

Yurt on Chebeague Island: Adams-Helpin Yurt



The Island Yurt is located in the woods behind the home of hosts Eliza Jane and Rocky, accessible by a path and abandoned dirt road. This "glampy" yurt is designed for comfort and offers a unique island experience. Listen to the sounds of the woods and in the early morning for the distant lobster boats. During cool nights there is a heater to stay cozy warm inside, or open the windows to feel the cool summer breezes.

Eliza Jane or Rocky will meet you upon arrival by ferry in a four-seater ATV. The yurt is located near the center of the island, just up from the Chebeague Island Boat Yard and within walking distance to anywhere on the island.



Fall asleep while looking up through the center dome from the queen log bed. Ahhh. Flannel sheets and bedding from L L. Bean's of Freeport. Well, cotton bedding in the summer months.

Bath towels and beach towels provided.



Relax in the two leather bucket swivel chairs, where you will want to sit and melt in comfort.

Ready to play a round of chess or cribbage?





The yurt kitchenette is set up for rustic cooking, and includes cookware, utensils, dishes, oil for cooking. A two burner stove is a traditional stove common in boats. Under the counter is a small dorm-size fridge. The kitchen sink has a foot operated pump from a water tank. Plenty of drinking water. Hot water is provided by an electric kettle, and a Melitta pour-over coffee set-up.



The front deck and chairs face a private abandoned dirt road that runs through 15 acres of woods. A screen house can be set up during mosquito season.

Sit around the BioLite fire pit at night, good for grilling or marshmallows. Plenty of camp wood is provided. The fire pit is raised on legs and safer for use in the woods, but caution is always advised.

When lobsters are in season, an outdoor cooker and steam pot can be provided upon request, along with everything needed for a lobster dinner. During summer/fall months, fresh organic produce is available at the Second Wind Farm, a 15 minute walk away through a path in the woods. Check with hosts for local eat in and take out eateries, all within walking distance.

The composting toilet is adjacent to the yurt, in an outhouse tent on a raised platform. The composting toilet is surprisingly "neutral." A second pop up shower tent has a sunshower with a foot pump, shampoo and liquid soap provided.

There is electricity in the yurt for indoor lighting and device charging, but this yurt feels off the grid. Be sure to bring a headlamp.

\$125/night, 2 night minimum, \$750/week

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