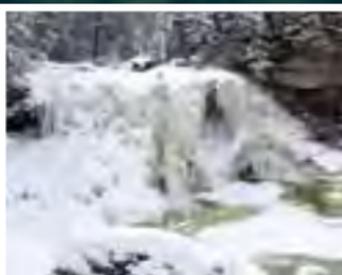


GENERAL GUIDE

to the West Virginia State Park System



lodges, cabins, campgrounds
and more

Let's Go...

West Virginia
State Parks and Forests



Pipestem Resort State Park

HIKE

- more than 800 miles of hiking trails
- wildflower and birding hikes
- scenic overlooks
- State Parks hiking program
- rail trails



Greenbrier River Trail

BIKE

- 77-mile Greenbrier River Trail
- 72-mile North Bend Rail Trail
- rail trails accommodate hiking, biking and horseback riding
- mountain biking is allowed on many park and forest trails



North Bend Rail Trail

RIDE

- stables at Babcock, Cacapon Resort, Lost River and Pipestem Resort state parks
- horse and rider campsites at Camp Creek State Park
- overnight trail rides
- access to both rail trails



Walopa State Park

FISH

- native species and seasonally stocked catfish and trout
- fishing packages available at some areas
- boat launching ramps
- row/paddle/canoe/fishing/pontoon boat rentals



Stonewall Resort State Park

GOLF

- 18-hole courses at: Cacapon Resort, Canaan Valley Resort, Pipestem Resort, Stonewall Resort, Twin Falls Resort
- packages available
- daily greens fees
- open to public



Pipestem Resort State Park

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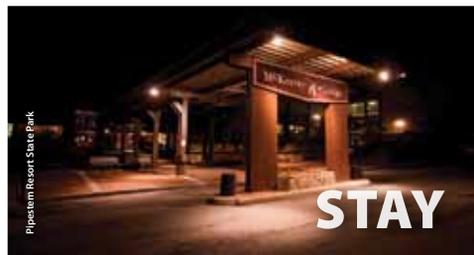
- family reunions
- corporate and group meetings
- church picnics
- holiday and special occasions
- weddings/receptions
- Wi-Fi



Prickett's Fort State Park

LEARN

- Civil War battlefield sites/re-enactments
- Blennerhassett, mansion and museum
- re-created colonial Prickett's Fort
- pioneer farms and homestead
- museums
- nature programs
- outdoor dramas and music



Pipestem Resort State Park

STAY

- lodges
- restaurants
- historic CCC to modern cabins
- primitive to full-hookups campsites
- overnight caboose rentals
- yurts and camper cabins



Buckhorn State Park

HAVE FUN

- outdoor swimming pools
- lake and stream swimming
- winter sports—sled riding/skiing
- miniature golf
- playgrounds and game courts
- aerial trams
- wobble clay shooting range

Lodges

West Virginia state park lodges are open year-round. There are three unique areas that require seasonal operation: **The Mountain Creek Lodge at Pipestem Resort State Park**, generally open from Memorial Day through Labor Day with additional open days in October; **Tygart Lake Lodge**, open from mid-April through December; and the **Old Inn at Cacapon**, which opens in May through the fourth Monday in October.

Rates will vary from park to park. Some areas may require a two or more night stay on holiday and prime weekends. In these instances, a deposit payment of one or more nights' lodging may be requested. Approved rates are published on the state park Web site or in print format, as available. Rates and deposit requirements are quoted at the time reservations are confirmed by the park.

Generally lodge room guaranteed check-in time is 4 p.m. and check-out is at 11 a.m. or Noon depending on the facility.

Children under 13 stay free when occupying the same room as their parents. Cribs are generally available at no extra charge. Pets are not permitted in the lodges.

Restaurants

Good times and memories include great food and dining experiences. Full-service restaurants open to the public are on-site at **Blackwater Falls**,

Cacapon Resort, Canaan Valley Resort, Chief Logan Lodge, Hawks Nest, North Bend, Pipestem Resort, Stonewall Resort and Twin Falls Resort and are open year-round. In other parks, restaurants at **Cass Scenic Railroad, Holly River and Watoga**, or snack bars at additional vacation parks generally observe operating seasons from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day, and other days in April, May and October. **Tygart Lake** Restaurant is open from mid-April through December. Check online or by phone for exact dates and operating hours when planning your visit.



Conference/Groups/Tours

Lodge parks offer conference and meeting facilities. You'll find full-service restaurants, Wi-Fi, audio-visual equipment, and on-site group service assistance at: **Blackwater Falls, Cacapon Resort, Canaan Valley Resort, Chief Logan Lodge, Hawks Nest, North Bend, Pipestem Resort, Stonewall Resort, Twin Falls Resort and Tygart Lake** state parks. Groups discover that state park facilities are affordable and provide great settings for successful meeting, reunions or tour results.

Group service personnel assist planners with meeting requirements from booking accommodations and menu planning to room set-up and equipment needs. Meeting facilities may accommodate group sizes up to 600, but meetings of 20–225 are where parks excel. State parks host a variety of groups including training or corporate conferences, reunions, associations, outings, and tour groups. In addition to state park lodges, parks with cabins, cottages and camping are popular reunion or retreat choices. For additional information, contact the park directly and ask for group services or visit www.wvstateparks.com and click "Group Services."

Cabins and Cottages

All state park and forest cabins and cottages are completely furnished and equipped with cooking utensils, flatware, dishes, dish towels, bed linens, blankets, bath towels and washcloths. Kitchens and bathrooms are modern throughout. Houses, Bungalows, Pioneer cabins, and other unique accommodations are described below.

COTTAGES feature upgraded amenities and contemporary design and vary from two-, three- and four-bedroom structures with fireplaces, complete kitchens with modern appliances, baths with showers, and forced-air furnaces or electric heat. Generally, ADA units are cottages.

TWO-STORY HOUSES at **Cass Scenic Railroad** are renovated, turn-of-the-20th-century company houses. Available in six-, eight-, 10- and 12-person sizes, they are open year-round.



MODERN CABINS are frame construction with wood-paneled walls, fireplaces, appliances and forced-air heat. These cabins are designed to sleep from two to eight persons. This cabin style is open year-round unless the park is operated seasonally.

STANDARD CABINS are of log, frame and/or stone construction with fireplaces, equipped kitchens, and baths with showers. These cabins are generally open from mid-April through October and are of various sizes to house from two to eight persons.

BUNGALOWS at **Babcock** and **Cacapon** are a combined one room living/kitchen/bedroom with built-in double bunk beds, screened-in porch and small bath with shower. Each bungalow accommodates up to four persons. Like the standard cabins, rental dates are seasonal, generally open from mid-April to October.

PIONEER CABINS at **Seneca** and **Kumbrabow** state forests are equipped, as in early days, with wood-burning kitchen stoves and fireplaces, plus gas lamps and gas refrigerators. Water must be hand pumped from a nearby well, and sanitary facilities are outside. Pioneer cabins house from three to 10 persons and open in mid-April and close the first Monday in December. Coin showers and laundry facilities are available at the forest headquarters.

OTHER UNIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS include Caboose rentals and a Wilderness Cabin rental at **Cass Scenic Railroad**. These facilities are partially equipped in a remote location, with limited access by train or on foot. Contact the park for more information.

CHECK-IN TIMES for cabins, cottages, houses, and bungalows are generally 4 p.m. with check-out times at 10 a.m. Cots and cribs should be reserved in advance. There will be rental charges. Cot/crib requests at arrival are subject to rental charges and a handling fees.

Pets

Pets (dogs and cats) are permitted in campgrounds. Pets (dogs and cats) are permitted in designated cabins and cottages, not lodges, and is fee-based. A pet policy is established and posted online or available from the area. Leash laws must be observed.

Reservations for Lodges/Cabins/Cottages

A variety of overnight accommodations are available at West Virginia's state parks and forests.

Reservations for lodge rooms, cabins, cottages, and other accommodations may be made by direct dialing the park's phone number. Online reservations are available for lodge rooms and cabins at parks with lodges on-site. The West Virginia Tourism Call Center, **800 CALL WVA** also receives and transfers your call to the park or forest to make overnight reservations. This toll-free line may be used in any state in the continental U.S. and Canadian provinces in the Eastern time zone.

LODGE/HOTEL ROOMS

Reservations for lodge rooms may be made up to two years in advance, from the first day of the month. Reservations are recommended, but walk-ins are welcome, as available. Lodge rooms are rented for a minimum of one night; some lodges may require two or more night rental minimum for seasonal holiday, weekends, or prime weekends. A first night's rate is required as a deposit to confirm reservations; some areas require additional deposits on some holiday and prime weekends.

CABINS/COTTAGES/COMPANY HOUSES/ BUNGALOWS

Reservations may be made up to two years in advance from the first day of the month for cabins and cottages at parks with lodges. Parks and forests that do not have lodges on-site, accept reservations for one year in advance from the first day of the month.

When making cabin reservations for four nights or more, a deposit of one-half the rental fee is required with the balance due upon arrival; the full rental fee is required for reservations of three nights or less.

Cottages and cabins are reserved for a minimum of one week from the second Monday in June through Labor Day. Weekly rentals run from Monday, check-in through the following Monday, check-out. Many areas offer rental days of less than seven nights, which include three and four night stays or other time lengths and varies from area to area.

OTHER ACCOMMODATIONS

Cass Scenic Railroad offers rental of cabooses and a wilderness cabin. The unique nature of these accommodations requires information regarding reservations, rental times, etc., via contact with the park direct and online. Policies listed in this publication may not apply to these rentals.



ONLINE RESERVATIONS

Online reservations are available for room and cabin rentals at parks with lodges. Parks and forests with cabins only do not have online reservation capability.

CANCELLATIONS

All room and cabin cancellations must be made through the source where the reservation was made.

LODGE ROOM CONFIRMATIONS WITH A PAID DEPOSIT: Deposit is returned in full when notice is given by 6 p.m. EST at least 48 hours prior to arrival to avoid a one night charge forfeiture.

CHIEF LOGAN LODGE: Failure to cancel reservations by 6 p.m. EST of arrival day will result in one night penalty charge to credit card.

CABINS, COTTAGES: Deposits will be returned less a \$20 handling fee per unit canceled, if notice is given at least 30 days in advance.

PAYMENT METHODS

Personal checks, money orders, and major credit cards (VISA, MasterCard, American Express, Discover and Diners Club) are accepted for all reservations. Reservations made by phone and using personal checks for payment have 10 days to make the required deposit. Reservations less than 10 days of arrival, as available, are accommodated and a method of guarantee provided at the time the reservation is made. Identification and proof of age may be requested.

Seniors

Senior rates are generally available for rental of lodge rooms, cabins, cottages, campgrounds, and most ticket or fee based activities, and most restaurants. Senior rate is 10% discount or a set fee.

Campground Information

Many state parks, forests and wildlife management areas offer camping opportunities. There are four general types of campsites:

DELUXE: Outdoor grill, tent pad, pull-off for trailers, picnic table, electric hookups on all sites, some with water and/or sewer hookups, dumping station and bathhouses with hot showers, flush toilets and laundry facilities.

STANDARD: Same features as deluxe, with electric only available at some sites at some areas. Most sites do not have hookups.

RUSTIC: Improved sites with limited facilities, well-water and pit toilets.

PRIMITIVE: Undeveloped areas designated for use primarily by anglers and hunters. Some have basic water and sanitation facilities.

YURTS: Offered only at **Tomlinson Run State Park**, yurts are equipped with picnic table, lantern, cook stove, cooler, cookware and grill.

CAMPER CABINS: Offered only at **Tomlinson Run State Park**, camper cabins are roofed, wooden structures with electricity. Equipment is not provided in these reservable units.



Operation of state-owned campgrounds is variable and dependent upon the weather. Check with the individual facility in advance to confirm opening and closing dates.

CAMPING SEASONS

AT STATE PARKS: The typical camping season runs from mid-April through October in parks, forests and wildlife management areas operated by the state park system.

The exceptions are:

- **Watoga State Park**
 - **Riverside Campground**—April 1 through October 31
 - **Beaver Creek Campground**—Memorial Day Weekend through October 31
 - **Laurel Run Campground** (primitive)—year-round
- **Moncove Lake**—generally opens April 1, and remains open through deer rifle season, however, water is not available after October 31
- **Holly River**—April 1 through deer rifle season
- **Beech Fork** and **Canaan Valley, Pipestem, and Stonewall resorts** are open year-round with winter camping permitted. Campers are encouraged to call prior to arrival for utility freeze prevention.

AT STATE FORESTS: The season usually runs from mid-April through deer rifle season.

AT WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS (WMAs): These campgrounds are primitive or rustic and are open nearly year-round to accommodate the hunting seasons.

SITE USE

Campground check-out time is noon, and only one tent or trailer is permitted per site. A family camping group may have only one or two additional tents on its campsite. Camping rates are based on groups of six persons or fewer, and there is a charge for each additional person above six, not exceeding 10 individuals per site.

All campers must vacate park campsites for a period of 48 hours after 14 consecutive nights camping. The maximum length of stay is 14 consecutive nights.

Campground rules and regulations are posted online and at the areas.

RESERVATIONS

Campsite reservations may be made in advance for designated reservable sites, as available, from the Friday before Memorial Day through Labor Day. The remaining sites are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Outside the reservable dates, all sites become first-come, first-served basis at state operated campgrounds. Some areas have only first-come, first-served campsites.

Areas with designated reservable sites are: **Babcock, Beech Fork, Blackwater Falls, Bluestone, Camp Creek, Camp Creek Horse and Rider, Canaan Valley Resort, Cedar Creek, Chief Logan, Holly River, North Bend, Pipestem Resort, Stonewall Resort, Tomlinson Run, Twin Falls Resort, Tygart Lake and Watoga** state parks, and **Coopers Rock, Greenbrier** and **Kanawha** state forests.

Reservations may be made at least two (2) days in advance, as available, and must be secured by payment of a deposit of the entire rental fee, plus a \$5 handling charge. A minimum reservation of two nights, up to a maximum of 14 nights, is required.

Only mail-in reservations will be accepted from February 15–March 14. Forms for the current year are available online to download. Mail-in reservations must be postmarked on or after February 15, or they will be returned. A maximum of three reservation forms per envelope will be accepted (envelopes containing more than three forms will be returned.) Call-in requests during the period of February 15–March 14 will be sent blank reservation forms and instructions regarding return of completed forms and payments. Beginning March 15, phone reservations will be accepted by calling the park. Walk-in reservations will be taken and filled subject to availability beginning April 1. Mail-in, call-in and walk-in reservations are all accepted beginning April 1 of each year through Labor Day, as available. Dates for reservable sites vary at **Stonewall** and **Canaan Valley** resorts.

PAYMENT METHODS

Payments of deposits may be made by personal check, money order or major credit cards (VISA, MasterCard, American Express, Discover and Diners Club). Deposits must be received in accordance with the park office instructions provided when reservations are made. Campsite numbers cannot be guaranteed.

Payments for first-come, first-served accept the same payment types, as available. Identification and proof of age may be requested.

CANCELLATIONS

Campsite reservations canceled more than seven days in advance will be refunded a deposit, less the handling fee and the first night's rental. If canceled seven days or less, no refunds will be given.



Nature & Recreation Programs

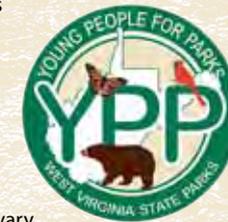
Naturalists and programmers at resort and vacation parks plan and implement programs, activities and special events that provide entertainment and acquaint visitors with each park's unique natural aspects.

Hikes and campfire programs, bird walks or bat talks, expeditions to identify plant and wildlife species, fishing programs for youngsters, and special events on astronomy, birding and more are scheduled at many parks. An annual event calendar is maintained online and in print.

Nature/recreation programming is scheduled year-round at **Blackwater Falls, Cacapon Resort, Canaan Valley Resort, Hawks Nest, North Bend, Pipestem Resort, Stonewall, and Twin Falls Resort** state parks. From Memorial Day weekend through mid-August, planned activities are also offered at **Babcock, Beech Fork, Bluestone, Cedar Creek, Holly River, Lost River, Tygart Lake and Watoga** state parks, and **Greenbrier** and **Kanawha** state forests.

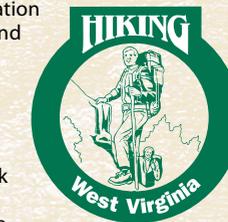
YOUNG PEOPLE FOR PARKS

In the summer months, the areas with naturalists offer younger visitors (ages 6-16) a special outdoor educational program known as Young People for Parks. Youthful visitors are invited to participate in a minimum of three weekly activities focusing on awareness of nature, skills in flora and fauna identification, conservation of natural resources, effects of pollution, the West Virginia State Park system, and local and state history. Participants receive a certificate and reward that identifies them as a Young Person for Parks. YPP activities vary from week to week.



HIKING WEST VIRGINIA STATE PARKS

"Hiking West Virginia" is a state park program that provides anyone the opportunity to discover the many miles of hiking trails in our parks system. To enroll, complete a registration form online or from the Hiking brochure, and return it along with a required registration fee. You will receive an official log card to begin recording your hiking mileage. All mileage must be accumulated on hiking trails in West Virginia's state parks and state forests. Rewards, such as a hiking stick and cane shields, are forwarded to those participants who reach designated mileage plateaus. For registration forms and additional information on this program, phone **304-558-2764**; or **www.wvstateparks.com** and click "Special Interests."



Special Events in the Parks

A full calendar of events is planned across West Virginia at state parks. From packaged theme weekends, dances and workshops, to ecology, history, heritage, native foods, and flora and fauna events, you'll find affordable fun.

Wintry months include New Year's Eve and holiday rate packages at many of the lodge parks. Ski festivals, clinics and workshops for Nordic and alpine skiers are winter features at **Canaan Valley Resort** and **Blackwater Falls** state parks. **North Bend's** Winter Wonder Weekend in January includes sled rides, hikes, fireside games and indoor and outdoor sports. Winter indoors finds dinner theater performances, educational programs and packages, art, quilt, and craft workshops and concerts at year-round lodge parks.

For visitors 50 and older, **Blackwater Falls** features September Fest for Seniors and other adventure events for every age are scheduled at various parks. These three- or four-day events feature driving tours, crafts, entertainment, fun and fellowship.

Spring and fall months bring a showy array of flowering plants or winged wonders to West Virginia's state parks and forests. To celebrate blooms, birds and more, many parks host wildflower walks, birding surveys, and nature hikes. Such weekend events are at **Blackwater Falls, Cacapon Resort, Chief Logan, North Bend, Pipestem Resort** and **Twin Falls** resort state parks and **Greenbrier** and **Kanawha** state forests to name a few.

Other events at parks include 5K, 10K and distance runs, tennis and golf tournaments, craft and heritage festivals, outdoor dramas, musicals, theatrical performances, the summer nature/recreation program, Irish Road Bowling, and other cultural activities.

The annual events calendar is online listing all events statewide. Each event is posted in more detail on the host park or forest Web sites. For a printed event calendar, write to the address on this brochure, Attn: Event Calendar Request or call **304-558-2764**. Calendars are mailed as available. Information is most current online and posted electronically to view in an attempt to become more paperless and efficient.

**West Virginia Division of Natural Resources
Parks and Recreation
324 4th Avenue
South Charleston, WV 25303
or call 304-558-2764 or toll free 1-800-CALL WVA
or visit www.wvstateparks.com.**



West Virginia State Parks and Forests



AUDRA STATE PARK
Route 4, Box 564
Buckhannon, WV 26201
304-457-1162

- 355 acres
- 65 campsites — 20 suitable for trailers
- Dumping station
- Bathhouse
- Snack bar
- Groceries nearby
- Stream swimming/fishing
- Picnicking/shelter
- Playground
- Hiking trails



BABCOCK STATE PARK
486 Babcock Road
Cliffport, WV 25831
304-438-3004 office
304-438-3003 reservations

- 4,127 acres
- 28 cabins
- 18 standard
- 8 bungalows
- 2 deluxe
- 52 campsites
- 26 with electric
- 35 suitable for trailers
- 4 ADA

- Dumping stations
- Bathhouse
- Gift shop
- Swimming pool
- Boley Lake—18 acres
- Rowboat/paddleboat/canoe rentals
- Lake & stream fishing
- Horseback riding stables
- Tennis/game courts
- Picnicking/shelters
- Playgrounds
- Hiking trails
- Seasonal nature/recreation program



BEARTOWN STATE PARK
Contact:
Droop Mountain
Battlefield State Park
HC 64, Box 189
Hillsboro, WV 24946
304-653-4254

- 110 acres
- Interpretive signs
- Boardwalks



BEECH FORK STATE PARK
5601 Long Branch Road
Barboursville, WV 25504
304-528-5794

- 3,860 acres
- 6 cottages
- 275 tent/trailer campsites
- all with electric
- 49 with water and sewer
- Bathhouses
- Dumping stations
- Olympic-size swimming pool
- Country store
- Game room
- Picnicking/shelters
- Playground
- Tennis/game courts
- Hiking trails
- Beech Fork Lake—720 acres
- Fishing
- Boat launching ramp
- Marina (2.2 miles)—Lavalette

BERKELEY SPRINGS STATE PARK
2 South Washington Street
Berkeley Springs, WV 25411
304-258-2711 bath reservations
304-258-5860 office

- 7 acres
- Historic markers
- Mineral water baths
- Roman baths
- Swimming pool
- Steam cabinet
- Massages
- Gift shop

BERWIND LAKE WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA
PO Box 38
Warriornine, WV 24894
304-875-2577

- 93 acres
- Lake—20 acres
- 8-site campground
- Swimming
- Picnicking
- Playground
- Boat rental
- Fishing/pier for physically challenged
- Hunting

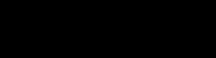


BLACKWATER FALLS STATE PARK
PO Drawer 490
Davis, WV 26260
304-259-5216

- 2,358 acres
- Scenic Blackwater Falls
- 54 lodge rooms
- Full-service restaurant
- Conference/banquet rooms
- Wi-Fi
- 26 modern cabins
- 65 tent/trailer campsites
- Bathhouses
- Dumping stations
- Recreation building/nature center/Nordic learning center
- Indoor guest pool
- Golf course at Canaan Valley Resort (10 miles)
- Row and paddleboat rentals
- Playgrounds
- Tennis/game courts
- Pendleton Lake—14 acres
- Fishing
- Hiking/cross-country ski trails
- Sled run with rope tow
- Cross-country ski rentals, sales and instruction
- Downhill skiing at Canaan Valley Resort State Park
- Year-round nature/recreation program
- Game room
- Lodge gift shop
- Trading Post/snack bar

CAMP CREEK STATE PARK
2390 Camp Creek Road
Exit 20, I-77
Camp Creek, WV 25820
304-425-9481

- 500 acres
- 53 campsites
- Mash Fork Campground
- 26 tent/trailer sites
- with electric hookups
- heated bathroom
- Double C Campground
- 14 rustic horse and rider sites (reservation only)
- Blue Jay Campground
- 13 rustic tent sites
- Laundry facilities
- Dumping station
- Picnicking/shelters
- Game courts/playground
- Hiking/biking/horseback riding trails
- Fishing
- Hunting in adjacent Camp Creek State Forest
- Gift shop



BLANNERHASSETT ISLAND HISTORICAL STATE PARK
137 Juliana Street
Parkersburg, WV 26101
304-420-4800

- 511 acres
- Blennerhassett Mansion
- Putnam-Houser House
- Island Belle Sternwheeler
- Guided tours
- Snack bar
- Horse-drawn wagon rides
- Picnicking
- Fishing
- Regional History Museum
- Interpretive programs

BLUESTONE STATE PARK
HC 78, Box 3
Hinton, WV 25951
304-466-2805

- 2,154 acres
- Adjacent to Bluestone Lake—2,040 acres
- 26 modern cabins
- 32 campsites
- 22 with electric
- 51 rustic tent/trailer campsites
- 39 boat-access-only primitive campsites
- Dumping station
- Bathhouses
- Swimming pool
- Boating/marina
- Boat rentals
- Fishing
- Water skiing
- Hunting in nearby wildlife management area
- Picnicking/shelters
- Game courts
- Playground
- Activities building
- Gift shop
- Seasonal nature/recreation program



BLUESTONE WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA
HC 65, Box 91
Indian Mills, WV 24935
304-466-3398

- 17,632 acres
- Bluestone Lake—2,040 acres
- 330 primitive campsites
- Fishing
- Hunting
- Picnicking/shelter
- Bluestone and Pipestem Resort state parks nearby



CABWAYLINGO STATE FOREST
Route 1, Box 85
Dunlow, WV 25511
304-385-4255

- 8,125 acres
- 1 cottage, ADA
- 13 standard cabins
- 21 campsites
- rustic to full hookup
- Group camp—capacity 100
- Dumping station
- Swimming pool
- Hunting (in season)
- Basketball court
- Picnicking/shelters
- Playgrounds
- Hiking trails
- Souvenir shop



CACAPON RESORT STATE PARK
818 Cacapon Lodge Drive
Berkeley Springs, WV 25411
304-258-1022

- 6,115 acres
- 48 lodge rooms
- 31 cabins
- 13 modern
- 12 standard
- 6 bungalows
- Cacapon Inn
- 12 rooms, seasonal
- Full-service restaurant
- Conference center/banquet rooms
- Wi-Fi
- 18-hole golf course
- Pro shop
- Snack bar
- Lake—6 acres
- Lake swimming
- Row and paddleboat rentals
- Fishing
- Horseback riding stables
- Tennis/game courts
- Picnicking/shelters
- Hiking trails
- Gift shop
- Cross-country skiing
- Wobble clay range
- Year-round nature/recreation program

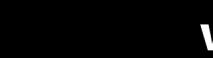
CALVIN PRICE STATE FOREST
Contact:
Watoga State Park
HC 82, Box 252
Marlinton, WV 29550
304-799-4087

- 9,034 acres
- Fishing
- Hunting (in season)



CAMP CREEK STATE PARK
2390 Camp Creek Road
Exit 20, I-77
Camp Creek, WV 25820
304-425-9481

- 500 acres
- 53 campsites
- Mash Fork Campground
- 26 tent/trailer sites
- with electric hookups
- heated bathroom
- Double C Campground
- 14 rustic horse and rider sites (reservation only)
- Blue Jay Campground
- 13 rustic tent sites
- Laundry facilities
- Dumping station
- Picnicking/shelters
- Game courts/playground
- Hiking/biking/horseback riding trails
- Fishing
- Hunting in adjacent Camp Creek State Forest
- Gift shop



CAMP CREEK STATE FOREST
2390 Camp Creek Road
PO Box 119
Camp Creek, WV 25820
304-425-9481

- 5,397 acres
- Fishing
- Hunting (in season)
- Hiking/biking/horseback riding trails
- Guided tours
- Snack bar
- Horse-drawn wagon rides
- Picnicking
- Fishing
- Regional History Museum
- Interpretive programs



CANAAN VALLEY RESORT STATE PARK
HC 70, Box 330
Davis, WV 26260
304-866-4121

- 6,120 acres
- 250 lodge rooms
- Convention facilities
- Internet access
- Restaurant/lounge
- Snack bars
- 24 cottages
- 34 deluxe tent/trailer campsites
- Dumping station
- Bathhouse
- Indoor & outdoor swimming pools
- Fitness center with saunas and hot tub
- Recreation room
- Video arcade
- 18-hole golf course
- Pro shop/gift shops
- Tennis
- Miniature golf
- Bicycle rentals
- Playgrounds
- Downhill skiing and seasonal lifts
- Hiking/cross-country skiing trails
- Ice skating
- Fishing
- Year-round nature/recreation program



CARNIFEX FERRY BATTLEFIELD STATE PARK
1194 Carnifex Ferry Road
Summersville, WV 26651
304-872-0825

- 165 acres
- Historic markers
- Picnicking/shelters
- Hiking trails
- Museum
- Game courts
- Scenic overlooks



CASS SCENIC RAILROAD STATE PARK
Route 66, Main Street
PO Box 107
Cass, WV 24927
304-456-4300

- 940 acres
- World's largest roster of operating Shay engines
- Train rides—late May to last Sunday in October
- 20 two-story house rentals
- Wilderness cabin rental
- Caboose rentals
- Picnicking
- Company Store/gift shop
- Last Run Restaurant (seasonal)



CATHEDRAL STATE PARK
12 Cathedral Park Drive
Aurora, WV 26705
304-735-3771

- 132 acres
- Virgin hemlock forest
- Picnicking/shelters
- Playground
- Hiking/cross-country ski trails



CEDRAR CREEK STATE PARK
2947 Cedar Creek Road
Glennville, WV 26351
304-462-8517

- 2,588 acres
- 65 campsites
- 12 with electric
- 48 with electric and water
- 57 suitable for trailers
- Bathhouse
- Dumping station
- Activities Building
- One-room schoolhouse
- Camp store
- Swimming pool
- Miniature golf
- Tennis/game courts
- Playground
- Hiking trails
- Lake—8 acres
- Fishing
- Picnicking/shelters
- Seasonal nature/recreation program



CHIEF LOGAN STATE PARK
376 Little Buffalo Creek Road
Logan, WV 25601
304-792-7125

- Outdoor drama: 304-752-0253
- Museum in the Park: 304-792-7229
- 3,033 acres
- 26 campsites
- all with electric and water
- 14 with sewer hookups
- Bathhouse
- Dumping station
- Amphitheater
- Swimming pool with waterslide
- Tennis/game courts
- Miniature golf
- Picnicking/shelters
- Playground
- Hiking and fitness trails
- Lake—7 acres
- Fishing
- Wildlife exhibit



CHIEF LOGAN LODGE, HOTEL AND CONFERENCE CENTER
1000 Conference Center Drive
PO Box 898
Logan, WV 25601
304-855-6100

- 75 lodge rooms
- Seven suites
- Restaurant
- Conference center
- Catering
- Wi-Fi
- Indoor guest pool
- Hot tub
- Fitness room
- Hatfield & McCoy trailheads nearby

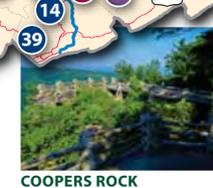
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COOPERS ROCK STATE FOREST
61 County Line Drive
Exit 15, I-68
Bruceton Mills, WV 26525
304-594-1561

- 12,713 acres
- 25 tent/trailer campsites with electric
- Lake—6 acres
- Fishing
- Hunting (in season)
- Picnicking/shelters
- Playground
- Hiking/cross-country ski trails
- Trading post/snack bar



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DROOP MOUNTAIN BATTLEFIELD STATE PARK
HC 64, Box 189
Hillsboro, WV 24946
304-653-4254

- 287 acres
- Picnicking/shelters
- Museum
- Historic markers
- Playground
- Hiking trails
- Observation tower



FAIRFAX STONE STATE PARK
Contact:
Blackwater Falls State Park
PO Drawer 490
Davis, WV 26260
304-259-5216

- 4 acres
- Historic marker



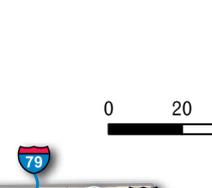
GREENBRIER RIVER TRAIL
HC 82, Box 252
Marlinton, WV 24954
304-799-7416

- National Millennium Legacy Trail
- 77 miles
- Hiking/biking/cross-country ski trail
- Designated campsites



GREENBRIER STATE FOREST
HC 30, Box 154
Caldwell, WV 24925
304-536-1944

- 5,130 acres
- 13 cabins
- 12 standard
- 1 accessible
- 20 campsites with electric
- 13 suitable for trailers
- Swimming pool (accessible to guests with disabilities)
- Hunting (in season)
- Picnicking/shelters
- Playground
- Hiking and fitness trails
- Seasonal nature/recreation program
- Gift shop
- Near Lewisburg and White Sulphur Springs, WV



HAWKS NEST STATE PARK
49 Hawks Nest Park Road
PO Box 857
Ansted, WV 25812
304-658-5212

- 370 acres
- 31 lodge rooms
- Wi-Fi
- Conference room
- Restaurant
- Outdoor guest pool
- Fishing
- Nature center (seasonal)
- Picnicking/shelters
- Hiking trails
- Gift shop
- Aerial tramway
- Nature/recreation program
- Jet boat excursion to view New River Gorge Bridge
- Scenic overlooks



HOLLY RIVER STATE PARK
502 State Park Road
Hacker Valley, WV 26222
304-493-6353

- 8,294 acres
- 10 standard cabins
- 88 campsites
- all with electric
- 65 suitable for trailers
- Group campsite
- Bathhouses
- Activity building
- Dumping station
- Restaurant (seasonal)
- Commissary
- Picnicking/shelters
- Fishing
- Swimming pool
- Tennis/game courts
- Hiking trails
- Overnight backpacking available
- Seasonal nature/recreation program
- One-room schoolhouse



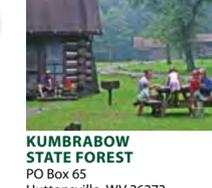
KANAWHA STATE FOREST
7500 Kanawha State Forest Drive
Charleston, WV 25314
304-558-3500

- 9,052 acres
- 46 campsites
- 25 with electric
- 21 with water
- 24 suitable for trailers
- Two bathhouses
- Dumping station
- Swimming pool
- Hunting (in season)
- Designated mountain biking trails
- Picnicking/shelters
- Playground
- Hiking/cross-country ski trails



KUMBRABOW STATE FOREST
PO Box 65
Huttonsville, WV 26273
304-335-2219

- 9,431 acres
- 6 rustic cabins
- Coin-operated showers at forest headquarters
- 13 tent/trailer campsites
- Bathhouse with laundry facilities
- Fishing
- Hunting (in season)
- Picnicking/shelters
- Playground
- Hiking trails



PANTHER WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA
HC 63, Box 923
Panther, WV 24872
304-938-2252

- 10,975 acres
- 6 tent/trailer campsites
- all with electric
- Group camp—capacity 60
- Swimming pool
- Fishing
- Hunting (in season)
- Picnicking/shelters
- Hiking trails



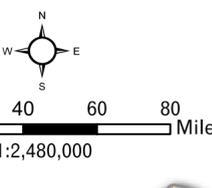
LAUREL LAKE WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA
HC 70, Box 626
Lenore, WV 25676
304-475-2823

- 12,855 acres
- Lake—29 acres
- Fishing
- Hunting
- Picnicking/shelter
- Game courts
- Swimming pool
- Playground
- Hiking



LITTLE BEAVER STATE PARK
1402 Grandview Road
Beaver, WV 25813
304-763-2494

- 562 acres
- Five reservable picnic shelters
- Activities building
- Lake—18 acres
- Fishing
- Row and paddleboat rentals
- Biking trails
- Picnicking/shelters
- Playground



LOST RIVER STATE PARK
321 Park Drive
Mathias, WV 26812
304-897-5372

- 3,712 acres
- 26 cabins
- 11 modern
- 15 standard
- Camping nearby
- Swimming pool
- Horseback riding stables
- Tennis/game courts
- Picnicking/shelters
- Playground
- Hiking/cross-country ski trails
- Recreation building
- Lee Cabin/museum
- Gift shop
- Seasonal nature/recreation program
- Scenic overlook



MONCOVE LAKE STATE PARK
HC 83, Box 73-A
Gap Mills, WV 24941
304-772-3450

- 896 acres
- 48 campsites
- 25 with electric
- Bathhouses
- Dumping station
- Swimming pool
- Lake—144 acres
- Fishing
- Paddleboat rentals
- Playgrounds
- Game courts
- Hiking trails
- Picnicking/shelters
- Hunting nearby



NORTH BEND RAIL TRAIL
Contact:
North Bend State Park
202 North Bend Park Road
Cairo, WV 26337
304-643-2931

- 72 miles from Wolf Summit in Harrison County to Parkersburg in Wood County
- Hiking/biking/horseback riding



NORTH BEND STATE PARK
202 North Bend Park Road
RR 1, Box 221
Cairo, WV 26337
304-643-2931

- 2,492 acres
- 29 lodge rooms
- Restaurant
- Meeting rooms
- Wi-Fi
- 9 cottages
- 77 campsites
- River Run Campground
- 49 campsites—26 with electric
- Cokeley Campground
- 28 sites with water and electric
- Bathhouse
- Dumping station
- Swimming pool
- Tennis/game courts
- Miniature golf
- Picnicking/shelters
- Playgrounds
- Lake—305 acres
- Fishing/pier for physically challenged
- Boat launch
- Boat/bike rentals
- Year-round nature/recreation program
- Amphitheater
- Gift shop
- North Bend Rail Trail



PANTRY WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA
HC 63, Box 923
Panther, WV 24872
304-938-2252

- 10,975 acres
- 6 tent/trailer campsites
- all with electric
- Group camp—capacity 60
- Swimming pool
- Fishing
- Hunting (in season)
- Picnicking/shelters
- Hiking trails



PINNACLE ROCK STATE PARK
PO Box 1
Bramwell, WV 24715
304-248-8565

- 374 acres
- Lake—15 acres
- Picnicking/shelter
- Hiking trails
- Biking trails
- Children's playground
- Fishing
- Interpretive center (seasonal)



PIPESTEM RESORT STATE PARK
Route 20, Box 150
Pipestem, WV 25979
304-466-1800

- 4,050 acres
- Two lodges—143 rooms
- Wi-Fi/McKeever Lodge
- Restaurants
- Snack bar
- Conference facilities
- 26 year-round cottages
- 82 campsites
- 31 deluxe sites with electric/water/sewer hookups
- 19 sites with electric only
- 32 standard sites
- Bathhouse
- Dumping station
- Fitness center
- Two golf courses
- Pro shop
- Indoor and outdoor swimming pools
- Horseback riding stables
- Long Branch Lake—16 acres
- Canoeing/paddleboats
- Lake and river fishing
- Tennis/game courts
- Picnicking/shelters

VIPP Program

The VIPP, (Very Important Parks Person Program), was introduced in 1986 to create and develop “friends” for West Virginia state parks and forests and to recognize individuals that visit and support activities and programming.

Participation is easy. VIPP status is achieved after visiting 20 state parks and forests from a designated list of facilities in an unlimited amount of time. It is not a race or contest, but an opportunity to plan overnight visits or day trips to enjoy state parks and state forests.

Annual events for VIPP participants are organized. VIPP members are invited to a picnic and other events to share park stories, savor a great meal, and to meet other individuals sharing a mutual appreciation of the outdoors.

VIPP participation begins with registration and receipt of a VIPP card and welcome letter. The initial welcome packet includes one log card for each person registered. This card lists the 15 required areas to visit and an additional list from which to choose five elective visits. Packets may also include a vehicle window decal, park literature, letter and more.

Log cards must be validated (stamped) at the park or forest, or as described in the welcome packet. Upon completing and submitting the VIPP log card, VIPPs receive a participation certificate, VIPP card and a VIPP jacket with the program logo. There is no charge to participate. On occasion, there may be minimal fees covering costs for special VIPP events, apparel, or other items.

To enroll, write to the address printed on this brochure: Attn: VIPP Enrollee or call 304-558-2764, or visit online to download an enrollment form.

WV State Park Foundation

The West Virginia State Park Foundation is an independent 501(c)(3) non-profit foundation formed in 1998 to solicit, receive and accept contributions, gifts, grants, and bequests of real or personal property in support of the West Virginia state park system.

The Foundation is governed by a Board of Directors, elected from individual state park foundations and serving without compensation. Gifts made to the Foundation may be designated for specific purposes such as facility improvements, new construction, programming, endowments, or equipment purchases at specific state parks or forests, or to be used at the discretion of park management supporting the entire park system.

To learn how to contribute to the West Virginia State Parks Foundation, Inc., please contact the state park Business Manager at 304-558-2764, or address written correspondence to the West Virginia State Park Foundation at the below address.

West Virginia Division of Natural Resources
Parks and Recreation
324 4th Avenue
South Charleston, West Virginia 25303
304-558-2764
www.wvstateparks.com

STATEMENT OF POLICY REGARDING THE EQUAL OPPORTUNITY TO USE FACILITIES AND PARTICIPATE IN PROGRAMS

Visitors are responsible for observing park rules and regulations.

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