



# HOHNBERGER OPEN HOUSE JULY 22-JULY 24, 2010

We are excited about your interest in coming to our sixth annual open house! Over the years we have only been able to accommodate very few families, but we understand that many want to see our wilderness home where many of the stories we preach and write about have taken place. In this packet you will find all the information you will need to plan your visit with us. But if you do have further questions please feel free to contact us at (406) 387-4333. Books, CD's, and DVD's will be made available if you wish to purchase them shipping free during your visit.

Our home will be open from 10am-5pm Thursday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> through Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup>. On Saturday, July 24, there will be a special Sabbath Service at 11 am to end our time together. That afternoon we will have a picnic lunch & fellowship time to enjoy (bring your own special lunch food). Everyone and anyone is invited. Bring your friends, relatives, and church members, neighbors and fellow workers.

There are a variety of accommodation options. Sonderson Meadow is a large wilderness meadow overlooking Glacier National Park. It will accommodate no more than 74 people. Please do keep in mind that there are NO facilities of any kind, so plan for a true wilderness camping experience. This site requires no reservation and is free of charge. It is only 10-15 minutes from our home. This site borders the North Fork River.



Another accommodation to consider is the Ford, which is a camping site that has limited facilities which include a pit toilet and hand pump well for water. This water can be used in cooking and for drinking. This site does not require reservation and is also free of charge. It is 5-10 minutes from our home. It will also accommodate no more than 74 people. This site borders the North Fork River as well.



The Airstrip and River Camping is just north of our home, 5 minutes drive. There are no facilities, but a lot of quiet and rest. It is fee free and you do not need to make reservations.

Five Forest Service Cabins are in close proximity to our home that can be rented for \$25-\$50 a day. Their names are: Schnaus Cabin, Ford Cabin, Ninko Cabin, Rover Cabin, and Hornet Lookout. The number to call for accommodation is: 877-444-6777 or reserve online:

[www.reserveusa.com](http://www.reserveusa.com). These usually require reservation a year in advance.

One special accommodation to consider is *The Way Less Traveled Bed and Breakfast* located north of Polebridge. You can find them on the web at [www.thewaylesstraveled.com](http://www.thewaylesstraveled.com). We would imagine they fill up quickly. So if you are interested in this possibility please contact them right away. It is located 15 minutes from our home.

Other options to evaluate when planning where you will camp are Red Meadow Lake Camp Ground, Bowman Lake Camp Ground, and Kintla Lake Camp Ground. All these sites are on a first come first serve basis. They are some of our favorite locations. These sites are within one hour or less from our home. Bowman and Kintla are actually part of Glacier National Park; daily fee required.

If you are interested in motel or trailer/motor home camping facilities please see the list included in this packet. If you are going to be staying in at one of these there are a few things that you will want to consider. First make your reservations far in advance. This is important due to the fact that Columbia Falls, our closest town, is also very close to Glacier Park. In the summer many people visit the area and motels fill up very quickly. Second, our home is a 50 mile drive from these accommodations, most of this distance being a gravel road. Please understand that we will be very busy at our home so we will not be available to help with any arrangements relating to your stay. Each family will be responsible for their own accommodations, transportation, and arrangements.

If you plan to come by plane our main airport is Glacier International Airport in Kalispell. It is about one and a half hour drive from our home. For train, Amtrak comes into Whitefish, from which it is about a two hour drive to get to our home.

You will find a detailed map also included in this packet. All of the sites listed can be located on the map. You do not need to register or call if you plan to come unless you have questions. Do keep in mind that nothing will be provided; you will need to bring all your own camping gear and food. The average temperature during the summer is 75-80 degrees daytime and 45-50 degrees at night. We encourage you to take this into consideration as you pack.



Please note that **Thursday to Friday at 5:00 p.m.** Sally & I will take those youth and adults capable of riding through a series of class 2 to class 3 rapids (these can have waves 2-3 feet high) tubing down the North Fork River. Remember to bring your own inner tubes and life jackets.

If you have ever wanted to see how we live, been curious about our home, longed to absorb the beautiful wilderness setting where so many of our stories have taken place, or have just wanted to bring a lawn chair and sit in our front yard and chat with us—this is your opportunity. We would encourage you to take this time to not just enjoy the setting, recreation and people who will be here, but to also take special time for reflection and re-evaluation of what God is calling you to do personally in your own walk with Him. We look forward to you being a part of our Open House 2010.

God Bless,

*Jim & Sally*



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# Other Accommodations: Polebridge, Columbia Falls & West Glacier, Montana

## **Polebridge Cabin Rentals**

(406) 888-5105

These cabins are not full service but are a nice alternative to tent camping. They are located 12 miles south of our home; about 20-30 minute drive.

## **Glacier Park Super 8**

7336 Hwy. 2 E.

Columbia Falls, MT 59912

1-800-800-8000 or (406) 892-0888

[www.super8.com](http://www.super8.com)

## **Glacier Inn Motel**

1401 2nd Ave E

Columbia Falls, MT 59912

(406) 892-4341

[www.virtualmontana.com/montanadirectory/montanalistings/GC/montanall01.htm](http://www.virtualmontana.com/montanadirectory/montanalistings/GC/montanall01.htm)

## **West Glacier KOA**

355 Half Moon Flats Rd.

West Glacier, MT 59936

406-387-5341

[www.westglacierkoa.com](http://www.westglacierkoa.com)

## **Glacier Campground**

12070 Hwy 2 E

West Glacier, MT 59936

888-387-5689

[www.glaciercampground.com](http://www.glaciercampground.com)

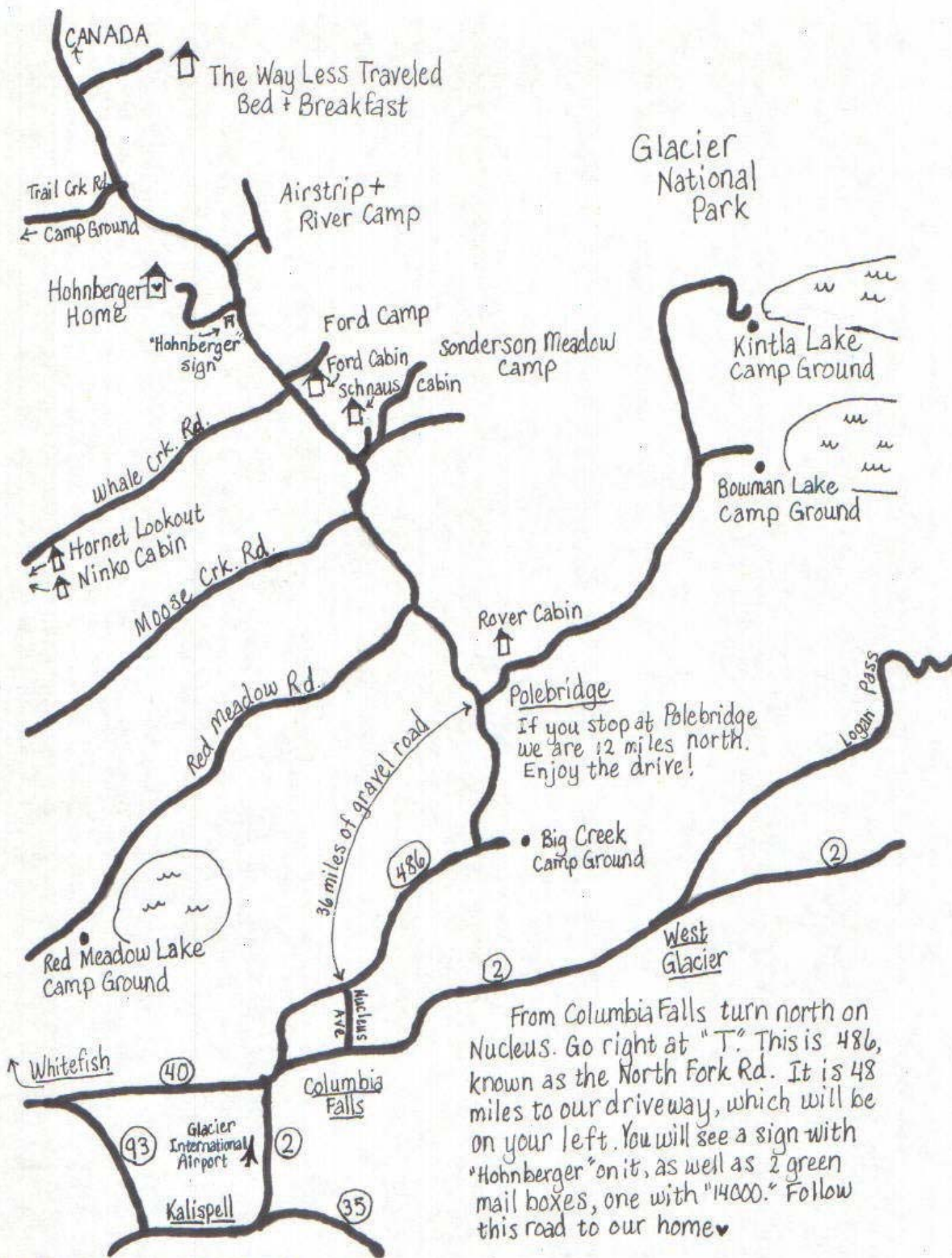
## **North American RV Park**

10784 Highway 2 E

Coram, MT 59913

406-387-5800

[www.northamericanrvpark.com](http://www.northamericanrvpark.com)



From Columbia Falls turn north on Nucleus. Go right at "T". This is 486, known as the North Fork Rd. It is 48 miles to our driveway, which will be on your left. You will see a sign with "Hohnberger" on it, as well as 2 green mail boxes, one with "14000." Follow this road to our home♥