Fishing and Boating

A trout pond is available during season, and the Ohio River provides excellent fishing, boating and water sport opportunities. The river can be accessed directly from two launching ramps with adjacent parking on the western edge of the park. The site superintendent and park rangers can provide details on fishing licenses and the rules and regulations for fishing and boating on the river. For more information, contact Cave-In-Rock State Park, Cave-In-Rock, IL 62919, (618) 289-4325.

Camping

On the scenic north side of the park there are camping accommodations with 34 Class A sites. They are equipped with electricity and can accommodate units up to 60-feet long. Twenty-five Class B tent sites are also available, and showers, restrooms and dumping stations are present in both camping areas. Contact the site superintendent or campground attendant for camping permits and information. Handicapped sites also are available. Firewood and grills are furnished at each campsite.

Marina

For a different view of Cave-In-Rock, consider a boat ride down the Ohio River. Be sure to visit the Golconda Marina located on the river near Golconda at Lusk Creek. A full-service marina, Golconda offers overnight moorage with 100 slips available, both covered and open. Slips have electric and water hookups. There is a marina service and repair, boat lifts, fuel, sanitary pump outs and dry storage. Multiple free launch ramps are available, along with parking for trailers and cars, a snack shop, gift shop, and bait and tackle shop.