

# Susquehanna State Park

## Campground Information



<b>EMERGENCIES:</b>	911
<b>RESERVATIONS:</b>	1-888-432-2267 or <a href="http://reservations.dnr.state.md.us">http://reservations.dnr.state.md.us</a>
<b>AFTER-HOURS HELP:</b>	410-260-8888
<b>PARK OFFICE:</b>	410-734-9035 or 410-557-7994 (Rocks State Park)
<b>PARK CELL PHONE:</b>	443-684-0288
<b>CAMP ADDRESS:</b>	729 Craig's Corner Road, Havre de Grace, MD 21078

## CAMPGROUND INFORMATION and RULES

- **Check-out time is 1 p.m.** Check-in time is 3 p.m.
- **Quiet Hours are from 10 p.m. to 7 a.m.** All visitors please leave by 10 p.m. Please be considerate: turn off radios and televisions, and talk quietly.
- The campground is open and accessible 24-hours-a-day during the camping season.
- **Total Campers Per Site:** Maximum of 6 overnight campers, including children. Maximum of 4 additional visitors per site until 10 pm; day use fees apply.
- **Two Vehicles Per Site:** Vehicles must display permit. A boat is considered a vehicle. Vehicles must be parked on the campsite driveway. Parking and driving on the grass is prohibited.
- **Camping Units Per Site:** Maximum of 2 sleeping units on each site. All camping units must be placed on the camp pads (if your site has a pad).
- **Fires in Fire Rings Only:** Campfires should be extinguished with water. Cutting, removing, or damaging live or standing trees is prohibited. The operation of chainsaws or power-saws is not permitted. No tiki torches. Candles and lamps must be in fire-proof containers.
- **Grey Water:** Must be drained into a sealed, water-tight container; dump station located near the camper registration building.
- **Alcoholic beverages are prohibited.**
- **No Weapons.** Firearms, BB Guns, Paint Ball Guns, Pellet Guns, Bows, etc. are not permitted in the campground.
- **Pets:** Pets on leashes are allowed throughout the park, except they are not permitted inside restrooms and other park buildings.
- Children under 16 years of age must **wear a helmet** when riding a bicycle.

### ADDITIONAL CABIN INFORMATION AND RULES

- A maximum of **4 people** are permitted to sleep in a camper cabin.
- Cooking/open flames are NOT permitted inside camper cabins and on cabin porches.
- Additional sleeping units are NOT allowed at cabin sites.
- Pets are not permitted inside cabins. Cabin renters may not bring pets.

*The campground will close for the season on October 29, 2017.*

## PARK FEATURES

### Trails

Susquehanna State Park contains over 15 miles of marked and maintained trails; ideal for hikers, mountain bikers, equestrians and nature lovers. The terrain varies throughout the river valley. The different trails have ratings ranging from easy to difficult. The Lower Susquehanna Heritage Greenways Trail runs between the Conowingo Dam and Stafford Road at Deer Creek and is an excellent flat trail for family hike and bike outings. It is also handicapped accessible. See our park website for a map. Free black and white maps are available at the camper contact station. Printed color maps are \$2 each.

### Rock Run Historic Area

This area features the Rock Run Mill, an operational 200-year-old gristmill, the historic Carter-Archer mansion, a former bridge tollhouse and remnants of the Susquehanna & Tidewater Canal. The Rock Run Gristmill is open on weekends and holidays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Memorial Day to Labor Day, and upon request. The Carter-Archer Mansion is also open on weekends and holidays, Memorial Day to Labor Day from 1 to 4 p.m., and upon request.

### Boating

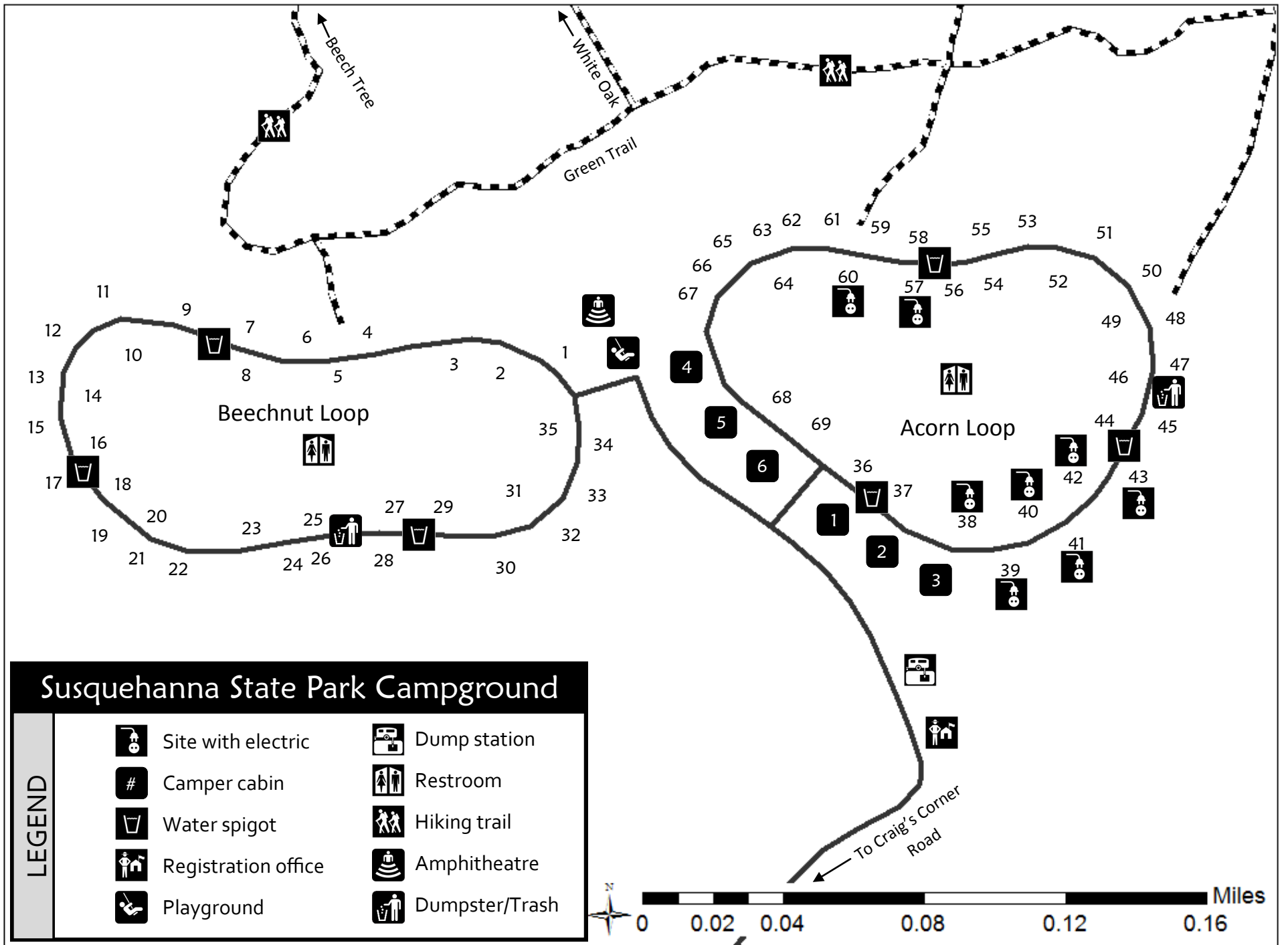
The park's Lapidum Boating Facility offers direct access to the river and the headwaters of the Chesapeake Bay just a short trip down stream. The ramps are open year round, and includes a **\$10 service charge** for Maryland residents; **\$12 for out-of-state residents. Registered campers who wish to use the boat launch must pay the launch fee once during their visit, but can then launch for free for the remainder of their stay.** Year long passes are available online and for sale within the park. Patrons possessing a Maryland Park Service Golden Age Pass can launch for free. Pets are permitted in this area. No alcohol is permitted. See staff for more information.

### Fishing

Susquehanna State Park has direct access to the river where, depending on the season, anglers can improve their skills while catching striped bass as well as large and small mouth bass. The annual shad and herring runs in early spring are an awesome sight. Perch, catfish and carp are also in abundance. The Susquehanna River, from the Conowingo Dam to the Chesapeake Bay, is tidal water. A Chesapeake Bay Sports Fishing License (tidal license) is required in order to fish this portion of the Susquehanna River. Fishing in Deer Creek requires a non-tidal fishing license. See the DNR Fishing Guide for information on fishing licenses and to find out about seasons, sizes and limits.

### Picnicking

Open daily from 9 a.m. to sunset (10 a.m. to sunset in the winter), the Deer Creek picnic area offers shaded picnic tables, grills, two picnic shelters and a modern restroom. Large open fields close by are great for family games or blanket and basket picnics. A freshwater pond is on site and is ideal for the novice angler. The pavilions are available for rent from March through October, and are perfect for your family reunion or company picnic. Pavilion use is by reservation only. **Registered campers may access the picnic area free-of-charge. Service charges apply to all other park users.**



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**LEGEND**

	Site with electric		Dump station
	Camper cabin		Restroom
	Water spigot		Hiking trail
	Registration office		Amphitheatre
	Playground		Dumpster/Trash