

Tiadaghton State Forest at a Glance

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District Facts

- Named for an Algonquin native-American term meaning “river of pines” (known today as Pine Creek)
- Over 105,000 acres
- Found mostly in Lycoming and Clinton counties
- Part of Deep Valley Province
- Mixed-oak forest type

Hiking



Pine Creek Rail Trail

- The 62-mile Pine Creek Rail Trail extends from Jersey Shore to Wellsboro Junction.
- The rugged, 42-mile Black Forest hiking trail is found in the northwest corner of Lycoming County.
- Part of the 189-mile Mid State Trail cuts through Tiadaghton.
- The 1.7-mile Bob Webber Trail is a fun, short hike.
- Maps are available at district office and online.

Camping

- Primitive backpack camping (at undeveloped sites) is permitted throughout the state forest
- A permit is required to camp for more than one night at one location.
- Motorized and/or tent camping is available at Little Pine and Ravensburg state parks.



Sightseeing

- Observation/interpretation areas are offered at the district office, providing a panoramic view of Pine Creek Gorge and interesting specimens to enjoy inside.
- Spectacular vistas overlook the forest district from Route 44 northwest of Lucullus.
- Touring the district forest’s 300+ miles of gravel roads to observe brilliant fall foliage and wildlife is very popular.



Vista on Route 44

Hunting

- Game opportunities include deer, bear, turkey, squirrels, rabbits, and grouse.
- Hunting is permitted throughout state forest; please obey all regulations.
- DMAP permits are periodically available in certain areas of the forest district.



Fishing

- Pine Creek holds good populations of both cold and warm-water fish.
- Little Pine Creek is a popular stocked stream.
- Wild, native brook trout are abundant in the district's numerous mountain streams.
- PA Fish and Boat Commission regulations apply.



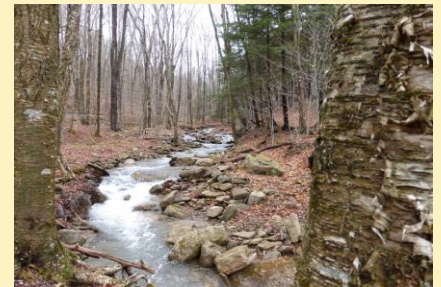
Native brook trout

Motorized/Winter Recreation

- The Haneyville ATV trail is accessible from Route 44.
- Over 30 miles of marked cross-country ski trails are offered.
- 300+ miles of snowmobile trails wind through the district.
- Snowshoeing and cross-country skiing are permitted on most state forest roads.

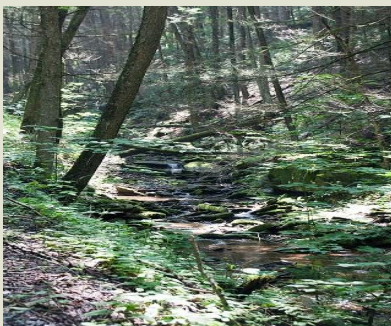


Riders enjoying snowmobile trail



Wild and Natural Areas

- The 6,900-acre Wolf Run Wild Area is a remote, vast wilderness accessible via Golden Eagle Trail.
- The 4000-acre Miller Run Natural Area features a diverse, second-growth mixed-oak and northern hardwoods forest.
- Bark Cabin Natural Area is highlighted by old-growth hemlock forest.



Pine Bottom Run

Other Recreation

- Mountain biking and horseback riding are permitted on most forest roads and trails.
- Kayaking and canoeing are very popular on Pine Creek. Access is offered at several district launches on Route 414.
- Picnic facilities are found at Little Pine, Ravensburg, Susquehanna, and Upper Pine Bottom state parks.




Paddlers floating Pine Creek

More Information

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