

Long Pine Run Reservoir

Michaux State Forest

Know Before You Go



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Hours: 5 AM - 10 PM

Nestled in the heart of Michaux State Forest, Long Pine Run Reservoir provides a clean, reliable drinking water source for residents of the Borough of Chambersburg. The 150-acre reservoir is open to the following activities:

- Boating (electric motors only)
- Kayaks, canoes, and paddleboards.
- Fishing

Getting There

- **Parking and Boat Launch**
675 Milesburn Rd
Fayetteville, PA 17222
39.93517, -77.45056
ADA Vault Toilets Available
- **Fishing Pier**
785 Milesburn Rd
Fayetteville, PA 17222
39.940369, -77.456092

About the Reservoir

Visitors to Long Pine Run Reservoir must abide by all Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission's (PFBC) boating regulations, Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) rules and regulations, and the following:

- No swimming or wading
- No campfires or camping
- No picnicking
- No horses
- Alcohol is prohibited
- No Ice skating

Boating and Kayaking

- **Electric motor boats only.** Gasoline motors are not permitted in any boat, even if not in use.
- **No pool floats.** Pool floats, inner tubes, and similar water toys are not considered watercraft and are not permitted.
- **Registration or permit required.** All electric motorboats must display a current boat registration. All non-powered boats (kayaks, canoes, and paddleboards) launched in Long Pine Run Reservoir must display one of the following:
 - Valid boat registration.
 - Valid launch permit from the PFBC or DCNR.
- **Life jackets are required.** Each person in the boat must have a wearable, accessible USCG-approved life jacket. Children 12 years of age and younger are required to wear a life jacket on any boat 20 feet or less in length and all canoes or kayaks regardless of length. All boaters on Pennsylvania waters are required to wear a life jacket from Nov. 1 through Apr. 30 on boats less than 16 feet in length or any canoe or kayak.
- **Be seen and heard by other boaters.** Each boat must have a sound-producing device such as a whistle or horn. All watercraft (including non-powered boats) must be equipped with required lighting during low-light conditions.

Fishing

Warm-water fishing for largemouth bass, sunfish, and yellow perch is available at Long Pine Run Reservoir. All anglers 16 years and older must have a valid Pennsylvania fishing license from the Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission (PFBC) to fish in PA waterways. Seasons and creel limits are determined by the PFBC.

Scan for PA Fish & Boat Commission's Website!



www.fishandboat.com



Kayaking at Long Pine Run Reservoir.

Hiking

Several shared-use and hiking-only trails can be found in the forest surrounding Long Pine Run Reservoir, however there are no hiking trailheads found at the main parking area for Long Pine Run Reservoir.

Scan for a map of the Flat Rock Trail System!



bit.ly/MSFFlatRock



A view from the fishing pier.

Beaver Trail

1.3 mile (one-way) | More Difficult | Out-and-back | Yellow blazes

Recreations permitted: hiking-only

Trailhead: Along Birch Run Road.

Beaver Trail follows the edge of Long Pine Run Reservoir.

Rocky Knob Trail

4.3 mile | More Difficult | Loop | Orange blazes

Recreations permitted: hiking only

Trailhead: On Ridge Road

Rocky Knob Trail was constructed by the Civilian Conservation Corps in 1937 and the Youth Conservation Corps in the 1970s. This trail offers views of Rocky Knob and a glimpse of Long Pine Run Reservoir.



Largemouth Bass in the Reservoir.

More Information

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