Notice: The road into Cataloochee is a moderately steep, very windy and narrow mountain road. Persons driving large vehicles and/or pulling trailers are advised to use extreme caution.

All three campgrounds in the Valley, i.e. Cataloochee campground, horse camp, and group camp, require advanced reservations. Cell phone coverage in the Valley is very poor and there is no provision for reserving or paying for a site once in the Valley. Reservations may be made by calling 877-444-6777 or at www.recreation.gov.

Cataloochee Campground
A food storage box, intended for use by motorcyclists and others without a hardsided vehicle, is located across from site 2.

Directions to Cataloochee: Exit I-40 at exit 20 in North Carolina. Turn right onto Cove Creek Road. 1 mile from I-40. Follow Cove Creek Road to the Park boundary. The road goes from pavement to gravel to pavement. Upon reaching the pavement the second time, turn left. Go 2.5 miles to an intersection and continue another 1/2 mile to the left.