

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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NATIONAL PARK SERVICE
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SHENANDOAH NATIONAL PARK
(Virginia)

You are entering the Shenandoah National Park over the Skyline Drive. The Drive, now open to travel, is 65 miles in length, extending from Front Royal on the North, crossing Lee Highway (U. S. Route 211) at Thornton Gap and continuing southward to Swift Run Gap on the Spotswood Trail (Va. Rt. 4).

West of the Drive may be seen that portion of the Shenandoah Valley lying between the Blue Ridge and Massanutten Mountain, the latter dividing the Shenandoah Valley for a distance of 50 miles. Beyond the Massanutten lies the remainder of the Shenandoah Valley with the crest of the Alleghany Mountains seen in the distance. East of the Drive are the foot hills of the Blue Ridge and the extensive Piedmont Plain.

At the present time the Shenandoah National Park comprises 176,429 acres in the Blue Ridge Mountains and extends approximately 90 miles from Front Royal southwestward nearly to Waynesboro. Within its boundaries the visitor will find many miles of foot and bridle trails from which more intimate contact and appreciation of the beauties of the area may be obtained. For information concerning the trails and other features of the park consult the rangers.

Any comments or suggestions for the betterment of Shenandoah National Park are welcomed. Address all communications to the Superintendent, Shenandoah National Park, Luray, Virginia.

RULES TO BE OBSERVED WHILE IN SHENANDOAH NATIONAL PARK

It is unlawful to disturb flowers, shrubs or trees, to mar or deface signs or buildings.

SPEED LIMIT 35 MILES PER HOUR. Observe and obey traffic signs.

Do not park on roadway; use parking areas.

Those wishing to picnic should use areas established at Sexton Knoll, South River, and Elkwallow Gap. (See map on reverse side).

Do not throw paper, lunch refuse, or other trash on road or elsewhere. Place in provided receptacles which are located in all parking and picnic areas.

Fires should be built only in designated picnic areas and campgrounds. Extinguish fires completely before leaving. Do not throw burning tobacco or burning matches on the ground.

Virginia State fishing laws should be observed. Hunting is prohibited.

Facilities

Meals and limited rooming facilities, also gasoline and oil, are available at Thornton Gap, Skyland Resort, and Swift Run Gap.



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