A Pennsylvania Recreational Guide for

Lyman Run State Park









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The 595-acre Lyman Run State Park is in scenic Potter County. Maples and cherries dominate a mixed northern hardwood forest that surrounds the 45-acre Lyman Run Lake, making a most scenic setting.

Directions

GPS DD: Lat. 41.72500 Long. -77.76000

Lyman Run State Park is 15 miles east of Coudersport and seven miles west of Galeton on Lyman Run Road.

Recreational Opportunities

PICNICKING: The shaded picnic area has picnic tables, charcoal grills, hot charcoal disposals, drinking water, and a play area. Modern restrooms are in the beach house. One picnic pavilion may be reserved up to 11 months in advance for a fee. When unreserved, the picnic pavilion is free on a first-come, first-served basis.

CAMPING: flush toilets and hot showers
Daggett and Lower campgrounds offer separate camping areas totaling 35 RV and tent campsites. Each campsite includes a picnic table, fire ring, and lantern hanger. Twenty-nine sites have electricity. Four are walk-to sites. Both campgrounds have modern shower houses with hot water; however, Daggett has modern restrooms and Lower has non-flush (composting) restrooms. Daggett Campground is open from the first weekend in April through the last weekend in October. Lower Campground is open from the first weekend in April to the end of deer season. Pets are permitted on designated sites in both campgrounds. A sanitary dump station is in the Lower Campground.

Sites in Lower Campground offer licensed drivers with ATVs direct access to the Susquehannock ATV trail system at the Lyman Run Trailhead.

BOATING: electric trolling motors only; slow, no-wake speed
Boating facilities on the 45-acre Lyman Run Lake include a launch ramp and a courtesy dock. The mooring area holds 60 boats. Mooring permits may be purchased at the park office.

Motorboats must display a boat registration from any state. Non-powered boats must display one of the following: boat registration from any state; launch permit or mooring permit from Pennsylvania State Parks, available at most state park offices; launch use permit from the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission.

SWIMMING: A sand beach is open from the Friday before Memorial Day to mid-September, 8:00 AM to sunset. Swim at your own risk. Please read and follow posted rules for swimming. The beach area has flush toilets, changing rooms, food concession, and boat rental. Pets are prohibited on the sand beach and in the swimming area.

FISHING: Lyman Run Lake is noted for its exceptional water quality and provides excellent fishing for trouts, smallmouth basses, and panfish. Lyman Run from Lyman Run Lake to West Branch Road is an approved trout waters and stocked each spring. The lake and downstream waters close for all fishing on the third Monday of February to the opening day of regular trout season.

Ice fishing is permitted on Lyman Run Lake during the winter months. **Ice thickness is not monitored.** For your safety, make sure ice is at least 4" thick for a single angler and 7" thick for a small group. Always carry safety equipment.

Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission regulations and laws apply.

HIKING: 4.1 miles in the park, 6.5 miles total
Many trails that begin in the park extend into Susquehannock State Forest before returning to the park or connecting with trails or roads within the state forest. Individual trail mileages indicate distance within the park. Unless noted otherwise trails are hiking only and marked with rectangular yellow blazes. There are trailhead and intersection signposts.

Beehive Trail

0.3 mile in the park, 1.4 miles total | More difficult hiking | Connector trail

The 1.4-mile Beehive Trail connects Daggett Campground and Rock Run Road. Use Wildcat Trail to create a 2.4-mile loop. The trail section from the park and forestry boundary to the intersection with Wildcat Trail contains signs of ancient wildfires in the form of massive old tree stumps.

Lyman Run Trail

1.9 miles in the park, 2.5 miles total | More difficult hiking | Out-and-back trail

Hike from one end of the park to the other following Lyman Run through many habitats and on a railroad trace. Lyman Run Trail can be accessed in Lower Campground, at the spillway, or where it intersects the Susquehannock Trail System (STS). Be aware, hikers must make a wet crossing of the creek between Lower Campground and the spillway.

The entire trail is 2.5 miles and connects to the Susquehannock Trail System in Susquehannock State Forest.

Rock Run Trail

0.7 mile in the park, 1.4 miles total | More difficult hiking | Out-and-back trail

The 1.4-mile Rock Run Trail passes a vista that showcases Lyman Run Lake. The trail can be made into a 1.3-mile loop by connecting to Spur Line Trail.

Spur Line Trail

0.6 mile | Easiest hiking | Connector trail

Spur Line Trail ascends slowly from Lower Campground up to Rock Run Road. Look for the Lyman Run Vista to the right along Rock Run Road.

Hikers can complete a 1.3-mile loop by continuing along the road then turning right onto Rock Run Trail.

Wildcat Trail

0.6 mile | More difficult hiking | Connector trail

Following an old haul road, this 1.1-mile trail leads by large boulders, an upland hemlock and bog area containing northern cotton grass, and several majestic old hemlocks. The trail can be accessed from the Suquehannock Snowmobile/ATV Trail, Beehive Trail, and the Wildcat Connector on Rock Run Road.

SUSQUEHANNOCK ATV TRAIL: Lyman Run State Park is an access point for the 43-mile ATV trail system within Susquehannock State Forest.

ATVs must be loaded/offloaded in the Lyman Run ATV trailhead parking lot located east of the park office on Lyman Run Road. This lot has space for five vehicles with trailers.

ATVs are prohibited on Daggett Hollow Road, Park Office Road, and in designated day-use vehicle parking lots.

SNOWMOBILING: A 43-mile loop trail in Susquehannock State Forest passes through Lyman Run State Park. Snowmobiles may be operated on designated trails and roads from the day following the last deer season in December until April 1, weather permitting.

HUNTING AND FIREARMS: About 500 acres are open to hunting, trapping, and the training of dogs during established seasons. Common game species are white-tailed deer, turkey, and black bear.

Hunting woodchucks, also known as groundhogs, is prohibited. Dog training is only permitted from the day following Labor Day through March 31 in designated hunting areas. The Department of Conservation and Natural Resources and the Pennsylvania Game Commission rules and regulations apply. Contact the park office for ADA-accessible hunting information.

Use extreme caution with firearms at all times. Other visitors use the park during hunting seasons. Firearms and archery equipment used for hunting may be uncased and ready for use only in authorized hunting areas during hunting seasons. In areas not open to hunting or during non-hunting seasons, firearms and archery equipment shall be kept in the owner's vehicle or enclosed trailer. Exceptions include: law enforcement officers and individuals with a valid Pennsylvania License to Carry Firearms are authorized to carry a firearm concealed on their person while they are within a state park.

Learn, Experience, Connect

Lyman Run State Park offers a wide variety of programs year-round. Gain a better understanding of the park's natural, cultural, and historical resources through guided outdoor recreation, hands-on activities, walks, special events, and other programs.

Contact the park office or explore the online calendar of events: https://events.dcnr.pa.gov, for more information on programs and other learning experiences.

Access for People with Disabilities

This symbol indicates facilities and activities that are Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) accessible for people with disabilities. This publication text is available in alternative formats.

If you need an accommodation to participate in park activities due to a disability, please contact the park you plan to visit.

In an Emergency

Call 911 and contact a park employee to summon medical, fire, or safety professionals.

Call or text 988 to contact a crisis center counselor during a mental health or substance abuse crisis.

Directions to the nearest hospital are posted on bulletin boards and at the park office.

Nearest Hospital
UPMC - Cole
1001 East Second St. U.S. 6 East
Coudersport, PA 16915
814- 274-9300

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Daggett Run Campground

Dressing Area

Dam

Lyman Run Lake

ATV Trailhead

No Bridge

Lower Campground

Wildcat Connector

To US 6, 5.0 Mi.

Rock Run Road

To US 6, 6.2 Mi.

To Galeton, 6.4 Mi.

To Cherry Springs State Park, 7.1 miles

Snowmobile/ATV Trail

Lyman Run Trail

Susquehannock Trail System (STS)

Beehive Trail

Wildcat Trail

Spur Line Trail

Rock Run Trail

Daggett Hollow

Brown Hollow

Jacobs Hollow

Office Road

Lyman Run Road

Rock Run Road

Lyman Run

Rock Run

200 0 200 400 600 METERS

800 0 800 1,600 FEET

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Park Office	Scenic View	Road - Unpaved	
Blue Symbols Mean ADA Accessible	Camping	Road - Paved	
Emergency Phone	Sanitary Dump Station	Road - Joint-use: Auto/ Snowmobile/ATV	
Restrooms - Modern	Swimming Beach	Gate	
Restrooms - Non-flush	Boat Rental	Parking - Unpaved	
Amphitheater	Boat Launch & Mooring	State Park - No Hunting	
Food Concession	Trail - Hiking	State Park - Hunting	
Playground	Trail - Snowmobiling/ATV	State Park - Boundary	
Picnicking	Trail - Paved	State Forest Land	
Picnic Pavilion	Susquehannock Trail System (STS)	CONTOURS ARE ON 50 FT. INTERVALS	