The Pinelands of New Jersey

A Resource Guide to Public Recreation Opportunities
PUBLIC RECREATION OPPORTUNITIES IN THE NEW JERSEY PINELANDS:
A RESOURCE GUIDE

(For information on private recreation facilities in the Pinelands, contact the local chamber of commerce or the Division of Travel and Tourism, New Jersey Department of Commerce and Economic Development. See below for address and telephone number of Travel and Tourism.)

The following brochures may be obtained from:

Division of Parks and Forestry
State Park Service
CN 404
Trenton, NJ 08625
(609) 292-2797

- Bass River State Forest
- Batona Trail
- Belleplain State Forest
- State Campgrounds
- Historic Batsto
- Island Beach State Park
- Lebanon State Forest

The following brochures may be obtained from:

Division of Travel and Tourism
CN 826
Trenton, NJ 08625
(609) 292-2470

- Beach Guide
- Calendar of events
- Campsite Guide
- Fall Foliage Tours
- New Jersey Invites You to Enjoy Its: State Forests, Parks, Natural Areas, Marinas, Historic Sites & Wildlife Management Areas
- Parvin State Park
- Wharton State Forest
- Marinas and Boat Basins
- Mini-Tour Guide
- Winter Activities Guide

The following brochures may be obtained from:

New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection
Office of Natural Lands Management
109 West State St.
CN 404
Trenton, NJ 08625

- New Jersey Trails Plan

The following information may be obtained from:

Green Acres Program
CN 404
Trenton, NJ 08625
(609) 292-2455

- Outdoor Recreation Plan of New Jersey*
($5 charge - color publication)

* fee charged
The following information may be obtained from:

Division of Fish, Game & Wildlife
CN 400
Trenton, NJ 08625
(609) 292-9450

* Wildlife Management Guide* (includes maps and access points of various wildlife areas; open for hiking, fishing, and hunting.)

The following information may be obtained from:

Pinelands Commission
P.O. Box 7
New Lisbon, NJ 08064
(609) 894-9342

* Recreational Assessment of the Pinelands*
* The Pinelands of New Jersey*
* Take Ten: Hike 5, Bike 5 (10 Easy Trails in the New Jersey Pine Barrens)

These directories of environmental and recreational groups may be obtained by writing to:

National Wildlife Federation
1412 16th St., N.W.
Washington, DC 20036
(609) 655-8030

Youth Environmental Society
23 North Main St.
Cranbury, NJ 08512
(609) 655-8030

Conservation Directory*
NJ Environmental Directory*

PINE LANDS AUDIO-VISUAL PROGRAM
AVAILABLE FREE

A 17 minute slide program describing the history and ecology of the Pinelands is available at the starred (**) nature and environmental centers on page 4 and state forests and parks and wildlife refuges on page 3. Copies of the show, recently produced by the Pinelands Commission, may also be borrowed from area libraries. The 80 slide program is accompanied by a cassette tape with music, narration and natural sounds. It is housed in a Kodak carousel and the cassette provides opportunity for both manual and electronic advance of the slides.

For further information, call or write to the Pinelands Commission, P.O. Box 7, New Lisbon, NJ 08064, telephone (609) 894-9342.

* fee charged

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COU}JTY PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENTS

Atlantic County Parks Dept.
RD #3, Box 252A
Mays Landing, NJ 08330
(609) 625-1897

Burlington County Parks and Recreation Information
c/o Burlington County Planning Board
49 Rancocas Rd.
Mt. Holly, NJ 08060
(609) 261-5061

Camden County Park Commission
Park Dr. & Whitman Ave.
Cherry Hill, NJ 08002
(609) 429-9136

Cape May County Park Commission
Route 9
Cape May Ct. House, NJ 08210
(609) 465-5271

Cumberland Co. Recreation Dept.
P.O. Box 472
Bridgeport, NJ 08302
(609) 455-0328

Gloucester County Parks and Recreation
Red Bank Battle Field
100 Hessian Avenue
National Park, NJ 08063
(609) 853-5120

Ocean County Parks Dept.
659 Ocean Ave.
Lakewood, NJ 08701
(201) 370-7360

NATURE AND ENVIRONMENTAL CENTERS SERVING THE PINELANDS AND SURROUNDING AREAS

** Atlantic County Nature Center
c/o Atlantic County Parks Dept.
P.O. Box 252A
Mays Landing, NJ 08330
(609) 625-1897 or 625-7000 ext. 5373

** Camden County Nature Center
Park Dr. & Estouh Ave.
Berlin, NJ 08009
(609) 768-1598

Cape May Bird Observatory
Box 3
Cape May Pt., NJ 08212
(609) 884-2736

** Center for Coastal and Environmental Studies
Div. of Pinelands Research
Rutgers-The State University
New Brunswick, NJ 08903
(201) 932-3141

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(Major Public Recreation Areas in the Pinelands (see other side for map key))
MAP KEY

1. Lebanon State Forest
2. Double Trouble State Park
3. Island Beach State Park
4. Penn State Forest
5. Bass River State Forest
6. Wharton State Forest
7. Green Bank State Forest
8. Belleplain State Forest
9. Colliers Mills Fish and Wildlife Management Area
10. Manchester/Whiting Fish and Wildlife Management Areas
11. Pasadena Fish and Wildlife Management Area
12. Greenwood Forest Fish and Wildlife Management Area
13. Stafford Forge Wildlife Management Area
14. Swan Bay/Port Republic Fish and Wildlife Management Areas
15. Great Bay Fish and Wildlife Management Area
16. Winslow Fish and Wildlife Management Area
17. Peaslee Fish and Wildlife Management Area
18. Lester G. McNamara Fish and Wildlife Management Area
19. Heislerville Fish and Wildlife Management Area
20. Dennis Creek Fish and Wildlife Management Area
21. Beaver Swamp Fish and Wildlife Management Area
22. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge (Barnegat Div.)
23. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge (Brigantine Div.)
24. New Brooklyn County Park (Camden County)
25. Estell Manor County Park (Atlantic County)
26. West Plains (administered by Bass River State Forest)

NATURAL AREAS

The Department of Environmental Protection has designated certain areas of environmental interest as Natural Areas. Here is a list of these areas and their locations. You can obtain information from the Division of Parks and Forestry (see page 1).

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