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Scenes & Sips is coming to Clyde Peeling's Reptiland

Registration is now open for Scenes, Sips, and SCALES at Clyde Peeling's Reptiland on April 24, 2020!

Enjoy a walk through the interactive zoo exhibits as you sip a local wine and view the winning images of our traveling gallery and photo contest.

It's sure to be an evening full of fun, drinks, wildlife, and friends among the Scenes of the Susquehanna Greenway.

Tickets are \$25 / individual, and are sure to go fast. Click below to purchase yours today!

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- *Featured wineries: [Fero Vineyards & Winery](#), [Four Friends Vineyard & Winery](#), and [Oregon Hill Winery](#).*

Support the Greenway when you shop at Target!

Vote for us with Target Circle!

Help support us with Target Circle.

Vote by March 31.



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Did you know that Target Circle's Community Support Program allows shoppers to cast votes to support non-

- **Featured food trucks:** [Taco Bill's Taco Madness](#), [The Grilled Cheese Café](#) & [Catering](#).

Get Ready to Raise the Region

Support SGP on March 11-12, 2020

We need your support this March to continue growing the Susquehanna Greenway in 2020. Please consider making a donation to the Susquehanna Greenway Partnership during the 2020 Raise the Region on March 11-12, 2020.

This year (thanks to community sponsors) Raise the Region will match a portion of your donation, and your donation may qualify SGP to receive additional funds through category prizes.

That means your gift will go even further and have greater impact! Fundraising will begin on March 11, 2019, so mark your calendars and get ready to grow the Greenway!



SusquehannaGreenway.org/scenes



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Trails

What Can Trails Do for You?

A Guide to the Benefits of Trails by American Trails

"Trails drive economic success in a number of ways. When trails are brought into a community studies have shown that property values near the trail increase, businesses near trails flourish, trail tourism provides an influx of money to communities, and jobs are created due to the trails impact. More and more we are seeing individuals take outdoor recreation opportunities, largely driven by trails, into consideration when choosing where to live."

Click below to read the full guide to trail benefits, put together by [American Trails](#).

profits in their community? With each transaction, you receive a vote.

It's that easy! Plus it's **FREE** to sign up!

1. Shop at Target as usual.
2. When checking out, give your phone number to link your qualifying purchases to gain votes.
3. Use your phone number to create an account or login at target.com/circle.
4. Click "Community Support" and cast your votes for the **Susquehanna Greenway Partnership!**

There are no costs/commitments, and votes do not affect earned rewards. All Targets in PA are participating, even those outside our immediate region.

This is not a credit card. Click below to signup or login.

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Call for Board Members

Join SGP's Board of Directors



SGP is currently accepting applications to join our Board of Directors. If you are committed to seeing our Susquehanna region grow through parks, trails, thriving communities, and outdoor recreation pursuits, we would love to hear from you!

Directors play a valuable role in the helping SGP achieve its vision. Our volunteer board has been the strategic heart of our organization, ensuring our important work is implemented, that we

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Introducing a New Way to Explore the Greenway

*Online Interactive Map
Updated with Trails & Boat
Accesses*

Our staff at SGP are always out on the Greenway looking for ways to make trails more accessible to YOU, the trail-loving public!

One way we do this is by connecting the public to the Greenway through online tools. As a result, our online Interactive Greenway Map has seen some updates.

We plan to continue this important work in 2020, and are updating our online Greenway map every day. Click below to view the map.



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Calling All Water Trail Enthusiasts

SGP is seeking Water Trail Volunteers for 2020 Paddling Season

With the launch of our Water Trail Steward Program in 2019, we have already seen so many great volunteers step forward to help us manage our beautiful water trails along the West Branch and lower North Branch of the Susquehanna River Water Trail.

In 2020, we are sending out another call for volunteers to join the ranks! SGP needs your help evaluating water trail access sites along the West Branch and Lower North Branch Susquehanna River this season. Training will be provided.

Stewards must be willing to commit to three, 30-minute site visits during the 2020 paddling season which runs from April - September 2020. Click below for more information on the position.

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deliver real results, and respond to needs within our Susquehanna communities and among our network of partners.

We are currently looking for applicants within the Central Confluence Region which covers Clinton, Lycoming, Union, Northumberland, Snyder, Montour, and Columbia counties.

If you, or someone you know, are interested, please contact SGP's Executive Director, Corey Ellison, at cellison@susquehannagreenway.org. Click below to view our current board members.

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Winter Outdoor Photography Tips

How to Capture the Best of the Season



The weather outside on the Susquehanna may be frightful, but the photos it produces are definitely delightful!

It's the perfect time of year to get outside for some wintertime photography--flurries, icicles, trees draped in snow, or people enjoying activities like cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, or winter walks on our Susquehanna Greenway trails.

The photo opportunities are endless in winter, and with these great tips, you're sure to capture some stunning winter wonderlands.

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Great Backyard Bird Count *Tips From a Seasoned Birdwatcher*



Photo Credit: Michael Donovan

This year February 14-17 marks the 23rd annual Great Backyard Bird Count (GBBC). During this time, participants are asked to count birds and report their sightings at birdcount.org. The results help researchers at the Cornell Lab of Ornithology and the National Audubon Society learn more about how birds are doing, and how to protect them and the environment we share.

In preparation of the event, we've gathered some insights from a seasoned birdwatcher and member of the Lycoming Audubon Society to help you participate during the GBBC!

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River Towns

River Town Cleanup!

Join Our River Towns during Earth Week 2020

This year, April 22nd marks the 50th Anniversary of Earth Day. Throughout the week of April 20th, the designated Susquehanna Greenway River Towns of Williamsport, Lock Haven, and Lewisburg will be holding cleanups to celebrate and benefit the health of their communities.



Look for updates this Spring on specific cleanup dates and locations. We are so excited to help keep our river towns clean and beautiful! Groups interested in participating should contact Sam Keller at sjkeller@susquehannagreenway.org.

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Pick Up Pennsylvania! *Supporting the Great American Cleanup*



Join Pennsylvanians across the state – and Americans across the nation – for the Great American Cleanup. You can participate in Pick Up Pennsylvania by cleaning up litter and trash along our roadsides, streams, beaches, parks, forests, and towns this spring. This year also marks the 50th anniversary of Earth Day, making it a great year to get outside and beautiful your region. Click below to learn more.

Partner News

Susquehanna Warrior Trail

New Signage to Direct Trail Users

Twelve directional signs have been installed to get hikers and bikers onto the Susquehanna Warrior Trail.

The signs were erected in both the north and south directions at five Susquehanna Warrior Trail trailheads on U.S. Route 11.

The Warrior trail runs along the Lower North Branch of the river, starting with its northern trailhead at Historical Canal Park in Nanticoke, PA and ending about 12½ miles south at the Susquehanna Riverlands in Berwick, PA. Learn more about the new signage by clicking below.



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Find Trails Near You!

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Get out on the Greenway and explore! Visit our [Trails page](#) to find opportunities for walking and hiking near you.

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Grant Workshop: Endless Mountains Heritage Region

Feb. 27, 2020 at 10 a.m. at Dietrich Theater

The EMHR will be hosting a grant workshop at the Dietrich Theater in Tunkhannock this month. They have invited a number of agencies and organizations like the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR), Department of Community and Economic Development (DCED), the Endless Mountains Visitors Bureau, Bradford County Tourism Promotion Agency, Northern Tier Regional Planning and Development Commission and the PA Council on the Arts to talk about the various grant opportunities and assistance available to you and your organization! This event is FREE to EMHR members and \$10 for non-members. Click below to register.



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Upcoming Events

February 7-9, 2020
[Heart of Lewisburg Ice Festival](#)

February 14-17, 2020
[The Great Backyard Bird Count](#)

February 29, 2020
[Lewisburg: Winter X-Trail Challenge](#)

March 11-12, 2020
[Raise the Region](#)

March 15, 2020
[Millersburg: Ducks & Geese of the Susquehanna River](#)

**This list of events is not exhaustive.*
Visit our [online events calendar](#) for more information.*

Lumber Heritage Region

2020 Mini-Grant Program Announced

The Lumber Heritage Region of Pennsylvania Inc. (LHR) is pleased to announce the region's 2020 Mini-Grant Program, thanks to funding through the Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) Bureau of Recreation and Conservation (BRC).



About the SGP

LHR in partnership with DCNR, has funding of \$30,000 available to support projects with a maximum award of \$10,000 per application. Click below to read more about the program.

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DCNR-26 Grant Round Now OPEN

Applications Accepted through April 22, 2020

The Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) Bureau of Recreation and Conservation (BRC) 2020 grant program for statewide, regional, and local recreation and conservation projects is now open through April 22, 2020.



The mission of the Susquehanna Greenway Partnership is to envision, create and sustain a greenway along the Susquehanna River to enhance river towns and the lives of current and future generations.

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Have questions? Join the staff of DCNR for a webinar specifically designed for those interested in obtaining grant funding to support public recreation, conservation, or heritage initiatives across a state-wide or regional landscape involving education and training; special purpose planning; implementation; and mini-grant programs. The workshop will be held online at 10 AM on February 19th.

Click below to learn more about DCNR's grant program.

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