

**2012 RMBL Rate Schedule  
December 29, 2011**

Rocky Mountain Biological Laboratory has the following fees in 2012:

**Application fees:**

See the Research Code for details on application review.

Type of Application	Fees
Continuing	\$30
New/Renewal	\$80 for application Additional \$50 processing fee if received after Feb. 1 <sup>st</sup>
Research Assistant	\$30
Student	Free if submitted on or before Feb. 15 <sup>th</sup> \$30 if submitted after Feb. 15 <sup>th</sup>
Animal Care Protocol	\$25 if submitted on or before Feb. 1 <sup>st</sup> Additional \$25 processing fee if submitted after Feb. 1 <sup>st</sup>
Research/Animal Care Supplements for approved projects	Free if submitted on or before Feb. 1 <sup>st</sup> \$25 processing fee if submitted after Feb. 1 <sup>st</sup> and require extensive review
Visiting Scientists/Guests/Alumni	Free

**Station use fee:** \$16.25/day for every person 17 or over living in Gothic. This fee also applies to researchers and research assistants who live off-site but work through RMBL to cover administrative research-related costs. The station use fee is calculated from the arrival date until the departure date; individuals will be charged for days during which they are gone unless they have completely moved out of their cabin in Gothic and made prior arrangements with the Director of Finance and Operations. See “Changing Dates” below for the policy on shortening stays.

**All students:**

- Applications: \$30 submitted after February 15.; there is no fee for applications submitted on or before Feb. 15;
- Deposit: A personal \$250 deposit must be received from every accepted student and REU. The deposit will be cashed and returned at the end of the summer season pending outstanding charges.
- Coursework fees: \$5,000 for the 10-week summer session (8 June–16 August)
- Early arrival and late departure: All students receive 70 consecutive days of housing, meals, station fees, and tuition. Two additional days may be added on to both the beginning and/or the end with no additional costs. Students are responsible for any days beyond those. **RMBL does not reduce fees for shorter stays.** REU students, including REU supplements funded through RMBL, may have housing, meals, and station fees waived if they are working on their own research projects.

**Deposits:** PIs, RAs, staff, and family members should not submit deposits; all students pay a \$250 deposit fee.

**Meals:** Residents in non-cooking housing have priority for space in the Dining Hall, and meal costs are included in their housing rates. For those in cooking cabins, it is possible to purchase a variety of meal plans, as long as space allows. For those eating all of their meals on the meal plan, meals are \$23.50/day. Meal hours are breakfast 7-7:30am, lunch 12:00-12:30pm, dinner 6-6:30pm. Menus are posted weekly to aid you in planning.

Individual meals cost:

- \$7.50 for breakfast
- \$8.75 for lunch
- \$10.25 for dinner.
- Children under 4 are free and ages 4-12 are half-price.

**Housing:** There is a wide variety of both cooking and non-cooking cabins. RMBL Administration has ultimate authority to assign housing. Priority may be given to those who fill a cabin to capacity for the longest time period. In any case, the Administration reserves the right to make the best fit between needs and availability. Rental fees are calculated from the first day of arrival to the final departure date; individuals will be charged even for days during which they are gone unless they have completely moved out of the building and made prior arrangements with the Director of Finance and Operations. Individuals who stay in non-cooking cabins will be charged for eating in the Dining Hall if the Dining Hall is open. See “Changing Dates” below for the policy on shortening stays. RMBL does not guarantee that all features of a cabin (e.g., toilet, shower, hot water) are fully functional; reductions in fees will not be granted except under exceptional circumstances and only by written request to the RMBL Executive Director. The Director shall have final say on whether exceptional circumstances merit a reduction in fees.

Non-cooking shared housing (cost is per person per day - including meals):

Total Price	Price Breakdown	Cabins
\$33.50	\$23.50 for meals, \$10.00 for housing	Marcellina, Paradise
\$35.25	\$23.50 for meals, \$11.75 for housing	Beanpod, Doctor’s Annex, East River, Johnson House, Judd Falls, Mammal Lab, New Savoy, Oh-Be-Joyful, Ore House, Swallow’s Nest, Yule
\$37.50	\$23.50 for meals, \$14.00 for housing	Purple

Cooking shared housing (cost is per person per day):

Price	Cabins
\$9.75	Bellview, Crystal, Enders, Enders Annex, Lead King, North Pole, Porcupine, Red Rock, Remington, Schofield, Snowmass, Sylvanite, Virginia, Whiterock
\$14.25	Avery, Doctor’s, Forest Queen, Hunter, Levi, McLeod, Pelton, Tincup, Willey
\$17.00	Baker, Barclay, Doctor’s with Annex, Gates, Hull, Richards, Weekley
\$21.25	Augusta, Calder, Cinnamon, Galena, Maroon, Mt. Emmons, Ouray, Rogers-Boggs, Teocalli, Treasury

Exclusive housing (for one person): Cabins may be rented exclusively, if space is available. The rate is the number of beds in the cabin multiplied by the per person rate.

Family housing: Two bedroom cabins may be rented exclusively for families. Families are charged for two and a half adults, plus \$5.50/day per child between ages 4 and 17. Children under 4 are free. Children older than 17 are charged as adults.

**Vehicles:** Parking permits in Gothic are mandatory and need to be purchased per vehicle. Parking fees are in effect between June 1 and August 24.

User Type	Daily Charge	Maximum Charge for Summer
Resident PIs and Visiting Scientists	\$5	\$300
PIs and Visiting Scientists commuting from off-site	\$5	\$215
Resident students, guests, research assistants	\$7.50	\$450
Students, guests, and research assistants commuting from off-site	\$7.50	\$320

**Non-scientists and students (Guests, Alumni, and Visiting Groups):**

- RMBL charges a 25% surcharge on station fees and housing for anybody who is not a scientist (defined as someone who has an approved research application or is a visiting scientist), a research assistant, a student, staff member, or an immediate family member (partner, parent, or child) of a scientist, research assistant, student, or staff member. In 2012, station fees for guests, alumni, and visiting groups will be \$20.30 per person per day, which includes the 25% surcharge.
- The day use fee for guests or visitors who wish to shower, dispose of trash, or use computers at RMBL is \$9.00/day.
- Anyone who has an unregistered guest will pay a \$50 penalty, and the guest may be asked to leave. You are responsible for your guests' fees, as well as making certain they leave a clean living space. If a surprise guest arrives, email or leave a note in the office ASAP for the Director of Finance and Operations

**Grants Run Through RMBL:** RMBL provides a 25% discount on station fees and housing paid by grants or subcontracts run through RMBL.

**Pets:** Pets are not allowed at RMBL any time of the year. Dogs and cats should not be inside the RMBL fence line, even within vehicles. Please park vehicles with pets at the visitor parking lot or on the county road. People violating these restrictions will be warned once, and then fined \$50/incident.

**Phones:** At your request a phone line can be installed in your cabin or dorm. RMBL charges \$45 per summer for the installation and maintenance of a phone line. If you would like an extension in your lab, or anywhere else, the charge is an additional \$25. All charges are in addition to CenturyLink fees for service and installation.

**Laboratory rentals:** Rates are for the entire year. Labs may be shared at half the full rate. Scientists renting for the year pay no storage charge for items stored in their personal lab space. However, if staff deals with items at RMBL (e.g., moving them out), scientists will be charged the \$35/hour rate for dealing with personal items (see below).

Lab Rentals/Year:

Fee	Lab Space
\$350.00	Murray Lab #1-9 (shared office space, 2 people per office)
\$1,802.50	Johnson Lab #1, 2, 4-7 (exclusive)
\$1,977.50	Willey Lab #101-104, 200-203 (exclusive)
\$2,887.50	Willey Lab #204 (exclusive)
\$3,377.50	Willey Lab #100 (exclusive)
\$350.00	Willey Lab shared Office Space (4 people/office)
\$1,977.50	Research Center #110-113, 119, 121 (exclusive)
\$1,330.00	Research Center #109 (exclusive)
\$3,955.00	Research Center #101 (2 half labs)
\$1,050.00	Precision Techniques Lab #120 (4 quarter labs)
\$700.00	Research Center Workstation in #101-105, 116, 120, 122
\$250.00	Conducting Research in the Warming Meadow

Labs may be rented on a daily basis at the rates below. Labs may be shared at half the full rate. Items may not be stored in the Lab if the Lab is not rented for the year. Charges start on the day items are moved into the Lab and stop when all items in the Lab have been removed.

Lab Rentals/Day:

Fee	Lab Space
\$5.00	Murray Lab #1-9 (shared office space, 2 people per office)
\$25.75	Johnson Lab #1, 2, 4-7 (exclusive)
\$28.25	Willey Lab #101-104, 200-203 (exclusive)
\$41.25	Willey Lab #204 (exclusive)

\$48.25	Willey Lab #100 (exclusive)
\$5.00	Willey Lab shared Office Space (4 people/office)
\$28.25	Research Center Private Lab #110-113, 119, 121 (exclusive)
\$19.00	Research Center #109 Private Lab (exclusive)
\$56.50	Research Center Combined Lab #101 (2 half labs each at \$28.25 per day) Precision Techniques Lab #120 (4 quarter labs or 6 workstations)
\$15.00	Research Center Shared Precision Techniques Lab #120 (4 quarter labs)
\$10.00	Research Center Workstation in #101-105, 116, 120, 122

**Storage Fees at RMBL:** Those who wish to store research, lab, or personal items outside of lab spaces which they have rented year-round will be charged the following **annual rates:**

Fee	Space
\$25	Willey, Murray, Johnson Lab sheds, attics, closets, common use spaces (3 boxes or fewer)
\$50	Willey and Johnson Lab sheds, attics, closets, common use spaces (4 boxes or more)
\$75	Murray Lab, entire room
\$40	Murray Lab, half a room
\$100	Richards Shed
\$75	Hydro Plant
\$50	Willey Cabin Shed (available 2011-2012 only)
\$25	Paradise Cabin Shed (available 2011-2012 only)
\$75	Research stuff in cabins (available 2011-2012 only)
\$25	Personal items stored in cabins not to be shared with other users unless you have a written exclusive use or first use agreement (3 boxes or fewer)
\$50	Personal items stored in cabins not to be shared with other users unless you have a written exclusive use or first use agreement (4 boxes or more)

Storage is not available in private labs rented on a per-day basis. Research related items that are stored at RMBL must be registered with the Science Director. Personal items that are stored in cabins must be registered with the Director of Finance and Operations. Non-registered items will be thrown away and/or assessed a storage fee of \$50/year.

**Personal Items:** We will charge \$35/person/hour with a \$35 minimum per person for dealing with personal items. This includes, but is not limited to, cleaning up personal items in cabins, moving personal items between cabins, moving items between research labs, and cleaning up research materials in the field.

**Trash:** Private residences in the vicinity of Gothic that wish to use RMBL trash will be charged for such use. Access to this service will be charged one fee for the entire summer, regardless of how much the services are used. Trash costs \$50.

**Responsibility:** Once accepted, researchers, research assistants, students and others are obligated to pay all fees that apply to the facilities and services they have requested. Principal Investigators are responsible for the financial obligations of all team members they employ. Persons delinquent in payment of fees may not return to RMBL until all outstanding bills for themselves and their research teams have been paid. All individuals are responsible for any collection fees above and beyond interest charges for accounts delinquent more than one year.

**Changing Dates:**

- Between 1 April and 1 May, researchers or their assistants who change their length of stay for a total of more than 7 days (e.g. if you planned to be in Gothic for 65 days but change that to 57) will incur a one-time fee of \$25.

- Any date changes after 1 May that result in a total reduction in length of stay of more than 7 days during the period of June 1 and August 24 will result in a charge of 100% of the lost revenue associated with station fees, laboratory fees, and housing to the RMBL (after the 7 days have been subtracted).
- Dates can be changed once at no charge. After one change has been made (either reduction or extension of stay), we charge a \$10 processing fee for each additional change of dates.
- Fee waivers will only be granted in cases of personal illness (with doctor's documentation) or family emergencies such as death or illness in family.
- Researchers who decide after 1 May that they wish to extend the length of their stay should understand that it might not be possible if their housing or lab has been assigned to someone else. There is no financial penalty for extending a stay, just the chance that it might not be possible to accommodate your needs. If you decide to extend your stay, you will need to let the Admin office know ASAP. You may not be able to stay in the same cabin if you extend your stay.

**Nordic Huts:** RMBL has two cabins available from December 1 to April 15 as part of the Nordic Hut System. RMBL rates are available for: RMBL scientists with an active research plan, RMBL members who have donated within the last 12 months, and special education groups with approval from the Executive Director, Development Director, or Director of Finance and Operations.

- Maroon cabin accommodates up to 8 people, and rents to a single party or group for \$168.00 per night through RMBL.
- Forest Queen cabin houses up to 6 people and rents to a single party or group for \$14.70 per person per night through RMBL.
- The Nordic Center in Crested Butte manages public rental of these huts and sets their own rental rate. Details are available on the Nordic Center website at: <http://www.cbnordic.org/>

**RMBL Transcripts:** Official RMBL transcripts are available at \$5.00 per transcript. Transcript details are found at: <http://www.rmbll.org/transcripts>.

**Exceptions:** Any exceptions to these rates and policies must be granted in advance in writing from the Director of Finance and Operations or the Executive Director.

**Interpretation:** The rate sheet supersedes any other information on the website or that is given orally. In case of a contradiction, we go by information on the rate sheet. Interpretation of this rate sheet is by the Director of Finance and Operations and can be appealed to the Executive Director.