




Welcome to Minnewaska State Park Preserve


Rules and Regulations


Patrons should learn and follow all Park Preserve rules and regulations. Violations may result in loss of access and/or legal action.


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Trash receptacles are not provided. Please help keep your state parks clean by carrying out your waste.
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Dogs are permitted on a maximum six-foot leash at all times.
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For your safety and to protect the Park Preserve, please remain on designated trails.
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Bicyclists must wear helmets, ride on maintained carriage roads, yield and give warning to pedestrians and horses, and ride in a safe manner.
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Swim only at designated areas when lifeguards are on duty.
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Day use only. Camping, barbecuing/cooking, and fires are not permitted.
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All plants and animals are protected. Do not feed or approach wildlife.
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Alcoholic beverages and glass containers are not permitted.
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Drones are not permitted within the Park Preserve.
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Amplified music is not permitted. Use headphones or earbuds only.

Hours and Fees

The Park Preserve opens daily at 9:00 am year-round. Closing hours are posted at the Park Preserve entrance and are adjusted seasonally. Please inquire at the Visitor Center about various admission programs including the annual Empire Pass, Golden Park Program, and Access Passes.

- Vehicle use fee: \$10 per car
- Empire Pass: \$80 calendar year (1/1–12/31)

Recreational Activities

Hiking, biking, horseback riding, scuba diving, swimming, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, picnicking, non-motorized boating, bouldering, and rock climbing.

Public Programs

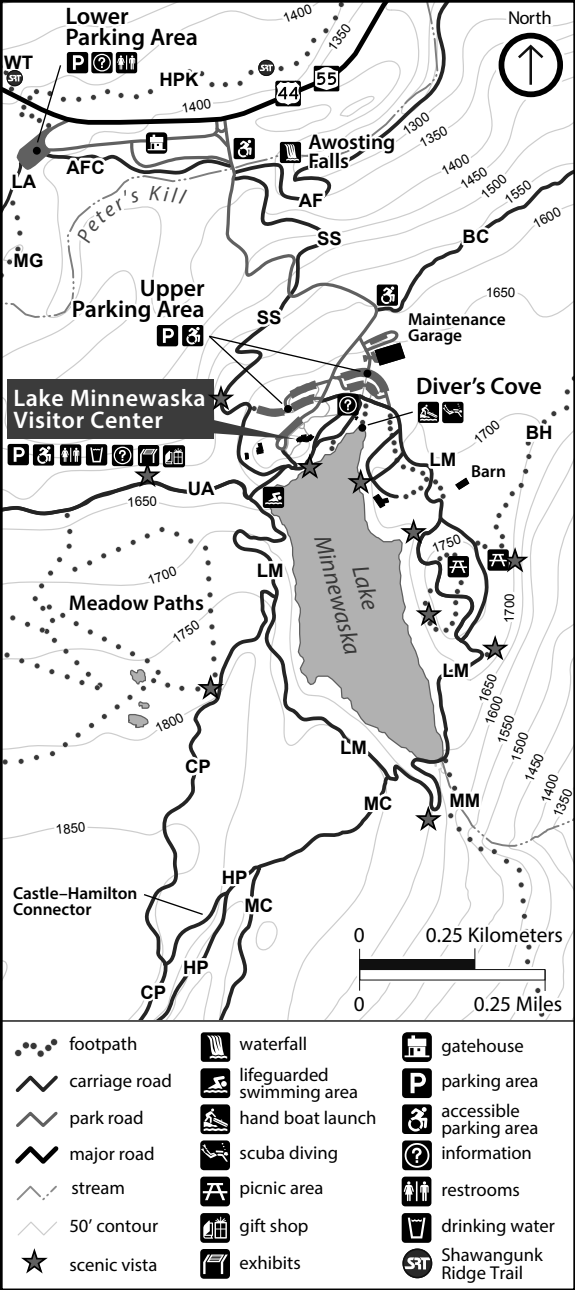
Guided hikes and nature programs, which are listed on the Park Preserve’s website, are provided for the public every month. Education programs are available upon request for interested parties. Stop by or call the Visitor Center for more information.

DANGER: KEEP AWAY FROM CLIFF EDGES

Cliffs and steep drops are present on carriage roads, trails, and overlooks through the Park Preserve. Falling can result in serious injury or death.

CAUTION: WATCH OUT FOR MOTOR VEHICLES

Use caution when on all carriage roads. Park staff and private landowners drive motor vehicles in the Park Preserve.



+ Call **911** in the case of an emergency

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Trail Map & Information

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