IMPORTANT FISHING DATES

Regulations stated below are based on regulations for Commonwealth Inland Waters.* All Species of Trout and Salmon

Regional Opening Day of Trout Season is 8 a.m. on the first Saturday after March 28 to midnight Labor Day and includes only those waters in 18 southeastern counties and two waters crossing from those counties listed in the Regional Opening Day of Trout Season Program. Minimum size is 7 inches; daily limit is 5 (combined species) except areas with special regulations. Regular Season for the balance of all other Commonwealth Inland Waters is

8 a.m. on the first Saturday after April 11 to midnight Labor Day; minimum size is 7 inches; daily limit is 5 (combined species) except areas with special regulations Extended Season is statewide on stocked trout waters and all waters downstream of stocked trout waters 12:01 a.m. the day after Labor Day to midnight the last day of February of the following year; minimum size is 7 inches; daily limit is 3 (combined species), except areas with special regulations or designated Class A.

Extended Season: Class A wild trout stream sections are no harvest - catch and release only. Streams are listed at www.fishandboat.com/classa.pdf.

Bass - Largemouth, Smallmouth and Spotted (Lakes) • January 1 to midnight the day before the first Saturday after April 11 and November 1 to midnight December 31; minimum size is 15 inches; daily limit is 4 (combined species)

• 12:01 a.m. the first Saturday after April 11 to 12:01 a.m. the first Saturday after June 11: no harvest – catch and immediate release only (no tournaments permitted • 12:01 a.m. the first Saturday after June 11 to midnight October 31;

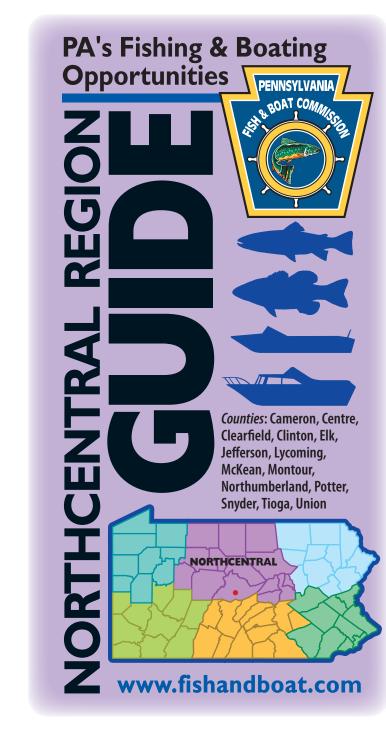
minimum size is 12 inches; daily limit is 6 (combined species). **Bass – Largemouth, Smallmouth and Spotted** (Rivers and Streams) January 1 to midnight the day before the first Saturday after April 11 and October 1 to midnight December 31: minimum size is 15 inches: daily limit

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Saturday after June 11; no harvest – catch and immediate release only • 12:01 a.m. the first Saturday after June 11 to midnight September 30; minimum size is 12 inches; daily limit is 6 (combined species).

• January 1 through March 14; and 12:01 a.m. the first Saturday in May to midnight, December 31; minimum size for Walleyes and Saugeye (Hybrids) is 15 inches; daily limit is 6. Minimum size for Sauger is 12 inches; daily limit is 6.

NOTE: Stocked trout waters are closed to fishing from March 1 to the opening day of the regular trout season in April, unless included in the **Regional Opening Day of Trout** Season Program or Stocked Trout Waters open to Year-Round Fishing Program. NOTE: For Bass regulations, power dam pools and recreational dam pools on the Susquehanna River and navigational dam pools in the Ohio drainage are "rivers." It is unlawful to conduct a fishing tournament on the North Branch, West Branch or main stem of the Susquehanna River that allows a tournament angler to harvest black bass. *Regulations summarized here are subject to change. For each of these species, special



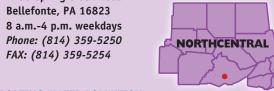


The mission of the Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission is to protect, conserve and enhance the Commonwealth's aquatic resources, and provide fishing and boating opportunities.

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Northcentral Region Law Enforcement Office

1150 Spring Creek Road Bellefonte, PA 16823 8 a.m.-4 p.m. weekdays



REPORTING WATER POLLUTION

If you see anything suspected to be a pollution or disturbance of any waterway, report it immediately by calling the region office or the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection at 1-800-541-2050 (24 hours a day, 7 days a week).

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Water trails are recreational waterways on a lake, river or ocean between specific points, containing access points and dayuse and/or camping sites for the boating public. Water trails emphasize low-impact use and promote resource stewardship. The Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission (PFBC) and its water trail partners invite you to explore these unique Pennsylvania water trails. As you paddle or row, always remember to "Wear It!"

PENNSYLVANIA WATER TRAIL PROGRAM

Long before airports, highways or even trains, Pennsylvania's streams, rivers and lakes provided a means of transportation for native inhabitants. As European explorers ventured into "Penn's Woods," these waters became important trading routes. Later, as demand for logs, coal and other goods soared, the Commonwealth's waterways became commercial highways. Today, you can travel these same routes, enjoying the state's natural resources while getting glimpses of rich history and tradition on an official Pennsylvania

PENNSYLVANIA BOATING REGULATIONS

One wearable, Coast Guard-approved life

jacket (personal flotation device or PFD) in servicable condition and of the appropriate size is required for each person in your boat. If your boat is 16 feet or longer, one throwable device (seat cushion or ring buoy) is required. Canoes and kayaks, regardless of length, are not required to carry a throw-

able device. • Life jackets must be worn by all children 12 years old and younger on all boats 20 feet

or less in length while under way, and on all canoes and kayaks. Others are strongly encouraged to wear a life jacket at all times on the water.

• Boaters are required by law to wear a life jacket on boats less than 16 feet in length or any canoe or kayak during the cold weather months from November 1 through April 30.

• All boats must display an anchor light (a white light visible at 360 degrees) when at anchor between sunset and sunrise. Boats can use a lantern or clip-on battery-powered unit to meet this requirement. All powered boats must show running lights between sunset and sunrise. Between sunset and sunrise, unpowered boats must carry a

white light (visible at 360 degrees), installed or portable, ready to be displayed in time to avoid a collision. Motorboats less than 65 feet in length must carry some mechanical means of making a sound signal. Athletic whistles meet this

 All motorboats must be registered, regardless of where they launch. Unpowered boats (canoes, kayaks, rowboats, rafts) using Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission or Pennsylvania state parks or forests access areas must either be registered OR display a valid launch permit. Launch

permits can be purchased on the web at www.fishandboat.com. Operating watercraft, including canoes, kayaks and rafts, under the influence of alcohol or drugs is illegal. The law is strictly enforced for user safety. For further information on boating regulations, contact the Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission at www.fishandboat.com.

PADDLING SAFETY TIPS

• Wear your life jacket. Some 80 percent of all recreational boating fatalities happen to people who are not wearing a life jacket. **Expect to get wet.** Even the best paddlers sometimes capsize or

swamp their boats. Bring extra clothing in a waterproof bag. • Be prepared to swim. If the water looks too hazardous to swim • If you capsize, hold on to your boat unless it presents a life-

threatening situation. If floating in current, position yourself on the upstream side of the capsized boat. Be courteous to other boaters and anglers on the stream.

• **Scout ahead whenever possible.** Know the stream. Avoid surprises. • **Be prepared for the weather.** Get a forecast before you go. Sudden winds and rain are common and can turn a pleasant trip into a risky, unpleasant venture.

Wear wading shoes or tennis shoes with wool, polypropylene, pile or neoprene socks. Never take your boat near, or go over, a low-head dam. Dams are drowning machines and are dangerous to approach from

unstream and downstream. Portage (carry) your boat around any section of water about which you feel uncertain.

Never boat alone. Boating safety increases with numbers. • Keep painter lines (ropes tied to the bow) and any other

ropes coiled and secured. Never tie a rope to yourself or to another paddler, especially Kneel to increase your stability before entering rougher

water, like a rapid. • If you collide with an obstruction, lean toward it. This will usually prevent your capsizing or flooding the boat.

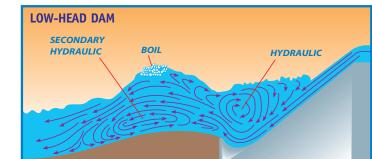
• File a float plan with a reliable person, indicating where you are going and when you will return. Remember to contact the person when you have returned safely.

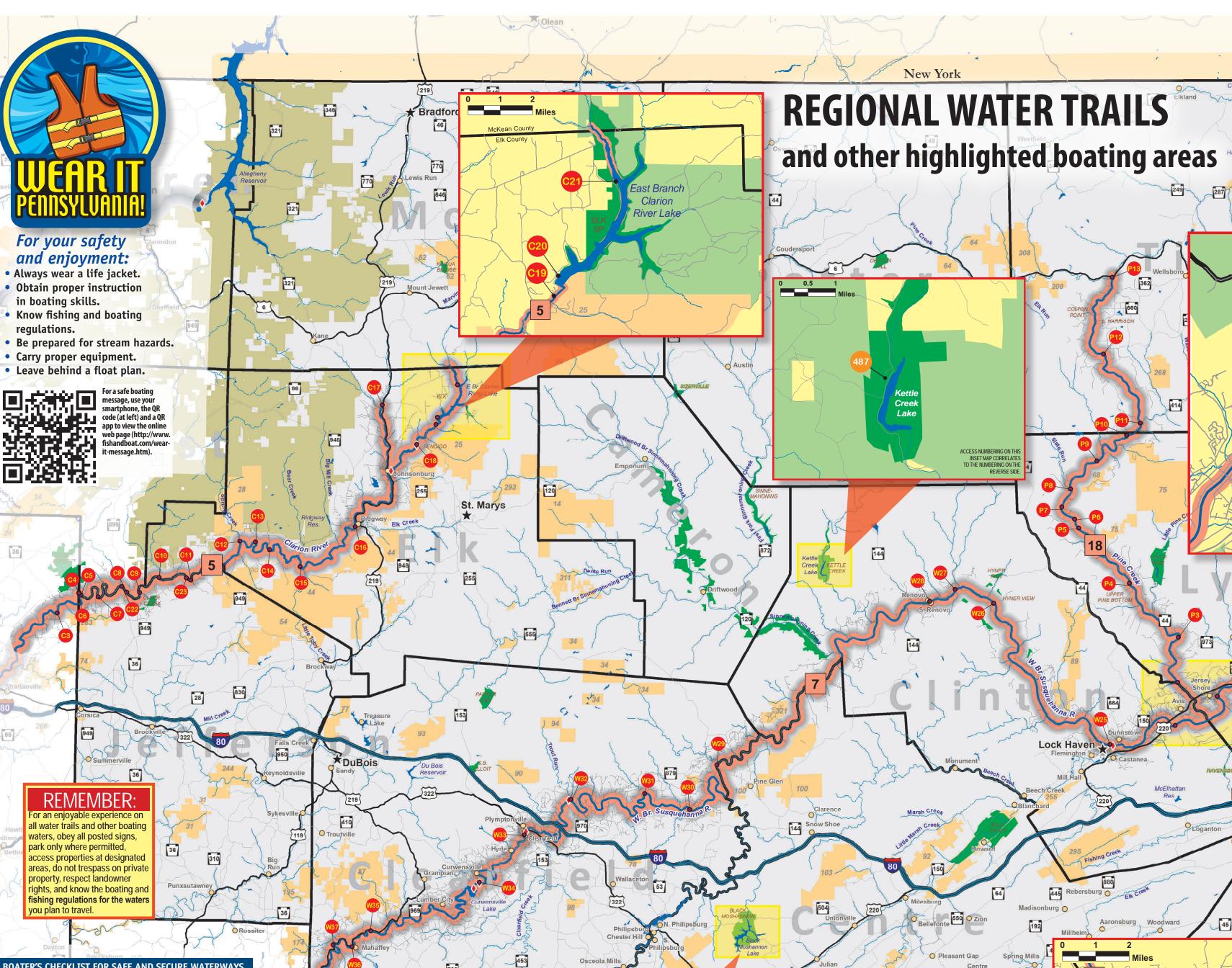
LAUNCH PERMITS

Owners of unpowered boats (canoes, kayaks, stand-up paddleboards, rowboats, etc.) can launch their boats at PFBC lakes and access areas or at Pennsylvania state parks or forests if their boats display a PFBC launch use permit, boat registration, or Pennsylvania State Parks launch permit or mooring permit. Pennsylvania State Parks recognizes boat registrations and Commission launch permits. The Commission does NOT recognize launch permits from other states. A PFBC launch permit can be purchased on the Commission's website. An unpowered boat may have a registration OR launch permit but is not required to have both.

HAZARDS ON THE WATER

Dams: Water going over a dam creates a back current, or undertow, that can pull a boat into the turbulence and capsize it. This hydraulic can often trap 🌌 and hold a person or a boat. Hazards include the areas above and below the dam. Paddlers can spot dams by looking downstream for a horizontal line across





BOATER'S CHECKLIST FOR SAFE AND SECURE WATERWAYS Keep your distance from all military, cruise-line and commercial shipping. Do not approach within 100 yards and slow to minimum speed within 500 yards of any U.S. Naval vessel, including any U.S. military or military supply vessel. Violators of the Naval Vessel Protection Zone face up to 6 years in prison and a \$250,000 fine, not to mention a quick and

in an immediate boarding. Observe and avoid all security zones. Avoid commercial port operations areas, especially those that involve military, cruise-line or petroleum facilities. Observe and avoid other restricted areas. Violators will be perceived as a threat and will face a quick, determined and severe response.

severe response. Approaching certain other commercial vessels may result

Do not stop or anchor beneath bridges or in the channel. If you do, expect to be boarded by law enforcement officials. Keep a sharp eye out for anything that looks peculiar or out of the ordinary. Report all activities that seem suspicious to the local authorities, the Coast uard or the port or marina security. Do not approach or challenge those acting

in a suspicious manner. Always secure and lock your boat when you are not on board. Never leave your boat accessible to others. Always take the keys to the boat with you.

Current: Never underestimate the power of moving water. Boaters who are not sure that their boat or their ability is up to the prevailing conditions should stay off the water.

Strainers: Trees are typical strainers that can trap and

high SPF rating and drink lots of fluids.

flood boats. Water flows through these obstructions, but solid objects do not. Strainers can pin victims underwater. **Cold water:** Sudden immersion in cold water can lead to cardiac arrest or can cause a person to inhale water. If you fall into cold water, mmediately cover your mouth and

nose with your hands. Dress properly for the cold by wearing a hat, everal layers of clothing and warm poots. Wool, pile and polypropylene provide warmth even when wet. void cotton fabrics. **Hypothermia:** Hypothermia is the vering of the body's core tem perature. It begins with shivering. udgment then becomes clouded and

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nconsciousness sets in. Death can occur if hypothermia is not treated. Remove a hypothermic person from the water and replace wet clothes with warm, dry clothing and a blanket. Do not massage the extremities or give the victim alcohol or caffeine. **Heat exhaustion and sunburn:** When it is hot, wear sunglasses a hat and lightweight, light-colored clothing. Apply sunblock with a

NORTHCENTRAL REGION WATER TRAIL ACCESS AREAS Within each Pennsylvania water trail is a network of access areas that are varied in their amenities and restrictions. This access information is provided in conjunction with the organizations who have developed these water trails in partnership with the Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission. For more detailed mapping and information, visit www.fishandboat.com o view our online interactive maps. See reverse side under "Parking" for L, and R designations. CLARION RIVER WATER TRAIL

To purchase fishing licenses, visit

www.GoneFishingPa.com

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Jefferson Clarion River Clear Creek State Park
State Parks NORTH BRANCH SUSQUEHANNA RIVER WATER TRAIL ID#= ACCESS NUMBER IDENTIFIED ON MAP ON REVERSE SIDE OR ON OTHER REGIONAL GUIDE (NW, NC, NE, SW, SC or SE)

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Susquehanna River - Riverside Campground Private

INE CREEK WATER TRAIL *ID#= ACCESS NUMBER IDENTIFIED ON MAP ON REVERSE SIDE OR ON OTHER REGIONAL GUIDE.

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ACCESS NUMBERING ON THIS INSET MAP CORRELATES TO THE NUMBERING ON THE REVERSE SIDE

ACCESS NAME OWNERSHIP FE FP SF P LR D *ID# W15 Lycoming Susquehanna River - Susquehanna Boat Club Private • R • 538 West Branch
W16 Lycoming Susquehanna River - CLOSED: Muncy UNSAFE PFBC L 537 West Branch WATER CONDITIONS
W17 Lycoming Susquehanna River - Montoursville Local Gov't W19 Lycoming Susquehanna River - West Branch Motor Club Private L • 534 Susquehanna State Park State Parks L • 533 W21 Lycoming Susquehanna River - Linden Access Jersey Shore Boat Club Local Gov't

Susquehanna River - Irvin Park Borough

W35 Clearfield Susquehanna River - Chest Falls Campground Private

Local Gov't L 536 From 12:01 a.m. on May 1 through 12:01 a.m. the first Saturday after June $^{\prime}$ **CLOSED SEASON, NO TOURNAMENTS.** During the closed season, it is unlawful to target or attempt to catch a bass. A bass that is accidentally caught during the closed season must be immediately released unharmed without being removed from the water. It is unlawful to possess bass in, on or along these waters. L 492 **REMAINDER OF YEAR: NO HARVEST** Catch and immediate release only: catch-measure-immediate release tournaments only. Susquehanna River (98.0 miles) from the inflatable dam ancaster, Northumberland, Perry, | near Sunbury downstream to Holtwood Dam, including all tributaries to a point 1/2 mile upstream from the confluence Juniata River (31.7 miles) from SR0075 bridge at Port Royal

downstream to the mouth, including all tributaries to a point ½ mile upstream from the confluence.

RESCUE AND SURVIVAL No one should ever count on being

rescued. Boaters must be prepared fo mishaps on the water. Drowning can occur within a few feet of safety. Even those who cannot swim can save a life if they know some basic rescue techniques.

RESCUE SEQUENCE 1. Self rescue: The rescuer should

Water Trails

Middle Susquehanna River

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West Branch Susquehanna River

North Branch Susquehanna River

5 Clarion River

try to talk the person in trouble into self-rescue and avoid endangering themselves unnecessarily 2. Reach: A fishing rod, shirt, towel

branch, oar, pole, boat hook or other object can be used to reach out to the victim If nothing is available and the victim is within arm's reach, the rescuer should lie flat and extend a leg to the victim, pulling



3. Throw: If the victim is too far for the reach rescue, the rescuer should throw a rope, life jacket, empty jug, ice chest or gas can, or anything else that will float to the victim. Rescue line bags are excellent items to keep on a boat.



brought back nboard over the tern (back) of the oat. They should e pulled onboard as arefully as possible. f it isn't possible to oring them onboard rescuer should

have them hold on to the boat, or hold them until help arrives. **5. Go:** Swimming rescues are for trained lifesavers only. A swimming rescue should never be tried until all other basic rescue methods have been ruled out. Rescuers who must swim to a victim should wear a life jacket and take a floating object with them to extend to the victim. Rescuers should avoid personal contact with the victim unless

they have had lifeguard training. Even then, it is used only as a last resort. The method of rescue depends or the rescuer's training and skill, the condition and location of the victim, the equipment available and what additional



everyone snoula take a nead cour check for injury and stay with the boat. Most small boats have enough flotation to keep them from sinking. If possible, the boat should be turned upright and the water bailed out. It can then be paddled to shore. It is also possible to paddle a swamped boat to shore. The golden rule if a boat capsizes is for

everyone to stay with the boat. **Swamping and capsizing:** If you do capsize or swamp the boat, stay with the boat and make sure everyone has a life jacket. Stay calm. If the boat can be righted, bail out as much water as possible, get in and paddle towards shore. If your boat capsizes or you fall overboard in moving water such as a river, get in the self-rescue position with your feet pointed downstream and near the surface to avoid potential head injury and foot entrapment.

Falls overboard: Falls overboard are dangerous situations. People fall overboard even when wind and seas are calm. The shock of falling into the water-especially cold water, can be lifehreatening. Wearing a life jacket can be your only source of survival. The best means of survival is to already have a life jacket on and stay with the boat.

 When getting into or moving around in a small boat, always maintain three points of contact, keeping your weight

ow and close to the centerline. Don't overload your boat. Do not allow passengers to stand in small boats or sit on foredecks, gunwales engine boxes, seat backs or transoms. Watch crew members and frequently check that everyone is aboard. Wear deck-gripping shoes (bare feet

have poor traction). Avoid rough water and weather conditions whenever possible. Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) Practice a procedure for recovering are plants and animals that have someone lost overboard. Toss a life been introduced into new ecojacket over the side while moving. systems and have environmental, Test to see how long it takes to stop recreational, economic or health

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the boat, turn and retrieve the life **impacts.** These invaders may damage equipment and compete with native jacket.

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ACCESS AREAS

PARKING

Available parking is indicated as L, S or R.

L indicates larger parking lots (10 spaces or more).

S indicates small parking lots with fewer than 10 spaces. **R** indicates the absence of any formal parking lot and the need to find parking

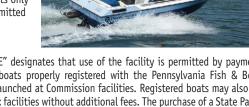
HP-HORSEPOWER/LIMITS

The horsepower at some waterways is classified as unlimited, because there are no horsepower-restricting regulations on the waterways. Many small and medium-sized waterways are listed as having unlimited horsepower for this reason. However, these waterways are best suited for small, unpowered craft. Horsepower limits are shown by a number. Otherwise, the following abbreviations

have the associated meanings. el: electric motors only ul: unlimited horsepowe up: unpowered boats only **nb:** no boating permitted ww: whitewater

DOCKS

along the roadway.



A dot (•) under "FE" designates that use of the facility is permitted by payment of a user fee. Powerboats properly registered with the Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission may be launched at Commission facilities. Registered boats may also be launched at state park facilities without additional fees. The purchase of a State Parks or Commission launch permit is required for all other unpowered watercraft launched at a state park or Commission access.

"Dock" refers to the availability of a loading dock. This does not indicate availability of mooring docks or slips.

LAUNCH RAMPS Where a launch ramp is indicated, a boat may be launched directly from a trailer by backing down a ramp. Quality, construction, percent of slope and water depth at ramps vary, and every ramp is not suitable or intended for the launch of every craft. Consult the access owner if your craft is large or unusual. Some areas on smaller waters have special facilities to ease the hand-launching of

canoes, kayaks and other car-topped boats. These areas are not specifically shown. ACCESSIBILITY FOR THE DISABLED

Many areas listed here furnish, to varying degrees, recreational facilities and accommodations for those with disabilities. Persons with special needs are encouraged to call the access owner for specific information before visiting any listed area.

FISHING FROM A BOAT

All motorboats must be registered, regardless of where they launch. Unpowered boats using Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission access areas or Pennsylvania state parks or forests must either be registered or display a valid launch permit. Wearable U.S. Coast Guard-approved personal flotation devices (PFDs or life jackets) must be on board and available for each person. Children 12 years of age and younger must wear an approved wearable life jacket when underway on board any boat 20 feet or less in length and in all canoes and kayaks.

For rules and regulations concerning boating on Pennsylvania's waters and to learn the legal requirements, consult the Commission's Boating Handbook, available from the Commission (717-705-7835), or view the publication online at www.fishandboat.com.

TROUT STOCKING

The Commission stocks about 4.2 million legal-sized trout each year in about 5,000 miles of coldwater streams and over 100 trout lakes. Stocking occurs during all four seasons, although most of the interest builds during spring. FISHING LICENSES

A license, which must be displayed on an outer garment while fishing, is required of all people 16 years of age and older. Licenses may be purchased from approximately 1,000 license issuing agents across the state. A current Pennsylvania trout/salmon permit (stamp) is required to fish for trout and salmon in Pennsylvania waters.

FOR MORE INFORMATION For more detailed information on specially regulated areas, and fishing and boating regulations and laws, see the current Pennsylvania Fishing Summary and the Boating Handbook. For a list of publications, send a self-addressed, stamped business-sized envelope with requests to: Media Productions, PA Fish & Boat Commission, P.O. Box 67000, Harrisburg, PA 17106-7000. We realize that conditions change on our waterways and that some of this information may not be accurate. Users noting errors or omissions on this map are urged to report them to the same address above. Visit the Commission's website at www.fishandboat.com.

SAFETY AND SECURITY Report homeland security or terrorism tips to the PA State Police (www.psp.state.

NC	ORTHCENTRAL	REGION		
	COUNTY	WATERWAY	REGULATION TYPE	NEAREST TOV
1	Clinton	Young Womans Creek	Catch-and-Release	North Bend
2	Lycoming	Grays Run	Catch-and-Release	Trout Run
3	Potter	Lyman Run***	Wild Brook Trout Enhance.	Cherry Springs
7	Cameron	Driftwood Branch	Catch-and-Release FFO	Emporium
		Sinnemahoning Ck		
13	Elk	Big Mill Creek	Delayed Harvest ALO	Ridgway
14	Elk	West Branch Clarion River	Catch-and-Release FFO	Johnsonburg
18	Jefferson	North Fork Redbank Creek	Catch-and-Release FFO	Brookville
23	McKean	Marvin Creek	Catch-and-Release FFO	Smethport
26	Union	White Deer Creek	Catch-and-Release FFO	White Deer
37	Centre	Black Moshannon Creek	Delayed Harvest ALO	Philipsburg
41 48	Clearfield	Little Clearfield Creek	Delayed Harvest ALO	Ansonville
48 49	Lycoming	Little Pine Creek	Delayed Harvest ALO	Waterville
49 50	Lycoming	Loyalsock Creek	Delayed Harvest ALO	Barbours Tivoli
50 52	Lycoming McKean	Muncy Creek Kinzua Creek	Delayed Harvest ALO Delayed Harvest ALO	Tallyho
53	McKean	West Branch Tunungwant Creek	Delayed Harvest ALO	Bradford
56	Potter	Allegheny River	Delayed Harvest ALO	Coudersport
57	Potter	First Fork Sinnemahoning Creek	Delayed Harvest ALO	Wharton
67	Centre	Spring Creek	Catch-and-Release All Tackle	Bellefonte
72	Lycoming/Tioga	Slate Run	Catch-and-Release FFO	Slate Run
73	Potter	Cross Fork	Catch-and-Release	Cross Fork
74	Tioga	Francis Branch	Catch-and-Release FFO	Slate Run
82	Mifflin/Union	Penns Creek	Catch-and-Release	Weikert
85	Potter	Kettle Creek	Catch-and-Release FFO	Cross Fork
87	Centre	Lick Run	Trophy Trout	Howard
90	Lycoming/Tioga	Cedar Run	Trophy Trout	Cedar Run
91	McKean	East Branch Tunungwant Creek	Trophy Trout	Lewis Run
93	Centre	Penns Creek	Miscellaneous Regulations	Coburn
	Dauphin/Juniata/ Northumberland/ Perry/Snyder	Susquehanna River	Catch-and-Release Bass Juniata-Susquehanna River	Harrisburg
114	_ , ,	Clarion River	Catch-and-Release All Tackle	Johnsonburg
116	Cameron	Hunts Run	Catch-and-Release	Cameron
118	Centre/Union	Cherry Run	Catch-and-Release	Pardee
122	Clinton	Fishing Creek	Catch-and-Release	Tylersville
123	Clinton	Fishing Creek	Trophy Trout	Tylersville
126	Elk	East Branch Clarion River	Delayed Harvest ALO	Glen Hazel
130	Clinton	Rauchtown Creek	Catch-and-Release	Rauchtown
132	Snyder	Middle Creek	Delayed Harvest ALO	Beavertown
138	Potter/Tioga	Upper Kettle Creek Basin***	Wild Brook Trout Enhance.	Oleona
	Potter	Birch Run	Wild Brook Trout Enhance.	Austin
151	Centre	Spring Creek	Catch-and-Release FFO	Bellefonte
152	Tioga	Pine Creek	Delayed Harvest ALO	Wellsboro
153	Lycoming	Pine Creek	Catch-and-Release All Tackle	Salladasburg
	Lycoming	Lycoming Creek	Delayed Harvest ALO	Williamsport
157		Sandy Lick Creek	Delayed Harvest ALO	Dubois
158	Columbia/ Northumberland	South Branch Roaring Creek	Miscellaneous Regulations	Mount Carmel

ID#	COUNTY	WATERWAY	REGULATION TYPE	NEAREST TOW
61	Jefferson	Kyle Lake	Big Bass	Falls Creek
67	Lycoming	Rose Valley Lake	Big Bass	Trout Run
69	Montour	Lake Chillisquaque	Big Bass, Panfish Enhancement	White Hall
92	Centre	Foster Joseph Sayers Lake	Panfish Enhancement	Howard
111	Columbia	Bear Gap Reservoir	Catch-and-Release Lakes	Marion Heights

des all tributary waters entering section or water defined in the Wild Brook Trout Enhancement Progra = Artificial Lures Only FFO= Fly Fishing Only

Areas highlighted in yellow are under drawdown status at the time of publication. Refer to the Commission's website fishandboat.com) or contact the Fish & Boat Commission region office for current status of these locations.

FISH & BOAT COMMISSION STATE FISH HATCHERIES

	VC=VISITOR C	enter iri=irout w/cl=v	/arm/Cool water	SH/S=Steelnead/S	aimon 💆	
ID#	COUNTY	NAME	VC	TRT	W/CL	SH/:
1	Erie	Fairview State Fish Hatchery				•
2	Crawford	Linesville State Fish Hatchery	•	•	•	•
3	Erie	Union City State Fish Hatchery			•	
4	Erie	Corry State Fish Hatchery	•	•		
5	Potter	Oswayo State Fish Hatchery	•	•		
6	Wayne	Pleasant Mount State Fish Hatchery	•	•	•	
7	Centre	Pleasant Gap State Fish Hatchery		•		
8	Centre	Benner Spring State Fish Hatchery		•	•	
9	Centre	Bellefonte State Fish Hatchery	•	•		
10	Clinton	Tylersville State Fish Hatchery		•		
11	Bedford	Reynoldsdale State Fish Hatchery	•	•		
12	Cumberland	Huntsdale State Fish Hatchery	•	•	•	
13	Forest	Tionesta State Fish Hatchery	•		•	•

PUMPOUT STATIONS Foster Joseph Sayers Dam



Regional Headquarters

State Fish Hatcheries

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Special Regulation Areas

Flowing Water Special

Approved Trout

Approved Trout Water

Year-Round Fishing

Access Areas

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OPEN TO YEAR-ROUND FISHING

Meade Run

Jefferson Cloe Lake

McKean Bradford City Number Three Reser

Cameron George B. Stevenson Reservoir

Hamilton Lake

the first railroad bridge down stream

confluence with Wildcat Hollow Rauchtown Creek - Confluence

Rockey Run and Krape Run to S.I

0880 crossing upstream of the Stat

Ritchie Run - Headwaters to mout Rockey Run - State Forest bounds to mouth at confluence with

Rauchtown Creek
Rock Run - Headwaters to pollute

spring 630 meters downstream

mouth
Trout Run - Headwaters to mouth
Twomile Run - Headwaters to 100
meters upstream of confluence with

Wildcat Hollow Shingle Branch - Headwaters to

2400 meters upstream

01 Lycoming Mill Run - Headwaters to mouth

Clinton Kettle Creek Lake

Potter Lyman Run Reservoir

Lycoming Little Pine Lake

Welcome Centers



East Branch Hyner Run -

East Branch Tunungwant Creek - Confluence of unnamed tributary

Fields Run - Source to mouth Little Fishing Creek - Spring 6.8

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Galbraith Gap Run - Headwaters to

Pigeon Run) to S.R. 4002 bridge

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	WATERWAY/LIMITS		WATERWAY/LIMITS	
	Morgan Valley Run - Headwaters to mouth	130 Potter	Genesee Forks - Confluence Lehman	
104 Lycoming	Potash Hollow Run - Headwaters to mouth	404 D II	and Baldwin Hollows to mouth	
	Ramsey Run - Headwaters to mouth	131 Potter	Middle Branch Genesee River -	
106 Lycoming	Slate Run - Confluence with Francis	132 Potter	Source to T-450 bridge near Gold	
107 Lycoming	Branch Cushman Branch to mouth Trout Run - Cedar Run - Headwaters	132 Potter	West Branch Genesee River - T-410 to Rose Lake Run	
107 Lycoming	to mouth	133 Potter	Germania Branch - Confluence with	
108 Lycoming	Truman Run - Source to mouth	133 Fuller	Straight Run to mouth	
109 Lycoming	Unnamed tributary to White Deer Hole	134 Potter	Hammersley Fork - Headwaters to	
100 Lyconing	Creek - fourth gap - Source (along	1041 01101	Nelson Branch	
	Mohn Mill Road) to mouth	135 Potter	Indian Run - Headwaters to mouth	
110 Lycoming	White Deer Hole Creek - Source to bridge	136 Potter	Johnson Brook - Headwaters to State	
	on T-384 near State Forest boundary	1001 01101	Game Lands boundary above Thunder	
111 Lycoming	Noon Branch - Headwaters to mouth		Run	
112 Lycoming	Pleasant Stream - Source to	137 Potter	Kettle Creek - Confluence with Billings	
,	confluence with North Pleasant Stream		Branch to confluence with Long Run	
113 Northumb.	South Branch Roaring Creek - S.R. 3008	138 Potter	Long Run - Confluence Lechler	
	bridge to Jepko/campground Road (T-355)		Branch to mouth	
114 Potter	Beech Run - Headwaters to mouth	139 Potter	Right Branch Lushbaugh Run -	
115 Potter	Big Moores Run - Headwaters to		Headwaters to mouth	
	confluence Knickerbocker Hollow	140 Potter	Lyman Run - Headwaters to Lyman Lake	
116 Potter	Big Moores Run - Downstream	141 Potter	Mill Creek - Bridge at Country Club to	
	boundary of Susquehannock State		mouth	
447.0. "	Forest to mouth	142 Potter	Nelson Branch - Source to mouth at	
117 Potter	Left Branch Big Nelson Run -	440 D II	confluence Hammersley Fork	
440 D-#	Headwaters to mouth	143 Potter	Ninemile Run - Headwaters to mouth	
118 Potter 119 Potter	Birch Run - Headwaters to mouth Cherry Run - Headwaters to mouth	144 Potter	Oswayo Creek - Lower hatchery property	
120 Potter	Commissioner Run - Headwaters to	145 Potter	line to confluence of Clara Creek Phoenix Run - Confluence with Little	
120 FOLLEI	mouth	145 Fuller	Phoenix Run to mouth	
122 Potter	Dingman Run - Headwaters to mouth	146 Potter	Pine Creek - Headwaters to	
123 Potter	Dry Run - Headwaters to mouth	1101 01101	confluence Genesee Forks	
124 Potter	Dwight Creek - Headwaters to mouth	147 Potter	South Branch Little Portage Creek -	
125 Potter	Elevenmile Creek - Headwaters to		Source to mouth	
	bridge on T-378 Turkey Path Road	148 Potter	Prouty Run - Confluence Ford Hollow	
126 Potter	Elk Lick Run - Source to mouth		to mouth	
127 Potter	Francis Branch - Headwaters to	149 Potter	Reed Run - Confluence Reed Run right	
	Francis Road at Kramer Hollow		fork to mouth	
128 Potter	Freeman Run - Confluence	150 Potter	Sawmill Run - Headwaters to mouth	
	Postalweight Hollow to confluence	151 Potter	Schoolhouse Run - Headwaters to	
	Bark Shanty Hollow		mouth	
129 Potter	West Branch Freeman Run - Source	152 Potter	East Fork Sinnemahoning Creek -	
	to mouth		Headwaters to Dolliver Trail	

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	WATERWAY/LIMITS	ID# COUNTY	WATERWAY/LIN
	East Fork Sinnemahoning Creek	184 Union	Rapid Run - Buff
	- Confluence Wild Boy Run to		bridge
	confluence Camp Run	185 Union	Weikert Run - Co
	Sliders Branch - Headwaters to mouth		Run to mouth
	Splash Dam Hollow - Headwaters to	187 Lycoming	Callahan Run - F
	mouth	188 Potter	Black Stump Hol
	Stony Lick Run - Headwaters to mouth		mouth
	Wild Boy Run - Headwaters to mouth	189 Lycoming	Bar Bottom Hollov
	Windfall Run - Source to mouth		mouth at confluer
	Yochum Run - Source to mouth		Creek
	Apple Tree Hollow - Headwaters to	190 Potter	Little Kettle Cree
	mouth		confluence Hopp
	Right Asaph Run - Confluence Bear	191 Potter	Sunken Branch -
	Wallows Branch to mouth		Crossing to mou
	Baker Branch - Source: pond in	198 Clearfield	Mountain Lick Cre
	headwaters to mouth at Rice Branch		100 meters upstre
	and Left Asaph Run	203 Clinton	Baldwin Branch -
	Baldwin Run - Source to mouth	208 Potter	Berge Run - Hea
	Billings Branch - Headwaters to mouth	209 Potter	Big Spring Brand
	Bohen Run - Headwaters to mouth		mouth
	Buck Run - Source to mouth	210 Potter/	Lebo Run - Head
_	Canada Run - Source to mouth		Whitman Branch
_	Cedar Run - Headwaters to mouth	Out Clinton	to mouth
	Cushman Branch - Headwaters to	211 फी छ ुश	Rock Run - Head
_	mouth	040.0.1.11	with unnamed tri
	Dixie Run - Source to mouth	213 Columbia	Little Fishing Cre
	Elk Run - Headwaters to mouth Fahnestock Run - Headwaters to	215 Potter	Talmar Road (S.
		∠15 POtter	Cross Fork - Cor
	confluence with Cedar Run		Hollow/Bear Trap
	Fourmile Run - Confluence of right and left branches to mouth	216 Centre	with Windfall Run Benner Run - Hea
	Francis Branch - Francis Road at	Z to Certile	
		217 Centre	downstream Pine
_	Kramer Hollow to mouth Jemison Creek - Headwaters to T-559	Z17 Centre	Black Bear Run
_	Mill Run - Headwaters to mouth	210 Tiogo	Black Bear Rese
	Nickel Run - Headwaters to mouth	218 Tioga 219 Cameron	Big Rift Creek - H
_	South Creek - Headwaters to mouth	Z 19 Carrieron	Tannery Hollow F
	Right Straight Run - Headwaters to mouth	220 Lycoming	Hagermans Run
	RIGHT Straight Run - Headwaters to mouth	ZZU LYCUMING	nageriians Run

North Branch Buffalo Creek - Head-

waters to outflow of Mifflinburg

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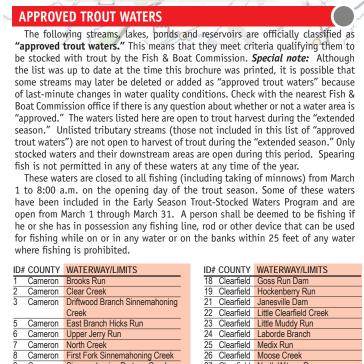
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Г-383	224 Clearfield	Right Branch Moose Creek -	
		Headwaters to mouth	S A
tle Weikert	225 Clinton	Rauchtown Creek - S.R. 0880 bridge	
		100 meters upstream Gotshall Run	T
to mouth		to Groupe Road (S.R. 2010) Bridge	"ap
aters to	226 Clinton	Green Run - Headwaters to mouth	be
	227 Clinton	Harveys Run - Headwaters to inflow of	the
ers to		Upper Castenea Reservoir to mouth	son
lsock	228 Clinton	Long Run - Confluence with Pepper	of l
		and Washburn Run to Split Channel	Boa
ers to	000 01, 1	near junction of Route 477 and T-364	"ap
T 1	229 Clinton	Spring Run - Headwaters to mouth	sea
n Trail	230 Clinton	West Kammerdiner Run -	tro
	231 Centre	Headwaters to mouth Slab Cabin Run - Headwaters to	
aters to	231 Centre		sto
Scout Pond	232 Centre	mouth Council Run - Headwaters to mouth	fish
to mouth nouth	232 Centre 233 Clearfield	Unnamed tributary to Gifford Run	T
ters to	233 Clear lielu	(502392) - Headwaters to mouth	1 t
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fluence of	235 Clinton	Little Greenlick Run - Headwaters to	оре
ar Branch)	200 Ollittori	mouth	he
ai Dianon,	236 Clinton	Mudlick Run - Headwaters to mouth	for
onfluence	237 Centre	Unnamed tributary to Pine Creek	whe
0		(Sands Hollow) - Headwaters to	••••
aters to		mouth	ID#
	238 Centre	Laurel Run - Headwaters to mouth	1
Rhulo	239 Tioga	Dyke Creek - Headwaters to mouth	2
onfluence	240 Clinton	Unnamed tributary to Fishing Creek	3
		(Carroll) - Headwaters to mouth	
st tributary	241 Centre	Roaring Run - 2 km upstream	5
)		of Laurel Run to Sink 1.36 miles	6
nflow		upstream to mouth	7
	242 Centre	Rupp Hollow - Headwaters to mouth	8
o mouth	243 Centre	Potter Run - Headwaters to mouth	9
aters to	244 Jefferson	Rattlesnake Creek - Headwaters to	10

Gap Run - Headwaters to Sink

downstream 7-367 bridge

246 Clinton Dry Run - Headwaters to mouth

245 Centre



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Clearfield Moose Creek
Clearfield North Witmer Run

Sinnemahoning Creek
30 Clearfield South Witmer Run
31 Clearfield Juniata Lake (Tannery Dam)
32 Clearfield Wilson Run

28 Clearfield Parker Lake
29 Clearfield Bennett Branch

lk	Laurel Run Reservoir	85	Jefferson
lk	Little Toby Creek	86	Jefferson
lk	Maxwell Run	87	McKean
lk	Mead Run		
lk	Medix Run		
lk	Big Mill Creek	88	McKean/
lk	Millstone Creek		Potter
lk	East Branch Millstone Creek	90	McKean
lk	Mix Run	91	McKean
lk	Powers Run	92	
lk	Ridgway Reservoir	93	McKean
lk	Rocky Run	94	McKean
lk	Spring Creek	95	McKean
lk	East Branch Spring Creek	96	McKean
lk	Twin Lakes	97	McKean
lk	Bear Creek	98	McKean
lk	Wilson Run	99	McKean
lk	Wolf Run		
efferson	Big Run - tributary to Little Sandy Creek		
efferson	Big Run - tributary to Mahoning Creek		
efferson	Callen Run		McKean
efferson	Canoe Creek		McKean
efferson	Cathers Run	102	McKean
efferson	Clear Creek	103	McKean
efferson	Clear Run	104	McKean
efferson	Fivemile Run (tributary to Sandy Lick	105	McKean
	Creek)	106	McKean
efferson	Laurel Run (tributary to East Branch	107	McKean
	Mahoning Creek)	108	McKean
offorcon	Little Sandy Crook		

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Byrnes Run East Branch Clarion River

Crooked Creek
Elk Creek

West Branch Clarion River

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77		Mill Creek (tributary to Clarion River)	109 Cen
78	Jefferson	Mill Creek (tributary to Sandy Lick	
		Creek)	
79	Jefferson	Pekin Run	
80	Jefferson	Rattlesnake Creek	110 Cen
81	Jefferson	Rattlesnake Run	111 Cer
82	Jefferson	Redbank Creek	112 Cen
83	Jefferson	North Fork Redbank Creek	
84	Jefferson	Sandy Lick Creek	113 Cer
85	Jefferson	Walburn Run	114 Cer
86	Jefferson	Wolf Run	
87	McKean	Allegheny River - County line	
		downstream to confluence with	115 Cer
		Allegheny Portage Creek	116 Cer
88	McKean/	Bell Run	117 Cer
	Potter		
90	McKean	Brewer Run	
91	McKean	Chappel Fork	118 Cer
92	McKean	West Branch Clarion River	
93	McKean	Combs Creek	
94	McKean	Hamlin Lake	119 Cer
	McKean	Havens Run	120 Cer
96	McKean	Kinzua Creek	121 Cer
97	McKean	South Branch Kinzua Creek	122 Cer
98	McKean	Marvin Creek	123 Cer
99	McKean	Potato Creek - Confluence of E.	124 Cer
		Branch Potato Creek and Havens	125 Clin
		Run downstream to confluence	126 Clin
		with Marvin Creek	
100	McKean	West Branch Potato Creek	
101	McKean	Red Mill Brook	127 Clin
102	McKean	Sevenmile Run	128 Clin
103	McKean	Skinner Creek	129 Clin
104	McKean	Sugar Run	
105	McKean	North Branch Sugar Run	131 Clin
106	McKean	East Branch Tionesta Creek	134 Clin

RWAY/LIMITS	ID# COUNTY	WATERWAY/LIMITS
ek (tributary to Clarion River)	109 Centre	Bald Eagle Creek - T-306 near Port
ek (tributary to Sandy Lick		Matilda downstream to .5-mile
		downstream of Boggs-Howard
Run		Township line
nake Creek	110 Centre	South Fork Beech Creek
nake Run	111 Centre	Black Moshannon Creek
nk Creek	112 Centre	Seven Mountains Boy Scout
ork Redbank Creek		Pond
Lick Creek	113 Centre	Eddy Lick Run
n Run	114 Centre	Little Fishing Creek - S.R.
un		0064 bridge near Hublersburg
ny River - County line		downstream to county line
ream to confluence with	115 Centre	Marsh Creek
ny Portage Creek	116 Centre	Mountain Branch
n	117 Centre	Penns Creek - From S.R. 0045
		bridge in Spring Mills downstream
Run		to confluence with Elk Creek
el Fork	118 Centre	Pine Creek - From Stony Run
ranch Clarion River		Road downstream to first bridge
Creek		on Pine Creek Road
Lake	119 Centre	Big Poe Creek
Run	120 Centre	Poe Lake
Creek	121 Centre	Sinking Creek
Branch Kinzua Creek	122 Centre	Sixmile Run
Creek	123 Centre	Wallace Run
Creek - Confluence of E.	124 Centre	Wolf Run
Potato Creek and Havens	125 Clinton	Baker Run
wnstream to confluence	126 Clinton	Fishing Creek - Confluence
arvin Creek		with Cedar Run downstream to
ranch Potato Creek		mouth
II Brook	127 Clinton	Hyner Run
nile Run	128 Clinton	Right Branch Hyner Run
r Creek	129 Clinton	Kettle Creek - County line
Run		downstream Owl Hollow

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ort	138 Lycoming	Larrys Creek - Water company filtration plant to 1 mile down- stream confluence with First Fork
	139 Lycoming	Little Bear Creek
	140 Lycoming	Little Pine Creek
_	142 Lycoming	Little Muncy Creek - From S.R. 0118 Bridge downstream to confluence with Big Run
_	143 Lycoming	Loyalsock Creek - County line downstream to S.R. 0973
_	144 Lycoming	Lycoming Creek - Confluence with Roaring Branch downstream to confluence with Hoagland Run
ım	145 Lycoming	Mill Creek (Warrensville)5- mile upstream of T-846 Bridge downstream to S.R. 2039 Bridge downstream of Warrensville
)	146 Lycoming	Muncy Creek - County line downstream to confluence with Little Muncy Creek
	148 Lycoming	Pleasant Stream
	149 Lycoming	Rock Run (tributary to Lycoming Creek)
	150 Lycoming	Spring Creek
	151 Lycoming	Upper Pine Bottom Run
	152 Lycoming	White Deer Hole Creek
	153 Montour	Mahoning Creek - from S.R. 0054 to the mouth
0	154 Montour	Mauses Creek
	155 Northumb.	Little Shamokin Creek
	157 Northumb.	
	159 Northumb.	Zerbe Run Rod & Gun Club Pond
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164 Potter/ West Branch Cowley Run

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	ID# COLINTY	WATERWAY/LIMITS	ID# COLINTY	WATERWAY/LIMITS
oany	166 Potter 167 Potter	Fishing Creek	202 Tioga	Tioga River - County line downstream to confluence with Fall Brook
wn-	169 Potter	East Branch Fishing Creek Freeman Run	203 Union	
st Fork	170 Potter	Genesee River	203 Union	Buffalo Creek - T-366 Bridge downstream
	170 Poller 171 Potter	Middle Branch Genesee River	204 Union	to confluence with Rapid Run North Branch Buffalo Creek
S.R.	171 Poller 172 Potter		204 Union	
5.K.		West Branch Genesee River		Halfway Lake
)	173 Potter 174 Potter	Kettle Creek Little Kettle Creek	206 Union 207 Union	Laurel Run Penns Creek3-mile downstream
	174 Poller 175 Potter		207 Union	
ine		Lyman Run Oswayo Creek - Confluence with Clara		of confluence with Cherry Run
	176 Potter	Creek downstream to Sharon Center		downstream to S.R. 0235 Bridge in
ice with			208 Union	Glen Iron
m to	177 Potter	Bridge (T-372)	208 Union	Rapid Run - Outflow of Halfway Lake to
Run .5-	177 Potter 178 Potter	South Branch Oswayo Creek Pine Creek	209 Union	mouth
		West Branch Pine Creek		Spring Creek
dge	179 Potter		210 Union 211 Union	Spruce Run
Bridge	180 Potter	Sartwell Creek	Z11 Union	White Deer Creek - Cooper Mill Bridge
9	181 Potter	First Fork Sinnemahoning Creek	040.0	to mouth
	182 Potter	East Fork Sinnemahoning Creek	212 Cameron	
with	183 Potter	South Woods Branch	213 Cameron	
	184 Snyder	Kern Run	214 Clearfield	
	185 Snyder	North Branch Mahantango Creek	215 Clearfield	Mahoning Creek)
ming	186 Snyder	West Branch Mahantango Creek	Z 15 Clearrield	East Branch Mahoning Creek
	187 Snyder	Middle Creek - Headwaters to .5 mile		- Confluence with Beech Run
		downstream of S.R. 522 Bridge at	216 Centre	downstream to county line White Deer Creek
	188 Snyder	Middleburg North Branch Middle Creek	217 Clinton	Cooks Run
R. 0054		South Branch Middle Creek	218 Montour	
K. 0054	189 Snyder 190 Snyder	Swift Run	220 Potter	Roaring Creek Big Moores Run
	191 Tioga	Asaph Run	224 McKean	Sartwell Creek - County line to mouth
	193 Tioga	Corey Creek	225 Tioga	Seeley Creek
ek	193 Hoga 194 Tioga	Cowanesque River - County line	226 Centre	Cold Stream - From outflow of Cold
o Pond	134 110ya	downstream to confluence with Troups	220 Centile	Stream Dam upstream 1.0 mile to the
J F OIIU		Creek		power line crossing
	196 Tioga		227 Centre	Cold Stream Dam
	196 Hoga 197 Tioga	Long Run (tributary to Pine Creek) Marsh Creek - S.R. 3024 downstream	236 Elk	West Branch Millstone Creek
	191 110ga	to mouth	237 Clearfield	
	198 Tioga	Mill Creek	238 Clearfield	West Branch Susquehanna River -
	190 Huga	IVIIII Greek	230 Cital lielu	vvest branch Susquenanna River -

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Some waters are managed strictly as "Catch and Release" waters. Every angler should expect and be prepared to release some portion of his catch. Minimum size limits require that fish less than the minimum must be released. Creel limits require that fish caught in excess of the limit must be released. Closed seasons require the

CATCH AND RELEASE

REGIONAL FISHING

numbering on the Commission's statewide Fishing & Boating Map.

WHO MUST WEAR A LIFE JACKET?

All water skiers and anyone towed

operators and passengers and sailboarders

(windsurfers). Inflatable life jackets are not

Children 12 years of age and younger on

Commonwealth waters when underway in any

boat 20 feet or less in length and in all canoes and kayaks.

everyone in boats under 16 feet and in all canoes and kayaks.

On Pittsburgh District U.S. Army Corps of Engineers lakes (only),

Everyone on boats less than 16 feet in length or any canoe or

kayak during the cold weather months from November 1 through

Life jackets should be personalized, properly fitted and

tested. Everyone should know how to use them.

behind vessels, personal watercraft

Always wear your life jacket.

acceptable for these activities.

'Approved Trout Waters" are highlighted in orange. For specific trout stocking

limits, frequency and other up-to-date information, contact the regional office

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release of fish species caught during a season when keeping them is not permitted. Just as important, catch and release has become a popular and preferred method of angling. The idea for both voluntary catch and release and catch and release required by regulations is that the fish survive to grow larger, and perhaps reproduce, and perhaps then can be caught again. The number of fish that survive depends on several factors, including the length of the fight, where the fish is hooked, water temperature and how the fish is

handled and released. To give fish released the best chance for survival, follow these recommended quidelines: 1. Use barbless hooks. **2. Play fish quickly.** Try to land your fish as quickly as possible and don't play the fish to exhaustion. 3. Use a landing net.

increases the longer it is held out of water. 5. Wet your hands. Wet your hands, your net and other materials that may come in contact with the fish. 6. Hold the fish upside down while removing the hook. This can

4. Keep the fish in the water.

The chance of a fish being injured

often pacify the fish and reduce handling time Remove hooks quickly. lemostats or long-nose pliers are essential tools for quickly removing hooks. **8. Cut the line.** When it is not

possible to remove the hook without harming the fish, cut the line. **9. Don't touch the gills.** Do not handle fish by placing your fingers in the gill slits. 10. Hold the fish upright underwater after hook removal and allow it

to swim away under its own power. If necessary, hold the fish out of the current until it revives.

11. Fish that are bleeding from the mouth or gills due to hook removal do not survive after being released back into the water. Anglers may be charged with violating the Fish and Boat Code by failing to immediately release the fish unharmed. If regulations permit, the angler should keep the fish and have it count towards his or her daily limit.

Confluence with Anderson Creek to

S.R. 2024 crossing at Porters Bridge Bennett Branch Sinnemahoning Cree