

# PENNSYLVANIA PUZZLER

*Wonder why leaves turn color in the fall? Where the Zippo lighter is made?*

*Why the Kinzua Sky Walk was built? Why McKean County oil is green not black?*

*This tour can be customized for your group, creating a one-of-a-kind personalized experience.*

## Day 1

Arrive in Bradford, Pennsylvania. First stop is the **Penn Brad Oil Museum, Rt. 219, Custer City** where you can experience the excitement of the discovery of oil, the world's first billion dollar oil field and see the "green oil" that made Bradford the High Grade Oil Metropolis of the World.

Tour the **Zippo/Case Museum, 1932 Zippo Drive, Bradford, PA**. Learn the story of where the Zippo lighter was invented and how it became an American Icon. Browse the newly designed on-site gift shop the opened in 2012, which includes the world's most extensive collection of Zippo and Case products for sale in one location. Free guided tour.

Lunch will be at **Kelly's Restaurant, 27 Main Street, Bradford, PA**. A delicious buffet with a home-made dessert awaits your arrival.

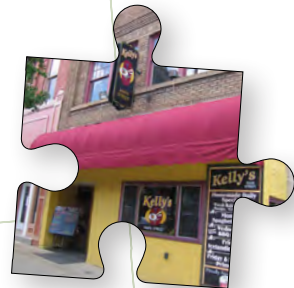
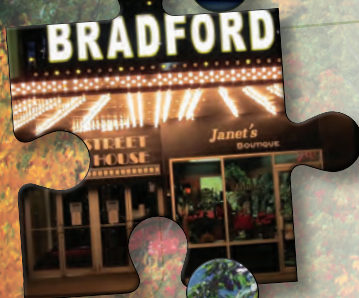
**Bradford National Historic District.** One hour free time to explore the shops along Main Street. Within walking distance of the restaurant are; the Main Street Mercantile for local art, books, clothing and other sundries, the Tin Ceiling Gift Shop for Pulakos chocolates, yarn, jewelry and other gift items, the Grocery Stretcher for Amish cheeses and meats, and the John Williams European Pastry Shop for home-made fudge and other goodies.

**Allegheny National Forest.** Travel the Longhouse National Scenic Byway with your step-on-guide. Experience the beauty of the forest as you learn interesting facts such as why leaves turn color. Stops will be made at Rimrock Overlook, the Kinzua Dam, Kinzua Point and the Big Bend Birding Overlook for photo opportunities. For those that want to get out and explore the forest-an optional guided hike along Timberdoodle Flats, a short interpretive trail within the forest is available.

**Overnight - Holiday Inn Express, 30 Tarport Drive Ext., Bradford, PA.** Check In

**Dinner - Togi's Restaurant, East Main Street, Bradford, PA.** Group tour menu - American or Italian entrees.

**Evening Entertainment.** Meet in the public room at the hotel for a film showing of *The Legends & Lore of the Allegheny National Forest*. A Pennsylvania Puzzler game on inventions and little-known facts from Pennsylvania will be played.



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## Day 2

**Breakfast**-Enjoy a continental breakfast at the Holiday Inn Express

**Eldred WW II Museum, 201 Main Street, Eldred, PA.** During WW II a British-American Munitions factory was hidden in the mountains of Pennsylvania. Your group will hear the stories of many American heroes - including Mitchell Paige - a boy from Pennsylvania who walked his way into history.

**Old School House Village Shoppes, 109 Indian Creek, Eldred, PA.** Enjoy shopping & lunch. Opened in 2012, within a renovated school house, this shopping destination has affordable, functional one-of-a-kind items within a variety of theme shops representing over 60 local artisans and vendors. A home-made lunch will be served at the on-site school house café.

**Victorian Smethport & the Old Jail House Museum, 502 West King Street, Smethport, PA** a program on the "Bucktails" a famous regiment of sharp shooters from the American Civil War will be presented along with a short history of General Thomas Kane who was responsible for the building of the Kinzua Viaduct. Options can be a walking tour of the Smethport Mansion District or a Victorian Strip Tease at the Mansion District Inn with light refreshments.

Travel **Scenic Route 6** from Smethport to the Kinzua Bridge State Park. The **Kinzua Sky Walk** is spectacular - a must see attraction. A state park interpretive guide will meet your bus and conduct a presentation showing a short film on this amazing engineering structure. Visitors can walk out 600 feet to the end of the skywalk for stunning vistas of Kinzua Gorge through the partial glass floor.

Back on scenic Route 6, travel to **Flickerwood Wine Cellars, 309 Flickerwood Road, Kane, PA** for wine tasting. A keepsake wine glass will be given to each guest. Depart for home from Kane, PA.

**This is just a sample itinerary, please contact our office for additional information and assistance.**



## TRAIL CENTRAL



### Nearby Attractions:

- Niagara Falls
- Seneca-Allegany Casino

### Location:

**South of Buffalo:** 65 miles. Approximately 1.5 hours driving time.

**Niagara Falls, NY** 97 miles via Route 219.

**East of Cleveland:** 161 miles.

**East of Erie:** 71 miles via PA Route 6 or NY I-86.

**Northeast of Pittsburgh:** 126 miles.

**Washington, D.C.:** 300 miles

**Largest City:** Bradford is 5 minutes from PA/NY state line.

**Allegheny National Forest Visitors Bureau 800-473-9370**

### Notes:



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