



R I N G L A K E R A N C H

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We are located 10 miles from town on a gravel road. We have a small gift shop with sundry items, but you should plan on bringing your supplies with you. The weather is variable, and it's good to be prepared for either warm or cool weather. Suggestions are:

- Casual clothing (jeans, sweatshirts, T shirts, shorts)
- Long sleeves for outdoor activities
- Sweaters and a warm jacket
- Rain gear- jackets and pants (no ponchos for horseback riding)
- Riding boots – smooth soles with a heel (we have boots you can borrow if needed)
- Comfortable, broken-in hiking boots or walking shoes
- Hiking poles or a walking staff if you have difficulty walking on rough terrain
- Sunscreen, skin moisturizer, and lip balm, bug repellent
- Hat
- Flashlight or headlamp (we have no exterior lights)
- Fishing gear -WY licenses can be purchased online or in Dubois
- Water bottles – 2 per person
- Day pack or fanny pack

Notes:

- All linens are furnished.
- Swimming is possible, but quite chilly, on Ring and Trail Lake
- We are connected to wireless, high-speed internet, though you may want to leave email at home while on retreat.
- Phones - for emergencies, please leave the guest phone number: (307) 455-2603. Cell phone coverage is "iffy". You may be able to connect to WIFI calling on your phone.
- For the safety of riders and horses, we reserve the right to determine if a horseback ride is not suitable based on the riders physical or mental limitations.
- We love animals, but **please leave your pets at home.**

May be required for the 2021 season:

Bring a face mask or two for each person. They can be washed in the cabin sinks. Masks will also be available in the gift shop for purchase!

A WORD OF CAUTION:

We are aware that traveling to and staying at the Ranch this summer poses risks for many of you. If you are in one of the high-risk groups for complications from contracting COVID 19, we strongly urge you to follow your physician's recommendations for limiting travel.

The elevation at Ring Lake is 7,500 feet and the setting of the Ranch is rugged. Because the air is so thin at this altitude, some people have difficulties. The skin sunburns easily. Cardiac and respiratory systems may be compromised. Allergic reactions to horses and fine dust may occur. An ambulance and basic medical care are available in town, but the closest hospital is a ninety minute drive from the Ranch.

Arrival and Departure: Please plan to arrive between 3:00 p.m. and 6:00 pm on the opening day of the session. Please stay in the parking lot or porch area until you are asked to check in. Check-out follows breakfast on the last day.

By Automobile: From the East - (Riverton or Lander), Highway 26/287. The turnoff is the LEFT, between mile marker 59 and 60 onto **Forest Road 411** (Trail Lake Road). The gravel road forks immediately after turning off the highway. Take the LEFT fork. The Ranch is approximately seven miles from the main highway. Our signs occur periodically. The Ranch road is on the left shortly after the Ring Lake campground. Cross the bridge and come through the gate. **The gate is not locked, even if it appears to be so;** please close it after you. The main complex is ½ mile from the gate.

From the West - (Jackson and Yellowstone) – Take Highway 287, go about three miles east of Dubois. The highway climbs a long hill and then descends and crosses a bridge. After the bridge, turn RIGHT onto Forest Road 411 (Trail Lake Road), and follow directions in the above paragraph.

By Air: Jackson and Riverton are our closest airports. Jackson is generally more convenient and is served by more airlines. It's important to book early. Some guests who plan to rent a car find flights and car rentals in Idaho Falls, Salt Lake City and Denver less expensive. There is a van charter service from Salt Lake Airport to Jackson Airport, make reservations at jacksonholealltrans.com

Transportation from the airport: Not available for 2020 please arrange your own transportation to the ranch. Rental vehicles are encouraged if you are flying.

Touring information: If you are interested in combining your visit to the Ranch with other attractions like Yellowstone or the Tetons, check our website for links.

Payment: Your payment is due in full upon your arrival; **we accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover and AMEX.** If you received a discount for paying by check please bring a check to pay your balance in order to keep the discount.

Tax: We are required to charge Wyoming sales and lodging tax unless you bring a tax exemption form.