




Missouri Department  
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# Battle of Pilot Knob State Historic Site Accessibility Information

The symbol  indicates that the specified area is fully compliant with Americans with Disabilities Act Accessibility Guidelines (ADAAG).

## Visitor Center

You feel a sense of dignity as you look upon the visitor center, which is a shrine to those who fought here. This building was designed to be accessible when it was constructed. Two handicap parking spaces are located adjacent to a continuous concrete pathway that leads you to a plaza with benches and on up to the entrance. Just inside the door is the first exciting exhibit...a restored six-pounder cannon. To your left are accessible restrooms and a water fountain.

As you follow the tourist assistant into the museum, you pass by a very scenic view of the fort battlements. All along the walls are interpretive exhibits that lead to an audio-visual room for a 15-minute presentation. After the presentation, you are treated to an "automated battle map." This exhibit shows how the different commands maneuvered while you listen to the historic battle. Now, as you follow the wood-chip trail to the actual fort, you can identify the features you see.

## Picnic Area

The picnic area has a large parking lot with two handicap spaces and three covered individual picnic sites with paved pathways. Two group shelters are also available. Shelter No. 1 provides a group grill, an electrical outlet and seating for 35 people. Shelter No. 2 accommodates 20 people. Both are accessible. The area also contains a playground, which has pea gravel as a base. The nearby restroom is mostly accessible; but some may need assistance.

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