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Road trip to Oconee State Park today! It's just a cool park for making memories. Do you have any special memories of Oconee State Park? Share them with us....we'd love to hear!

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Oconee State Park offers cabins, camping, fishing and boating in two small lakes, hiking on eight nature/hiking trails, plus several picnic areas and shelters and meeting facilities.

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Poppa Danny Back in the mid to late sixties my father took us to Oconee state park every year for vacation, we loved it. The park is so beautiful. I still love coming up there.

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Donna Sanders Bradley Used to vacation there just about every summer with my family when I was a teenager (usually cabin 6). Several Aunts, Uncles and Cousins from across the country would camp there the same week! The whole Gibson clan would usually get together for one big cookout! Tons of fun! So many memories of hikes around the park, Peddle boats (cute lifeguards!) putt-putt and most of all the square dances! I remember the first year my brother was married, Jack Lombard (anyone familiar with Oconee SP knows who he is!) asked my sister in law to dance---we still kid her about that! Living close by, we would often go the weekend dances even when we were not vacationing.

Oconee is also dear to my heart, because one of my Uncles worked on the park's construction with the CCC and my Dad used to work with the SCDOT and would scrape snow off the main mountain roads in the area -- the park ranger would always have hot coffee for him and invite him to take a break there.

Visited Oconee about a month ago on a cool Sunday morning and made some pictures.....so much has changed--yet so much the same! A great place to get away and clear your head!

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Joe Myers My family of 6 went there this past year and it was just beautiful. I enjoyed taking my kids on a 5 mile hike and we ate lunch by the waterfall. It was a blast.

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Rebecca Sobeck I worked there for 12 years! I loved helping people make their memories at Oconee. Go see the staff and park manager, Jo Anna White. They are all the best.

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Bonnie Hughes Hamm Been camping there for over 30 yrs.....couldn't begin to tell the memories of watching my boys as they still love it there as do our grandchildren!! have2 reservations for later this year and will probably go more!! Even living about 20 miles away, it is like an oasis...we even go back and forth to work...home away from home. Love OSP!!

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Glenda Schrecengost Ivey my father and mother loved that place . so one time they asked us to come stay with them in a cabin. that was sixteen years ago. the funniest thing happened there. my daughter was almost two and i was carrying my son at the time and their father wanted to fish on the lake so he rented a boat. well when it was time to leave he was getting ready to take the boat back and was taking our daughter with him. mom and ad were sitting on the porch watching him get in the boat. i heard them laughing and walked out and there was my daughter and her dad dripping wet he had slipped and fell in and they were soaked. of course he didn't think it was funny but i can still hear my parents laughter.. thanks for the memory..!

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