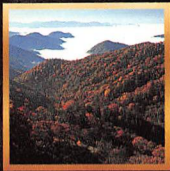




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Known for the smoke-like haze that looms above the peaks, the Great Smoky Mountains are embraced by some of the greenest, most majestic forests in the world. These half-million acres of the Appalachian highlands are home to an abundance of plant and animal life. Perhaps the most stunning among them are the rhododendron that flourish in summer.

History buffs enjoy the park's various restored structures from 19th-century farmsteads.

Clingmans Dome (6,642 feet), the park's highest point, has an observation tower providing eye-stretching vistas.

SPECIAL INFORMATION

Hiking, camping, fishing, picnicking, interpretive programs, nature walks, auto tours, horseback riding, wildflower and bird watching are available. A free copy of the Park's newspaper, "Smokies Guide," is available at the visitor centers. The park is managed as a natural and wild environment. • Superintendent, Great Smoky Mountains National Park, 107 Park Headquarters Road, Gatlinburg, TN 37738 (615) 436-1200.