

## Your Support Matters

### If you enjoy...

*The natural beauty of Pinchot's lake and woodlands, hiking or bicycling one of the many trails, camping, watching park wildlife, picnicking, swimming, fishing, paddling a canoe/kayak, or participating in the many interpretive and recreational programs offered throughout the year, then...*

**...we invite you to become  
a Friend of Pinchot State Park today!**

## Our Goals

- Trail improvements.
- Educational programs and equipment.
- Habitat restoration and enhancements.
- Nature/interpretive center displays.
- Recreational improvements.

## Membership Benefits

- FOPSP Membership Card.
- New members receive a complimentary 40 x 60 oval GIFFORD PINCHOT bumper sticker.
- Newsletter subscription to *The Pinchot Eagle*.
- Discounts on various FOPSP apparel.
- A chance to meet people with similar interests.
- The satisfaction of knowing that your contributions are directly spent to protect the park's natural resources, as well as, enhance recreational and educational opportunities.

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## Volunteer Opportunities

Enrich your experience as well as the experience of future visitors by volunteering. Here are a few ways to give back to the park:

- **Trail Stewardship:** Monitor and/or maintain trail conditions.
- **Habitat Enhancement:** Remove invasive plants, habitat restoration, gardening, bluebird trail monitoring, maintain or build nest boxes, and bat box monitoring.
- **Campground Assistance:** Campground hosting, improvement of facilities, develop and/or assist with camper programs.
- **Education and Recreation:** Nature center hosting, lead hikes, assist with programs and special events.
- **Miscellaneous:** Administrative duties, grant writing, public relations, and fundraising.

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***Make a difference,  
join today!***



**Friends of Pinchot State Park  
2200 Rosstown Road  
Lewisberry, PA 17339**

**Phone (Park Office): 717-432-5011**

*Dedicated to preserve, protect and enhance  
the natural and recreational resources of  
Gifford Pinchot State Park for present and  
future generations.*

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## Habitat Enhancements



Porcupine fish cribs were assembled and placed in Pinchot Lake.



Turtle basking platforms were built and placed in Pinchot Lake.



Woody shrubs and saplings were removed from old fields to restore box turtle nesting areas and native wildflower growth.

## Recreational Improvements



New playground equipment was purchased and installed at various locations throughout the park.

## Trail Care



Boardwalk and gravel were added to chronically-wet areas.



Shrubs were trimmed and fallen trees were cleared.

## FRIENDS OF PINCHOT STATE PARK

### Annual Membership

**Make checks payable to: PPFF**  
(include FOPSP on the memo line)

**MAIL FORM WITH PAYMENT TO:**

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☐ New Membership ☐ Renewal

- ☐ Senior (age 62+) .....\$10.00
- ☐ Individual.....\$15.00
- ☐ Family .....\$25.00
- ☐ Damselfly Sponsor .....\$50.00
- ☐ Dragonfly Sponsor.....\$100.00
- ☐ Corporate Sponsor .....\$250.00+
- ☐ I would like to make a  
tax deductible contribution of ..... \$\_\_\_\_\_

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Street \_\_\_\_\_

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State/Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ I would like to receive my newsletter via email.
- ☐ I am interested in volunteering.



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*Memberships are for one year, June 1 through May 31.*



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