



RAUSCH CREEK TRAILRIDERS

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Weather FORECAST

Fri Mostly Sunny
85° F | 65° F

Sat Sunny
86° F | 66° F

Sun Mostly Sunny
84° F | 64° F

Summer is Here



Summer is officially here!! *Start happy dancing* Riding bikes, eating popsicles, sleeping late are some of the things we associate with summer and actually can do year round. What are some SUMMER ONLY activities you can think of? Fireworks are a summer only event for most people. Even more, it's usually a July 4th only event. Opportunities to enjoy the explosions have already begun at local Carnivals and there's definitely more to come especially this for the next 2 weeks. Chances are they'll be a fireworks display in your backyard but if not here are a list of nearby Firework displays happening over the next few weeks:

Schuylkill County

Saturday, June 29th Tower City Fireworks @ the American Legion Carnival Grounds
 1 Midway Road; Route 325 Tower City, PA

Wednesday, July 3 (rain date Saturday, July 2) Frackville Fireworks
 West High Street Frackville, PA

Thursday, July 4 Port Carbon Fireworks Monument Hill

Monday, July 4 Francis Lubinsky Playground, Port Carbon 9:50 pm

Saturday, July 6 (rain date Sunday July 10) Schuylkill Haven Fireworks Island Park
 on Broadway Street

Dauphin County

Harrisburg: July 4 at 9:05 p.m. Along the riverfront. Parking is at City Island & along city sts. .

Londonderry Township: June 29 at 9 p.m. at 2401 Sunset Drive, Middletown.

Linglestown: July 3 at 9 p.m. at Koons Park Laporte St.

Millersburg: July 3 after dark in Riverfront Park.

Lititz: July 6 10:15pm at Lititz Springs Park -7,000 candles illuminated, hi-tech fireworks with

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NEED THE LOCKBOX COMBINATION FOR THE GATES?

REGISTER ON THE FORUM TO SEE THE CURRENT LOCKBOX COMBINATION.

MEMBER APPRECIATION LUNCHEON

JULY 6TH
11:00 A.M.

Join us for lunch under the pavilion.

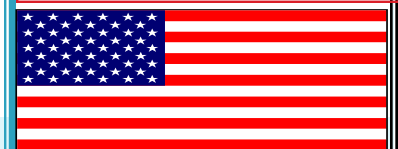
Remember, no fireworks are permitted on Rausch Creek property!



♦ ALL GUESTS

*Riding or not everyone must be signed in upon arrival! The guest waiver is on the outside of the office wall 24/7.

*This does not exclude members. Members must sign in every visit.



Tip of the Day! Local To Do's

MYTHBUSTERS

MONEY-SAVING TIP:

Myth #3: It is more fuel efficient to drive with your pickup truck's tailgate down.

Claim: Driving with the tailgate up will create more drag, and thus use more fuel.

Result: Busted! In fact, the opposite is true. A closed tailgate actually creates a vortex of air in the bed of the truck which allows air to pass by it more smoothly causing less drag and better fuel economy.

Money-Saving Tip: Keep those tailgates up!



Every Friday afternoon & evening, Crossroads Farmer's Market is open on Route 25 between Gratz & Berrysburg.

Sky-Vu Drive-In-- Gratz is Open Fri-Sun 7:15pm...

CHECK OUT THIS SITE FOR FIREWORK DISPLAYS [http: fireworksinpennsylvania.com](http://fireworksinpennsylvania.com)

June 29th 3rd Annual Steeple Run --Street Bike/vehicle ride that benefits local families with medical expenses. Ride starts St Andrew's church in Valley View registration by 10am.

Cressona Band July 6th @ the Valley View Park 6pm-9pm Enjoy an afternoon in the park listening to a patriotic program preformed by musicians from all over Schuylkill County.

****** Annual 4th of July Concert in the Park**
Thursday, July 4th. Concert begins at 6PM. Sweet Arrow Lake County Park, Club-house Road, Pine Grove. Enjoy the Patriotic Sounds of the Pine Grove Community Band. Bring your lawn chair and enjoy the concert at beautiful Sweet Arrow Lake County Park. Come early and take a walk on the boardwalk and trails. Free to the public.

2019 EVENTS

July 6th Member Appreciation Day (FREE luncheon)

August 3rd Bonfire Bash

August 17th Rally in Bear Valley

August 31st Mud Ride

October 13th Observed Trials

October 20th RORR Dual Sport

October 26th Trick or Treat



Saturday, July 6th is

Movie Night again!

Pajama Jam! Wear your

PJ's and enjoy the movie.



CAMPFIRE SAFETY

With the holiday weekend your camping fun usually includes enjoying a good old fashion campfire. Campfires have so many uses -heating, cooking, roasting marshmallows and of course a nice story-telling atmosphere. Have you thought about a safer way to have a warm, crackling fire in your camping area this July 4th weekend?

Below are a few basic campfire tips to help you and your family have a safe and fun outing:

- Build your campfire away from overhanging branches, rotten stumps, shrubs, dry grass and leaves. Keep it at least 25 feet from all structures.
- Clear the immediate area surrounding your campfire site approximately 8-10 ft in radius.
- Keep the fire in a contained unit such as a burn barrel, BBQ unit or rock base.
- Keep campfires small and do not let them get out of

hand.

- Keep plenty of water handy and have a shovel for throwing sand on the fire if it gets out of control.
- Stack extra firewood upwind and away from the fire.
- After lighting the fire do not discard the match until it is cold. Douse it with water to be sure.
- Never leave a campfire unattended. Even a small breeze could quickly cause the fire to spread.
- When extinguishing the fire, drown it with water. Make sure all embers, coals, and sticks are wet.
- Do not bury your coals, they can smolder and start to burn again.
- And of course teach your children to respect fire.

