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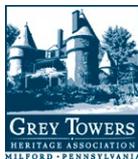


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Program and Map

*A Celebration of Our Natural
and Cultural Heritage of Wood*

August 6–7, 2016

Handmade Wood Crafts

Demonstrations, Exhibits

Children's Activities

Films, Music *and more!*

Grey Towers National Historic Site
Milford, PA

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FESTIVAL OF WOOD PROGRAM SCHEDULE (AUGUST 6–7, 2016)

Saturday, August 6 (10 a.m.–5 p.m.)

Time	Activity
11 a.m.	Chain Saw Carving Demo, Amphitheater
11 a.m.	Tree Identification Walk, Meet at Education Exhibit Tent (<i>PA Department of Conservation & Natural Resources</i>)
12 p.m.	Tree Pruning Demo (<i>Sequoia Tree Service</i>)
1 p.m.	Chain Saw Carving Demo, Amphitheater
1:30 p.m.	Smokey Bear and Woodsy Owl, Children's Tent
2 p.m.	Forest Wildlife Program, Live Animal Show, Education Exhibit Tent (<i>Grey Towers Heritage Assn.</i>)
2–2:50 p.m.	Dixieland All-Stars, New Orleans Style Acoustic Music, Wood Crafts Tent (<i>Grey Towers Heritage Assn.</i>)
3–4 p.m.	Dixieland All-Stars, New Orleans Style Acoustic Music, East Terrace of Mansion (<i>Grey Towers Heritage Assn.</i>)
2:30 p.m.	Timber Framing Demo (<i>Sequoia Tree Service</i>)
3 p.m.	Chain Saw Carving Demo, Amphitheater
4 p.m.	Tree Pruning Demo (<i>Sequoia Tree Service</i>)

Sunday, August 7 (10 a.m.–4 p.m.)

Time	Activity
11 a.m.	Chain Saw Carving Demo, Amphitheater
11 a.m.	Tree Identification Walk, Meet at Education Exhibit Tent (<i>PA Department of Conservation & Natural Resources</i>)
11 a.m.	Forest Wildlife Program, Live Animal Show, Education Exhibit Tent (<i>Grey Towers Heritage Assn.</i>)
12 p.m.	Tree Pruning Demo (<i>Sequoia Tree Service</i>)
1 p.m.	Chain Saw Carving Demo, Amphitheater
1:30 p.m.	Smokey Bear and Woodsy Owl, Children's Tent
1–2 p.m.	Dan Stevens, Acoustic Guitar Performance, East Terrace of Mansion (<i>Grey Towers Heritage Assn.</i>)
2 p.m.	Timber Framing Demo (<i>Sequoia Tree Service</i>)
2–3 p.m.	Dan Lavoie, Acoustic Guitar Performance, East Terrace of Mansion (<i>Grey Towers Heritage Assn.</i>)
3 p.m.	Chain Saw Carving Demo, Amphitheater

This is a pet-friendly event, provided your pet is leashed and controlled and you clean up their waste. Please respect the historic landscape.

Both Days—Ongoing

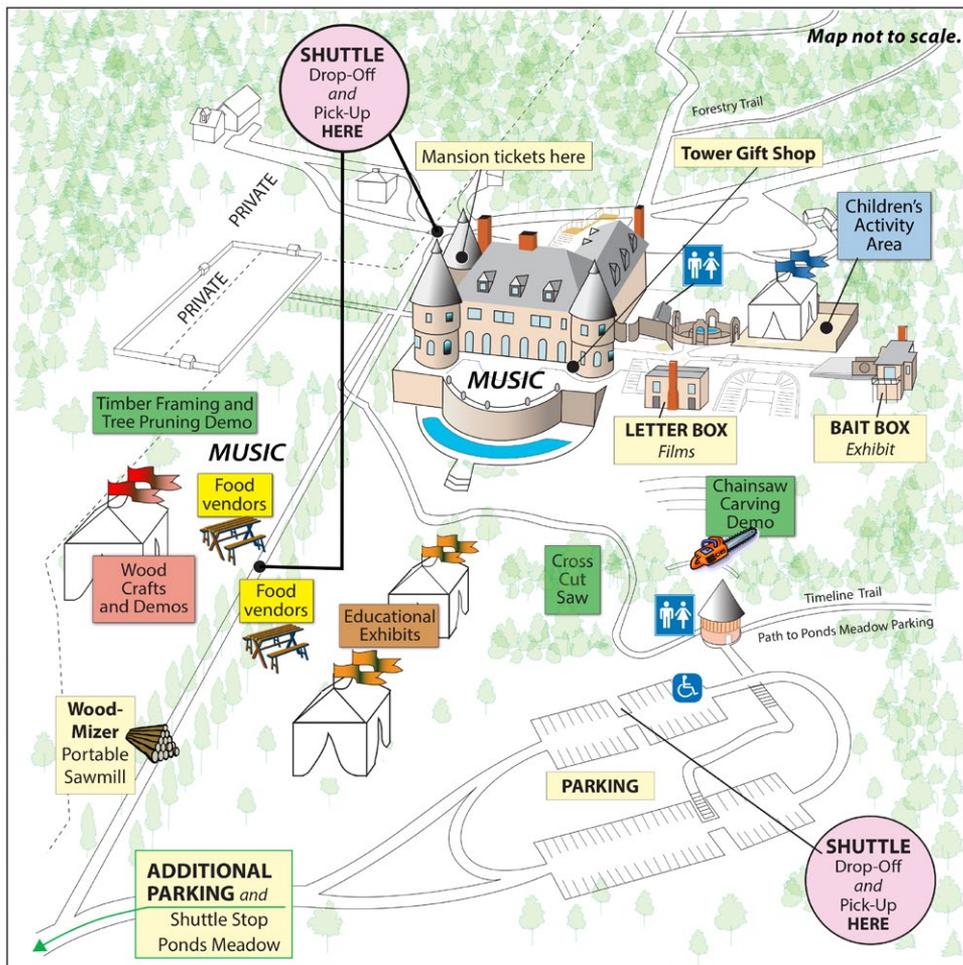
Activities

Unique Wood Crafts, Demonstrations, and Sales—*Pocono Arts Council*
 Children's Activities with Wood—*U.S. Forest Service and Partners*
 Fun Fact Finding Excursion—*Grey Towers Heritage Association (GTHA)*. Pick up at Hospitality Tent near Pavilion and return for prize at GTHA table in Educational Tent.
 Cross-Cut Saw Activity
 "Wildlife in the Woods," Live Animal Exhibit—*Pocono Wildlife Rehab and Education Center*
 "From Logs to Lumber" Portable Sawmill Demo—*Pennsylvania Wood-Mizer*
 Refreshments—*Assorted Vendors*
 Timber Framing and Tree Pruning Demos—*Sequoia Tree Service*
 Films, in the Letter Box—*U.S. Forest Service*
 Gifford Pinchot's "Just Fishing" Exhibit, in the Bait Box—*U.S. Forest Service*
 Grey Towers Mansion Self-Guided Tours, \$5 per person, children under 12 free
 Special Guest Appearances: Smokey Bear and Woodsy Owl

Educational Exhibits and Demonstrations

Forest Stewardship and Woodland Owners—*Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources*
 Forest Wildlife Habitat—*National Park Service, Upper Delaware Scenic and Recreational River*

Forest and Water Conservation of the Delaware River—*National Park Service, Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area*
 Restoring the American Chestnut To Our Forests—*American Chestnut Foundation*
 Grey Towers: Conservation, Culture, and Community—*Grey Towers Heritage Association*
 Woods of the Allegheny—*U.S. Forest Service, Allegheny National Forest*
 Backyard Birding—*Gifford Pinchot Audubon Society*
 Resources for Forest Landowners—*Pinchot Institute for Conservation*
 From Sap to Syrup: The Gift from Maple Trees—*Regional Maple Syrup Producers*
 Sweets from the Hive—*A Touch for Health Bee Products*
 Forest Health and Economics—*U.S. Forest Service, Northeastern Area State and Private Forestry, Newtown Sq., PA*
 Forest Health—*Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Bureau of Forestry*
 Urban Forestry—*U.S. Forest Service, Northeastern Area State and Private Forestry, Newtown Sq., PA*
 Wildland-Urban Interface Fire Prevention—*USFS, Northeastern Area State and Private Forestry, Newtown Sq., PA*
 Wallkill National Wildlife Refuge—*U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service*
 Adopt-A-Highway—*Pennsylvania Department of Transportation*
 Wayne's Woods—*Wayne County Conservation District*



A complimentary shuttle is available to pick up and drop off between both parking areas and designated stops.

The Festival of Wood is a public educational program hosted and coordinated by the USDA Forest Service at Grey Towers.

Partners and sponsors:

- Grey Towers Heritage Association
 - Pocono Arts Council
 - Pennsylvania Council on the Arts
 - National Park Service
 - USDA Forest Service, Northeastern Area State and Private Forestry
 - The American Chestnut Foundation
 - Allegheny National Forest
 - U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
 - ...And many other exhibitors
- Program participants include:*
- Gifford Pinchot Audubon Society
 - Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Bureau of Forestry
 - Eastern National Forests Interpretive Association



The interpretive **Tower Gift Shop** offers a variety of wood-related items for sale. Open 10 a.m.–4 p.m. each day.



First Aid is Available
Please alert any Grey Towers employee if first aid is required.