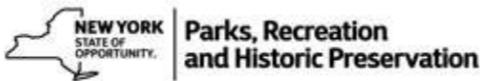


Betty and Wilbur Davis STATE PARK



Betty & Wilbur Davis State Park
133 Davis Road

Mailing Address:
133 Davis Rd.
Schenevus, NY 12155
Park Office: 607-638-5421



Carry In - Carry Out

Day Use Patrons: Please comply with the stated Carry-In, Carry-Out Policy. Please take all your garbage with you when you leave the park. Thank you.

Accessibility

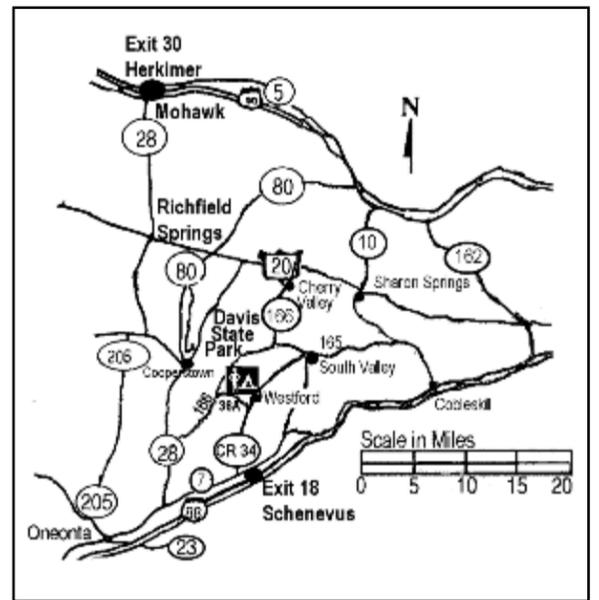
Accessible parking spaces, comfort stations, picnic areas, playground, and cabins are available within the park and are noted. Please contact the park office for specific information.

Smoking Policy

Smoking is prohibited in all park buildings and structures, as well as on or near playgrounds, beaches, bathhouses, or any other designated non-smoking areas.

Regional Office: 315-492-1756

www.nysparks.com



Directions

NEW YORK and ALBANY: Thruway (I-90) W to Exit 25A (I-88) to Exit 18 (Schenevus); Rte .7 W to Co. Rt. 34 N; Co. Rt 36A W to park entrance - Davis Rd.

BUFFALO-ROCHESTER-SYRACUSE: Thruway (I-90) E to Exit 30 Herkimer-Mohawk; Rte 28 S to Richfield Springs; Rte. 20 E to Rte 166 (Cherry Valley); Co. Rte 35 S (Middlefield); Co. Rte. 36A E to park entrance - Davis Rd.

BINGHAMTON: I-81 N to Rte. I-88 E to Exit 18 (Schenevus); see directions above.

NOTE Betty and Wilbur Davis State Park is a satellite facility of Glimmerglass State Park. For further information go to Glimmerglass State Park, or contact them at 607-547-8662.

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Park History

Betty and Wilbur Davis generously donated the land that became the 164th State Park in 2000. Mr. and Mrs. Davis, lifelong residents of New York City, purchased the land, once a farm, in 1950. The couple gifted the land so that the public could enjoy the land as they have and to ensure its preservation.

Terrain Features

- Rolling, partially wooded, open
- Elevation ranges from 1700 to 2040 feet
- Six Full Service Cottages: Vacation rentals that can be rented year-round.



Recreation

Perched atop a hill in Southern Otsego Co., Betty and Wilbur Davis State Park provides spectacular views to the south and west. Nearly two thirds of the park is blanketed by a forest of hardwoods intermixed with smaller areas of conifer plantation. The remainder of this 229-acre property is occupied by gently rolling meadowlands and two ponds. The park, which is named for the generous New York couple who donated the land to the state, offers a variety of recreational opportunities. With expansive views and tranquil surroundings, Betty and Wilbur Davis State Park is a favorite among bird watchers and other nature lovers.

On-site facilities include a picnic area and the sunset pavilion picnic shelter. The park also features an extensive network of hiking trails and a woodland stream. Another park activity includes catch and release fishing. Winter activities include cross-country skiing, snowshoeing and snowmobile trails that connect to the state corridor trail system.

Located in Westford, the park is just a short drive from Cooperstown, home of the National Baseball Hall of Fame. Betty and Wilbur Davis State Park is sure to be a fantastic destination for any family outing.



Good Manners

Be respectful of others by keeping noise to a minimum level and keeping your cabin or picnic area clean, and litter-free. Litter leads to more litter; don't be the first to drop it.

It is illegal to collect anything on state lands. Plants, fossils, rocks, and animals are important parts of the park experience. Please leave them there for everyone's enjoyment and your safety.

Be considerate of others who may have health concerns. We do not allow pets or smoking in our cabins.

Visit Neighboring State Facilities

While visiting Betty and Wilbur Davis State Park, please visit our neighboring facilities.

Glimmerglass State Park, located eight miles outside the village of Cooperstown, overlooks Otsego Lake. Activities include camping, swimming, fishing, picnicking, hiking and boating.

Hyde Hall State Historic Site, also located on Otsego Lake, offers tours of the nearly 50-room historic estate built by George Clark.

Canadarago Boat Launch is located on State Route 28, south of Richfield Springs. It offers easy access to the 2000-acre Canadarago Lake.

Reservations

Reservations for cabins are available by calling the NYS Camping Reservation system at 1-800-456-CAMP or online at www.ReserveAmerica.com.

CAMPER ALERT: DONT MOVE FIREWOOD

A new regulation is now in effect that prohibits moving untreated firewood more than 50 miles from its source. The regulation also bans importing firewood into New York unless it has been kiln-dried to kill invasive insects. You can help protect our forests and campgrounds from tree-killing insects and diseases:

- Leave firewood at home -do not bring wood from home to campgrounds or parks.
- Only use firewood from local sources, or wood that has been heat-treated to kill pests.
- Burn ALL your wood before leaving your campsite.



KEY

-  Parking
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-  Accessible
-  Picnic Shelter
-  Comfort Station
-  Cottages
-  Park Office
-  Playground
-  Resting Bench (numbered)

