

PRAIRIES AND LAKES

Cedar Hill STATE PARK

Rugged, cedar-covered hills and scenic lake views of Joe Pool Lake span the horizons at Cedar Hill State Park. Just minutes away from the Dallas-Fort Worth metroplex, this 1,900-acre natural preserve offers the visitor camping and picnicking along with cool water-based recreation such as swimming, fishing, waterskiing and sailing. For an educational glimpse into the past, the restored 1950s farmstead of John Wesley Penn (whose family settled here in the 1850s) affords fascinating insights into the pre-agribusiness era of farming.



Camping: Mostly wooded sites with water, electricity, and sewer, shade shelter or shade trees, picnic table and ground-level grill. Primitive sites, too.



Group Facilities: Group picnic pavilion with electricity and lights.

Fishing: Two lighted fishing jetties, a children's Perch Pond, and wooden fishing deck. Popular species include largemouth bass, crappie and catfish.

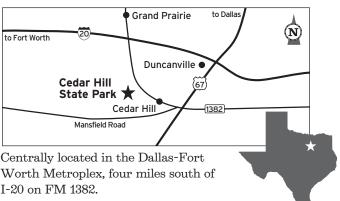
Swimming: Swimming beach (no lifeguards).

Boating: Two concrete boat ramps with 10 total lanes, and lighted boat-trailer parking.



Picnicking: Picnic tables and grills.

Trails: Over 15 miles of hiking and biking trails.



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