MORRIS COUNTY PARK COMMISSION

Status of Park Operations
(as of June 3, 2020)

The following facilities remain **CLOSED** to the public:

- Park Commission Headquarters at the Cultural Center;
- All indoor facilities, including; Visitor Centers & Environmental Education Centers, other buildings and facilities;
- Public Restrooms (until disinfecting systems & protocols are in place);
- Outdoor facilities, including; playgrounds, exercise stations, sports/turf fields, volleyball pits, inline roller rinks, picnic shelters/tents and picnic areas;
- Bamboo Brook Outdoor Education Center, Gardens, Grounds & Trails;
- Cooper Gristmill & Grounds (Trail and Parking Area Open);
- Craigmeur Recreation Area;
- Fosterfields Living Historical Farm;
- The Frelinghuysen Arboretum Gardens, Grounds & Trails (excluding Community Garden permit holders);
- Great Swamp Outdoor Education Center;
- Historic Speedwell;
- Sunrise Lake Beach at Lewis Morris County Park;
- Mennen Sports Arena
- Willowwood Arboretum Gardens, Grounds & Trails
- Tent & Adirondack camping at Lewis Morris County Park & Mahlon Dickerson Reservation - The RV Campground at Mahlon Dickerson Reservation will open shortly

NO ORGANIZED OR CONTACT ACTIVITIES, SPORTS OR PUBLIC GATHERINGS (over 25 people) ARE PERMITTED

⇒ All Park Commission Programs, Activities & Events have been cancelled for the remainder of the year.
⇒ Private Rentals and Park Permits may resume when permissible as per Governor Murphy’s Executive Orders
⇒ Parking areas and access are being limited at various parks/facilities due to a significant increase in use and to allow for social distancing.
⇒ Lee’s County Park Marina-Daily Launch passes must be purchased online - limited capacity

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING
USE OF FACEMASK/FACE COVERING IS RECOMMENDED
PLEASE BRING PERSONAL SANITARY SUPPLIES FOR PORTABLE RESTROOMS
TRASH AND DOG WASTE BAGS ARE CARRY IN & CARRY OUT
Detail List - Status of Park Operations
**As of Wednesday June 3, 2020**

Please Check Back for Updates

_Parks & Trails may be closed for periods of time for park maintenance, park project purposes and overcrowding without announcement._

Parking Area capacities for each park/facility have been reduced by 50% as per Governor’s Executive to control the significant increase in park visitation.

**List of Parks By Category**

Park Commission Headquarters at the Cultural Center is closed to the public without scheduled advance notice.

**General Purpose Parks/Trails**

- Columbia Trail
  - Open - Trail
  - No organized or directed activity shall be permitted.

- Hedden County Park
  - Open - Park Grounds and trails (park grounds are to be used only for passive recreation with the following restrictions to be enforced: No organized or directed activity shall be permitted)
  - Closed - Restrooms
  - Closed - Playgrounds
  - Closed - Picnic Shelters
  - Closed - Playing fields, athletic fields, inline roller rinks, volleyball pits, etc.

- James Andrews Memorial County Park
  - Open - Trails
  - No organized or directed activity shall be permitted

- Jonathans Woods
  - Open - Trails & Parking Area
  - No organized or directed activity shall be permitted.

- Loantaka Brook Reservation (all areas including Giralda Farms)
  - Open - Park Grounds & Trails (park grounds are to be used only for passive recreation with the following restrictions to be enforced: No organized or directed activity shall be permitted)
  - Closed - Playground
  - Closed - Picnic Shelters
• **Closed** - Playing fields, athletic fields, inline roller rinks, volleyball pits, etc.
• **Closed** - Restrooms

• Mahlon Dickerson Reservation
  • **Open** - Park Grounds & Trails (park grounds are to be used only for passive recreation with the following restrictions to be enforced: No organized or directed activity shall be permitted)
  • **Anticipating Opening of RV Campground Area on June 19th. Online reservations only**
  • **Closed** – Tent and Adirondack Shelter Campground
  • **Closed** - Playground
  • **Closed** - Picnic Shelters
  • **Closed** - Playing fields, athletic fields, inline roller rinks, volleyball pits, etc.
  • **Closed** - Restrooms

• Minnisink Reservation
  • Undeveloped Park

• Mount Paul Memorial County Park
  • **Open** - Park Grounds (park grounds are to be used only for passive recreation and Archery School activity which is allowed to operate per Executive Order protocols.

• Old Troy County Park
  • **Open** - Park Grounds & Trails (park grounds are to be used for only passive recreation with the following restrictions to be enforced: No organized or directed activity shall be permitted)
  • **Closed** - Playground
  • **Closed** - Picnic Shelters
  • **Closed** - Playing fields, athletic fields, inline roller rinks, volleyball pits, etc.
  • **Closed** - Restrooms

• Passaic River County Park
  • **Open** - Park Grounds (park grounds are to be used only for passive recreation with the following restrictions to be enforced: No organized or directed activity shall be permitted)
  • **Closed** - Playing fields, athletic fields, inline roller rinks, volleyball pits, etc.

• Patriots’ Path
  • **Open** - Trails & Parking Areas
  • No organized or directed activity shall be permitted.

• Schooley’s Mtn. County Park
- **Open** - Park Grounds and Trails (park grounds are to be used for only passive recreation with the following restrictions to be enforced: No organized or directed activity shall be permitted)
- **Closed** - The Lodge and Boathouse
- **Closed** - Playground
- **Closed** - Picnic Shelters
- **Closed** - Playing fields, athletic fields, inline roller rinks, volleyball pits, etc.
- **Closed** - Restrooms

- **Silas Condict County Park**
  - **Open** - Park Grounds and Trails (park grounds are to be used for only passive recreation with the following restrictions to be enforced: No organized or directed activity shall be permitted)
  - **Closed** - The Casino
  - **Closed** - Picnic Shelters Playing fields, athletic fields, inline roller rinks, volleyball pits, etc.
  - **Closed** - Restrooms

- **Tourne County Park**
  - **Open** - Park Grounds and Trails (park grounds are to be used only for passive recreation with the following restrictions to be enforced: No organized or directed activity shall be permitted)
  - **Closed** - Playground
  - **Closed** - Picnic Shelters
  - **Closed** - Playing fields, athletic fields, inline roller rinks, volleyball pits, etc.
  - **Closed** - Restrooms

- **Traction Line Recreation Trail**
  - **Open** - Trail
  - No organized or directed activity shall be permitted.

- **Waughaw Mtn. Greenway**
  - Undeveloped Park

- **West Morris Greenway**
  - **Open** - Trail
  - No organized or directed activity shall be permitted.

**Golf Courses**

1. Berkshire Valley G.C.
   - **Open** - Tee time reservations online and credit payments onsite
     [www.morriscountygolfcourses.com](http://www.morriscountygolfcourses.com)

2. Flanders Valley G.C.
• **Open** - Tee time reservations online and credit payments onsite
  www.morriscountygolfcourses.com

3. Pinch Brook G.C.
• **Open** - Tee time reservations online and credit payments onsite
  www.morriscountygolfcourses.com

4. Sunset Valley G.C.
• **Open** - Tee time reservations online and credit payments onsite
  www.morriscountygolfcourses.com

**Horticultural Facilities & Gardens**

1. Bamboo Brook
   • **Closed** – Buildings, Grounds & Trails

2. Elizabeth D. Kay Environmental Center
   • **Open** - Grounds and trails
   • **Closed** - Buildings
   • **Closed** - Restrooms
   • No organized or directed activity shall be permitted.

3. (The)Frelinghuysen Arboretum
   • **Closed** - Buildings and Grounds
   • **Open** - Community Gardens for garden plot permits

4. Willowwood Arboretum
   • **Closed** - Buildings, Grounds & Trails

**Historic Sites**

1. Cooper Mill
   • **Open** - Trails
   • **Open** - Parking Lot
   • **Closed** - Buildings
   • **Closed** - Restrooms
   • No organized or directed activity shall be permitted

2. Historic Speedwell
   • **Closed** – Buildings
   • **Closed** - Parking

3. Fosterfields Living Historical Farm
   • **Closed** – Entire Farm property
4. Mount Hope Historical County Park
   - **Open** – Trails & Parking Area
   - No organized or directed activity shall be permitted.

**Environmental Education**

1. Great Swamp Outdoor Education Center
   - **Closed** - Parking Area, grounds and trails
   - **Closed** – Buildings including Restrooms
   - **Closed** - Restrooms

2. Pyramid Mountain Natural Historic Area
   - **Open** - Parking Area, grounds and trails
   - **Closed** - Buildings including Restrooms
   - No organized or directed activity shall be permitted.

**Recreation Facilities**

1. Mennen Arena
   - **Closed**
   - **Closed** - Playing fields, athletic fields, inline roller rinks, volleyball pits, etc.

2. Central Park of Morris County
   - **Open** - Grounds and trails (park grounds are to be used only for passive recreation with the following restrictions to be enforced: No organized or directed activity shall be permitted)
   - **Closed** - Parking Area to the Ice Pond Trail/Disc Golf Course
   - **Closed** - Restrooms
   - **Open** - Dog Park(Off-leash Area)
   - **Closed** - Playground is closed
   - **Closed** - Playing fields, athletic fields, inline roller rinks, volleyball pits, etc.

3. Craigmeur Recreation Area
   - **Closed**

4. Lee’s County Park Marina
   - **Open** – only for:
     - Slip permit/contract holders
     - Field & Launch permit/contract holders
     - Current Seasonal Pass permit holders
     - Current 10-Launch Pass permit holders
     - Maximum of 40 Weekday Daily Launches available through online purchase only.
     - Maximum of 25 Weekend Daily Launches available through online purchase only.
5. Lewis Morris County Park
   - **Open** - Grounds and trails (park grounds are to be used only for passive recreation with the following restrictions to be enforced: No organized or directed activity shall be permitted)
   - **Closed** - Buildings and Restrooms
   - **Closed** - Playground
   - **Closed** - Picnic Shelters
   - **Closed** - Playing fields, athletic fields, inline roller rinks, volleyball pits, etc.
   - **Closed** - Sunrise Lake Beach Club closed for the season
   - **Closed** - Campground
   - **Open** – Dog Park (Off-leash Area)

6. Seaton Hackney Stables
   - **Open**