

Kemp Lake is a special place where disabled people can go to do things that they normally can't do. Whether it is fishing, hunting, bird-watching, exploring trails or just hanging out, Kemp Lake provides a fun atmosphere to "get away from it all" and enjoy the great outdoors . . . an old-fashioned fun & empowering outdoor experience!

#### Who is Welcome

Participants might be physically or mentally challenged or might just be someone who is not in a position to experience the great outdoors. Participants might be young or old, veteran or nonveteran, male or female. MO Disabled Sportsman, BackStoppers, CAST For Kids, Fallen Outdoors, Pathways to Independence, Jefferson Barracks

Spinal Cord Injury Group and Fallen Outdoors are just a few of past group participants. Hundreds of individual disabled participants have enjoyed Kemp Lake activities already!

# Events

Events vary from just **one person** with a guide to groups of over **100 people** with many volunteers who might help guide, provide a boat, cook, entertain or help in some other way. While fishing, hunting, exploring and birdwatching are the most common activities. Events could possibly other activities, too! Contact us at <u>FuneKempLake.org</u> to see if Kemp Lake would be the perfect fit for you or your organization.



### Location

Kemp Lake is approximately 1 hour **west of St. Louis** off Highway 44. The lake is 19 acres and is nestled in a **215-acre property** that has over 6+ miles in trails. For directions, visit <u>KempLake.org/map</u>

## Activities

Kemp Lake has plenty to offer for everyone!

<u>Fishing:</u> Fish from floating "breakaway" docks that make getting on and off the water easy for just about anyone. In summer, two connected docks are often taken out – one with **shade** and one without – this can add a wonderful comfort factor. Bass, bluegill and crappie are abundant on the managed

**<u>Hunting</u>**: Hunts for turkey, deer and rabbit. There have been several upland bird hunts, too. There are two accessible and heated hunting blinds available. A motorized wheelchair is also available if needed.



**Pavilion**: We are excited to announce that we are completing construction of an all-new lakeside pavilion! It holds **80+ participants**, family and others and features 3



bathrooms (2 wheelchair-accessible), a PA system and plenty of picnic tables.

& More!: Explore our trails in **golf carts** or go birdwatching with our resident expert. The possibilities are endless!

## Cost

It's **free** to visit Kemp Lake! Due to the generosity of donors and volunteers, activities and food at Kemp Lake are completely free to participants.









# Get Started Today

If you are interested in **doing an event** at Kemp Lake - large or small - please email <u>FuneKempLake.org</u> or fill out the form online at KempLake.org/contact

If you are interested in donating, visit KempLake.org/donate

If you are interested in volunteering for an event, please fill out the form at <u>KempLake.org/volunteer</u>