

KIASUTHA RECREATION AREA

FINDING THE AREA – Kiasutha Recreation Area is located 10 miles northwest of Kane, PA, on the Longhouse National Scenic Byway (Forest Road 262), which can be accessed from State Route 59 on its north end or SR 321 on its south end. Its facilities line the western shore of Kinzua Bay, a southern branch of the Allegheny Reservoir.

FACILITIES – There are 96 family campsites, each containing a picnic table, fire ring, and tent pad. Paved loop roads and spurs provide firm support for recreational vehicles and trailers. Flush toilets, pressurized water fountains, hot showers and a trailer dump station are available. The large, grassy swimming beach and picnic area have a capacity of 900 people. The day use area also includes a children's playground, a concrete boat launch with a loading dock, excellent parking facilities, and a bathhouse. Firewood and ice are available on site.

RESERVATIONS – Selected campsites are available for reservation by calling:

**1-877-444-6777 – Toll Free • 1-518-885-3639 – International
1-877-833-6777 – TDD • www.recreation.gov**

Reservation payments can be made by VISA, MasterCard, Discover card, mailed personal check, or money order. A reservation fee will be charged for family units and for group units. For a three-day holiday weekend, you must reserve a site for at least two nights. Reservations for family sites can be made 4 to 240 days in advance; group sites can be reserved 3 to 360 days in advance.

For campers not using the reservation system, payment at the campground is by cash or check only at the self-service fee station or entrance booth.

OTHER FEATURES – Red Bridge Bank Fishing Area (suitable for people with disabilities) is about two miles south off SR 321 (turn left when leaving Kiasutha and left at the next intersection). Red Bridge Recreation Area (camping) is immediately adjacent to the bank fishing area on SR 321.

Longhouse National Scenic Byway offers outstanding vistas along the western shore of Kinzua Bay. It provides access to Dewdrop Recreation Area (camping); Elijah Boat Launch (with accessible bank fishing, trail and pier); and Jakes Rocks Overlook (scenic vistas of Kinzua Dam and a picnic area). Turn right when leaving Kiasutha to access these sites.

To reach Kinzua Point Information Center, Kinzua Beach, and Kinzua Wolf Run Marina, turn right when leaving Kiasutha and continue to SR 59. Turn left to Kinzua Point; turn right to the beach and marina. The marina offers boat docking and rentals, boat launch, a full-service restaurant, and a convenience store.

FOR MORE INFORMATION about this and other opportunities, contact:

Bradford Ranger District

29 Forest Service Dr. • Bradford, PA 16701 • (814) 362-4613
www.fs.fed.us/r9/forests/allegheny

Allegheny National Forest Vacation Bureau

80 E. Corydon Street • Suite 114 • PO Box 371
Bradford, PA 16701 • (800) 473-9370
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ALLEGHENY NATIONAL FOREST RECREATION AREAS RULES

- Permissible length of stay is fourteen (14) days. Leaving your campsite unoccupied during the first night after equipment has been set up, or leaving equipment for more than 24 hours thereafter, is prohibited.
- Please be considerate of other campers. Quiet time is from 10:00 p.m. to 6 a.m.
- Check out time is 2:00 p.m. Camping fees must be paid within 30 minutes after arrival. Don't forget to put your site number and your license plate number on your fee envelope.
- Campsites should not be used by more than eight persons. Each campsite contains a picnic table, fire ring or grill, and accommodates a tent and parking for two vehicles and a wheeled camping unit. Additional vehicles will be charged a fee and must park in public parking areas. Other recreation equipment associated with a campsite (boats, trailers, jet skis, motorcycles) are not charged. Park all vehicles on the campsite spur, not on the grass.
- Weapons, firearms, and fireworks must not be discharged in this area.
- Waste material from trailers must be deposited at a dump station. Please place trash in the provided receptacles.
- Please build fires only in designated fireplaces. Dead material, on the ground, may be used for fires, but living trees, shrubs, and plants must not be cut or damaged.
- Please don't pound nails into trees, picnic tables, and other government property; they are unsightly, and may create a safety hazard. Heat from lanterns hung on trees can burn or damage trees. Pet leashes wrapped around tree trunks wear bark away and may eventually kill the tree.
- Pets must be kept on a leash, and are not allowed on beaches or in the water.
- No camping is allowed in picnic areas.

THESE NATIONAL FOREST RECREATION SITES WERE DEVELOPED FOR YOUR USE AND ENJOYMENT. PLEASE KEEP IT AS YOU WOULD LIKE TO FIND IT... NEAT, CLEAN AND ATTRACTIVE.

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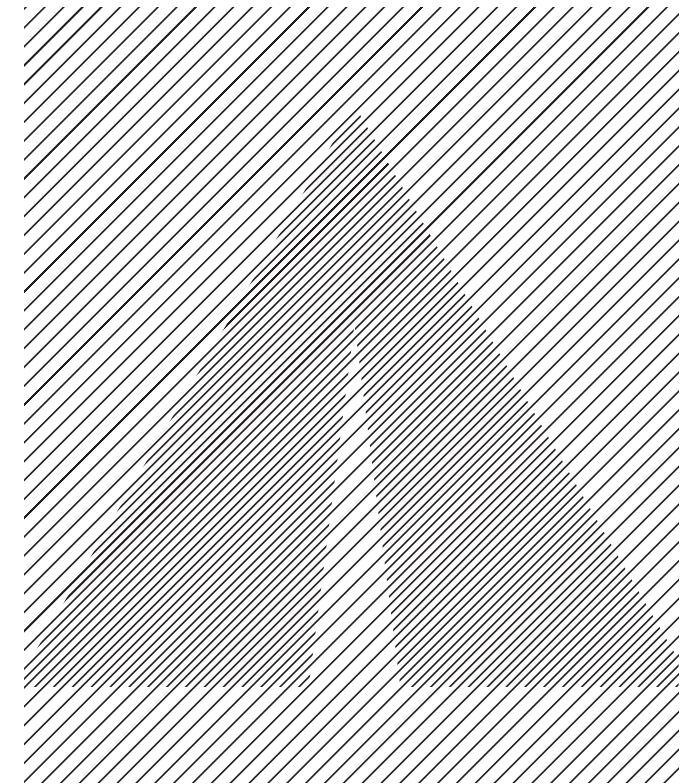
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Leave No Trace!

Leave No Trace is a National non-profit organization that unites public and private partners to teach minimum impact skills and ethics to all outdoor enthusiasts.

7 Leave No Trace Outdoor Ethics Principles

1. Plan ahead and prepare.
2. Travel and camp on durable surfaces.
3. Dispose of waste properly.
4. Leave what you find.
5. Minimize campfire impacts.
6. Respect wildlife.
7. Be considerate of other visitors.



Land stewardship ethics courtesy of Leave No Trace (www.LNT.org)

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Legend

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| | Water | | Trailer Dump Station |
| | Parking | | Host |
| | Toilets | | Premium Sites
\$2.00 Additional Fee |
| | Swimming | | Hardened Campsites
With Accessible Tables |
| | Showers | | Electric |
| | Service Road | | Sewage & Water |
| | Picnic Area | | Full Hookup Sites |
| | Boat Launch | | Full Hookup Sites
20 amp Only |
| | Trash | | Double Family Site |
| | Phone | | Reservable Sites |
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