LACAWAC SANCTUARY

Schedule of Research Use Fees: 2023

Lacawac Sanctuary and Biological Field Station affords tremendous opportunities for ecological research, teaching, and outreach through our facilities. This includes a diversity of aquatic and terrestrial ecosystems, analytical laboratory, and unique spaces in our historic Great Camp for lodging, meetings and coursework. Please contact our administrative office (570-689-9494) or the Director of Science and Research, Dr. Beth Norman (beth.norman@lacawac.org) for reservations and additional information.

Lacawac offers a range of financial options for researchers seeking to work on site. We can invoice for services rendered according to our fee schedule below. Discounts and additional benefits are available for those who join our Consortium. We are also happy to work with PIs planning grant proposals that include Lacawac as a research site to customize a fee structure specific to the duration and frequency of Lacawac services expected over the life of the grant. Contact Beth Norman to discuss.

SITE USE

GENERAL SITE USAGE:

includes priority lake access and use of boats and canoes

	Consortium Member	Non-consortium	
	Fee	Fee	
Groups of 3 or fewer	\$20/day	\$40/day	
Groups of more than 3	\$50/day	\$100/day	

GENERAL SITE USAGE + DR. SUSAN S. KILHAM ENVIRONMENTAL LABORATORY:

Includes site use as described above and access to analytical laboratory equipment including purified water (MilliQ), balances (laboratory, analytical, and micro), scanning spectrophotometer, multi-mode plate reader, fluorometer, drying oven, vacuum filtration, acid bath, heat block, and glass and plastic ware.

	Consortium Member	Non-consortium	
	Fee	Fee	
Groups of 3 or fewer	\$50/day	\$80/day	
Groups of more than 3	\$80/day	\$225/day	

CLASSROOM / MEETING SPACE:

includes a meeting/classroom space with tables and chairs that accommodates 50-100, a projector and screen, and wifi.

	Consortium Member Fee	Non-consortium Fee
Carriage House	\$75/day	\$125/day

FIELD OR LAB ASSISTANCE FROM LACAWAC STAFF:

includes equipment operation, project support, implementation, and maintenance.

	Consortium Member Fee	Non-consortium Fee
Director of Science and Research	\$35/hour	\$45/hour
Undergraduate Intern	\$13.50/hour	\$15/hour

LODGING

LODGE ROOMS:

Dorm-style accommodation in the historic Watres Lodge with 1-4 people per room, shared bathrooms, kitchen (stocked with flatware, dishware, cookware, fridge, freezer, and dry storage), and living space. Includes wifi.

	Consortium Member	Non-consortium	
	Fee	Fee	
Per person rate	\$25/night	\$50/night	

EXCLUSIVE LODGE:

Exclusive use of the historic Watres Lodge which sleeps up to 27 people, 3 bathrooms, kitchen (stocked with flatware, dishware, cookware, fridge, freezer, and dry storage), and living space. Includes wifi.

	Consortium Member	Non-consortium
	Fee	Fee
First night*	\$500	\$700
Additional nights	\$400/night	\$500/night

^{*}includes a cleaning fee

ICE HOUSE:

Exclusive use of the historic Ice House which sleeps 3-6 people, 1 bathroom, kitchenette (stocked with flatware, dishware, cookware, fridge, freezer, and dry storage), and living space. Includes wifi. First night's fee includes a cleaning charge.

	Consortium Member	Non-consortium
	Fee	Fee
First night*	\$200	\$250
Additional nights	\$125/night	\$150/night

^{*}includes a cleaning fee

STORAGE

SHELTERED STORAGE:

Storage space that is secured, sheltered, and dry but not heated or climate controlled. Stored items must be registered with and approved by the DSR.

	Consortium Member	Non-consortium
	Fee	Fee
3 boxes or fewer	\$100/year	\$150/year
4 boxes or more	\$150/year	\$200/year

CLIMATE CONTROLLED OR LABORATORY STORAGE:

Storage spaces are secured and climate controlled year-round. Stored items must be registered and approved by DSR.

	Consortium Member	Non-consortium
	Fee	Fee
Drawer/cabinet unit	\$2/month	\$5/month
Multiple drawer/cabinet units or tall cabinets	\$5/month	\$10/month