# Let's Play!

# Fun, family-friendly activities in the Juniata River Valley

# Juniata River Valley Visitor's Bureau • Discover Our Good Nature!

### **Outdoor Playtime!**

**Kish Park** — 1 Derry Park Drive, Lewistown. Playground, mini golf, picnic, camping, baseball fields, feed the ducks frozen peas and carrots and Stone Arch Players. (717) 248-6879 and Facebook. **Rec Park** — 108 Montgomery Ave., Lewistown. Swimming pool, baseball fields, basketball courts and playground. (717) 248-3498.

**Victory Park**— under the Juniata River bridge in downtown Lewistown.

**Historic Stone Arch Bridge Park** — Jack's Creek Road, Lewistown. Bridge was built without a keystone.

Malta Park — Malta Park Road, Granville.

Milroy Playground — College Avenue, Milroy.

**Reedsville Playground**— 124 Honey Creek Road, Reedsville.

**Bender Park** —Tony Street, Reedsville. **Longfellow Playground** — 2241 State Route 103 North, Lewistown.

**Belleville Playground** — North Penn Street, Belleville.

**Burnham Playground**— 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue, Burnham. **Rothrock Playground** — 184 Fairview Road, McVeytown.

Mifflin County Youth Park — 110 W. Logan St., Reedsville.

**Walker Township Park** —258 Walker Township Park Lane, Mifflintown.

**Cedar Springs Community Park** —2030 Cedar Springs Road, Mifflintown.

Moyer Park — Fourth Street, Port Royal.

Rockville Playground—Route 333, Mifflintown.

**Lost Creek Community Park** — Main Street, McAlisterville **Mifflintown Playground** — Schweyer Avenue, Mifflintown **Basom Memorial Park** — 6972 Heister Valley Road, Richfield

Haldeman Park — 14 E. Main St., Thompsontown

East Waterford Carnival Grounds — East Waterford

Port Royal Lions Community Park — Lions Club Park Road,

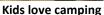
Port Royal

Lewistown Narrows Canal Park— off the Arch Rock exit of

Route 322, then turn right onto William Penn Highway.



Victory Park, Lewistown



#### We all scream for ice cream!

Ye Olde Dog House — 4465 E. Main St., Belleville. Soft serve and hand-dipped ice cream and food. (717) 935-5955. (Seasonal) Twin Kiss — 112 S. Walnut St., Lewistown. Ice cream and food. (717) 248-7559.

Harshbarger's Sub N' Malt — 5680 U.S. Highway 522, McVeytown and 716 Swamp Road, Mifflintown. Ice cream and food. (717) 899-7751 or (717) 436-5386.

**The Square Café and Bakery** — 10 W. Market St., Lewistown. Hershey's ice cream. (717) 363-4149.



Dairy Queen — 526 W. 4<sup>th</sup> St., Lewistown. (717) 248-9772.

Dairy Queen — 5055 Old. U.S. Highway 322, Milroy. (717) 667-6844.

**Lewistown Creamery** — 725 Electric Ave., Lewistown. (717) 953-9488. (Seasonal) **Jack's Drive-In** — 8 Wilson St., Mifflin. (717) 436-8342 or Facebook. (Seasonal)

The Crème Stop — 31016 Route 35 North, McAlisterville. (717) 463-2982 or Facebook. (Seasonal)

**Walnut Crème Stop** — 17744 Route 35 South, Port Royal. (717) 436-8015.

**Thompsontown Corner Deli** - 40 E. Main St., Thompsontown. (717) 535-5418.

Mexico Market — 6514 William Penn Highway, Mexico. (717) 436-8522.

# Discover the great outdoors!

Greenwood Furnace State Park — 15795 Greenwood Road, Huntingdon. Hiking, picnicking, swimming, kayaking, fishing, hunting, cross country skiing, snowmobiling, ice skating, sledding, wildlife watch and camping. (814) 667-1800 or Facebook.

**Reeds Gap State Park** — 1405 New Lancaster Valley Road, Milroy. Hiking, picnicking, fishing, hunting, cross country skiing, wildlife watch and camping.

**Poe Valley State Park** — 136 Poe Valley Park Circle, Coburn

**Poe Paddy State Park** — 1087 Poe Paddy Drive, Woodward

**Penn-Roosevelt State Park** — Crowfield Road, Huntingdon

**Alan Seeger Natural Area** —Alan Seeger Road, Jackson

**Thousand Steps** — Route 22/522, near Mount Union.

#### It's all fun and games!

Mifflin County Youth Fair — Mifflin County Youth Park, Reedsville. Rides, food and animals. Held the first full week in August. Event runs Sunday through Saturday. Juniata County Fair — Juniata County Fairgrounds, 308 W. 8<sup>th</sup> St., Port Royal. Racing, rides, food and entertainment. Held the Saturday before Labor Day through Saturday after Labor Day.

**McClure Bean Soup** — 30 E. Ohio St., McClure. Bean soup, rides, food and entertainment. Held in September.

**Juniata County Youth Fair** — Juniata County Fairgrounds, 308 W. 8<sup>th</sup> St., Port Royal. Held in July.

# **INDOOR & OUTDOOR**

#### Seasonal celebrations!

At the Barnyard — 204 Barnyard Boulevard, Lewistown. Corn maze, hay ride, pumpkin patch and more. Open in the fall. Information: (717) 437-3648 or atthebarnyard.com.

**Lewistown Fireworks** — downtown Lewistown. Fireworks are set off from Rec Park the Saturday before the Fourth of July.

**Goose Day** — Sept. 29, Mifflin and Juniata counties. Visit juniatarivervalley.org for a list of activities starting Sept. 1.

**Festival of Ice** — downtown Lewistown. Ice sculptures, wagon rides, live nativity, pony rides, 4K, music, Santa, kids crafts and vendors. Visit Facebook for more information.

Shining Light Through the Darkness — Kish Park, I Derry Park Drive, Lewistown. Christmas light display runs December through beginning of January.

#### The silver screen!

**Miller Cinema 6** — 46 W. Market St., Lewistown. For movie times, visit www.millercinemas6.com.

Midway Drive-in Theatre — 1380 William Penn Highway, Mifflintown. For movie times, visit www.midwaydriveintheatre.com.



## Chocolate!

Asher's Chocolates — 19 E. Susquehanna Ave., Lewistown. Chocolate factory tour. (717) 248-8613 or www.ashers.com.



Festival of Ice

#### Strike!

**Lewistown Lanes** — 1101 W. 4<sup>th</sup> St., Lewistown. Information: (717) 242-9534 or lewistownlanes.elisting.us.

# Let's get creative!

Evolution Arts Center —121 Valley St., Lewistown. Children's theater, art classes, dance classes, gallery showings, open mic nights, poetry readings and improv nights. Information: (717) 447-2858, evoarts.org or Facebook.

**First Friday** — downtown Lewistown. Crafts, music, art exhibit, pottery, screen printing, etc. Find Lewistown First Friday on Facebook.

# Just roll with it!

**Carousel Skating Rink** — 10 Union Ave., Lewistown. (717) 248-5586 or www.carouselskatingrink.com.

#### Commit to be fit!

Fayette Area Lions Den — 158 Lions Den Drive, McAlisterville. Fitness, aerobics, soccer leagues, field hockey leagues, martial arts and senior citizen's center. Information: (717) 463-3300 or www.fayettelionsden.org.

Body and Soul Community Center — 205 Chestnut Ridge Road, McVeytown. Fitness and training, group fitness classes, aqua massage, basketball court, frisbee golf, batting cage, rock wall, walking path, senior center and facility rentals. Information: (717) 899-2111 or mcveytownfoundation.com.

**Lumina Center** — 18 E. 3<sup>rd</sup> St., Lewistown. Recreational and social activities for children, youth and families. Information: (717) 242-2888 or luminacenter.org. **Juniata Valley YMCA** — 105 1<sup>st</sup> Ave., Burnham. Information: (717) 248-5019 or www.jvymca.org.

M.R. Stax - 233 E.  $3^{rd}$  St., Lewistown. Indoor sports.

#### Get lost in a book!

Mifflin County Library — 123 Wayne St., Lewistown and 174 N. Penn St., Belleville. Story time and reading programs for children. Information: (717) 242-2391 or (717) 935-2880 or mifflincountylibrary.org.

Juniata County Library — 498 Jefferson St.,
Mifflintown. Story time and reading programs. Information: (717) 436-6378 or juniatalibrary.org.

The Crooked Shelf Bookshop— 23 N. Main St., Lewistown. Young adult & children's books. Information: (717) 363-4557 or Facebook.



Free crafts by Mifflin-Juniata Arts Council at First Friday, Lewistown

The purple box designates a member of our Chamber of Commerce.

#### **Explore our roots!**

McCoy House —1 W. Market St., Lewistown. Built in 1841, the home was the birthplace of Major General Frank Ross McCoy. The home now serves as the Mifflin County Historical Society Museum which features the McCoy family collection, plus the historical society's permanent collections. Open 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Tuesdays, from May to September. Information: (717) 248-4711. Tuscarora Academy — 472 Academia Road, Mifflin. As the only surviving building of the Tuscarora Academy, the museum has exhibits highlighting Juniata County's past. Open 1:30-4 p.m., Sundays, in June, July and August. Information: (717) 436-5152 or juniatacountyhistoricalsociety.org.

Looking for some more outdoor fun? Check out our "Discover Our Good Nature" tour by visiting www.juniatarivervalley.org to find information on:



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