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Lakeland Provincial Park, east of Lac La Biche, protects one of Alberta's best kept canoeing secrets. The park focuses on primitive "wilderness" recreation and features Alberta's only backcountry canoe circuit.

The main circuit of Jackson, Kinnaird, Blackett and McGuffin Lakes is 38 kilometres in length and takes around three days to complete. "Made in Lakeland"

canoe carts, available at portages on the main circuit, add to the ease of exploring this hidden treasure in northeast Alberta.

The canoe circuit is all flat water and an easy paddle. Just keep an eye on the weather, as the lakes can get choppy in short order.

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Sixteen back-country camping sites are located throughout the provincial park; many of these spots have multiple camp sites to accommodate larger parties or several small parties.

They are typically equipped with a backcountry composting toilet, fire pit, picnic tables and bear poles or bear lockers. Currently, these are not reserveable and can be used on a first come, first serve basis.

Most canoeists gain access from Jackson Lake Staging Area on Highway 663, locally called Touchwood Lake Road.

Please be considerate of other campers; pack out all garbage and try to leave the sites in better condition than you found them.

## Resources

Backcountry Travel application and Lakeland Provincial Park & Recreation Area map are available online at: http://albertaparks.ca/publications

or from the Lac La Biche office at: Lakeland Provincial Park and Provincial Recreation Area Box 1019

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