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**South Carolina State Parks**

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Edisto Beach State Park has suffered major effects from Hurricane Irma. Park Director Gaines and our state park team have assessed the damage and provided the photos below. The oceanfront campground was flooded by storm surge on the marsh side, and saltwater infiltrated and severely damaged the electrical system. The Live Oak campground is littered with downed trees and limbs after Irma, and a tornado associated with it, damaged the area. In order for us to clean up and make repairs to both campgrounds, they will be closed for the remainder of the 2017 calendar year. The day-use area (with beach access) and cabin area of Edisto Beach State Park will reopen on September 22. If you have camping reservations between now and the end of 2017, you will be contacted and a full refund issued. Any cabin reservations affected will also be refunded. Thank you for your patience and understanding during this time. Updates for all parks can be found at: <http://bit.ly/2e6gXJY>.





**Penny Singleton Argo** Daphne Singleton  
at 23:00:53 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Christine Bowman** So sorry to hear this! Thanks for all of your hard work!  
at 23:03:08 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Panda Roberts** This makes me so sad!  
at 23:03:38 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Marianne Mc Manus Hood** Lauren Castaldi  
at 23:04:06 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Scott Kaplan** We were just there labor day weekend, was so nice and close to my house  
😞😞😞  
at 23:04:39 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Shelly Furr** Cathy Moore  
at 23:04:49 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Crystal Bowen** Melva O'Shields  
at 23:05:07 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Dorothy Nelson** Dennis Lee Nelson our favorite place destroyed again.  
at 23:05:52 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Tom Cole** give it back to mother earth.  
at 23:06:32 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Danya Rutland** Brittany  
at 23:07:17 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Kathy Smith** Sorry to hear this  
at 23:07:57 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Ken Cash** Lauri Settlemyer Fowler  
at 23:11:13 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Kelly Kirkpatrick McWhorter** Seems like you have been down this road way too soon already. Thanks for all you do!  
at 23:12:10 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Mitzi Morris** Thank you for the pictures. Heart breaking.  
at 23:13:03 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Cheryl Ozmore** 😊

at 23:13:11 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Dawn Rizer** So sad.

at 23:15:13 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Lauri Settlemyer Fowler** Thank u for sharing this Ken.

at 23:16:05 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Susan Andrews** Tonya- have you seen this?

at 23:17:36 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Kathy Suchan** April Tucker this is a bummer...

at 23:17:41 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Lisa Miles Bryant** Seems like Edisto just can't catch a break. So sad! Love it here.

at 23:18:33 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Addie Lint** Jesse F. Lint boo! 😊

at 23:18:41 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Ashley Frady** Courtney Roberts

at 23:19:35 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Butch Haskins** That's nothing come to Florida

at 23:19:54 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Anna Thrift Butler** Elaine Faulk Thrift we will have to plan for the spring.

at 23:19:56 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Ashley Frady** Sara Evans

at 23:19:59 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Christine Lisi** Ouch!

at 23:20:04 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Courtney Roberts** They can't catch a break

at 23:20:31 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Ashley Frady** Nope. They just opened it back up too

at 23:21:08 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Suzi Widel Hansborough** Thanks for letting us know.....and for all that you do to make it beautiful. You just finished traveling this road. Thank you.

at 23:21:09 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Courtney Roberts** I know I hate that 😊 hopefully they can make repairs more easily this time.

at 23:22:09 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Emily Jones Holley** Earle Holley

at 23:23:09 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Ken Cash** Hunting island got destroyed too...

at 23:24:13 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Lauri Settlemyer Fowler** It might be nothing compared to Florida, but Edisto got slammed by Hurricane Matthew a year ago Oct, and the beacj campground just opened back Labor Day

weekend. (I don't mean this snarky, in the least!)

at 23:24:14 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Lauri Settlemyer Fowler** We have never been to either. Oh well, maybe next spring.....or summer.

at 23:25:12 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Ken Cash** I thought you guys were headed to edisto just before the storm

at 23:25:53 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Judy Fallaw Ridings** So sorry to hear of the damage---we love Edisto Beach State Park♥♥♥♥

at 23:26:26 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Lauri Settlemyer Fowler** We were....we were supposed to go Fri, Sat, and Sun (8th-10th.) We weren't sure if we should even still go, but were going to. Theu called us Thurs and cancelled our reservations. We were all disappointed, especially Laurin!☹

at 23:28:10 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Leah Phillips** Harold O'Shields

at 23:29:33 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Jennifer Johnson** Whoa! I was so sad that Edisto Beach had been closed two times in one year. I was looking forward to visit this beach when it announced it was open again few weeks ago.

at 23:29:45 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Kelly A Hyatt** Breaks my heart to see these pics ☹

at 23:29:50 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Lisa Blume** This breaks our hearts. Edisto Beach state park is one or our favorite parks. Stay strong Edisto ♥.

at 23:31:39 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Beverly Boynton Dantzler** Kayla E Dantzler ... Edisto and Hunting Island ☺

at 23:34:00 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Kim Sweitzer Leasure** Yikes

at 23:35:22 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Terri Allen** Travis Allen Debbie Parker Jennie McClain McAlister Tony McAlister Bobby Parker

at 23:35:49 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Dana Clevenger** Jackie Clevenger

at 23:36:49 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Judy Duff Bourne** Billy G Camp

at 23:38:53 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Becky Abraham** Sad beyond words. Again. 1

at 23:39:41 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Ashley Hall** Paula Hughes Hall

at 23:40:44 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Shannon Phillips Brown** Kristi Eagerton Mel Moody

at 23:41:14 on 9/13/2017 UTC

**Becky Abraham** Existing was demolished by Matthew last year. Spent a year rebuilding it



**FYI**  
at 23:41:36 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Carol Saxon** Kim Miken  
at 23:41:50 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Ken Cash** One thing about edisto... If you want somewhere to go to do nothing, edisto is the place. Not close to anything. They have 1 grocery store, a little piggly wiggly, a couple of places to eat and that about it. Was almost boring when were there for a week. About a 45 min to an hour drive to charleston.  
at 23:42:08 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Paula Hughes Hall** Guess we won't be going the end of Dec!  
at 23:42:27 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Susan Robertson** Bob Johnson  
at 23:43:34 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Calvin LeNeve** Just left Live oak Friday enjoyed our time there  
at 23:44:14 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Elaine Schiefer-Feria** How sad....  
at 23:44:55 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Ashley Hall** I'm so sorry...  
at 23:44:57 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Jeff Porter** Does anybody no if the boat ramp will still be open  
at 23:46:01 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Heather Divan Schuett** Amy Barker-Ring, Jennifer Wilkerson, Cindi Wilkerson  
at 23:46:24 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Mina Harrington** Thank you SO MUCH for keeping us informed. This is just so VERY heartbreaking!!  
at 23:47:31 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Angie Wall Duckworth** Allen Duckworth  
at 23:48:51 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Rhonda Diamond Bryant** We were so looking forward to our October trip, but understand.  
at 23:49:22 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Kay Bolduc** Vacationed here once, so sad.  
at 23:49:22 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Ginger Hansborough** Suzi Widel Hansborough, FYI, so sad  
at 23:50:32 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Rhonda Diamond Bryant** It isn't a contest, Butch.  
at 23:50:33 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Donna Cabral** Are you accepting volunteers to help with clean up?  
at 23:50:52 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Kimberly Bean** Jennifer Darden Walker  
at 23:52:32 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Jenny Manley** Christy Bailey Dawkins ☹️

at 23:54:10 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Brenda Blackwell** We had reservations for this week ☹️ hope to stay next year !!!

at 23:54:24 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Lauri Settlemeyer Fowler** That is kinda what we wanted this time☹️

at 23:55:20 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Bonnie Black Ashley** Georgetta Hunt Riley, this is where we camped at the Beach

at 23:55:21 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Christy Bailey Dawkins** They were suppose to open sooner until Irma. So devastating.

at 23:57:51 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Jim Montgomery** Edisto and Hunting Island campgrounds just reopened after repairs from Matthew...now they are both down again after just a couple months of operation.

at 23:59:48 on 9/13/2017 UTC



**Penny Baskin** I would love to volunteer to help in any way I can.

I am a state employee with plenty of leave, just need a place to hook up my camper. I can do light trash removal and I can cook.

at 0:01:04 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Josh Youngblood** Know\*.

at 0:01:43 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jimmy Speights** Vicky Blitch

at 0:01:57 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Tonya Hall Lucas** Joel Lucas

at 0:04:11 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Josh Youngblood** Might be using Marina again

at 0:04:53 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Donna Williams Buzhardt** Angela Scott

at 0:05:52 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Laura Fin** And this is after the floods from 2015. Like Rhonda said, it's not a competition. I am sure, regarding Florida (my home state) plenty on Cuba, Antigua and Barbuda can say the same to you...

at 0:05:55 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jeff Porter** Yeah probably so

at 0:06:33 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Mina Harrington** Well, Butch -- you keep right on enjoying your cool pool there in Florida and bask in all your "misery". That comment is about as rude as one can be. We here in SC absolutely love our State Parks which are about the best in this entire country. And, if you don't like that, TUFF!!!

at 0:07:35 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sherry Jones** may God bless you all and give you strength to do what needs to be done. you are all awesome

at 0:10:41 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Terry Stratton Birchall** Butch! You missed the point. The officials are notifying those folks who have reservations of the closure. They supplied details and photos. That's all.

at 0:11:05 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kelly Childers** Mandy...  
at 0:13:31 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Susan Vance** Frank  
at 0:14:07 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Barbara Brand Poole** ☹️  
at 0:14:30 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Annie Powell Ruela** We were there the week of the storm and had to evacuate. All the electric hookups were new with both 30 and 50 amp service. The sites were all refreshed with new driveways and water hookups. The dunes were all rebuilt after hurricane Mathew and were wiped out. I sure hope that all the residents of Edisto are safe.  
at 0:15:24 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Mandy Davis** Oh wow! I might need to do a road trip to see :)  
at 0:16:03 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kelly Childers** DO IT.  
at 0:16:48 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Susan McGaha Brown** So sad and discouraging. Down but not out!! #EdistoStrong  
at 0:18:00 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Mandy Davis** Mekayla's work schedule has me all messed up & the little devil is not going!!!  
Lol  
at 0:18:09 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Victoria Jaworowski** Justin Shults  
at 0:18:43 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kelly Childers** She's precious. At least mekayla will watch her.  
at 0:18:46 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**DawneandJeep Gainey** I hate Irma!  
at 0:18:59 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Mandy Davis** She don't get off til 10 :(  
at 0:19:46 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**DawneandJeep Gainey** I hate this. Love that Campground!  
at 0:19:58 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kelly Childers** Kyndal don't either! I hate it.  
at 0:20:11 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Cristi Sims Willbanks** Wayne Dianne Sims, Brittney Willbanks, Lisa Sims Bloomer The campground was hit hard again! ☹️  
at 0:20:53 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Mandy Davis** My hair is gonna fall out real soon!!! Lol  
at 0:21:14 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Susan Minick** Edisto strong!!!  
at 0:22:03 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Ann Fisher** Carl N Donna Wellmon  
at 0:22:09 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Suzi Widel Hansborough** Ginger Hansborough - I know. It is heartbreaking.  
at 0:22:37 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Iddy Andrews** I am so sad about this damage. The state park is our jewel and Jon, Brandon. And the staff worked so hard to restore it after Matthew. A sad day for sc and edisto.  
at 0:23:29 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Alice Merritt** Julie Weese Gies  
at 0:26:40 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Donna Keel Dooley** We were there on the 6th of Sept. Supposed to be there for 10 days. Had to leave after 3days.



at 0:26:44 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kristy Ash** Henry Ash  
at 0:27:09 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Angell McCaw Bernardi** Wow  
at 0:27:54 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Karen Whitman Link** Is Live Oak Landing open?  
at 0:30:35 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Clelia Sanders** Bobby Osteen  
at 0:30:41 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Marilyn Hypes** Thank you for letting us know and sharing the pics. I am so sorry this happened again. We have reservations for Nov. so I will look for refund. I hope the park rebounds better than ever. Sorry for all affected by Irma.  
at 0:34:06 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Christina Mitchell Cody** ☹️ Prayers for everyone!  
at 0:34:26 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Barron Burch** O no not again  
at 0:34:27 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Carolyn Toole Rushton** and those that Love Edisto don't appreciate no low blow comments Butch!!! #♥myedistotime  
at 0:34:48 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kim Schweibert Maxwell** So sad  
Are there volunteer clean up opportunities?  
at 0:34:52 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Marilyn Hypes** Mary Brooks  
at 0:35:20 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Tiffany Smith** Any news on turtle nest? Have they all hatched before the storm hit?

at 0:35:21 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Rose DeJarnette** So Sad. I love Edisto Beach.

at 0:35:31 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Joe Wilson** Even roses have pricks 😊...

at 0:35:39 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kay Forbes-Smith** Oh, how sad 😞

at 0:36:10 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kathy Russell** Barbara Bowen Keyton Wadford Brett Wadford Mckenzie Murray 😞😞😞

at 0:36:17 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Roxanne Miller** This is sad. They just opened

at 0:36:55 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kathy Gorrell-fisk** Me too 😞

at 0:37:01 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Greta Baughman Swink** Debra Robertson

at 0:37:03 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Frances Gantt Dwiggins** So sorry

at 0:37:24 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Denise Small** I love staying at the beach campground. It is my favorite!!! So sad to see the pics. Stay strong, Edisto!!!

at 0:38:00 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Carl N Donna Wellmon** Thank you Ann Fisher..😊

at 0:38:40 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Ann Fisher** You are welcome!

at 0:39:12 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Holly Hallman** We're not going to a cabin here are we Brandi Dunnigan Varnes

at 0:41:22 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Teri Harrison Shirley** JoyBird Hogue Dennis Hogue

at 0:41:25 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Angie Johnson** They just got it open from last years hurricane!

at 0:42:42 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Brittney Forcucci** My poor Edisto. It can rebuild after Matthew, and it can rebuild after Irma! I'm just glad it's not completely gone!!

at 0:42:52 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Brittney Forcucci** Cindy Reach Rehorn

at 0:43:01 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sjannah Sanders** Butch Haskins -- 😞It's something to us and we sympathize with Florida and her damages and losses as we love the Sunshine State and vacation there often. So I do believe that we all can say that Nothing is a strong word for all our losses. us

at 0:43:14 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sjannah Sanders** 😞😞😞😞 Please let us help we love our Park!♥♥♥♥  
at 0:44:45 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Molly Sirk Ary** This is the worst contest ever, Butch.  
at 0:44:46 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Michèle Hipp Noël** Francoise Hipp Fussell  
at 0:45:41 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Macy Elizabeth** So sad! We enjoyed our 5 day stay in the Live Oak campground over Labor Day weekend. Hate to see the park in this shape but we look forward to staying again next year!  
at 0:47:02 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Joye Hallman** Morgan H. Huffstetler  
Jessica Hallman  
Gracie Gleaton  
Bryson Hallman  
at 0:47:09 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Glenda C Garvin** 😞😞I already booked New Years. Guess it's a no go.  
at 0:47:26 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kelly A Hyatt** I'm so sad!!  
at 0:47:57 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Julie Weese Gies** So sad! Ben Gies  
at 0:50:23 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Mindy Healy** Natalie Briney Morrison Jared Morrison  
at 0:50:52 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jennifer Darden Walker** not good 😞  
at 0:51:10 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Brandye Rench Sitton** Eric Sitton  
at 0:51:29 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**David E. Isley** Jody McMurry  
at 0:51:48 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Brandi Dunnigan Varnes** Fortunately not! Oh so sad!!!  
at 0:52:00 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Melissa Littleton** Gail Smith :(   
at 0:52:13 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Ricky Craps** Fred Seay  
at 0:54:05 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Scott Kaplan** There hundreds of tons of sand to move  
at 0:54:17 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jackie Pullum** Carol  
at 0:54:47 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jackie Pullum** So sorry. I know this must be difficult to face again. Love to you.  
at 0:55:15 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Scott Kaplan** They need to put the electric boxes 5 or 6 feet up to stop the water if it floods again

at 0:55:18 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**JoyBird Hogue** Dagnabit

at 0:56:08 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Paula Dear** Wow I'm not from the area but have family there it's been one of my favorite places to go to since 2012

at 0:56:27 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Hannah Ward** Heather Nicole Winegar

at 0:56:54 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Tara Robinson** Keira Kristine

at 0:57:18 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Katie Weinberger** Ava Williamson ☹

at 0:58:32 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Richard Ehrler** Anyone heard how the State Park on Hunting Island faired.. these 2 parks are not very far apart.

at 0:58:41 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Beth Meyer Cummings** Terrible. Also closed thru the end of the year.

at 0:59:36 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Richard Ehrler** Thanks

at 1:00:09 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Beth Meyer Cummings** Also...they are an hour away from each other. About 70 miles.

at 1:01:13 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Scott Kaplan** Look on channel 5 Facebook page and they have pictures of the roads

at 1:02:10 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Penny Baskin** I can move or sift what i can and then cook for those who can do more than me.

at 1:02:22 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Mary Brooks** Marilyn Hypes, I just saw that sites are blanked out on Edistos page. Crazy cuz they showed availability this morning. All cancelled anyway!!

at 1:02:43 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Laurie Miller** Julie Ruddle Reich Matthew Lamb

at 1:03:02 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Linda Rickabaugh** This is SO sad!

at 1:03:30 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Roger Fisher** Time to close the park and let nature take its course

at 1:03:34 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Ava Williamson** So sad. They JUST opened the oceanfront campground. Can't imagine how sad and frustrated they must be.

at 1:06:04 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Denise Dozier Tutas** Excuse me... I live in Florida now, I've been here for almost 2 years. Before moving here I lived in Edisto for 25 years and worked for the state park. Now is the time to have a little sensitivity for others instead of being a jerk.

at 1:07:36 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Mary Brooks** So very sorry Edisto was not spared!

at 1:08:38 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Ashley Self Fannin** Jeremy Sean Fannin

at 1:09:59 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Dianne Bell** Me too!

at 1:10:22 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Travis Allen** As much \$ as Edisto State Park brings in , the State should have this up and going in no time!!! As hard as it is to get reservations this should be a no brainer !  
#weloveedisto #getrdone #cantmiss2yrsinarow!!

at 1:10:52 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jeremy Sean Fannin** Dang. Open for what? A week or two?

at 1:11:34 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Beth Salley Traynham** We have reservation on the first for a house on Portia

at 1:13:07 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Karen Bowen** Ya'll got it as bad as us

at 1:13:29 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Richard Ehrler** Maybe by road but direct point to point it's only about 25 miles at best

at 1:16:55 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**D'Ann Perry Horne** Poor Edisto. So sad

at 1:17:55 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Lisa Barber Holbrook** Ernie ☺

at 1:20:38 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Traci Kirk** Thank you, so much, for taking the time to post these pictures for all of us who love Edisto. It means a lot that you took precious time for this. I love my Edisto State Park!

at 1:21:30 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kimberly Lance** Wanda Lance

at 1:21:32 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Richard Ehrler** Oops my bad it's only 7.9 miles direct point to point. You can see it from the lighthouse on hunting.

at 1:21:37 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Heidi L. Alton** Such another blow to this beautiful area. I was just there for the eclipse. I bet Botany Bay is also closed again and the trail just opened. So sad.

at 1:22:06 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Severyn Mullen** Chris Nail

at 1:23:25 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Christy Thornton** So sad!

at 1:23:26 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Nikole K. Addy** Aubrey Carey

at 1:24:08 on 9/14/2017 UTC

**Valli M. Finney** Carl Marchand



at 1:24:46 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Marilyn Prunty** Oh my how sad, and the damages once again. Will pray for y'all.

at 1:26:12 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Elizabeth West Duffey** ☹

at 1:27:50 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Tami Suggs** Pam Norris Wallace

at 1:28:16 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sharon Martin** Pamela Pratt Parker

at 1:28:32 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Pam Norris Wallace** saw it a few min ago. :O(

at 1:29:45 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jenny Chandler** I'm not local so please excuse my ignorance on the subject. We visited over the summer and saw all the turtle nests on the beach. Have the turtle eggs hatched yet? If not, do they and the nests survive the impacts of the hurricane? Or have they been washed away?

at 1:30:12 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jen Rieck-Kulick** Pat Briggs Rieck☺

at 1:32:24 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Tonya Hatcher Hitt** I knew there was damage, but wow...

at 1:34:56 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Ashley Self Fannin** Ryan Self, Monty Self, Melanie Self

at 1:34:57 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sara Evans** This is so sad...that campground was amazing with all of the big trees and shade. I hope they can recover from it

at 1:35:03 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sheryl Gardner** Rachel Harley, thinking about y'all and the bungalow! Hope everything is ok!

at 1:35:09 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Ashley Frady** Me too!

at 1:35:20 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Rachel Harley** The bungalow is good! But we had a tornado touch town in our front yard and take out 5 oak trees and threw them on our fence in many places! So lots of yard work and fence repair but at least the bungalow is still standing!

at 1:36:42 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jo Anna White** Stay strong guys!

at 1:37:20 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sheryl Gardner** Glad it wasn't any worse Rachel Harley♥

at 1:37:54 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Heather Lee Rash** Mary Altus ☹

at 1:37:56 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kimberly Tyler Reed** ☹

at 1:39:16 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Angela Chalker Gay** Thanks for the update. I had reservations for the end of Sept. Sure will mis. Being there.

at 1:39:35 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Penny Baskin** Good question

at 1:41:06 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Rachel Harley** Me too!! Have to be thankful for what we still have! It could have been way worse!

at 1:42:40 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Lisa Bodiford Ham** Angie Bodiford Darnell

at 1:42:57 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Melanie Self** Breaks my heart. We want a vacation but local businesses are struggling. Lord help us!

at 1:43:12 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Rebecca Lynne Norman-Thompson** Very sad

at 1:44:09 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Candy Ann Walsh** We were there also the 7th-9th. And very sad to have to leave

at 1:46:56 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Michael Thigpen** And she knows how to cook, too! Better take her up on the offer, guys!

at 1:47:27 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Gail Smith** I hope they have it cleaned up by June 2018. Have reservations.

at 1:47:41 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Joye Hallman** Lisa Johnson

at 1:49:25 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Iddy Andrews** We had 11 nests left to hatch when Irma hit. All stakes, netting, etc were removed so the debris didn't go in the ocean. Mother nature was in control after that.

at 1:52:08 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sandy Lowe** i think the turtles hatch full moon in august?

at 1:52:54 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Iddy Andrews** Botany bay is closed until further notice.

at 1:53:14 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Candy Ann Walsh** Me three

at 1:54:20 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Iddy Andrews** There will be . Go to the frespaces page to see opportunities as they are available.

at 1:54:48 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Vicky Kemmerlin Kemp Parker** Thank you for the pictures. So sad the park has to go through repairs again so soon. Sure miss camping at the Park!!

at 1:54:48 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sandy Lowe** hope all can be rebuilt. Edisto is my favorite beach in all the world, have been coming here since the 1980s when i first moved to sc and experienced the beach. <3 thanks for the posts, i have been worriedly watching

at 1:54:55 on 9/14/2017 UTC

**Carl-Donna Inman Dooley** This is so sad. This will be the second time our reservations are



cancelled due to hurricanes. Edisto island is our paradise.  
at 1:55:17 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kim Schweibert Maxwell** Iddy Andrews thank you!!!  
at 1:55:31 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Iddy Andrews** Check the frespace page for opportunities as they are available. Thanks.  
at 1:57:12 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Elaine Yates Miller** Oh no.. so sad...  
at 1:57:34 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Lisa Johnson Bonnette** ☹that's terrible!  
at 2:02:50 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kacey Moore Dalton** Is that where u were going in Dec Heather Malone Jenkins??  
at 2:07:07 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Beth Quenzler** We had reservations for November as well. It is so sad. Edisto is such a wonderful place to visit.  
at 2:08:05 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Penny Baskin** Thanks Michael.  
at 2:14:55 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Aubrey Carey** This is so sad! But we are renting a house in Sept/Nov  
at 2:20:29 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Amelia J. Watters** I agree with you... nature wins.  
at 2:28:02 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kristen Sterling** Kristen Medlin Gallant!!!!!!  
at 2:29:03 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Ashley Jarvis Barrett** Caroline N Billy White  
at 2:29:15 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Ann Mazzell Bullock** ☹  
at 2:37:49 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Fred Seay** Well darn.  
at 2:38:08 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Caroline N Billy White** So sad my favorite campground is closed for the rest of the year!  
at 2:39:29 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jamie Preveaux** Iddy Andrews Thank you for what you guys do to look after them.  
at 2:49:44 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Brittany McVey Griffin** Brad Griffin Loretta Mcvey Gordon Mcvey  
at 2:52:04 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Debbie Whitman Smith** Us too for November . So very sad  
at 3:01:16 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Page Woolly Putnam** It breaks my heart. Edisto is such a fun place!  
at 3:05:48 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kim Newman** Beverly Newman Mary Moon Dan Moon  
at 3:13:40 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Donna Dean** Brian Dean  
at 3:41:23 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Donna Wood Blake** Hunting in Beaufort is also close  
at 3:43:39 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sue N John Oreilly** We were really anxious to smell all the turkey fumes in the air  
Thanksgiving -  
at 3:50:42 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sue N John Oreilly** Bryan Sullivan !  
at 3:52:14 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sue N John Oreilly** Karl Kakretz - our home away from home  
at 3:59:27 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Cindy Ringley Bales** I missed camping at Edisto beach campground this year. Camped every summer since 2007. I am so sorry this happened again. We have reservations for next summer so please get it fixed by then. We would be willing to help with the clean-up. I love this place!  
at 3:59:40 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Bryan Sullivan** Nooooooooooooo!  
We've been waiting so long for our thanksgiving camping. 2 years in a row  
at 4:28:24 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sue N John Oreilly** I know !!! I was getting a nice collection of campfire drink bottles!!!  
at 4:49:38 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Bryan Sullivan** we need to go somewhere before we got nuts  
at 4:50:27 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sue N John Oreilly** Bryan Sullivan - agree!!!!  
at 4:55:03 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sue N John Oreilly** Hunting Island is in worse shape!  
at 4:55:26 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sue N John Oreilly** Hunting Island is in worse shape! if they had only put the electric on higher posts  
at 4:57:42 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Bryan Sullivan** hopefully they will next time  
at 5:03:16 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Bryan Sullivan** Did you get electricity yet?  
at 5:04:23 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sue N John Oreilly** last night but it keeps going on n off- we had resorted to watching the tv in rv to catch up on storm  
at 5:06:00 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Bryan Sullivan** At least someone is camping  
at 5:06:41 on 9/14/2017 UTC

**Sue N John Oreilly** haha!! we were getting worried - only 1/2 tank of gas since we were running off generator



at 5:07:31 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Dana Mills Dickerson** DeRhonda Stackleather

at 9:15:40 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Susan Ingersoll** This is so sad as they just recently reopened after Matthew. We had some of our crew down there from MBSP to finish helping just a couple of weeks ago. My thoughts go out to all of you who once again will start the process of recovery.

at 10:01:27 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Heather Malone Jenkins** No we're going to Cape Coral

at 11:30:15 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Janis Kinsey Blocker** HUNTING was also damaged and has closed.

at 11:31:25 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Victoria Hiers** I have friends and family who would be willing to help as well.

at 11:58:16 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sherry Nelson Fortson** Just camped there on Sept. 1st at the beach campground. The upgrades were amazing and I praise the hard work of all who helped get it back together from Matthew. I think it will come back again even stronger.

at 12:16:19 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Judy Gail Roberts** Susan how did MBSP fare?

at 12:22:57 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Cheryl Johnson** So sad for you guys ☹️

at 12:30:52 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Judy McCormick Dayner** So sad that both beautiful Lowcountry state parks campgrounds, (Edisto and Hunting Island) are closed until next year!

at 12:34:58 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Stephanie McFerrin** Helen Skuce Ray Pierce

at 12:37:28 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Ralph Brown** Too bad

at 13:05:18 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Maud B.Livingston** Such a shame!

at 13:09:02 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Meg Hoyle** Please consider adopting a policy of retreat at the beach campground.

at 13:21:00 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Debra Wells Sumerel** So sad! Would be there a week from today! Praying for all during recovery

at 13:28:22 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Mary Norris** Can't believe it, guess it was just not meant to be this year, we will try again

at 13:28:38 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Randy Bradberry** Donna Milford Bradberry

at 13:33:24 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Guy Mazzell** Laurie Haywood Mazzell

at 13:43:15 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Butch Haskins** Actually I love s.c. I lived there for ten years on wateree lake. Had a camper at pirate land that got destroyed I love watching storms but hate the aftermath. That's a great beach and hope it gets cleaned up soon.  
at 14:21:00 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kayla Jade** Dianne Shuler Chip Shuler  
at 14:34:34 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Heather Nicole Winegar** Oh my goodness this is awful ☹️  
at 14:42:29 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Marilyn Reid** Mary Lynn Anthony Rose Harduby Brostic  
at 14:59:56 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kelci Lanthier** Joseph Zakrzewski  
at 15:16:50 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Laurie Haywood Mazzell** I hate this. I think they just opened up the beach campground after it being closed all summer for having to clean and renovate after Hurricane Matthew. Live Oak is our place! I hope it will be open late May for us.  
at 15:27:16 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Anne Hightower-Patterson White** Fran Cardwell  
at 15:31:24 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Caleb Smith** Hannah Smith Belcher Wanda Kelley Smith Chris Belcher Lexie Grace Bryant  
at 16:01:53 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jenny Chandler** Thank you for the info. I'm glad most of the babies beat the storm!  
at 16:17:11 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Nikki Galloway** Tara Green  
at 17:12:14 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kayla Marie** RobinandAndy  
at 17:13:03 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Joyce Reed** Darn I was so looking forward to this fall!☹️  
at 17:14:58 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Cathy Woods** So unless I hear differently, my cabin reservation in a couple of weeks will be available?  
at 17:15:44 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Amy Koontz** Sharen Koontz Smith ☺️  
at 17:25:54 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Laura S. Morris** How sad. They hadn't completely recovered from Matthew!  
at 17:43:15 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Mary Lou Clemans** So sorry about all that destruction! Especially those beautiful trees! Glad you & Pat fared well.  
at 17:59:04 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Sharen Koontz Smith** Oh man. We love staying at Live Oak campground with all the big beautiful trees. So sad. The ocean front campground was still under construction from the hurricane last year. Wow!  
at 18:08:36 on 9/14/2017 UTC

**Joshua Perryman** I am a lean mean tree cutting machine



at 18:25:00 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Todd Moss** Amanda Lamb Moss

at 18:59:01 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Donna Clegg** Love Edisto so much!! Sorry for so much damage and pray for full recovery.

at 19:04:46 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Joe Boone** Sad to see. Live this place. Hopefully better after restoration.

at 19:05:53 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jan Long** So sad .

at 19:11:49 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Carla Rentschler** Valerie Roundy Collins

at 19:20:14 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Valerie Roundy Collins** Where is this?

at 19:21:13 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Katelyn Renee Owen** Walter Lawlor 😞😞😞

at 19:33:16 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Diane Caughman Charles** Is this where y'all were going to stay?

at 19:39:46 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Mary Dempster** Jennifer Barker Mosley

at 19:53:39 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jennifer Barker Mosley** :(

at 20:56:53 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jody Stone** Cindy Guinn

at 21:05:45 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Billy G Camp** So sad for the park after just reopening. Had to give up camping last year due to reservation hardship became so frustrating. 15+ years of many good times there.

at 21:14:25 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Kathi Cleapor Barry** Another one of my Happy Places just reopened from hurricane Matthew damage and now this!

at 21:19:41 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Katelyn Renee Owen** Diane Caughman Charles yes

at 21:27:05 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Carl N Donna Wellmon** Thank you for posting this.. We had not seen the completed work after Matthew.. Supposed to be there now..

at 21:33:16 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Carl N Donna Wellmon** Thank you so much for posting this picture.. We had not seen the completed work after Matthew..We are supposed to be there now..

at 21:38:57 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Katie Sanders** Kelsey Robinson Sandifer Ronika Robinson

at 22:03:09 on 9/14/2017 UTC

**Carla Rentschler** Edisto beach



at 22:51:51 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**June Moon** Live Oak campground is our favorite!

at 22:53:32 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Glenn Deer** We love that campground and the parks

at 23:07:19 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Debbie Padget** Do you know when Live Oak Landing boat ramp will reopen?

at 23:17:15 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Debbie Padget** Do you know when Live Oak boat landing will reopen?

at 23:23:12 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Diane Niedling Andrews** So sad to hear this ☹️

Paula Gay

at 23:29:40 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Ronika Robinson** Thanks

at 23:44:01 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Angela Price Powers** We were too Carl N Donna Wellmon. PJ and I will miss seeing you and breakfast at the Sea Cow! We are soooo disappointed.

at 23:48:10 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Donna Keel Dooley** Donna N Carl They moved you favorite. 16. This is what it Looks like. Looks funny next to 18.



at 23:58:32 on 9/14/2017 UTC



**Jennifer Wilkerson** Kristin Campbell

at 1:02:27 on 9/15/2017 UTC



**DeRhonda Stackleather** How sad

at 4:21:04 on 9/15/2017 UTC



**Paula Gay** So sad. Was praying it would be spared but I'm sure it will be repaired even better. Sure did miss coming down there this summer but have reservations twice next summer.

at 11:14:53 on 9/15/2017 UTC



**Penny L Blocker-Zaccaria**



at 14:56:56 on 9/15/2017 UTC



**Connie Black** 😊

at 18:52:59 on 9/15/2017 UTC



**Dawn Kuenzli** So sad. This is a beautiful place.

at 19:58:09 on 9/15/2017 UTC



**Lori Lewis** Wow thats so sad.

at 23:18:06 on 9/15/2017 UTC



**Donia Price** So sad.

at 0:22:21 on 9/16/2017 UTC



**Katelyn Young** Ines Sommers

at 0:33:54 on 9/16/2017 UTC



**Deb Rawlings** Was really looking forward to visiting this campground.....so sad ! I live in Florida and realize what a hurricane can leave behind. Most campgrounds I have reservations for for the next 4 months are closed thanks to Irma! 😊

at 13:24:21 on 9/17/2017 UTC



**David Hackett** Irma has caused such widespread state by state devastation. It has affected so many

Loss of jobs, homes, transportation & tourism.

Housing realEstate market has taken a huge hit in Texas and Florida plus upcoming holiday sales and restoration will take years to recover in some cities and country's. This park is just a sample of what has happened.

So sorry for the financial loss and vacations lost due to Irma.

at 18:40:17 on 9/17/2017 UTC



**Lacey Persianni** Stephanie Snopkowski Persianni

at 20:30:08 on 9/17/2017 UTC



**Sherry Nelson Fortson** Donna Keel Dooley, I miss seeing you guys!!!

at 13:05:09 on 9/18/2017 UTC



**Donna Keel Dooley** Sherry Nelson Fortson.We miss you also. At least we had 3 beautiful nights before IRMA. L

at 20:01:29 on 9/18/2017 UTC



**Sarah Jaynes Cox** Melissa Gould

at 2:24:55 on 9/20/2017 UTC