roscommon KOA, MI

Mountain Home KOA, ID

Water-Recreation Parks

Fort Collins/Lakeside KOA, CO

New Bern KOA, NC

Stockton Delta KOA, CA