MARIENVILLE

ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE (ATV) / MOTORCYCLE TRAIL

CUSTOMER SERVICE – The Marienville area offers food, lodging, gas, and a small medical center.

EMERGENCY – Call 911. The nearest hospitals are located in Kane, PA via SR 348.3 miles north of the trailhead and 1 mile southeast of the trailhead in Ridgway, PA. The nearest fire stations are located in Kane, PA, one mile south of the trailhead.

If you note unsafe conditions on the trail, please report them to the Marienville Ranger Station. Things to report could include trees across the trail, damaged or missing trail signs and blazes, dangerous stream crossings, damaged bridges, boggy areas, washouts, and other similar items. We appreciate your help.

The trail is open, dependent on weather and trail conditions. From the Friday before Memorial Day through the last Sunday in September; and December 20 to April 1. Call ahead. Trails may be closed during adverse conditions.

The Marienville ATV/Motorcycle Trail is a system of 37 miles of interconnecting trails traversing scenic, forested hills of the Allegheny National Forest. The trails are designed for the enjoyment of ATV riders at the beginner skill level. The trail lies in the Main trailhead and Marienville ATMCycle Trail.

FINDING THE TRAIL – The trailhead parking lot is located on Forest Road 232, one mile south of SR 548 and SR 66 (FR 136) near Beuhler Corner and Township Road 322 at Pigs Ear Road south of State Route 66. You may also access the trail anywhere it crosses a public road. This trail is located on the map.

RIDING THE TRAIL – This trail is open to Class I and II ATVs, motorcycles, snowmobiles, horses, and mountain bikes. All ATV trails are marked with yellow diamonds. Consult the trailhead bulletin boards for more information and additional trails that may be open or closed.

This trail is rated EASIEST and is best suited to ATVs. The trail allows many off roads and railroad grades. Riding surfaces are generally level and wide (averaging 8 foot wide). Two-way travel is permitted on the trail.

During the winter season, this trail provides snowmobile access from the south and southeast to the Allegheny Snowmobile Loop system. Because of concurrent use of ATVs and snowmobiles, the trail will not be groomed.

“You ARE HERE” maps are located at key trail junctions to aid riders in navigating the trail.

CAMPING – There is limited space for camping at the Marienville and Pigs Ear Trailheads. Camping is not permitted at the Marienville and Pigs Ear Trailheads.

ATV/OMH PERMIT SYSTEM

A trail permit will be required for all terrain vehicles and off-highway motorcycles that use the designated trail system on the ANF. Permits are valid on a calendar year basis at a cost of $25.00 per vehicle or an annual permit of $10.00 per vehicle for a daily permit. The permit needs to be attached to the handles or cables of the machine. Fees will be used for the administration and maintenance of the existing trail permits. Permits will be available at the Allegheny National Forest Supervisor’s Office, Bradford and Marienville Ranger District Offices, and local vendors. All of vendor locations is available on our website:

www.fs.fed.us/allegheny

SAFETY MESSAGES

• Become familiar with Forest Service regulations and State ATV Laws.
• Wear a helmet and eye protection at all times when operating an ATV.
• Carry passengers only if your ATV is designed for them, (i.e., a Class II ATV)
• Speeds of over 25 mph are prohibited.
• Drive within your level of skill and ability.
• Be aware of other users of various ages and skill levels on the trail.
• Riders in two-way travel areas should keep right and be alert for oncoming traffic.
• Be alert for STOP, BRIDGE AHEAD, LOGGING AREA, and other signs on the trail.

REGULATIONS

Travel is permitted on designated, blazed routes only. The trail is easily marked with yellow diamonds on trees. Off-trail travel may damage the forest resources or pose a safety hazard to other forest users. Please respect the rights of others. ATV riding on unmarked routes is a violation of federal law. Mountain bikes and horses are permitted to use the trails all year round. ATV and motorcycle use during closed seasons is not permitted.

ATV/OMHs must be registered in accordance with State of Pennsylvania laws or in a recycling state with recreational vehicle registration. Registration is available at local ATV dealers or the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources Snowmobile/ATV units. The fees are used to maintain the ATV trail system.

It is illegal to drive an OHV while under the influence of any amount of drugs or alcohol. Mufflers and spark arrestors are required on all ATVs and OHMs.

Lights must be used between sunset and sunrise. Adults must accompany and supervise drivers under the age of 16. No child under the age of 8 is allowed to operate an ATV on the ATV trails.

All operators ages 8-15 must have an ATV training certificate in their possession.

For more information about permits and other recreation opportunities, contact:

Or visit us at our internet site:

www.fs.fed.us/allegheny

INFORMATION

For more information about permits and other recreation opportunities, contact:

Forest Supervisor’s Office
4 Farm Colony Drive
Warren, PA 16365 • (814) 723-6150
Marienville Ranger District
131 Smokey Lane
Marienville, PA 16229 • (814) 927-6628

Pennsylvania’s Great Outdoors Visitors Bureau
175 Main Street
Brookville, PA 15825
800-348-9393 www.visitpago.com

1-866-545-2476

www.fs.fed.us/r9/forests/allegheny

www.wildpago.com

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REMEMBER

If you abuse it, you’ll probably lose it! Careless operation of ATVs can cause damage and may result in closing of areas to riders. Respect the environment and other trail users. By using common sense and common courtesy, what is available today will be here to enjoy tomorrow.

Please recycle your brochure.