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# Finger Lakes National Forest



# Blueberry Patch Campground

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## Description:

Blueberry Patch Campground is a small, semi-primitive campground located along Picnic Area Road (County Route 2), next to the large blueberry patch it received its name from. This is a popular spot to gather berries when they are in season. The berry patch features the high bush as well as low bush blueberries. The campground gate is open from May – October 31<sup>st</sup>. From late fall to early spring you may walk in and camp, but there is no water available. Sites are available on a first come-first served basis, with a \$5 per site per night camping fee.

## Directions:

**From the South,** take State Route 17 (I-86 in some areas) to exit 52 (Watkins Glen exit/State Route 14 North). In Watkins Glen, turn right on State Route 414 North. At the Fourth St. intersection go approximately 9 miles north, past the Hector Ranger Station of the Finger Lakes National Forest on the right. Continue for ½ mile and turn onto County Route 2, which is the next asphalt road. Travel for 4.0 miles east. Blueberry Patch Campground is on the right.

**From the North,** take I-90 to exit 41 (414 south to Hector, NY) the second asphalt road on the left, ½ mile past Wickham’s Plaza is County Route 2, turn left and go 4.0 miles east. Blueberry Patch Campground is on the right.

## Facilities:

### Campground:

There are nine campsites available on a first come-first served basis, each with a fire pit, a place to park, and a picnic table, some of which are handicap accessible. This campground is best suited for tents or small campers. There is a hand pump available for drinking water, and two handicap accessible vault toilets. Dumpster service is provided from May – October 31<sup>st</sup>. A campground host is usually provided at this recreation site. We rely on volunteers to staff this summer position.

### Day use area:

There is a parking lot as you drive into the campsite if you prefer to park your car and hike, picnic, or gather berries from this location without camping.

## Area Services:

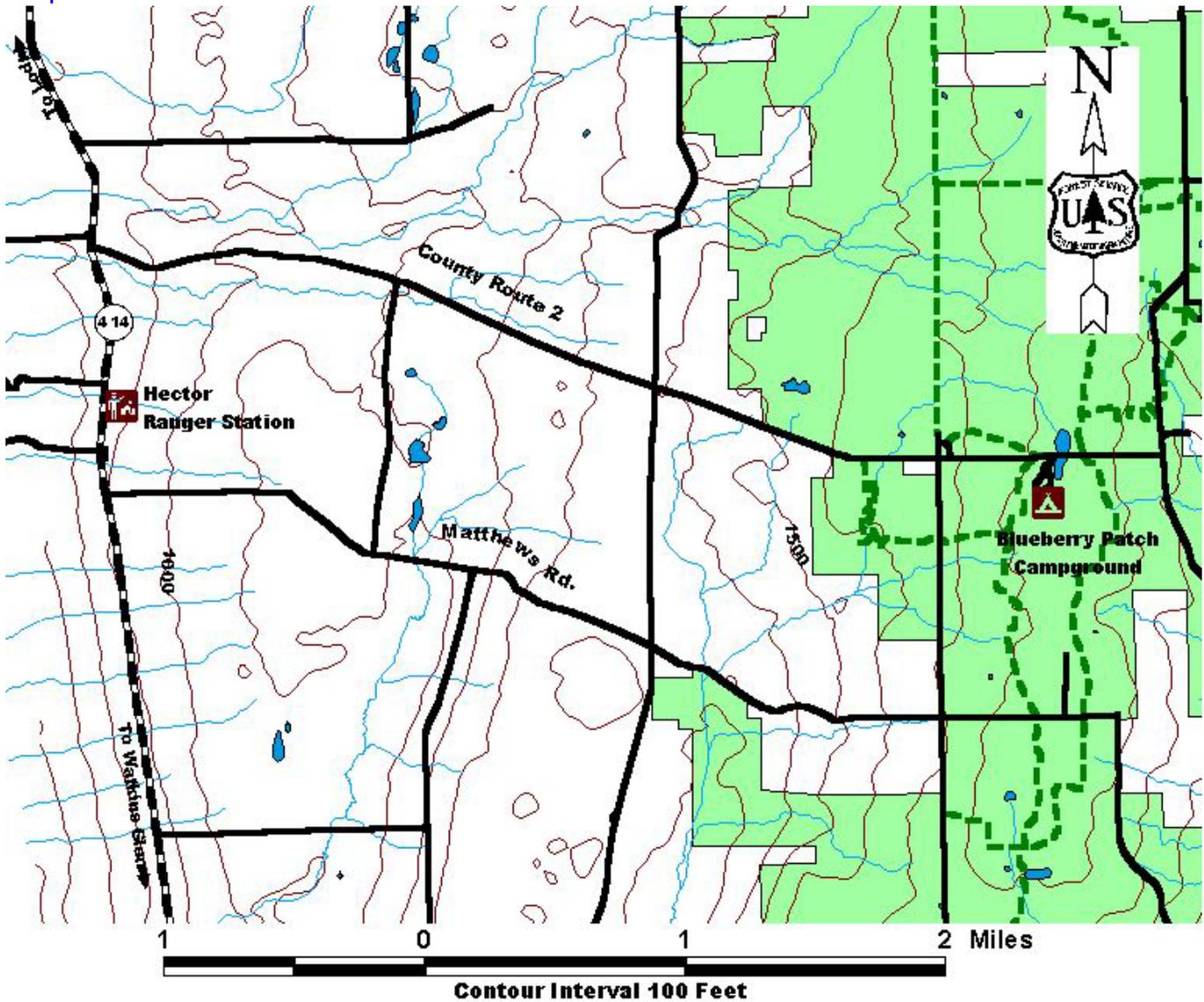
<b>Food and Services:</b> Hector shops and fuel stations		
<b>For all Emergencies: 911</b>		
<b>Police:</b> (607) 535-6642 or 911	<b>Fire:</b> (607) 535-6642 or 911	<b>Rescue:</b> (607) 535-6642 or 911
 <b>U.S. Department of Agriculture</b>   <b>Forest Service</b>	<b style="color: blue;">Green Mountain &amp; Finger Lakes National Forests</b> 5218 State Route 414, Hector, NY 14841  (607) 546-4470 Telephone      (607) 544-4476 TTY      (607) 546-4474 FAX Website: <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/gmfl">www.fs.fed.us/r9/gmfl</a> r9_gmfl_webmaster@fs.fed.us	

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Notes:

- Maximum length of stay is 14 days
- Dogs must be on a leash at all times
- Check out time is 2 PM
- There is no dump station

Map:



For more information:

Hector Ranger District, 5218 State Route 414, Hector, NY, 14841, (607) 546-4470