

Camping Information 2026

Swatara Watershed Park is a primitive campground. There are no hookups of any kind at the sites.

For short term rentals, email info@swatarawatershed.org or call/message 717-821-1681 for availability.

FULL SEASON or LONG TERM RENTALS

The donation for one campsite for a Full Season (May 1 - Oct 31) is \$575.

A \$50 cleanup fee will be assessed to anyone who does not remove all trash and items upon check out.

Campsite holders from the previous season have first priority for the same site this season.

Returning campers: In order to secure your site, notify us at info@swatarawatershed.org and let us know your name and desired site. Then complete the 2026 Campsite Agreement and email it to the above address or mail it to Swatara Watershed Association, 20 Black Walnut Lane, Annville, PA 17003. Credit card payments can be made using [Paypal](#), checks can be mailed or you may call/message 717-821-1681 to arrange to meet to pay with cash. If you want a different site or an additional site, please let us know via email and we will let you know if that site is available. **You will have until April 20, 2026 to reserve your site. A reservation is not complete until a signed agreement and payment are received. New campers will have access to unreserved sites beginning April 21.**

New campers: Notify us of your desire to rent a site by email at info@swatarawatershed.org. We will put you on a list in order of the date we receive your email and you will be given a chance to select your site from those still available after returning campers secure their sites. At that time, complete the 2026 Campsite Agreement and email it to the above address or mail it to Swatara Watershed Association, 20 Black Walnut Lane, Annville, PA 17003. Credit card payments can be made using [Paypal](#), checks can be mailed or you may call/message 717-821-1681 to arrange to meet to pay with cash. The agreement must be received along with payment prior to moving into the site.

If, after moving into a site, you would like to change sites to one that is not occupied, please let us know and wait for approval prior to moving. You may make one change per season.

-You must remove trash weekly from your site. You must remove ALL items from your campsite (with the exception of secured stairs) by October 31, 2026. Do not throw trash in fire rings. Please secure your picnic table to a tree prior to any predicted high water event and at the end of the season.

-The SWA is all about Clean Water. To ensure we do not cause additional pollution please follow these steps prior to a predicted flood.

- Secure your picnic table to a tree
- Clean up all trash and remove from the site
- Remove all torches, solar lights, flags, decorations etc.
- Do not pile items in trees or on picnic tables. This does not keep the items from being washed away!
- Remove RV to higher ground on premises or remove from premises depending on flood height - please be aware of the river predictions during an event.
- Remove all tents and canopies

-As a camper, you have the right to question any person you feel does not belong on the premises after dark, or at any time if they are breaking any laws. Get their names, pictures and license plate numbers if possible, but do not put yourself in harm's way. Call 911 to report suspicious activity.

- Potable (drinkable) water is available at the pavilion and at the sink behind the office. The water is tested monthly per PA DEP regulations.

-Toilet Service will be supplied by Walter's Toilets, 650 Firehouse Rd, Grantville, PA, exclusively. If you would like a toilet for your personal use at your own expense, their number is 1-888-265-3581.

-No generators/inverters that produce noise are allowed (this includes running a vehicle as a generator). There are no exceptions. If you need electricity for medical reasons and do not have batteries or solar generators to run necessary equipment, we encourage you to use a campground that offers electricity.