

Kings Gap Programs & Events May 2018

Mothers-on-the-Mountain Hike and Luncheon



Sunday, May 13
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

This program combines fresh air and exercise with a unique dining experience in the historic Cameron-Masland Mansion.

The moderately paced hike starts in front of the mansion at 10:00 AM and is optional.

At 11:30 AM, we'll gather in the mansion to enjoy a brief discussion on its history, followed by a plated lunch.

Not recommended for very young children. Hikers should wear sturdy shoes and bring water. Expect uneven terrain.

\$25/person. Registration Required.
For more information or to register call **(717) 486-5031 by Friday, May 4.**

Volunteer Work Day

Saturday May 5
9:00 AM

Kings Gap needs volunteers to help with park projects.

Projects may include: leaf clean-up, fence work, painting, gardening, stair work, invasive removal, trail work, and more.

Two Locations/Times:

Park work:
Meets at Education Building
9:00 AM – Noon

Trail work:
Meets at Pinebrook Access Area
9:00 AM – 2:00 PM
Please bring a bagged lunch.

Email Kathy: kserfass@pa.gov to sign up!

Contact the Center

nrspkingees@pa.gov 717-486-3799

facebook <https://www.facebook.com/KingsGapEEC>

<http://www.dcnr.state.pa.us/stateparks/findapark/kingsgap/index.htm>



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Yoga on the Terrace

Sundays, May 6, 13, 20, 27
10:00 AM – 11:30 AM

Join the Friends of Kings Gap for yoga on the mansion terrace Sunday mornings from May 6 – November 11.

Class is for all levels, beginner to experienced. Modifications offered for poses based on ability. Please bring your own mat if possible.

Rain or shine. Attend one session or all; sign up not required.
Recommended donation of \$10/class benefits The Friends of Kings Gap.



Wednesday Workout Hike

Wednesdays, May 16, 23, 30
6:00 PM – Sunset 🍂🍂🍂🍂🍂

Looking to raise your heartrate and work up a good sweat? Join us for this free, 3 – 4 mile hike over hilly terrain with a few stops along the trail.

Hikers should have sturdy footwear and water.

Meet at Kings Gap Hollow Use Area.
Hike departs promptly at 6:00 PM.

Spring Salamanders and Frogs

Saturday, May 19
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Join us to learn about amphibians and their habitats. We will then explore the forest pools. Please wear appropriate footwear and dress for the conditions. This free program meets at the Pine Plantation. **Ages 5 and older.**



Archery for Families

Sunday, May 27
1:00 PM – 3:30 PM

Learn the basics of archery technique, safety, and perfecting your skills. The program is open to first time and novice “archers”. **Age 10 and up.** Equipment provided for use thanks to a grant from PA Game Commission. **Registration required for this free program. Register online or call. 20 spots available.**

Summer Camp Programs

June, July, and August

Summer is nearly here! Check out our camps designed to guide children to greater enjoyment, awareness, and knowledge of the natural world.

DiscoverE:

Hide N Seekers (Ages 4-5) \$25
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Theme: Creatures Big and Small

Choose one session:

- Camp 1: June 19-21
- Camp 2: July 10-12
- Camp 3: August 7-9

Outdoor Explorers: (Ages 6-8) \$25
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Theme: Feathers and Fur

Choose one session:

- Camp 4: June 19-21
- Camp 5: July 10-12
- Camp 6: July 24-26
- Camp 7: August 7-9

Penn's Adventurers (Ages 9-12) \$65
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Theme: Habitat is Where It's At

Choose one session:

- Camp 8: June 26-28
- Camp 9: July 17-19
- Camp 10: July 31 – August 2



Eco Adventure (Ages 12 – 17)
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

\$25 per day or \$60 for all 3 days

This camp combines recreation and outdoor learning in an active program for teens.

June 15: Archery and Orienteering

June 22: Kayaking, Stream Study, and Swimming

June 29: 6 mile hike to Pine Grove Furnace and Appalachian Trail Museum

For more information or to register, please see this website:

<http://www.friendsofkinggap.org/home/discovere-summer-camps>

Save the Date: Heritage Day

Sunday, June 10
1:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Join the Friends of Kings Gap for this day on the mountain filled with Mansion and Carriage House history tours, Horse drawn wagon rides, food, scavenger hunts, music, games, and historical demonstrations.

Difficulty ratings for hikes:

- Easy 🍂
- Medium 🍂🍂🍂
- Difficult 🍂🍂🍂🍂🍂