

Big Knot Campsite revised 1/25/2003

Many who are doing a thru-hike backpacking trip use this site as a first nights rest seeing it right at 8 miles from the Mile 0/Start of the PMT. From Fox Den Cove parking lot, go east on the PMT (north of GA Hwy 190 away from the parking lot). The hike to Big Knot takes you past a large rock cliff (Fox Den Cliff) near Indian Mountain. Down the slope away from the top of the mountain, the trail views to the west are spectacular. The trail crosses a small wooden bridge just before an uphill climb and sign/trail to the right for the site. Mile 8 is just past the campsite sign. The site is on small ridge. Water source is a small clear spring, which is located just at the bottom of the ridge to the east of the campsite first fire ring about 100 yards or so. There are **two** fire rings at the camp that are a pretty good ways apart. B is straight back behind A. You can use either one, but we ask groups to use just one. Main thing is **DROWN** your campfire before you leave camp. Like all camps, do not add to or move firer ings. NOTE: Fire ring B has more trees near it and thus better for couple hammocks.



Big Knot Fire Ring A



Fire Ring B2 is about 200' further south from A



This the foot bridge is just west of the campsite before you come uphill to the campsite entrance sign.

