

Trails at Bowdoin Park

The trail system at Bowdoin Park is comprised of about 5 miles of marked trails. These trails wander through the quieter parts of the park including fields and forests, and are open to walkers, hikers, runners, and leashed dogs. The trail surface is mostly natural and can be rocky in some spots. Please be careful while using the trails.

Wildlife is abundant in the park. Keep a look out for deer, turkeys, woodchucks, Pileated Woodpeckers, among others. Ticks and poison ivy are also present, so be aware of where you walk and always check for ticks after exiting the trails.

The staff of Bowdoin Park work to keep the trails suitable for use, but storms and other natural events sometimes leave the trails with obstacles and challenges that you will encounter before we do. Please report any problems you see on the trails to the main office.

Please check park closing time before starting on a trail. Allow sufficient time to exit the park before it closes.



Bowdoin Park Rules:

- Park opens at 8 a.m.
(Closing time changes seasonally)
- Dogs must be leashed.
- Clean up after your pet.
- Do not litter.
- Do not remove or disturb natural or cultural resources.
- No fires except in grills.
- No alcohol without a permit.
- No bikes on trails.
- Horseback riding is prohibited.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY DIAL 9-1-1

Bowdoin Park is patrolled by local police and deputy sheriffs.

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Bowdoin Park Trail Map

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Dutchess County Bowdoin Park

1. Mapleknoll Lodge and Cabins
2. Pavilion 4
3. Maple Syrup Shed
4. Pavilion 3
5. Pavilion 5
6. Education Center
7. Chapel
8. Band Shell / Pavilion 6
9. Community Center/Main Office
10. Pavilion 2
11. Pavilion 1

-  Trails
-  Greenway Trail
-  Trail Head
-  Main Entrance of Park
-  Restricted Area
-  Water Spray Park
-  Boardwalk Areas
-  Restrooms

