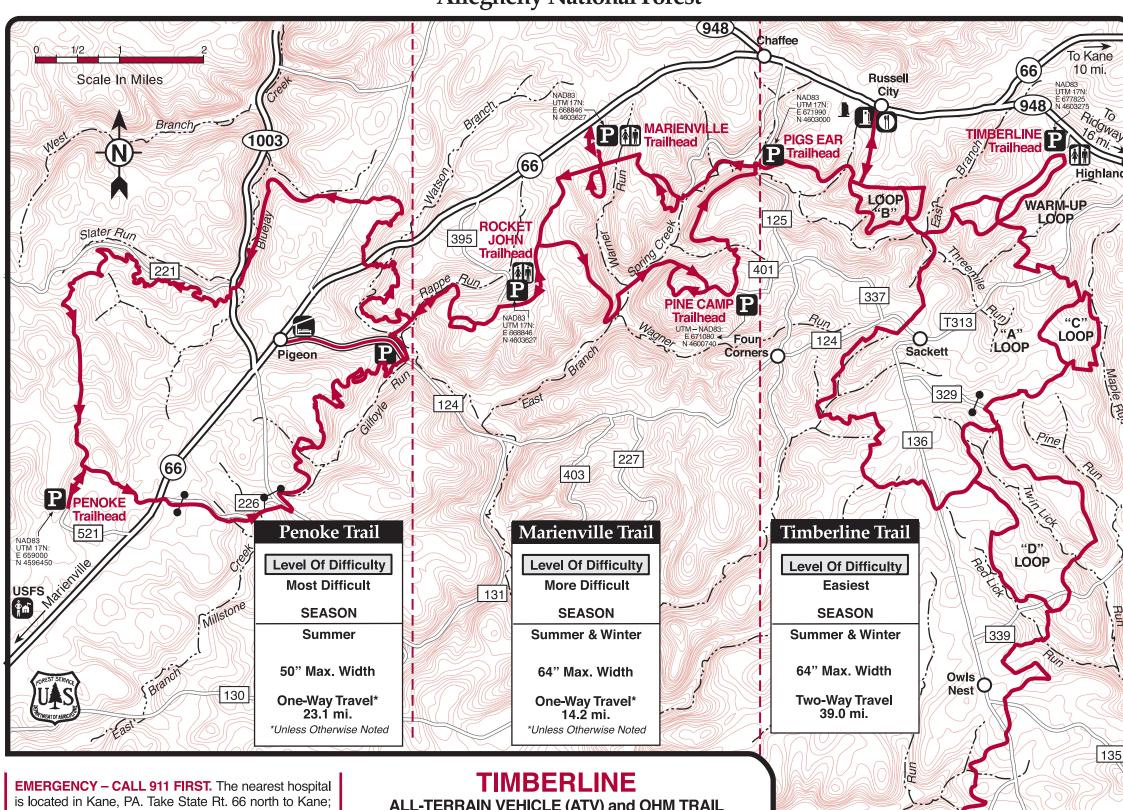
#### Penoke, Marienville, & Timberline Trails

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go straight through the light onto Rt. 6 West. The hospital is on the left at the edge of town.

#### **PENOKE OFF HIGHWAY MOTORCYCLE (OHM) AND ATV TRAIL** (MOST DIFFICULT)

FINDING THE TRAIL - Penoke trailhead parking is located at the end of Forest Road 521, off State Route 66 about 4 miles northeast of Marienville and 22 miles southwest of Kane. This trail can also be accessed from Rocket John trailhead off Forest Road 395, via the Pigeon Connector on Duhring Road, or anywhere the trail crosses a public road. The trail is located on the Lynch USGS topographic map. The Penoke trailhead on FR 521 is not maintained in the winter and the trail is not open for winter riding.

RIDING THE TRAIL - (50" max. width). This 23.1 mile loop is rated **MOST DIFFICULT** and is best suited to off-highway motorcycles. The bike trail offers a very rocky trail surface that winds and twists through the forest. Bikers can finish the trail within a few hours. ATV'ers will find a very demanding and challenging ride that will take 4-6 hours to complete. This trail is **NOT** recommended for inexperienced or novice riders. The trail is ONE-WAY travel except where otherwise posted.

The connector between Duhring Road and Rocket John (FR 395) trailhead is open to all machines and is TWO-WAY

#### **MARIENVILLE**

#### **ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE (ATV) and OHM TRAIL** (MORE DIFFICULT)

FINDING THE TRAIL – Marienville trailhead parking is located along State Route 66, about 15 miles southwest of Kane and eleven miles northeast of Marienville. The parking lot is maintained during the winter. Secondary trailheads are noted on the map. You can also access the trail anywhere it crosses a public road. The trail is located on the Lynch and Russell City USGS topographic maps.

RIDING THE TRAIL – (64" max. width). The Marienville ATV Trail is approximately 14 miles of old roads and railroad grades traversing scenic and forested hills of the Allegheny National Forest. This trail is rated MORE **DIFFICULT**. The trail is ONE-WAY travel except where posted otherwise. This trail has several steep hill climbs. The hill climb coming out of Pigs Ear is paved with cement blocks and has a bypass for easier riding.

#### **ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE (ATV) and OHM TRAIL** (EASIEST)

This trail is designed for the enjoyment of ATV and motorcycle riders at the beginner skill level. The trail ties into the Marienville Trail.

FINDING THE TRAIL - The trailhead parking lot is located on Forest Road 232, one mile south of the SR 948 and SR 66 intersection. Parking is also located along Township Road 458 (FR 136) near Buehler Corner, and Township Road 322 (FR 125) at Pigs Ear South of SR 66. The trail can be accessed anywhere it crosses a public road. This trail is located on the James City, Portland Mills, Hallton, and Russell City USGS topographic maps.

RIDING THE TRAIL - (64" max. width and snowmobiles). The Timberline ATV Trail is a system of 39 miles of interconnecting trails, railroad grades, and roads traversing the scenic and forested hills of the Allegheny National Forest. The Timberline trail is rated **EASIEST** and is best suited to ATVs. Riding surfaces are generally level and wide (averaging 8 feet in width). The entire trail is a TWO-WAY trail system.

During the winter season, this dual-use trail provides snowmobile access from the south and the southeast to the Allegheny Snowmobile Loop system. This trail is not groomed.

CUSTOMER SERVICE - The Marienville, Kane, and Ridgway areas offer food, lodging, gas, and medical facilities. The Marienville Ranger Station, located 1 mile north of the town of Marienville on State Route 66, has additional books and materials to help you enjoy the Allegheny National Forest.

#### **CALL AHEAD – TRAILS MAY BE CLOSED DURING ADVERSE CONDITIONS.**

All trails are open depending on weather and trail conditions from the Friday of Memorial Day weekend through the last Sunday in September. The Marienville, Timberline, and Rocky Gap Trails may open in the winter, depending on trail conditions.

**UNSAFE TRAIL CONDITIONS** – If you note unsafe conditions on any trails, please report them to the nearest Ranger Station. Items to report include trees across the trail, damaged or missing trail signs and blazes, dangerous stream crossing, damaged bridges, boggy areas, and washouts.

All ATV trails are marked with yellow diamonds. Consult the trailhead bulletin boards for more information on trail openings or closings.

Gate Pass-Throughs on the forest are narrow and will not accommodate all ATVs.

All trails are also open to horses, mountain bikes, and motorized bicycles.

### Legend

















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This brochure can be obtained at any Allegheny National Forest Office.

The lobbies are normally open 24-hours a day with maps and brochures on trails and activities within the Forest and surrounding areas.

#### **CAMPING**

There are numerous private and public campgrounds near ATV Trails. For a fee, they offer restrooms and drinking water, and some provide warm showers and utility hookups.

- Marienville ATV Trail: Loleta Recreation Area
- Rocky Gap ATV Trail: Hearts Content and **Buckaloons Recreation Areas**
- · Timberline ATV Trail: Twin Lakes Recreation Area
- Willow Creek ATV Trail: Tracy Ridge and Willow Bay

#### **Dispersed Camping**

- Limited free dispersed camping with no facilities is available at Timberline, Pine Camp (FR 401), Rocket John (FR 395), and Penoke (FR 521) Trailheads and along the trails.
- Camping is not permitted at Marienville, Pigs Ear, Rocky Gap, or Willow Creek Trailheads.

Please do not bring firewood on to the ANF.

#### ATV/OHM PERMIT SYSTEM

A trail permit is required for all terrain vehicles, off-highway motorcycles, and dual purpose (street & trail) motorcycles that use the designated trail system on the ANF. The permit must be permanently attached to the front of the machine. Fees are used for the administration and maintenance of the existing trail system. Permits will be available at the Allegheny National Forest Supervisor's Office, Bradford and Marienville Ranger District Offices, and from local vendors. A list of vendor locations is available on our

www.fs.usda.gov/allegheny

#### REMEMBER

If you abuse it, you may lose it! Careless operation of ATVs can cause damage and may result in closing of areas to riders. Respect the environment and other trail users. By using common sense and common courtesy, what is available today will be here to enjoy tomorrow.



#### **Forest Service Mission:**

"To sustain the health, diversity, and productivity of the Nation's forests and grasslands to meet the needs of present and future generations.'

#### **INFORMATION**

For more information about trail riding and other area events, contact:

**ANF SUPERVISOR'S OFFICE** 4 Farm Colony Drive • Warren, PA 16365

www.fs.usda.gov/allegheny

814-723-5150

MARIENVILLE RANGER DISTRICT 131 Smokey Lane • Marienville, PA 16239 814-927-6628

FOREST COUNTY VISITOR CENTER 422 Elm Street • Tionesta, PA 16353 814-755-3338

http://forestcounty.com

**NW PENNSYLVANIA'S GREAT OUTDOORS VISITORS BUREAU** 2801 Maplevale Rd. • Brookville, PA 15825 814-849-5197

www.visitpago.com

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#### TRAIL INFORMATION

Penoke, Willow Creek, and Rocky Gap Trails -Limited to vehicles with a maximum width of 50 inches or less.

Timberline and Marienville Trails - Limited to vehicles with a maximum width of 64 inches.

All passengers of any ATV, snowmobile, and/or motorcycle must adhere to PA Title 75, Section 4581 regarding child passenger restraint systems.

OHM - Off-Highway Motorcycle includes dual purpose (street and trail) motorcycles.

OHV - Off-Highway Vehicle. Any motor vehicle designed for or capable of cross-country travel on or immediately over land, water, sand, snow, ice, marsh, swampland, or other natural terrain.

#### REGISTRATION

ATV - Operator must carry a registration certificate. Vehicle must display a registration in accordance with state law.

#### LIABILITY INSURANCE

Liability insurance required for a snowmobile or ATV for which registration is required. Proof of insurance must be produced and displayed by the owner or operator upon request of a law enforcement officer.

Commonwealth of PA Department of Conservation and Natural Resources Please conact www.dcnr.state.pa.us or

1-866-545-2476 for more information on state laws.

#### **VOLUNTEERS**

The trails are a public recreation area provided by the US Forest Service with financial assistance from the Pennsylvania DCNR, Bureau of Recreation and Conservation, Pennsylvania Recreational Trails Program, and the Federal Highway Administration.

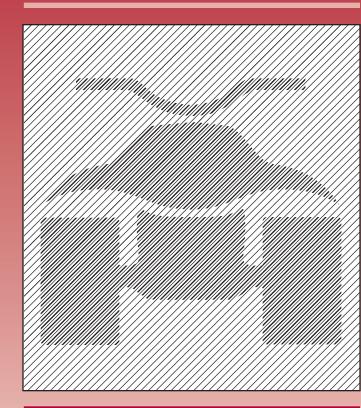
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