Camping season doesn't have to end

With another camping season coming to a close at Prairie Dog State Park, many dedicated campers are packing up and heading back to town for the winter. Approaching winter doesn't have to mean, however, that camping season has to end. With four cabins available at Prairie Dog State Park, camping can be an option any time of the year.

The park hosts two primitive cabins and two modern cabins, all of which are aavailable for rental any time of year.

Cedar Crest and Cottonwood are the primitive cabins located adjacent to the Prairie Dog campground. Prairie Dog and Eagle View are the modern cabins with lake views near the public fishing dock.

The primitive cabins include heating, air conditioning, refrigerator/freezer and a microwave. Each primitative cabin sleeps at least eight people and beds are provided. Campers will need need to bring their own bedding, though.

During the peak season of mid-April through mid-October, shower and restroom facilities are nearby and a water hydrant is available at each cabin. During the off-season, a vault toilet is within walking distance, but no water is available.

The two modern cabins are one-bedroom buildings with a full-size bed and a futon. A couch and a murphy bed are provided in the living area. The cabins sleep five to six people and the kitchens have a small stove and oven, refrigerator/freezer, microwave, coffee maker, pots and pans, dishes and silverware. A kitchen table and four chairs and picnic table are grill are also provided.

The cabins have modern bathrooms with showers and the cabins are heated and cooled.

Campers staying in any of the cabins at Prairie Dog State Park will need to bring their own bedding, towels and other supplies. No pets are allowed in the cabins and smoking is prohibited.

The primitive cabins rent for $45 per night and the modern cabins rent for $70 per night.

Anyone interesting in reserving a cabin a rental can visit www.reserveamerica.com

Eagle View Cabin

Prairie Dog Cabin

Cedar Crest Cabin

Cottonwood Cabin