

Telecommunications

Telephone

Cell phone reception at the house is excellent for all cell providers that we have knowledge of. If you have a smart phone or iPad, you will be able to access the internet through your cellular device via your cell phone service provider and you will not need to purchase the optional WiFi service (see below).

WiFi

Because of our remote location we have extremely limited choice regarding internet access. Unfortunately, we do not have the option of providing unlimited free internet access for our guests. What we do have is a StraightTalk WiFi hotspot which guests are welcome to use. Use of the WiFi unit requires the purchase of a data pass. The guest must decide for themselves how much data they are likely to consume, and then purchase a data pass in the form of a "StraightTalk Data Refill Card". The passes are available in the following denominations:

- 1 gigabyte of data for \$15.00 + tax
- 2 gigabytes of data for \$25.00 + tax
- 4 gigabytes of data for \$40.00 + tax
- 5 gigabytes of data for \$50.00 + tax
- 7 gigabytes of data for \$75.00 + tax

If you are just going to be browsing the web and sending a few emails, then the 1 gigabyte pass should be fine for a few days or so. If you expect that your use will be more intensive than light web browsing and email, then we would recommend a larger pass.

We do not recommend using the WiFi unit for downloading or streaming video or music as such uses consume an enormous amount of data. For example, a single movie is around 3.5 gigabytes.

While the passes are available at Walmart, the easiest way to obtain pass is to request the pass while making your reservation. We will add the cost of the pass to your total and then purchase the pass on your behalf. We can also bill you for the WiFi pass separately if you decide that you want WiFi access after making your reservation. If you have any questions about the optional WiFi service, please feel free to contact us at any time. We will be very happy to help.