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2019 Raise the Region; March 13-14, 2019

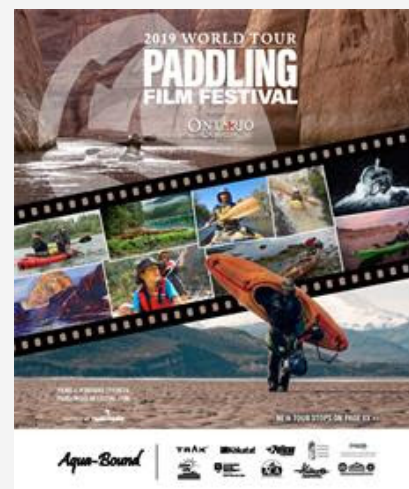
How does your Greenway grow? By connecting and greening trails, parks, neighborhoods, and towns along the Susquehanna River! We need your support to continue growing the Susquehanna Greenway in 2019. Please consider making a donation to the Susquehanna Greenway Partnership during the 2019 [Raise the Region](#) on March 13-14, 2019. This year (thanks to community sponsor) 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 13, 2019, so mark your calendars and get ready to grow the Greenway!



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Paddling Film Festival

SGP to host screening in Williamsport



Are you an avid paddler? Do you get inspired by adventurous stories and breathtaking cinematography? Then join SGP as we host the Paddling Film Festival in Williamsport, PA in 2019.

Trails

Crash Course!

Brush Up On Your Greenway Trail Lingo

What is the Susquehanna Greenway anyway? Not sure? Check out our Greenway lingo list to find out! Whether you're exploring a river town, paddling the river, or hitting the trails, our guide has the jargon, abbreviations, phrases, slang, and lexicon you need to become a Greenway guru. Click the button below to get started!

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Recreation Brings In Big Bucks for PA

Research finds outdoor activities drove \$27 billion in statewide spending

"A new economic study finds that outdoor recreation in Pennsylvania, including hunting and fishing, generated \$26.9 billion in 2016—that's \$2.2 billion more than the construction industry. The state's wealth of natural resources and rich outdoor traditions also supported more than 390,000 jobs, where Pennsylvanians earned \$17 billion in salaries and wages.

The research, conducted by [Southwick Associates](#) for the Theodore Roosevelt Conservation Partnership, showed that 780,000 state residents hunted and 1.3 million went fishing in 2016. This group spent nearly \$1.3 billion to pursue their passions, supporting nearly 20,000 jobs, \$800 million in salaries and wages, and more than \$300 million in local, state, and federal tax revenue. Additionally, 370,000 jobs in Pennsylvania were supported by other outdoor recreation activities, including biking, camping, and off-roading."

Source: [Theodore Roosevelt Conservation Partnership](#)

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River Towns

Since 2006, the [Paddling Film Festival World Tour](#) has been showcasing the very best paddling films. You'll be inspired to explore rivers, lakes and oceans, push extremes, embrace the paddling lifestyle and appreciate the wild places. More information to come!

Interested in becoming a sponsor of the Film Festival? Contact Corey Ellison for more information 570-478-0178.

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Internship Opportunities

Summer 2019

SGP is currently seeking two summer interns: one for [Media and Communications](#), and one for [Susquehanna Greenway Trails](#). If interested, email a cover letter and resume to Executive Director, Corey Ellison. Applications are due by April 5, 2019. Click below for more details.

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Call For Locations

Host Locations Being Sought for 2019



Interested in hosting a stunning collection of scenes from all along the Susquehanna? SGP is currently looking for locations within the Greenway to host the Traveling Gallery during our 2019 calendar year. Months open for hosting the gallery include this [March 2019](#), as well as [July through December](#) of 2019. If interested, call 570-478-0178 or email info@SusquehannaGreenway.org.

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Renovo Update

Working Towards Making a Vision into Reality

Renovo, PA - December 18, 2018

"Spearheaded with a \$10,000 DCNR Peer Grant the Susquehanna Greenway River Town project in Renovo, PA has been making strides SGP Greenway Coordinator, Alice Trowbridge noted during her recent update to the borough council. During the meeting, Alice unveiled a conceptual drawing of the what the town could look like as it re-connects back to the Susquehanna River.



Trowbridge explained that the project has reached the point that it will now be looking to the public for ideas and suggestions, likely through newspaper and social media. The group would like to have some feedback as it plans an open house in February to begin to look into the feasibility of making the public's visions a reality."

Photo Credit: Kevin Rauch / The Express

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Partner News

Susquehanna Wilds Water Trail Map

Clinton County Launches Water Trail Map

The new Susquehanna Wilds Water Trail Map is now available at the Clinton County Visitors Bureau! This free map charts the West Branch Susquehanna River from Karthaus all the way down through Clinton County, to Jersey Shore. In addition to river data, the map features information on attractions, dining, and lodging. Downtown Lock Haven, Inc. produced the map, which was funded through a Clinton County Tourism/Recreation grant.

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15th Annual Great American Cleanup of PA

Join Thousands to Help Keep the Greenway Clean & Beautiful

We Want to See Your Photos

Follow us on Instagram and tag @susquehannagreenway



Are you on Instagram? SGP wants to see your Greenway photos! Follow us and tag @susquehannagreenway for a chance to be featured! Tagging on both [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#) is encouraged. We'd love to see your shots of Greenway scenery, wildlife, river towns, and Susquehanna adventures like hiking, biking, paddling, and more!

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Want to See Scenes of The Susquehanna All Year Long?

2019 Photo Contest Calendars for Sale



The Susquehanna Greenway Partnership is happy to announce that our 2019 Photo Contest Calendar is now available for purchase. Get yours today for only \$10! This calendar features the 13 winning images from the 7th Annual Photo Contest; *Treasured Landscapes and River Towns of the Susquehanna*. All proceeds from the 2019 calendar will go toward supporting the 8th Annual Susquehanna Greenway Photo Contest

From **March 1 through May 31**, thousands of Pennsylvania families and friends will partake in litter and illegal dump cleanups, beautification projects, such as tree and flower plantings, recycling collections and education programs as part of the Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful campaign. Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful partners with PennDOT, the Department of Environmental Protection, and Keep America Beautiful to provide free trash bags, gloves, and safety vests to registered events; while supplies last. During **Let's Pick It Up PA – Every day from April 13th through May 6th**, cleanups registered with the Great American Cleanup of PA are eligible to take their trash to participating landfills free of charge or for a reduced rate. Click below for details on how to register.



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Grant Corner

DCNR Statewide Grant Rounds

2019 Applications open until April 10, 2019

On January 22, 2018, PA DCNR opened its 2019 grant application round. Several opportunities for funding are available. Funds will be awarded for applications that meet the priorities established in the Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan. Applicants are encouraged to reach out to their DCNR regional advisors prior to applying.



Grants are funded through a variety of sources. The primary source of funding comes from the Keystone Fund. Click the link below to learn more and fill out an application.

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POWR Sojourn Grant Round

2019 Application Round open until February 26, 2019

The Pennsylvania Organization for Watersheds and Rivers (POWR) has announced the opening of the 2019 Pennsylvania River Sojourns Grant cycle. Grants are available on a competitive basis for single and multi-day paddling events on Pennsylvania Rivers. Sojourns must incorporate significant educational programming, and be open to all participants (i.e., private trips are not eligible). Applicants can request \$900 per day for multi-day sojourns and \$500 for a single-day sojourn. Applications and instructions are available to download online at: www.pawatersheds.org or www.pecpa.org.



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RecTAP Grants

Rolling Application Deadline

Funded through the PA Department of Conservation and Natural Resources and administered by PRPS, the Recreation and Parks Technical Assistance Program (RecTAP), is a statewide technical assistance service designed to help organizations receive expert advice on maintenance, recreation, park and trail issues. RecTAP matches recreation, park and trail professionals with Pennsylvania municipalities and non-profits to provide advice and assistance on specific



and Traveling Gallery. Click the link below to order.

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Upcoming Events

February 7, 2019

[Forest Riparian Buffer Training](#)

February 20-21, 2019

[Riparian Buffer Summit](#)

February 24-25, 2019

[PA Watershed Conference 2019](#)

February 26, 2019

[Stream Corridor Restoration Training](#)

February 27, 2019

[Webinar: DCNR's Grant Program](#)

February 27, 2019

[Good Water = Good Wine](#)

March 16, 2019

[Lancaster & York Public Trails Forum](#)

March 23, 2019

[Lewisburg Live Stake Planting](#)

April 6, 2019

[Lewisburg Community Cleanup](#)

April 13, 2019

[Lewisburg Community Cleanup](#)

April 18, 2019

[Lewisburg Spring Planting](#)

April 27, 2019

[Lewisburg Arts Festival](#)

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issues that can be addressed within a limited amount of time. For more information about the program and how to apply click below.

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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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