

2020 Pet Camping Pennsylvania State Parks

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Pennsylvania State Parks allow pets in designated campsites in 56 state park campgrounds, but not every campsite allows pets. If you have a pet, you must use one of the designated pet sites.

Pets are only: dogs, cats, and caged animals (such as birds and hamsters).

Livestock such as horses, cows, pigs, sheep, and goats are not considered pets.



Pet Camping Guidelines

- Responsible pet ownership is KEY!
- Pet owners must pick up after their pets and dispose of pet waste properly.
- Pets can only be brought into a designated campground if caged, contained in a vehicle, trailer, motor home, or camper, or on a leash. Inquire at the park office about any specific leash length requirements.
- Caged pets shall not be released from their cage for the duration of their stay in the state park.
- No more than two, non-caged pets are allowed to stay on any one campsite.
- Dogs and cats must have current rabies vaccinations. Pets must display a valid license, if required in its home state.
- Pets must not be left unattended, except when using a restroom or visiting a park building for a brief period of time. When doing so, the pet must be kept in a camping unit or vehicle, weather conditions permitting.
- Pets are to be walked in the designated pet walking areas of the campground and on designated pet walkways when accessing other areas of the park from the campground.

Pets may not be walked through non-pet areas of the campground unless it is designated as a pet-camper travel route.

- Pets must be under physical control at all times. Temporary fencing and all types of electronic shock collar or monitoring systems do not meet the physical control definition and are therefore prohibited as the primary control method.
- Pets may not create a disturbance or nuisance. Excessive barking will be considered a disturbance.
- Pet food must not remain outside of a camping unit or vehicle as it may attract wildlife/rodents.
- Pets are permitted in day-use areas, on designated pet sites in campgrounds, and all areas not otherwise closed to pets.
- Pets are prohibited in swimming areas, inside buildings, in non-pet overnight areas, such as cabin and group tenting areas, or in any area designated as an area closed to pets.
- Animals that are considered vicious, dangerous, or that display vicious behavior are prohibited in the park.

Reservations

Make online reservations at www.visitPAparks.com or call toll-free 888-PA-PARKS (888-727-2757), 7:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday to Saturday.

Not all campsites permit pets, so be sure to specify to the Call Center Operator that you desire a campsite that permits pets.

More Information

For more specific information on pet camping, contact the park you plan to visit or visit our website at www.dcnr.pa.gov/StateParks/RulesAndRegulations/PetsInParks/Pages/default.aspx



Park	Designated Pet Sites
Bald Eagle	Primitive Camping: 30-58 Letterman Camp, Sycamore Loop: 58-101
Black Moshannon	1-23, 30-32, 46, 47, 50-57, 60, 61
Blue Knob	7-12, 15-22, 30-36, 40-43, 46-50
Caledonia	Hosack Run Campground: 131-185
Chapman	Lower Loop: 1-43
Clear Creek	31-53
Codorus	43-65, 68-86, 132,134,135,137, 139-144, 177, 178, 180, 183, 184
Colonel Denning	1-18
Colton Point*	All Sites (1-25)
Cook Forest	17,18,19, 21, 22; 25-32, 35-39, 41-44, 46-85, 109-120
Cowans Gap	A: 1-43, 75-98 B: all sites (178-201, 223-226) All walk-in sites: W1-W7
Fowlers Hollow	All Sites (1-18)
Frances Slocum	35-61, 85
French Creek	Loop A: All Sites (1-55) Loop C: 1-47
Gifford Pinchot	149-151, 190-192, 217-226, D Loop: 227-270
Greenwood Furnace	31-42, 44-51 Walk-in sites 18A, 18B
Hickory Run	165-228, 278-343
Hills Creek	A Loop: 1, 2, 6, 8, 11-13, 16-22, 24, 25 D Loop: 83-110
Hyner Run	21-30
Kettle Creek	Upper Campground: 45-71
Keystone	Hillside Loop: 42-99
Kooser	All Sites (1-21, 23-35)
Lackawanna	Fox Run: 51-65; Maple Lane: 72-82
Laurel Hill	6-97
Laurel Ridge	Backpack Trail sites
Leonard Harrison	17-18, 23, 25, 27, 28
Little Buffalo	All Sites (1-43)
Little Pine	51-58, 65-74, 89-99, Tent only: 5
Locust Lake	20-22, 24, 26, 34, 35, 37, 38, 51-75, 162-188, 225-228, 230, 233, 234, 237, 239, 240, 241, 243, 244, 246, 248, 250, 276, 278, 279, 281, 282
Lyman Run	Daggett Run: 1-6 Lower: all sites (20-36)

Park	Designated Pet Sites
Moraine	Backpack Sites
Ohiopyle	103-109, 150-195, 199-203, 225-226
Oil Creek	Backpack Trail Only
Ole Bull	Camp Area 2: 1-32
Parker Dam	39, 41, 64-106, 108-110
Patterson*	All Sites (1- 10)
Penn-Roosevelt*	All Sites (1-18)
Pine Grove Furnace	2-7, 23-45
Poe Paddy	C Loop: 136-152, Adirondack Shelters: 153-155
Poe Valley	1-10, 12-20
Prince Gallitzin	1-43, 45, 47-54, 94-138, 140, 142, 144
Promised Land	Beechwood: 317-367, PT1-PT4 Northwoods: all sites (419-449, 450- 462, PT5-PT9 Hemlock Hill Equest.: all sites (E1-E6) Deerfield: all sites (200-233) Pickerel Point: 100-118, 124-125, 132-142, 149-153, 160, 166-168, 173-174
Pymatuning	Jamestown: 100-150, 201-252 Linesville: all sites
Raccoon Creek	C Loop: 1-40 F Loop: 1-35 Sioux rustic sites: 2-5 All backpack sites
Ravensburg*	All Sites (1-21)
Raymond B. Winter	1-5, 48-61
Reeds Gap	All Sites (1-14)
Ricketts Glen	74-120
Ryerson Station	3-6
Shawnee	Section A: 2, 4, 5, 8-12, 14-16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 27-34, 52-57, 59, 66, 69, 71, 73, 77, 78, 79, 81, 82, 83, 84 Section B 305-319 Section G: 265-280, 282, 283, 285-289, 295, 296, 297, 299, 300
Simon B. Elliott	All Sites (1-25)
Sinnemahoning	1-5, 7, 9, 10, 12, 17, 18, 20-23, 33-35
Sizerville	1-4, 18-23
Tobyhanna	1-11, 13, 15, 112, 116, 118, 120-132
Trough Creek	11, 13, 15, 18, 20-29
Worlds End	Loop A: 14-19, 37-40

*No advanced reservation available. Please reserve on-site.