

Shawnee State Park

The large camping area has modern campsites (electric, non-electric, full-hookup, pull-thru, and pet-friendly), camping cottages, and gathering sites. The pet-friendly Great Gathering Friends and Family: 2-unit Full-hookup Sites each allow tents and two full-hookup camping units for a total accommodation of 15 people.

The campground has a sanitary dump station, amphitheater, play area, and restrooms with warm showers. ADA accessible campsites and lodging are available.

Camping cottages sleep five people in single bunk beds and double/single bunk beds. They have a dining table and chairs, porch, electric heat, lights, and outlets.

Reservations: Most campsites can be reserved 11 months in advance to noon of the day of arrival. Campers without a reservation arriving after noon should check at the contact station or near the campground entrance for instructions.

For reservations, cancellations, or changes prior to arrival, call the Pennsylvania State Parks Reservation Center.

Campsite Issuing: Unreserved sites are available on a first-come, first-served basis. If an employee is not available, read posted instructions and check the site availability listing.

The appropriate fee must be paid to a park employee or deposited in a supplied honor system envelope before setting up on a campsite.

Fees: For complete information on fees, cancellations, changes, transfers, and discount policies, view the Reservation Cancellation/Change Policy at the website in the Pennsylvania State Park website.

Campground Rules

Camping Season: This campground opens in mid-April and closes in mid-December.

Check-in/Check-out: Check-in time is 3:00 PM. Campsites must be vacated by 3:00 PM. Camping cottages must be vacated by 10:00 AM.

Alcoholic Beverages: Alcoholic beverages are prohibited in all Pennsylvania state parks.

Pets: A maximum of two pets are permitted on all sites in loops B and G and at designated campsites in Loop A.

Please contact the park office or contact station for guidelines for pets.

Pets are prohibited in swimming areas, buildings, and all overnight facilities not participating in the pet program. Guide dogs and service dogs are not considered pets.

Quiet Hours: Campers must not disturb the sleep of others between 9:00 PM and 8:00 AM.

Noise: Operation of electric generators that create excessive noise is prohibited.

Occupancy: Site occupancy is limited to one family unit or five unrelated people per site. Occupants must include at least one person 18 years of age or older at all times.

Motor Vehicles: Park only in designated areas. Only one vehicle is permitted at a campsite in addition to a camping unit. If permitted, additional vehicles can park on the camping spur for a fee or in the second car parking area at no charge.

Visitors: Visitors are welcome on campsites from 8:00 AM to 10:00 PM.

Minimum/Maximum Camping Period:

Campers may stay in a state park campground up to 14 consecutive nights from Memorial Day to Labor Day. If reserving a Saturday during the summer season, a two-night minimum stay is required. Campers may camp up to 21 consecutive nights during the remainder of the year.

Protect and Preserve Our Parks

Please make your visit safe and enjoyable. Obey all posted rules and regulations and respect fellow visitors and the resources of the park.

- Be prepared and bring the proper equipment. Natural areas may possess hazards. Your personal safety and that of your family are your responsibility.

- Please camp only in designated areas and minimize your impact on the campsite.

- Prevent wild fires. Fires are only permitted in fire rings or grills. Gas and propane camp stoves are permitted. Fires must be attended at all times and extinguished before leaving a campsite. Properly dispose of hot coals.

- Firewood is not provided. Purchase firewood near the campground entrance. Cutting live or standing trees and the operation of chainsaws are prohibited.

- Handwashing and dishwashing are prohibited at water spigots, hand pumps, springs, lakes, and streams. Dishwashing stations are at each shower house.

- Because uncontrolled pets may chase wildlife or frighten visitors, pets must be physically controlled, attended at all times, and on a leash, caged, or crated. Electronic fences and leashes are prohibited.

- Do your part to keep wildlife wild! Enjoy wildlife from a safe distance and do not feed or approach wild animals. Human food is unhealthy for animals and animals dependent on human food can lead to dangerous human-animal encounters.



Access for People with Disabilities

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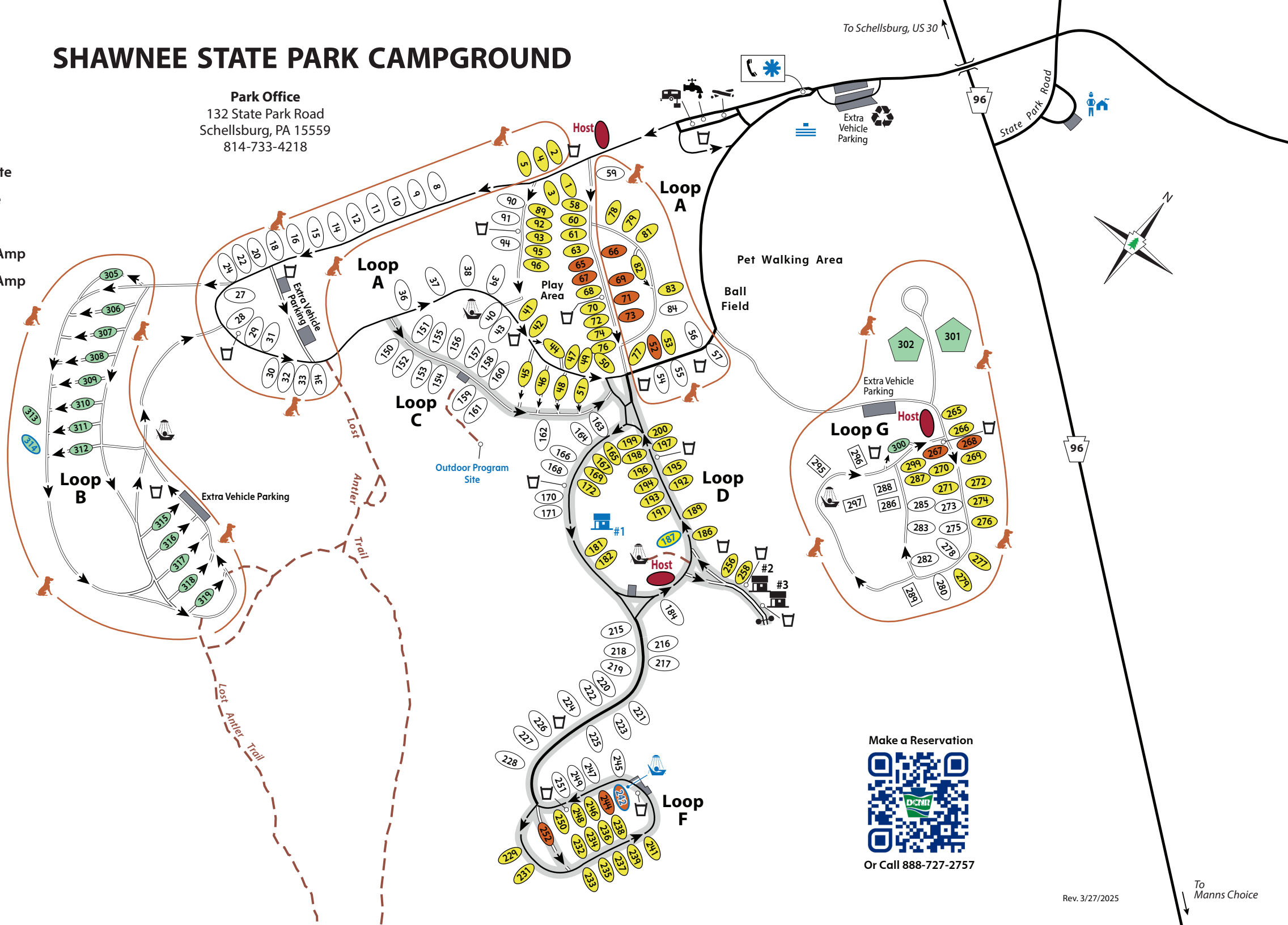
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Reservations:
888-PA-PARKS
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Park Office
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- Park Office and Interpretive Center
- Blue Symbols Mean ADA Accessible
- Information Kiosk
- Tent-only Non-electric Site
- Tent/RV Non-electric Site
- Host Site
- Tent/RV Electric Site: 30 Amp
- Tent/RV Electric Site: 50 Amp
- Full-hookup: Sewer, Water, and Electric
- Great Gathering Friends and Family Site
- Camping Cottage
- Pet Camping
- Pet Walking Prohibited
- Travel Trailer/ RV Fill Station
- Drinking Water
- Firewood and Ice Sales
- Shower House/ Restrooms
- Emergency Phone
- Amphitheater
- Recycling/Trash
- Sanitary Dump Station
- Paved Road
- Unpaved Road
- One-way Road
- Gate
- Parking Lot
- Path or Trail



Make a Reservation



Or Call 888-727-2757