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Park rules and regulations:

- The park is open from dawn to dusk.
- Horses, Hunting, firearms, ATV’s and alcoholic beverages are not permitted in the park.
- Fishing is permitted with a current NYS fishing license.
- Swimming is only allowed at public beaches and when a lifeguard is on duty.
- Dogs are permitted if they are on a leash of no more than 6 feet, please pick up dog waste.
- Camping shelters are available on a first come first serve basis, if a shelter is occupied, camping is allowed 300 feet from the shelter.
- Fires are only allowed in fireplaces.
- There is no reliable source of water at these locations. Any water taken from lakes and streams should be drank with a filter, please plan accordingly.

Please clean up ALL litter.

In case of emergency please call Park Police: 845-786-2781

Please be advised that Route 106 from the Kanawauke Circle to Route 17, Tiorati Brook Road and Arden Valley road are closed from December 1st to April 1st and won’t be accessible by vehicle. Please plan your hike accordingly.
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**FINGERBOARD SHELTER:** ~1.5 miles

- Park in Tiorati Beach parking lot. Walk up Arden Valley Rd., approximately ¼ mile, where the Ramapo Dunderberg (White rectangle, red dot) and Appalachian Trail (White rectangle) cross. Turn left on that trail and the shelter will be one mile on the left.

**BRIEN MEMORIAL SHELTER:** ~1.5 miles

- Park at the Silvermine Parking lot and cross the foot bridge. Follow the Menomine trail (Yellow Blaze) by the lake for approximately 1.5 miles and then you will arrive at the shelter

**STOCKBRIDGE SHELTER:** ~1.5 miles

- Park at the Hikers parking lot off Route 6. Cross Route 6 and follow the Long Path (Teal Blaze) for approximately 1.5 miles and then you will arrive at the shelter.

OR

~1.5 miles

- Park at the Silvermine parking lot. Take the Menomine Trail (Yellow Blaze) through the picnic area and cross Seven Lakes Drive by Lake Nawahunta. Continue on that trail until you reach the Long Path (Teal Blaze) and go right. The shelter will be ¼ mile on the right.

**TOM JONES SHELTER:** ~0.5 miles

- Park at the designated pull off on Route 106 after Little Long Pond and take the Ramapo Dunderberg Trail (Red dot with White rectangle) for approximately a half mile and then take a left onto the White trail. Then you will arrive at the shelter.

**WEST MOUNTAIN SHELTER:** ~1.75 miles

- Park in the designated hikers parking lot off Seven Lakes Drive (after exit 19 on the palisades). Follow the Appalachian Trail (White Blaze) for approximately 1.5 miles. Branch off on the Timp Torne Trail (Blue Blaze) and follow that for approximately a half mile and you will arrive at the shelter.

OR

~2.25 miles

- Park in the northern parking lot of the Anthony Wayne Recreation Area. Pick up the Anthony Wayne Trail (White Blaze) through the gate by parking booth and go right. Take the Fawn Trail (Red Blaze) and continue on that for ¼ mile until you arrive at the Timp-Torne Trail (Blue Blaze). Continue on that for approximately 2 miles and you will arrive at the shelter.
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BALD ROCKS SHELTER: ~1.5 miles

- Park at the designated pull off on Route 106 after little long pond. Take the Ramapo Dunderberg Trail (Red dot, white rectangle) for approximately 1.5 miles. Then take a left on the Dunning Trail (Yellow Blaze), the shelter will be on a woods road on the right.

OR

~2.25 miles

- Park in the Lake Skannatati parking lot. Take the Long Path (Teal Blaze) for approximately 1 mile, then take a left on the Dunning trail (Yellow Blaze) for approximately 1.5 miles, the shelter will be on a woods road on the left.

DUTCH DOCTOR SHELTER: ~4.5 miles

- Park at the Reeves Meadow Visitor center. Take the Pine Meadow Trail (Red Blaze) for approximately a half mile and then take a left onto the Stony Brook Trail (Yellow Blaze). Stay on that trail for approximately 2 miles until you come across the Tuxedo- MT Ivy Trail (Red Blaze). Take a left (you will cross seven lakes drive) and follow that trail approximately 2.5 miles. The shelter will be on the right.

OR

~2 miles

- Park at the designated pull off at Johnstown Road. Take the White Bar Trail (White Blaze) for approximately 1.75 miles and the shelter will be on the right.

BIG HILL SHELTER: ~2 miles

- Park in the hikers parking lot off Route 106, near the Beaver Pond Campground entrance. Walk towards the service gate to the right of the parking lot and start of the Suffern Bear Mountain Trail (Yellow Blaze). The shelter will be on the left in approximately 2 miles.

STONE MEMORIAL SHELTER: ~4 miles

- Park at Reeves Meadow Visitor Center. Follow the Pine Meadow Trail (Red Blaze) for approximately 3 miles. Towards end of lake, pick up Conklins Crossing (White Blaze). Follow to end and turn left on Suffern Bear Mountain (Yellow blaze). At approximately .35 miles, you will arrive at the shelter.