

2021 Six-Week Summer Youth Program

The Pennsylvania Outdoor Corps is a state-wide conservation program created through a partnership between the Student Conservation Association (SCA), the Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources and the Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry. The Pennsylvania Outdoor Corps offers paid work experience, job training, and educational opportunities to teens and young adults as they protect and restore public lands and waters. Members work as a team to complete physically challenging conservation projects in the outdoors. Members will participate in local education field trips to learn more about conservation and green careers.

We are currently accepting applications for the following locations! Erie, McConnellsburg, Greensburg, St. Marys, and Philadelphia

General Program Info

- Crew Details: 12 crews, each with one leader and 5 members
- Dates: July 6, 2021 to August 13, 2021.
- Hours: Monday to Friday, 7:30 AM to 3:30 PM, totaling 37.5 hours per week (leaders work 40)
- Locations: Altoona, Chambersburg, Erie, Greensburg, Harrisburg, Hazleton, Lehigh Valley, Meadville, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Reading, Renovo, St Marys, Wilkes-Barre, Wellsboro, Williamsport and York
- Projects: Trail building/maintenance, invasive plant management, tree planting, facility maintenance, light construction, and more

Crew Member Info

- Age: 15-18 at the start of the Program
- Compensation: \$12.50/hour, career-development days
- Must be able to commit for the full 6 week duration of the program
- Enthusiastic about working on a diverse crew, and able to conduct work in challenging, outdoor conditions

For More Information Visit the Pennsylvania Outdoor Corps page of the DCNR Website or visit https://www.thesca.org/serve/program/pennsylvania-outdoor-corps. You can also contact Program Coordinator Vickery Lauro at vlauro@thesca.org with any questions.

