## **Park Programs**

## **Spring and Fall Program Series**

- Pine Grove Half Pints (ages 2-6)
- Hound Hikes (weekday evenings)
- Homeschool Days (K-6)

## **Summer Weekend Public Programs**

- Guided nature walks
- Park and local history walks and presentations
- Beginner recreation programs for orienteering, camping, kayaking, hiking, and stargazing
- Wildlife presentations

## **Volunteer Days**

- April-Earth Day
- May-Woodsy Owl Weekend with free camping
- September-National Public Lands Day
- October-Fall Furnace Festival

#### **Year-round Loaner Activities**

- Family activity backpacks
- Fishing rods and tackle
- Bike helmets
- Compasses

Driver's license required to loan equipment

For program dates and times, please visit http://events.dcnr.pa.gov/

#### **Other Activities**

- Swimming in both lakes (5/1-9/30)
- Food concessions at both lakes
- General Store (Memorial Day to Labor Day)
- Appalachian Trail Museum 717-486-8126



## For more information

Pine Grove Furnace State Park 1100 Pine Grove Rd Gardners, PA 17324 717-486-7174

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# Family Friendly Activities at Pine Grove Furnace



Enjoy family time and activities for all ages at Pine Grove Furnace State Park.

## **Park Hours:**

Sunrise to sunset daily

#### **Park Office Hours:**

Mon-Fri 8am-4pm Office hours subject to change, call 717-486-7174 to verify office hours.

# **Hiking & Biking**

**Appalachian Trail**- White blazes uneven terrain, moderate

**Biker Hiker Trail**- Not blazed 2 miles between Fuller and Laurel

Lake; very easy, handicap accessible roadway shared use

Pole Steeple Trail-Blue blazes

0.75 miles; uneven terrain, very steep

**Mountain Creek Trail-**Yellow blazes

1.7 miles; uneven terrain, easy

Swamp Trail-Yellow blazes

0.25 mile; uneven terrain, easy; access trail from Biker Hiker Trail

**Koppenhaver Trail**-Yellow blazes

1 mile; uneven terrain, easy-moderate

**Brickyard Trail**-Yellow blazes

0.3 mile; uneven terrain, easy

Creek Trail-Yellow blazes

0.5 mile; uneven terrain, easy

Biking is only permitted on the Biker Hiker Trail and roads in the park.



## **Fishing and Boating**

## **Stocked Fishing Waters**

- Laurel Lake
- Fuller Lake
- Mountain Creek

## **Fish for Free Days**

- No fishing license needed
- Check the PA Fish & Boat website for dates

## **Loan Equipment for Free**

- Rods and tackle available when the park office is open
- Driver's license required



## **Boating Only at Laurel Lake**

- Boat rental open Memorial Day to Labor Day (cash only)
- PA boat registration needed for electric powered boats (use of gas motors prohibited)
- Launch permits needed for unpowered boats (sold in park office)

Follow all PA Fish & Boat regulations for fishing and boating.

# Stay the Night

# **Charcoal Hearth Family Campground**

Open late March to mid-December

## **Organized Group Tenting Area**

Open year-round

#### Paymaster's Cabin

Open year-round; sleeps 6

Reserve your stay by calling 1-888-PA-PARKS



#### **Ironmaster's Mansion Hostel**

- Reservable for groups/weddings or by the night
- Mansion Phone # 717-486-4108

