

Pennsylvania Motorcycle Events Guide



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Hello Riders,

We have put together this helpful guide as a resource for you to use while touring the beautiful state of Pennsylvania. In this guide, you will find event listings, ride routes, listings of local motorcycle clubs and more.

Please also look at the inside back cover for information about the Injured Motorcycle Riders Foundation (IMRF). The Travis Law Firm, P.C. is proud to support the IMRF and our mutual goal of helping injured bikers.

The Travis Law Firm, P.C. has a long history of fighting for the rights of injured bikers. We know that injuries sustained in a motorcycle accident can be severe. You can count on us to fight to get the compensation you deserve for your injuries.

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On behalf of The Travis Law Firm, P.C., we hope you have a fun and safe time riding and attending some of the events listed in this guide.

Sincerely,



Grant C. Travis
Attorney At Law





2019 MOTORCYCLE EVENTS

March 16, 2019 **Washington**

In-House Poker Run

Steel City Harley-Davidson®
1375 Washington Rd, Washington
www.steelcityharley.com/whats-going-on--xcalendar

March 23, 2019 **Lansdale**

BACA 12th Annual Victim's Benefit

VFW Post 32
805 W 2nd St, Lansdale
7pm - 11pm • \$20 Single - \$35 Couple
bacamontco.com/home.html

April 6, 2019 **Oley**

Reading Motorcycle Club Bike Blessing

Reading Motorcycle Club
208 Jefferson St, Oley
10am Registration
www.readingmc.com

April 7, 2019 **Harrisburg**

Harrisburg Motorcycle Swap Meet

Pennsylvania Farm Show Complex
2300 N. Cameron St, Harrisburg
9am - 5pm
www.facebook.com/JamOnSwapmeets/

April 20, 2018 **Alburtis**

3rd Annual Wheels for HOPE

Corey & Kimberly's Ride Continued

Alburtis Fire Co.
328 S. Main St, Alburtis
www.facebook.com/events/517581075280436

April 28, 2019 **Quarryville**

Little Hands Big Plans (Make-A-Wish Ride)

SECA Park in Quarryville
11am Registration • 1pm Kickstands Up
Contact: Marsha (717) 989-3998
www.facebook.com/events/370383070208831

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April 26 - 27, 2019 **Oley**
Antique Motorcycle Club of America
Perkiomen Chapter National Meet
www.antiquemotorcycle.org

April 27, 2019 **Emsworth**
Blessing of the Motorcycles
Emsworth UP Church
73 Hiland Ave, Emsworth
11am - 12:30pm
All Welcome • FREE
Pre-Registration Appreciated
www.facebook.com/events/523098974877402

April 28, 2019 **Kennett Square**
10th Annual Bike & Rider Blessing
The Power Place
576 Rosedale Rd, Kennett Square
9:00am - 1:00pm
www.facebook.com/events/406943396544187

May 2 - 5, 2019 **Champion**
MDA Ride for Life
Seven Springs Mountain Resort
777 Water Wheel Dr, Champion
www.mdarideforlife.org

May 4, 2019 **Carnegie**
Blessing of the Bikes
Carnegie Presbyterian Church
219 Ewing Rd, Carnegie
Starts: 9am
Contact: (412) 279-3230
www.cpcriders.org

May 4, 2019 **Allentown**
Friends of Scouting Motorcycle Pledge Ride
Minsi Trails Council Building
991 Postal Rd, Allentown
8am - 1pm • Register by 4/20 for commemorative patch
Donation: \$25/Bike + \$25/Rider
www.minsitrails.org/event/2474557

May 4, 2019 **Lock Haven**
Spring Poker Run
Hope Hose Company #2
124-128 E. Church St, Lock Haven
10:30am Registration • 12pm Kickstands Up
\$15/Person
www.facebook.com/events/429320627481342/

May 4, 2019 **Northampton**
Spring Thaw - Rendezvous on the River
Tri Boro Sportsmans Club
21st & Canal Streets, Northampton
12pm - 7pm • DJ Hammer • FREE Admission
www.facebook.com/events/304587943528306/

May 10 - 11, 2019 **Oley**
3rd Annual Perkiomen Minibike & Scooter Show
Oley Valley Community Fair
26 Jefferson St., Oley • 8am
\$5/Car Load (Admission) • \$20/Space (Show)
facebook.com/perkminibike

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Please include the date of the event and contact information for details.

May 17 - 19, 2019 **Milton****10th Annual Rock, Roast & Run for Little Ones - Milton**

Susquehanna Motorcycle Club, Milton
 2855 Shakespeare Rd, Milton
 9:30am Registration • 11am Kickstands Up
 \$15/Driver • \$5/Passenger • Free Camping • 21+ Only
www.facebook.com/events/476632429496327

May 17 - 18, 2019 **Milton****11th Annual Pig Roast**

Steel Steeds Motorcycle Campground
 1095 State Rte 405, Milton
www.facebook.com/events/1959360774158501

May 25, 2019 **Cambridge Springs****13th Annual Danielle Mitchell Poker Run**

American Legion Post 381
 24642 State Hwy 408, Cambridge Springs
 10:30am - 6:00pm
 Contact: Kim (814) 873-1387 or Tom (814) 573-7641
facebook.com/DanielleMitchellMemorialPokerRun/

May 31 - June 9, 2019 **Northumberland****Pennsylvania Rally on the River**

Splash Magic Campground on the River
 213 Aspen Ln, Northumberland
 By Reservation Only • Must Be 21
 Contact: 1-800-243-1056 or (570) 473-8021
www.parallyontheriver.com

June 7 - 9, 2019 **Somerset****17th Laurel Highlands BMW Campout**

Pioneer Park Campground
 273 Trent Rd, Somerset
 \$50 Pre-Registration • \$55 Day of Event
 Contact: Jason (814) 615-9138
www.bmwmoa.org/events/EventDetails.aspx?id=1178791

June 9, 2019 **Langhorne****24th Annual Covered Bridge Poker Run**

Brian's Harley Davidson
 600 S. Flowers Mill Rd, Langhorne
 9am Registration • 11am Kickstands Up
 \$25/Person • All Bikers Welcome
www.facebook.com/groups/CoveredBridgePokerRun

June 14 - 19, 2019 **Hazen****42nd Annual A.B.A.T.E. State Party**

A.B.A.T.E. of Pennsylvania
 Eagles Nest Rd, Hazen
 Starts: Friday @ 12pm - Sunday @ 12pm
 \$40 Pre-Registration • \$50 Day of Event
 Contact: (717) 731-8955
www.abatepa.org/Events/State_Party.html

June 15, 2019 **Fredericksburg****Todd A. Patteron 4th Annual Memorial Ride**

Fredericksburg Eagle Hotel
 101 E. Main St, Fredericksburg
 9am Registration • 11am Kickstands Up
 5:30pm Live Music • \$20/Person
www.tapmemorialfoundation.com

DANIELLE MITCHELL MEMORIAL POKER RUN
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June 20 - 23, 2019 **Johnstown**
Johnstown Thunder in the Valley 2019
Downtown Johnstown & Surrounding Areas
Contact: Greater Johnstown Convention &
Visitors Bureau @ 1-800-237-8590
www.visitjohnstownpa.com/thunder-valley

June 21 - 23, 2019 **Oley**
26th Annual Triumph National Rally
Oley Fairgrounds
26 Jefferson St, Oley
Contact: (800) 451-5113
www.triumphnationalrally.com

June 22, 2019 **Tyrone**
American Pride Ride
Tyrone American Legion
1459 Lincoln Ave, Tyrone
facebook.com/AmericanPrideRideRally

July 11 - 14, 2019 **Gettysburg**
Gettysburg Bike Week 2019
All Star Complex
2638 Emmitsburg Rd, Gettysburg
Reservations Preferred (Camp & Hotel)
\$15/Day • \$40/Event Pass • \$30/Camping
www.gettysburgbikeweek.com

July 13 - 21, 2019 **Erie**
7th Annual Harley Davidson of Erie Bikefest
Harley Davidson of Erie
3712 W. 12th St, Erie
www.hderiebikefest.com

July 19 - 21, 2019 **Lancaster County**
The Fox Run 4 - Women's Day Event
Tacquan Park Campground
917 River Rd, Holtwood
Starts: July 19 @ Noon - July 21 @ Noon
www.thefoxrun.co

July 25 - 27, 2019 **Oley**
Reading Motorcycle Anniversary Party
Reading MC Club Grounds
208 Jefferson St, Oley
Must Be 21 with ID (No Exceptions)
www.readingmc.com/anniversary.html

August 4, 2019 **Harmony**
2019 Western Pennsylvania Ride for Kids
Seneca Valley High School
128 Seneca School Rd, Harmony
8:30am Registration • 10:30am Kickstands Up
www.facebook.com/rideforkids

August 9 - 11, 2019 **Bloomsburg**
Bloomsburg Nationals
Bloomsburg Fairgrounds
620 W. 3rd St, Bloomsburg
\$8/Day • \$12/Weekend Pass • Kids Free
www.bloomsburgnationals.com

August 10, 2019 **Greensburg**
2nd Annual Fallen Heroes Run 2019
Z & M Harley Davidson
6130 US 30, Greensburg
\$20/Riders • \$5/Passengers
www.opvetnow.org/events

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August 10, 2019

Oley

August 23 - 25, 2019

Wampum

23rd Annual Bike & Rod Cruise-In

Reading Motorcycle Club

208 Jefferson St, Oley

Starts @ 9am

Fees Required For 12+ and ALL Pets

www.readingmc.com

MotoAmerica Road Race

Pittsburgh International Race Complex

201 Penndale Rd, Wampum

www.motoamerica.com/pittsburgh-

international-race-complex

August 22 - 25, 2019

Birdsboro

Pennsylvania CMA 2019 State Rally

Seyfert Family Camp

3950 Main St, Birdsboro

Contact: Chuck Gerdes, candsgerdes@stites.com.

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www.cmaner5.org/PA/events.aspx

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RIDING NOTES

Jot down some notes about your rides, events, and any new friends that you have made.

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CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Alliance of Bikers Aimed Toward Education (A.B.A.T.E), PA Chapter
www.abatepa.com

Alternative Motorcycle Club
www.alternativemc.com

America's Guardians MC
www.agnation.us

Antique Motorcycle Club of America
www.antiquemotorcycle.com

Blue Comets MC
www.bluecometsmc.com

Bucks County Harley Owners' Group
www.buckshog.org

Combat Veterans Motorcycle Association (CVMA) - Chapter 22-4
www.cvma224.com

CPC Riders
www.cpcriders.org

Drunken Monkeys MC
www.facebook.com/drunkenmonkeysmotorcycleclub

Enforcers MC
www.enforcersmc.com

Erie Motorcycle Club
www.eriamotorcycleclub.com

Flying Aces MC
www.flyingacesmc.com

Freemasons Riding Club
www.freemasonsrc.org

Gettysburg Riding Club
www.gettysburgridingclub.yolasite.com

[The Injured Motorcycle
Riders Foundation](#)

www.helpabiker.com

[Iron Wings Motorcycle Club](#)

www.onepercenterbikers.com/ironwings-motorcycle-club

[Kickstands Up Riding Group](#)

www.facebook.com/groups/78302111908

[Kiski Valley Chapter-11 A.B.A.T.E](#)

www.kiskivalleyabate.org

[Leader of Men Riding Club](#)

www.facebook.com/leader-of-men-RC-riding-club-220183654677099

[Leathernecks MC of PA](#)

www.palmc.org

[Least of Saints Motorcycle Club](#)

www.leastofsaintsmotorcycleclub.com

[Masonic & Majestic Guardians](#)

www.masonicguardians.weebly.com

[Mid-Atlantic Women's Motorcycle Rally](#)

www.mawmr.org

[Old Dogs Brotherhood](#)

www.olddogsbrotherhood.com

[PA Gospel Riders](#)

www.pagospelriders.com

[Pennsylvania Motorcycle
Safety Program](#)

www.pamsp.com

[Philadelphia Motorcycle Riders](#)

www.meetup.com/phila-moto/

[Purple Heart Riders](#)

www.purpleheartriders.us

[Reading Motorcycle Club](#)

www.readingmc.com

[Red Knights Motorcycle Club](#)

www.redknightsmc.com

[Remnant Sons MC](#)

www.remnantsonsmc.com

[Ridgeview Riderz](#)

www.justridepa.com

[Ronin Knights Riding Club](#)

www.roninknightsrc.org

[Skidmarks MC](#)

www.skidmarksmc.com

[Sons of Armageddon MC](#)

www.sonsofarmageddonmc.com

[Throttle Jockeys](#)

www.meetup.com/throttlejockeys

[Tun Tavern Leathernecks MC](#)

www.tuntavernleathernecks.com

[Warlocks Motorcycle Club](#)

www.warlocksmc.net

[Warriors of Armageddon MC](#)

www.warriorsofarmageddonmc.com

[Universal Riders Club of Pittsburgh](#)

www.urcpghinc.com

[Unknown Riders Motorcycle Club](#)

facebook.com/unknown-riders-motorcycle-club/164762210257670



GREAT RIDES IN SCENIC PENNSYLVANIA

Pennsylvania offers some great roadways for every level of rider. In the following few pages, you will find some suggested trips to get you started in discovering the beautiful countryside and quaint townships throughout the state.

Each route features a map and a rider's account of the trip. There are also some suggestions for local eateries and attractions to visit along each ride. We hope you find this section to be a valuable resource as you hit the open roads this season.

Ride information provided by www.motorcycleroads.com.

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Edinboro to Franklin - Via Twisties

Route Length: 38 Miles

Best Season: After Spring

Written Directions

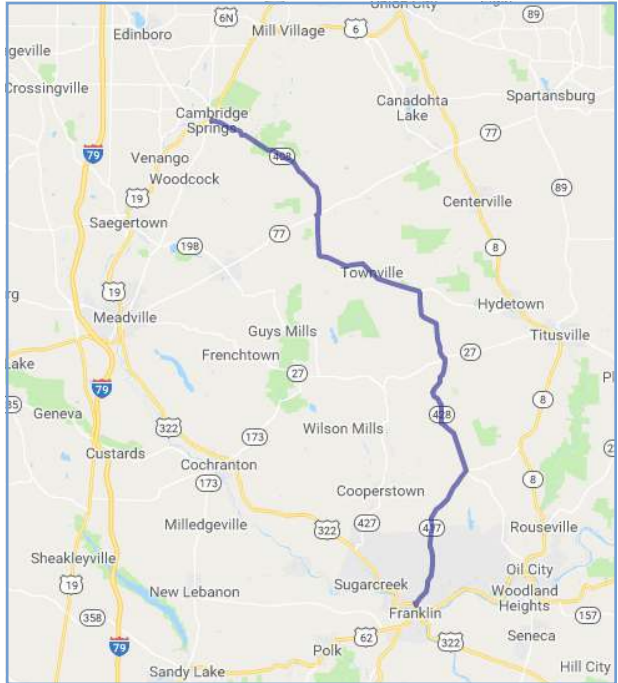
Route 408 in Cambridge Springs starts the trip with a few 90° turns and then goes into some straight stretches with 35-45 mph turns. It goes through Townville and turns right on 428 heading toward Oil City.

428 has many hair pin turns with good “humps” in the road, so be careful to keep both wheels on the pavement!

Once you get to the stop sign, turn right onto Route 417 toward Franklin. 417 has some faster paced turns ranging in the 45-50 mph “suggested speed” limit.

Scenery

The “twisties” have decent hills and mountains to be seen for Western PA, but keep your eyes on the road for this ride. The last thing you want is to be checking out the river and not seeing the 20 mph turn ahead of you. Pull over if you want to enjoy the views.



Road Quality

Road quality is pretty good except right after winter. You'll want to watch for wash outs, dirt covered road sections, cinders and road salt. After the first few weeks of nice weather it should be in great shape.

Roadside Amenities

Make sure you have at least a 1/2 tank because you won't find a gas station until Franklin.

Erie Peninsula Drive Scenic Ride

Route Length: 12 Miles

Best Season: Summer

Written Directions

This route starts at the intersection of 12th St. and Peninsula Dr. in Erie. Just follow Peninsula Dr. north onto and around Presque Isle. The road eventually circles back to the starting point. This is a great route for easy riders and beginners.



Scenery

If you're from out of town, you have to ride this one for the scenery! Peninsula Dr. is located on Presque Isle State Park. Presque Isle is a peninsula which stretches about 9 miles out into Lake Erie. The road forms a parameter around the "almost island". You'll start on the south side, noting the view of Erie from across the bay. As you circle the peninsula and come back to the north side you will see several beaches and picnic pavilions. I recommend catching the sunset on the north side (voted one of the top ten sunsets in the U.S.). This road makes a great destination for a day trip. It is a scenic, easy ride.

Road Quality

The road conditions are good, however be aware this is a leisure ride with a slow speed limit. Look out for traffic on the weekends. Motorcyclists and tourists enjoy this ride for the scenery and laid back leisure ride.


Roadside Amenities

The area is a tourist attraction, so you'll find a ranger station with information. You'll find junk food vending machines and public bathrooms at Beach 6.

Trip Tips:

Places to eat: Sara's (at the head of the park) and The Sand Bar (corner of 12th St. and Peninsula Dr.)

Tip: Bring some flip flops and shorts, or swim in your riding gear. The water is great!

A man and a woman are smiling and posing on a motorcycle. The man is sitting on the bike, wearing a blue and white plaid shirt, and the woman is sitting behind him, wearing a denim jacket and shorts. They are both looking towards the camera.

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5 THINGS TO DO BEFORE YOU HIT THE ROAD



While today's motorcycles are far more efficient than their predecessors, it's always a good idea to check some basic items before leaving.

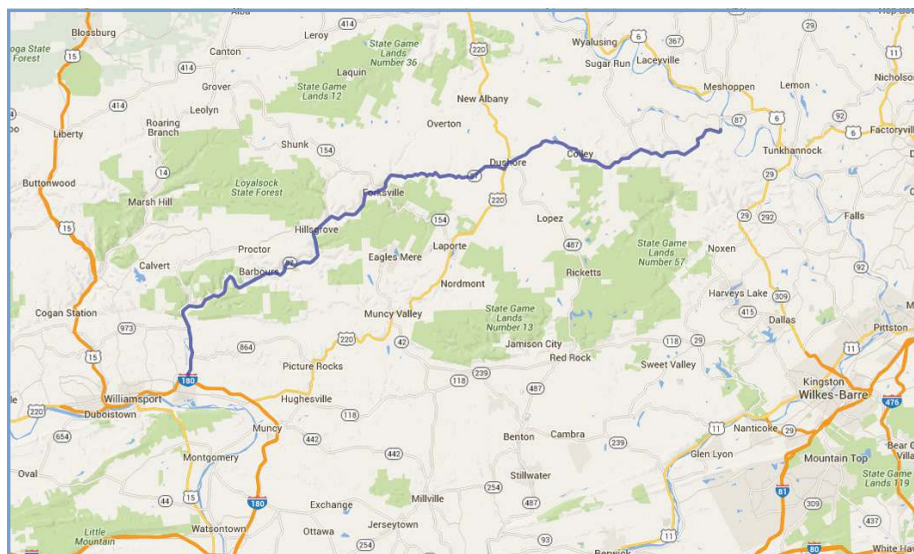
1. Check all fluid levels (Oil, Brake Fluid, Coolant, etc.).
2. Check your tire pressure. This simple step can also save your life. Remember, air pressure changes with air temperature. Improperly inflated tires can greatly affect handling and performance.
3. For high mileage bikes; check your drive belt or chain, sprockets, and brakes. It's also a good idea to check your chain tension for new bikes.
4. Check all of your lights: headlights, high beams, turn signals, brakes, and instrument lights. See where you're going and be seen by others.
5. Check your battery water level every 2,500 miles (sooner if in a warmer climate). By doing so, you can effectively double the life of your battery. ALWAYS use distilled water.

Doing your own basic maintenance can save you time and money, but if anything is unfamiliar, have a professional do it for you. When in doubt, it's better to pay a little to have it done right the first time.

Pennsylvania Route 87

Route Length: 64 Miles

Best Season: Spring Through Autumn



Written Directions

This route is really easy to find and follow. Just head towards Williamsport and get on Route 87 heading northeast. Follow Route 87 all the way to Mehoopany.

Scenery

Incredible scenery as the road closely follows Loyalsock Creek's riverbed, resulting in a great mix of beautiful views and plenty of sweepers. A mix of riding next to sheer rock walls, picturesque streams, and rolling

hillside farmland mixed-in for good measure.

Road Quality

Route 87 provides the perfect balance of sweepers, slightly tight corners, and well placed open spaces for passing when needed. Very light traffic with almost no intersections. Nice road!

Roadside Amenities

This isn't a road for stopping - it's a road made for riding!

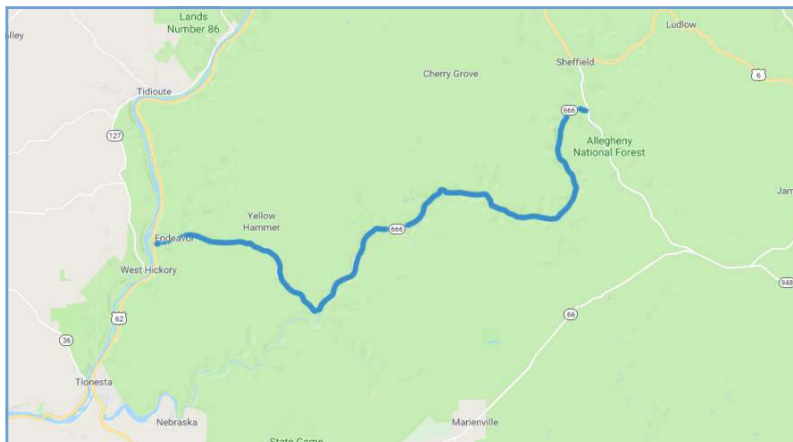
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Pennsylvania Route 666 - “One Hell Of A Ride”

Route Length: 31 Miles

Best Season: Spring Through Autumn



Written Directions

Start just south of Warren in the borough of East Hickory. Then heading east on Route 666, you'll ride through Kingsley and Howe, ending at the junction of Route 666 and Route 948 in Barnes Junction.

Scenery

Lush forest around every banked turn as your riding through the heart of the Allegheny National Forest. There are a couple cool rock formations, creek beds and small bridges along the way. The scenery looks best in summer and fall.

Road Quality

This road's topography makes it a great ride. Every bit of its thirty miles are covered with banked turns and abrupt, small elevation changes. There's even

the “cork screw” downhill turn section about halfway through. The trees whizzing past on either side are pretty cool too. Years of neglect have taken a toll on Route 666, however this is still a must ride for all bikers.

Roadside Amenities

Being in the heart of the Allegheny National Forest, there's a lack of amenities. No gas, no bathrooms, and no need. Just fill up in Warren or Tionesta, and grab some lunch. If you're up to it, there's a tent camping area called Minister Creek about nine miles in. From Minister Creek, you can hike miles into the woods, camp, stay with your bike, even build a fire. Although not on this route, I do suggest you be sure to check out the Kinzua Dam and Pithole “Ghost City” while in the area.

GROUP RIDING SUCCESS TIPS



It is a good idea to have a meeting before any group ride to discuss the following items:

- Review where you are going and what route will be taken.
- Describe proper lane changing and what to do if the group splits apart.
- Demonstrate and explain each hand signal. Make sure EVERYONE is using them.
- Determine the riding experience of any new riders - always ride to the level of the least experienced rider.
- Assign a 'slot' position to any new riders until the drag bike is satisfied with their abilities to handle their bikes.
- Invite all the riders to do a 'walk around' of their bikes to be sure all is in order. Then, take a quick peek at the bikes on either side for the same reason.

This approach to group riding is conservative, but it is the safest way to ensure that you enjoy tomorrow's ride by surviving today's.

Seaway Trail

Route Length: 504 Miles

Best Season: Spring Through Autumn

Written Directions

For the best directions, go to the Seaway Trail website (seawaytrail.com). There you will find detailed maps of the route, along with other valuable information.

You can join the Seaway Trail at any point and follow the green and white Seaway Trail signs. We recommend starting along Route 5 at the western end, connecting to Robert Moses Parkway in Niagara Falls, then following Route 18 and the Lake Ontario Parkway into Rochester.

From Rochester, continue east on Lake Road to Sodus Point, then follow Route 104 to Oswego, 104B through the hamlet of Texas, then Route 3 along Lake Ontario to Sackets Harbor.

Starting east of Sackets, follow Route 3 towards 180 then to 12E into Cape Vincent and Clayton. Ride on Route 12 to Morristown, following Route 37 to Massena for a close-up look at the Saint Lawrence Seaway.

Scenery

The 504-mile Seaway Trail along the freshwater shorelines of New York and Pennsylvania makes for a great vacation ride. You pass through the St. Lawrence

River, Lake Ontario, Niagara River, and Lake Erie. Some stretches open up with great water and sunset views, including Niagara Falls and the 1000 Islands. Some of the Trail's 28 lighthouses allow you to climb the towers for even more spectacular water views.

Road Quality

This route is a relaxing ride, mostly along secondary roads, with some city stop and go in the cities of Rochester and Buffalo. There is a great hilly stretch through apple orchards in Wayne County (mid-trail).

Roadside Amenities

Dining options range from roadside stand casual to five-star restaurant dining. Regional foods include buffalo wings still made at the Anchor Bar, where wings took culinary flight. Rochester is known for Zweigle's hot dogs, French's mustard and the infamous Dinosaur Bar-B-Que.

Just inland from the Seaway Trail's western end in New York, you will find smooth goat's milk fudge at Webb's Candies & Year 'Round Resort in Mayville.

The Lake Ontario Wine Trail runs along 100 miles of the Seaway Trail

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from Wolcott to Adams Center. You have to try Funny Cide Ale in Sackets Harbor, home of the six high school buddies who own the Kentucky Derby winner, Funny Cide. When you're in Clayton, stop and try River Rat Cheese. The cheddar makes a great riding snack!

You can stay overnight at one of the many campgrounds, B&Bs or motels/hotels along the route. If you want to stay in one of the three lighthouses, be sure to call ahead for reservations.

When you want to park the bike and explore, stop at one of the many wildlife areas, state parks, historic landmarks, or even take a boat tour of Niagara Falls or 1000 Islands.

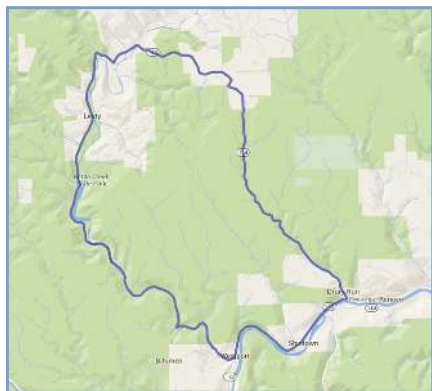
Additional Info

For more information on traveling the Seaway Trail, riders can go to www.seawaytrail.com.

Renovo to Kettle Creek Loop

Route Length: 32 Miles

Best Season: After Spring



Written Directions

If you start in Renovo, head west for one mile until you hit Route 144 North. Follow the road for fifteen miles, then turn left onto Kettle Creek Road following south for an additional twelve miles. When you hit Route 120, make a left and follow this six miles back to Renovo.

Scenery

These roads have it all! Incredible natural scenery of the Pennsylvania wilds, old railroad relics dotting the landscape, rivers, dams, and mountains, all on amazing roads.

Road Quality

Route 144 is a flawless piece of twisting tarmac that ascends and descends the mountains in a series of tight sweepers

and fun switchbacks while you are sheltered by mountains on all sides. On Route 120, you'll ride alongside a 70-100 foot granite cliff to your right, and a picturesque railway following the river curves on your left. This route offers freedom: no stop signs, no intersections.....just riding.

Roadside Amenities

Running through what seems like 10 state parks, you have natural amenities; fishing streams, camp grounds, kayaking, horseback riding, hiking...you name it. There are no gas stations or dining options, so be sure to fill up your bike and your belly in Renovo. And while in town, check out the little boutique storefronts for some great shopping!

Additional Info

There are many roads in this area that are worth exploring: Route 144, Route 44, Route 6 and Route 120.

The northern leg of both Route 144 and Route 44 are heavily patched for about 8-10 miles each, however there is no gravel on the road, and are still really fun to ride.

Pennsylvania Route 144

Route Length: 75 Miles

Best Season: Spring Through Autumn

Written Directions

Start this ride on US 144, at the intersection of US 6 and Route 144 in Galeton. Heading southwest, follow the route into Susquehannock State Forest and Hammersley Wild Area, then continue on Route 144.

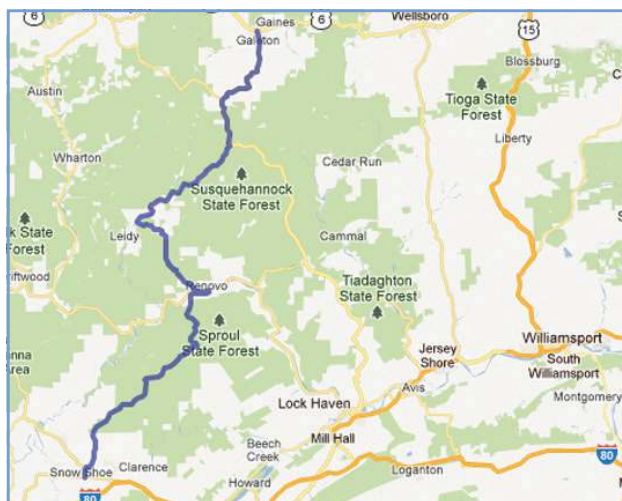
About midway, you'll cruise through an old railroad town named Renovo. This is a great place to take a break and grab a cold drink and a sandwich. It's also about the only place to get gas.

Continuing southwest, you'll ride through Sproul State Forest, and finish your ride in Snow Shoe, just off I-80 near exit #147.

North of Renovo is more sweeper type roads, while south of Renovo is the tighter twisty stuff. Overall, this is a great road. If you're in the area you need to run it once for the scenery and then again for the fun.

Scenery

It's hill country Pennsylvania. The road is the scenery. But there are quite a few places to stop and enjoy the forest and views.



Road Quality

Enough curves for anyone. Want more fun? Run faster. Very little traffic and the road is clean for the most part.

Roadside Amenities

With Renovo about half way, you don't need any amenities. Stop at the historic Yesterday's Restaurant & Hotel on the northern end of town for a cold drink and sandwich.

Additional Info

This is one of the most enjoyable roads in PA. Plenty of curves, nice sweepers, all running along the crest and through the forest. At 75 miles total, you have about 30 miles on either side of Renovo to just run.

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Pennsylvania Forest Route 262

Route Length: 11 Miles

Best Season: Spring Through Autumn

Written Directions

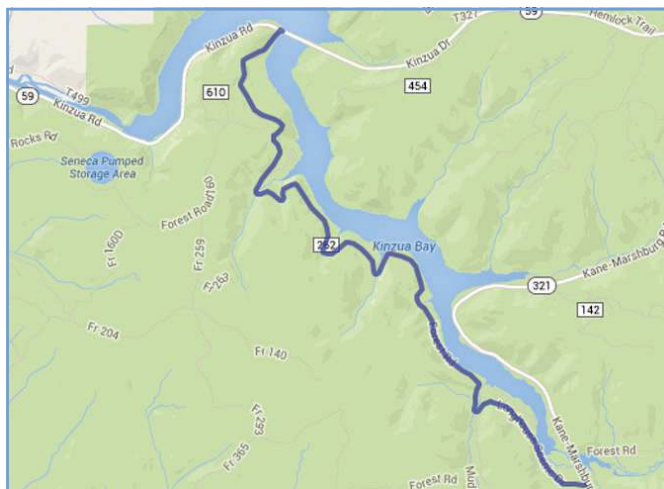
This little gem is hidden just off Route 59, and is the last road before crossing the Allegheny River bridge, if your traveling from Warren. Don't blink or you'll miss it.

Scenery

Much of this road follows Kinzua Bay, which means that the view is pretty spectacular. With that being said, you will want to keep your eyes on this road, because it is a good one!

Road Quality

As of 2013 this road was flawless. I can only hope that it's still that way. There was one turn 11 miles in that had some gravel from people pulling out of a driveway, and it wasn't even that dangerous. There are some nice sweeper turns, along with a few sharper curves, but overall this ride is a must!



Roadside Amenities

None. This is a true forest road, with nothing but the sun, the road, and a river on your right.

Additional Info

This is one sweet road to ride on! Other than the driveway owner, it's a clean 50 - 90 mph (sssh!) ride of pure goodness.

Ride information provided by www.motorcycleroads.com.
Add your ride: www.motorcycleroads.com/Routes/Pennsylvania_114.html

The Outstanding PA 191

Route Length: 84 Miles

Best Season: Spring Through Autumn

Written Directions

Start this ride in Hancock, NY on the PA 191, then follow to the PA 507, around Lake Wallenpaupak, and then head south on PA 191, ending in East Stroudsburg near I-80.

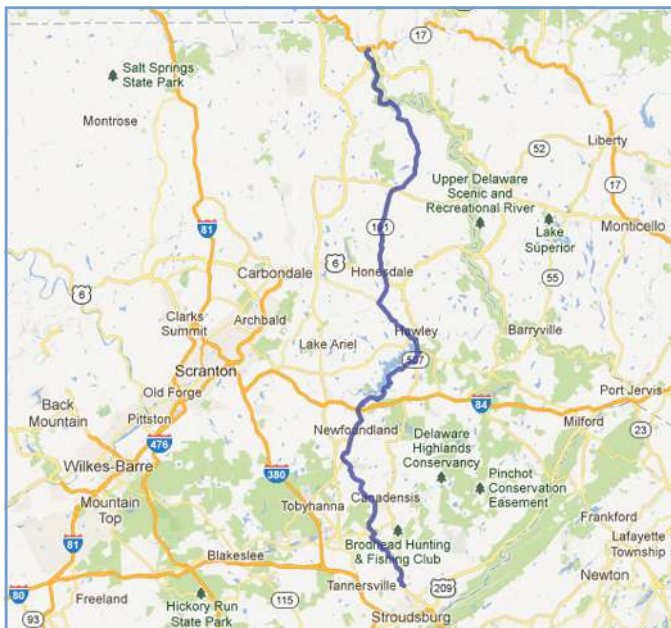
Hands down, this is one of the best routes in PA!

Scenery

Quaint little towns along the route are filled with locals who are happy to share their town history. There are quite a few rivers and streams, but be sure to pay attention to the road. If you want to sightsee, pull over on one of the many roadside pull-offs. By far, my favorite part of the ride is the stretch between Lake Wallenpaupak and I-84.

Road Quality

As I mentioned, the stretch between Lake Wallenpaupak and I-84 is the best part of the ride. The road keeps



coming, with twisties to satisfy your every desire. My advice to you: get a good night's sleep. Some of the turns can come up pretty quick and if you're not ready, you will be yanking that brake lever.

Roadside Amenities

I did not find anything outstanding, but a couple of average spots if you need to stop. This route is so close to 611 or any other main road, you can easily jump off to get what you need.



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RIDING NOTES

Jot down some notes about your rides, events, and any new friends that you have made.

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