

Naturally Formed Treasures

Breeze along winding roads that connect natural attractions. Our famous natural wonder was created by a melting glacier and is affectionately known as Pennsylvania's Grand Canyon. Recognized as a National Natural Landmark in 1968, reaching 4,000 feet from rim to rim, 800 to 1,400 feet deep, stretching 47 miles through the Tioga State Forest to the Tiadaghton State Forest and formally known as Pine Creek Gorge, this natural haven offers opportunities for hiking, biking, rafting, canoeing, kayaking, camping, fishing, and bird / animal watching. The Pine Creek Rail Trail, a 62-mile long biking and hiking trail, winds along the bottom of the gorge offering incredible scenery while traveling an easy 2% graded trail. After experiencing the activities around the gorge, our seven lakes offer their own fun with boating, fishing, swimming and camping.

World Class Events

Wellsboro is destination city 3 during the 8-day, 13-city, 2,500-mile scavenger hunt called Fireball Run Adventurally Northern Exposure. Racers will be completing a series of missions as part of an adventure game culminating in a movie production by Universal Studios Orlando. This is also a race to Recover America's Missing Children – 38 recovered so far by the organization. Celebrity racers feature ladies' teams for this round of Fireball Run!

Spread your wings and fly on melodies created by classical musicians during the two-week Endless Mountain Music Festival. Internationally acclaimed musicians perform in intimate venues throughout Tioga County. The festival includes a 62-member festival orchestra, solo recitals and chamber music concerts, performance previews, receptions with the musicians, lunchtime concerts, and master classes where participants can spend time with a musical master – performing or listening. This event is always held during the first two weeks of August. Other activities include a golf tournament and free concerts for seniors and children.

Unique Packages

Canyon Vista Motorcycle Tours offers guided motorcycle tour packages through some of the best riding areas in Pennsylvania for groups up to 20 in size – packaged and customized tours available. New this year: "She's Like the Wind" on her motorcycle traveling curvy winding roads through breathtaking scenery. Summer 2012 begins a new program with Girls Getting Away on Motorcycles combined with a retreat. This is designed specifically as an opportunity for personal training and goal setting combined with great riding opportunities. These tours can be customized to suit a group of women with everything from fun and good times to serious growth experiences. Let Canyon Vista Motorcycle Tours know what you like and they'll make it happen!

New for 2012

- Tioga County – Host Destination City #3 for Fireball Run Adventurally Northern Exposure
- 120th Anniversary of the first football game played under electric lights in Mansfield – Fabulous 1890s Weekend
- Penn Wells Lodge in Wellsboro – full renovation to be reopened summer 2012 – with 32 deluxe suites, free breakfast bar, updated fitness center, on-site convenience store, and business center

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