

## TROUT REGULATIONS ON CHEROKEE WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

NAME OF STREAM  Only one rod or pole permitted per angler on the waters listed below except Calderwood	TELLICO-CITICO DAILY PERMIT REQUIRED	CLOSED THU/FRI EXCEPT STATE & FEDERAL HOLIDAYS	TROUT CREEL LIMIT	TROUT MINIMUM SIZE LIMIT	HOURS OPEN	GEAR/TACKLE ALLOWED
<b>TELLICO RIVER</b> upstream from Turkey Creek to NC state line*	3/15 - 9/15	3/15 - 9/15	7	6" Brook only	----- One-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset -----	All All All - No minnows
<b>CITICO CREEK</b> upstream from Little Citico Creek*	3/15 - 9/15	3/15 - 9/15	7			
<b>GREEN COVE POND</b> - Fishing limited to handicapped** individuals, children under age 13, and adults 65 years of age and older.	Year-round	Year-round	7			
<b>NORTH RIVER</b> and tributaries	No	No	3	6" Brook, 9" Brown and Rainbow	----- One-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset -----	Only single-hook artificial lures and flies are permitted. Use or possession of multiple hook lures, or bait is prohibited. One single-hook lure separated from a legal lure by a length of line (e.g. a dropper fly) is also permitted.
<b>BALD RIVER</b> and tributaries	No	No	3			
<b>NORTH FORK CITICO CREEK</b> and tributaries	No	No	3			
<b>SOUTH FORK CITICO CREEK</b> and tributaries	No	No	3			
<b>LAUREL FORK CREEK</b> and tributaries beginning at cable crossing one half mile upstream from Dennis Cove Recreation Area and extending upstream	No	No	3			
<b>GEE CREEK</b> and tributaries in Polk County	No	No	3			
<b>WOLF CREEK</b> and tributaries in Polk County	No	No	3			
<b>BEAVERDAM CREEK</b> and tributaries from its confluence with Birch Branch downstream to Tank Hollow Road (USFS Rd. 300)	No	No	3			
<b>PAINT CREEK</b> and tributaries in Greene Co. from USFS campground upstream to US Forest Service boundary line south of Hwy 70 near Munday Gap	No	No	3			
<b>ROCKY FORK</b> and tributaries	No	No	7 trout, only 3 Brook trout			
<b>HIGGINS CREEK</b> and tributaries	No	No				
<b>SQUIBB CREEK</b>	No	No				
<b>SARVIS COVE</b>	No	No				
<b>DRY CREEK</b> and tributaries (Greene Co.) upstream from US Forest Service boundary	No	No				
<b>SYCAMORE CREEK</b> and tributaries	No	No				
<b>ROUGH RIDGE CREEK</b> and tributaries	No	No				
<b>SLICK ROCK CREEK</b> that portion which constitutes boundary between NC and TN	No	No	4	All trout 7"		
<b>CALDERWOOD RESERVOIR</b> (limblines and trotlines prohibited)	No	No	7	None	24 hrs.	All
<b>ALL OTHER STREAMS IN CHEROKEE WMA</b> (not listed above)	No	No	7	Gen. Reg.	24 hrs.	All

\* The possession of fishing equipment and/or tackle is prohibited on stream banks except during legal fishing hours.

\*\* Handicap - Any person who is mentally or physically impaired (including blindness) because of injury or disease, congenital or acquired, which permanently renders him/her so severely disabled as to be unable to move without aid of crutches or a wheelchair, or a person who has 80% permanent impairment of a hand or arm as determined by physician using the standards outlined in the "Guide to Evaluation of Permanent Rating" published by the AMA or other accepted rating system.