

• Sweet Arrow Lake County Park offers beautiful scenery, hiking, boating picnicking, geocacheing, and the entire natural experience.

• See the signature waterfalls, the bridge and boardwalk by hiking Waterfall Trail

- The lake is well stocked with trout and also affords warm water fishing for Bass, Muskie, Perch, and other panfish.
- -Visit www.sweetarrowlakepark.com for more information.



Canoes, kayaks, and pedal boats are available for rent by appointment. Call 570-527-2505



The Clubhouse and Large Pavilion are available to rent for parties, reunions and weddings at very reasonable rates. Contact Bob at 570-527-2505

### Directions

#### From the North

To the Clubhouse and Pavilion: Take I 81 South and exit at the Ravine exit. Turn right onto route 125 south (3 miles) toward Pine Grove. At the traffic light turn left onto Rt. 443 east. Travel approximately 2 miles and turn left onto Shoreline Drive, also named West Lake Drive. Follow Shoreline Drive .a third of a mile and bear left onto Clubhouse Road. The Clubhouse is at the end of Clubhouse Road.

To the Fish and Boat Access Area: Take I 81 South and exit at the Ravine exit. Turn left onto route 125 south (1.75 miles) toward Pine Grove. Turn left at the Hess station onto Sweet Arrow Lake Road. The access area is approximately 1.75 ahead on the right.

#### From Harrisburg and South

To the Clubhouse and Pavilion: Take I 81 North to the Pine Grove exit (#100). Turn Right onto Rt. 443 east toward Pine Grove (3 miles). At the traffic light turn right and continue on Rt. 443 east. Travel approximately 2 miles and turn left onto Shoreline Drive, also named West Lake Drive. Follow Shoreline Drive .a third of a mile and bear left onto Clubhouse Road. The Clubhouse is at the end of Clubhouse Road.

To the Fish and Boat Access Area: Take I 81 North to the Pine Grove exit (#100). Turn Right onto Rt. 443 east toward Pine Grove (3 miles). At the traffic light continue straight on Rt. 125. Turn right just past the Hess station onto Sweet Arrow Lake Road. The access area is approximately 1.75 ahead on the right.

#### From Pottsville and East

To the Clubhouse and Pavilion: Take Rt. 61 South to Rt. 183 South. Turn right onto Rt. 443 (Deturksville Road) west toward Pine Grove. Travel approximately 8 miles and turn right onto Shoreline Drive, also named West Lake Drive. Follow Shoreline Drive .a third of a mile and bear left onto Clubhouse Road. The Clubhouse is at the end of Clubhouse Road.

To the Fish and Boat Access Area: Take Rt. 61 South to Rt. 183 South. Turn right onto Rt. 443 (Deturksville Road) west toward Pine Grove. Just past the Red Lion Café turn right onto Kurtz Road. At the end of Kurtz Road, turn left onto Sweet Arrow Lake Road. The access area is a mile down the road.

#### From Reading and Allentown

To the Clubhouse and Pavilion: Take Rt. I-78 West to Rt. 183 North. Turn left onto Rt. 443 (Deturksville Road) west toward Pine Grove. Travel approximately 8 miles and turn right onto Shoreline Drive, also named West Lake Drive. Follow Shoreline Drive .a third of a mile and bear left onto Clubhouse Road. The Clubhouse is at the end of Clubhouse Road.

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# Schedule of Events and Programs



## Schuylkill County, Pennsylvania

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## **Sweet Arrow Lake County Park Happenings**

\*\* **Zumba® fitness** offered at Sweet Arrow Lake County Park The Zumba® program fuses hypnotic Latin rhythms and easy-to-follow moves to create a one-of-akind fitness program that will blow you away. Sessions will be held Monday evenings from 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM beginning February 1, 2010. The introductory session on February 1st.is free . Thereafter, the fee is \$6.25 per session. Start any time. Registration is requested but not required. Call Denise Swonger at 717-269-3214 or email denise.d.swonger@sherwin.com for more information.

\*\*Learn to Line Dance. Line Dancing is a fun and energetic way for anyone who loves music to get a little exercise and have a great time. Instructor Shirley Morris will show you how easy it is to learn the moves that make you feel right at home on the dance floor. No partner is needed. Classes are at the Clubhouse and begin at 6:30 PM.- April 1st, 8th, 15th and 29th, May 6th and 13th. Contact Susan Long , Diakon Living & Learning After 50, 570-624-3018 to register.

\*\* Saturday, April 3rd from 6:00 to 10:00 AM Annual "1st Day of Trout Season Buffet Breakfast." Adults \$5.00, kids \$3.50. Fill up at the Clubhouse before you catch your limit.

\*\* Annual Trout Stockings in Sweet Arrow Lake--April 2nd ,1,000 trout from the Swatara Cooperative trout Nursery. ·--April 17th at 10:30 AM, 2nd Annual LUNKER stocking. 70 "Lunker" trout (20" +) will be stocked in Sweet Arrow Lake from the Fish and Boat Access Area. · Other Trout Stockings– April 6th and May 6th, by the PA Fish and Boat Commission

\*\* Tuesday April 6th at 7:00 PM ZooAmerica presents "Paws, Claws, Scales, & Tails" Hershey's ZooAmerica Education Team will join us at the Clubhouse with a wildlife program focusing on the adaptations that animals use for survival in the wild. Paws, claws, scales and tails are important for defense, finding food, eating, swimming and escaping predators. Animals that typically travel with this program include a barred owl, snake, chuckwalla lizard, rat, alligator, and opossum. This program is free and open to the public. \*\* Sunday April 11th 1:00 PM - at the Clubhouse. Ballroom Dancing Workshop. Step out of the ordinary, learn to dance. Instructor Con Gallagher will teach three concurrent workshops every hour - Swing, Latin, and Ballroom. After an afternoon of lessons, you will enjoy a well deserved dinner break. After dinner, show off your fancy footwork by joining in a dance social. What a great way to get into the world of dancing!! Cost: \$50 Contact Susan Long , Diakon Living & Learning After 50, 570-624-3018 to register by April 1.

\*\* Saturday, May 8th from 9:00 -11:00 AM "Spring Bird Walk" with local naturalist Denise "Nightowl" Donmoyer. Meet "Nightowl" in the Waterfall parking lot for this free program that is open to beginning and more experienced birdwatchers.

\*\* Tuesday, May 11th at 6:00 PM. "Photo-Safari at Sweet Arrow Lake County Park" Join Bob Evanchalk, Parks and Rec. Supervisor as he leads you to some of the best areas in the park for photos. Later, review the images and the group will chose the best. Bring your digital camera and download cable. Preregistration is requested. Call 570-527-2505 to register. Cost is \$1.00/person payable at the door. Rain date May 18th.

\*\* Monday May 17th, 1:00 PM. Tree Qigong walk with George Graham. All living things have energy. Experience what trees have to offer. Meet at the SAL Park Main Pavilion. Qigong (or ch'i kung) is a meditative practice which uses slow graceful movements and controlled breathing techniques to promote the circulation of qi within the human body, and enhance overall health.

\*\* Saturday, June 12th from 8:00-9:00 PM- "Full Moon Walk" Meet in the Waterfall Road parking lot of Sweet Arrow Lake. Come on out all you "lunatics" and enjoy a fun nature interpretive walk with "Porcupine Pat" of the Schuylkill Conservation District. Celebrate the last full moon of spring and look for signs of summer. All ages welcome.

\*\* Sunday, July 4 from 6:00-7:30 p.m. "Celebrate the Fourth of July with the Pine Grove Community Band." Bring a blanket and a picnic basket to enjoy sounds of the holiday. Free and open to the public.

\*\* Tuesday July 20th 6:00 to 8:00 PM and Saturday July 24th from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM. Bee Wise - Learn the importance of the pollinators. Bees, wasps, butterflies,

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> moths and slugs? Take in one or both sessions. Free admission. Meet at the Main Pavilion at SAL Park. Free.

\*\* **Tuesday July 27th, 7:00 PM at the Clubhouse. Scott Weidensaul Presents---** Always a special treat as acclaimed naturalist, author and Schuylkill County resident provides a presentation. More information to follow.

\*\* Tuesday, August 24th from 6:30-7:30 p.m. "Wee Ones Walk" Meet in the Waterfall Road parking lot. Heighten your child's natural curiosity during a sensory nature walk with "Porcupine Pat" of the Schuylkill Conservation District. The walk focuses on colors, textures, shapes, sounds and smells found in nature. Recommended for children ages 3-6. Free.

\*\* Saturday, September 18th from 9:00-10:00 a.m. "Fall Bird Walk" with local naturalist Denise "Nightowl" Donmoyer. Meet "Nightowl" in the Waterfall Road parking lot for this free program that is open to beginning and more experienced birdwatchers.

\*\* Saturday October 16 from 2:00-3:00 p.m. "Tree -mendous Tree Trek" Meets in the Waterfall Road parking lot of Sweet Arrow Lake. Our county park features a wide variety of native trees from the Red Oak to the Eastern Hemlock—our state tree. Learn about facts and folklore about trees on a trek with "Porcupine Pat" of the Schuylkill Conservation District. It should be at or near peak foliage time so come out and enjoy color and fun. All ages welcome.

\*\* Saturday, October 23rd, from 8:00 PM. Hoot Hike with local naturalist Denise "Nightowl" Donmoyer. Meet in the Waterfall Road parking lot for this free program about the owls of SALCP. Open to beginning and experienced birdwatchers. Walk will be canceled if raining.