General Camping Rules

The park office is open daily from 8:00am – 4:00pm and can be reached at 973-875-4800.

In Case of Emergency – Please call 911. To contact the NJ State Park Police 24-hour Trenton Dispatch please call 1-877-927-6337. Our closest hospital is Bon Secours 160 East Main Street Port Jervis, NY 12771. 845-858-7000.

If you arrive after hours and do not have a reservation, please refer to information on the front door for campsite availability. All after hours arrivals must check in at the main office promptly the following morning to register.

CHECK-IN AND CHECK-OUT TIMES ARE AS FOLLOWS:
Family & Group Campsites: Check-In: 12:00 noon – Check-Out 12:00 Noon
Group & Family Cabins: Check-In 3:00pm – Check-Out 11:00am

IF YOU ARRIVE AFTER THE OFFICE IS CLOSED AND HAVE A VALID RESERVATION:

Family & Group Campsite Campers: Should proceed directly to your camping area and check-in at the park office the following morning.

Cabin & Group Cabin Occupants: your key will be hung in the foyer area of the “employee only” entrance of the main office. Open the door, look inside and up to your right. There is a clip with each cabin number on it. Please take the appropriate key. You can then proceed directly to your cabin. You will need to check in to the park office the following morning.

All visitors are responsible for knowing park rules and regulations. A full text of rules is posted and is available upon request.

Quiet Hours: Quiet hours are from 10:00pm – 6:00am. Please report noise complaints to 1-877-927-6337. Choose option #1.

Garbage Disposal – Bear proof dumpsters are provided for your prompt garbage disposal at the Sawmill Camping Area as indicated on the Sawmill Camping Area Map. For guests using our Group Campsites, Group Cabin or Family Cabin facilities, bear proof dumpsters are also located at our maintenance complex just south of the Park Office on Route 23.

Alcohol, Smoking and Vaping – Alcohol, smoking and vaping are NOT PERMITTED on any State property.

Fires – Fires are permitted only in stoves, fireplaces, fire rings or in approved camp stoves provided by the camper. Please do not leave fires unattended and extinguish your fire completely before vacating your site.

Vehicle Limit – No more than two vehicles (including trailers) may be parked at a camping facility. Overflow parking is available for $5.00 per vehicle/per night.

Showers/Swimming – Swimming is not permitted at Sawmill Lake. Showers are available at the Lake Marcia Bathhouse Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day. At all other times showers are available at Stokes State Forest in the Lake Oquittunk Campground. Directions to Stokes State Forest are posted on the camping bulletin board. We anticipate our Lake Marcia swimming area will open by the 3rd week of June 2022. Please contact the office for updated information on our summer swim season.

Black Bears – are present in New Jersey. During your stay at the park, all coolers and food-related items must always be stored in the trunk of your vehicle. Garbage should be promptly removed from your campsite and put in the appropriate trash receptacle. Please see the “Know the Bear Facts” placard posted on your campsite for more information. If you encounter a bear that does not leave when you make loud noise move from the campsite into your vehicle and call the 24-hour Trenton Dispatch at 877-927-6337.

Pets: Dogs and cats are permitted at pet friendly campsites only. Designated sites are 1-7 and 16-50 and there is a maximum of 2 pets per site. Permittee must provide written proof of the current rabies/distemper vaccine and license.

WE HOPE YOU ENJOY HIGH POINT STATE PARK!