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# INSIDE THE PINELANDS



Sean Kane-Holland from PPA and Andy Giles, director at Pinelands Adventures, test the soundness of an ADA kayak launch along the Barnegat Bike trail in Forked River, NJ

## Access Nature Goes Statewide

by Sean Kane-Holland, Access Nature Disability Advocate

The Pineland Preservation Alliance (PPA), the New Jersey Division of Disability Services of the New Jersey Department of Human Services (DDS), the Edward J. Bloustein School, and Duke Farms have come together to lead a statewide effort to make recreating in nature a part of the lives of everyone in our state regardless of disability. The inspiration for this came from *The Pinelands is for Everyone* project, which has evolved into the new statewide *Nature: Accessible for All* initiative that is bringing in new activists and partners to the cause. PPA received critical funding from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation to facilitate this campaign.

Enjoying natural places is an important way to improve our mental and physical well-being. New Jersey has been at the forefront of preserving our natural areas for public enjoyment. Yet the health benefits of these natural areas are not equally available to all because few of them are managed, maintained, and promoted for people with disabilities and their loved ones. This is true even though

about 15% of residents self-report as having a disability, and many more of us have mobility or similar constraints due to age or injuries. Add in our families and friends, and it's fair to say that at least half the population does not enjoy nature as much as we could due to the challenges of accessibility to trails and scenic sites.

This is the situation that we and our partners seek to rectify. Ensuring everyone can enjoy the benefits of natural places is a collective effort led by people within the disability community, organizations and government agencies that provide services to that community, nonprofits working across multiple sectors, and public and private land managers.

PPA and our partners are sparking a new ethos and practice of inclusivity and accessibility for the enjoyment of nature by facilitating an inclusive planning committee process, with participation by people with disabilities and allies that reflects the diversity of types of disability, race, and gender among the people of New Jersey. This steering committee

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# Meet the Rancocas Creek Watershed Ambassador

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My name is Stephen Snyder and I have the privilege of being the AmeriCorps 2023-2024 Rancocas Watershed Ambassador. For those of you who haven't heard of AmeriCorps it is a national organization focused on civic engagement, education, community development, and volunteering. It is the kind of organization where you find people who are passionate about making a difference and helping those in need. Being involved with AmeriCorps has enabled me to interact with amazing individuals with ambition, compassion, and courage. I strongly recommend you look into any AmeriCorps programs in your area. The Watershed Ambassador Program is unique because it is sponsored by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (DEP). This sponsorship entails direct involvement with the DEP primarily through our water body assessments. They take our data and directly communicate that to relevant departments in order to monitor water resources all across New Jersey.

Each Watershed Ambassador is assigned to a Watershed Management Area and is responsible for a few key assignments in their watershed. Some of these assignments are water quality monitoring, civic engagement, environmental stewardship, and water and natural resources education. For example, I am responsible for monitoring different areas of the Rancocas Creek which is the primary water body within the Rancocas Watershed. This is done using biological and habitat stream assessments specifically targeted at measuring stream health, degradation, and possible pollutants. Each year the Rancocas Ambassador is responsible for monitoring the same sites to make sure our watershed is healthy and thriving.

The Rancocas Watershed Ambassador is hosted by the Pinelands Preservation Alliance. Being hosted at PPA has allowed me to meet so many amazing

people who have dedicated their lives to protecting the Pine Barrens and other conservation efforts. I have been able to follow along with a few of the PPA staff and learn more than I ever thought possible. I grew up in South Jersey and protecting our natural ecosystems and environment is something extremely important to me. If you feel the same way - I encourage you to get involved in your own community to discuss environmental issues. I have a few events coming up this spring that are open to the public. One is an education program at the Boundary Creek Natural Resource Area in Burlington County on May 13th and 16th. If you are interested in any of my events, conservation, AmeriCorps, or anything else, don't hesitate to reach out! I can be reached by email at [wma19.njwap@gmail.com](mailto:wma19.njwap@gmail.com).

Hopefully I'll see you out there!



*Stephen Snyder performing a stream assessment in the Rancocas Creek Watershed.*



# Adventuring In the Enigmatic Pine Barrens of New Jersey

by Andy Giles, Director of Pinelands Adventures

To those folks who don't know, nestled within the heart of New Jersey lies a vast and mysterious landscape known as the Pine Barrens. Remarkably, if it were a National Park, it would rank about the sixth largest in the United States. To those of us who do know, we simply refer to it as 'the woods.' This unique region encompasses 1.1 million acres of dense forests, sprawling wetlands, and meandering rivers. Despite its proximity to bustling urban centers, and the urge to build ever more warehouses, with careful planning and grassroots conservation efforts, the Pine Barrens remains a wilderness unto itself, harboring a wealth of biodiversity and natural wonders. It IS the perfect place to explore with Pinelands Adventures or on your own.

The early part of the year always brings a sense of quiet anticipation to the Pine Barrens. As winter loosens its grip and temperatures begin to rise, the landscape undergoes a subtle transformation. The forest floor, once blanketed in snow, comes alive with the first signs of spring. Delicate wildflowers such as trailing arbutus and spring beauty emerge from their winter slumber, painting patches of color amidst the sea of evergreen. Meanwhile, the Adventures team, dreary eyed from their hibernation have woken from their slumber, and are busy organizing, training, and preparing for another busy spring of operations from the comfort of their burrow, okay - their office, but it does remind me of a burrow.

The Adventures team will be expanding its operation to 7 days a week through the peak season, offering a plethora of trips like our Mullica River guided tours, and Pine Barrens 101 as well as introducing some old favorites like the Upper Batsto River/Hampton Furnace trip, not to mention all the self-guided paddles and land-based hikes. School group offerings and ADA programs will continue to grow. Recent land

acquisitions like the Rancocas Cranberry Farm in partnership with the New Jersey Conservation Foundation, and other potential preservation properties will allow us to expand programming - including public camping access and facilities rentals for everyone to enjoy.

However, we must be mindful that as New Jersey's population continues to grow, pressure mounts to convert pristine wilderness areas into residential and commercial developments. This in turn causes habitat fragmentation that disrupts wildlife corridors and threatens the survival of vulnerable species such as the Pine Barrens tree frog, barred owl, and the Jersey Devil. We must be careful when planning to recreate in those areas that are starting to feel the pressure of human presence.

Despite ongoing challenges, there is hope for the future of the Pine Barrens. Conservation efforts led by government agencies, nonprofit organizations like PPA, and local communities, aim to protect and restore this ecologically significant landscape. Planning initiatives, such as the Pinelands Comprehensive Management Plan, seek to balance the needs of conservation and development while ensuring the long-term health of the Pine Barrens ecosystem.

Education and outreach are also key components of conservation efforts in the Pine Barrens, which is why Pinelands Adventures continues to develop educational opportunities, offering programs to schools and outdoor living classroom experiences for all ages and abilities. By raising awareness about the importance of this unique ecosystem and the threats it faces, stakeholders can mobilize support for conservation initiatives and promote sustainable land management practices.

The Pine Barrens of New Jersey stands as a testament to the resilience of nature. This enigmatic landscape

captivates visitors with its natural beauty and rich biodiversity, offering a glimpse into a world untouched by time. Pinelands Adventures supports your low impact recreation in the Pine Barrens. We also recognize that ongoing conservation efforts are needed to safeguard its future and ensure that future generations can continue to experience the mysterious and magical wonders of 'your woods.'

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# Equitable Access to Fresh Air is as Vital as Access to Fresh Produce

By Jonathan Wetstein, Sustainable Agriculture & Food Systems Advocate

In February, the 5-year-old cross-sector collaboration, Roots to Prevention (RTP), joined the Pinelands Preservation Alliance's array of social equity programs, reinforcing a dedication to fostering a healthier, more equitable regional food system. Initially based in Camden, New Jersey, RTP's transition aligns with PPA's mission to advance sustainable urban agriculture and address broader environmental and community welfare concerns. For PPA, the concept of utilizing its regenerative farm, Rancocas Creek Farm, to fortify resilience in local food economies took root in 2021 with the launch of "The Pinelands is For Everyone" project, emphasizing inclusivity and nature accessibility for individuals with disabilities. This expansion marked a shift in the organization's role, extending its focus beyond preserving the Pine Barrens ecosystem through public awareness and advocating for permanent land acquisition.

RTP's collaboration unites residents, nonprofits, farmers, institutions, and government entities. The overarching goal is to leverage collective strengths to create economic and lifestyle opportunities for those disproportionately affected by limited access to healthy food. RTP's four key initiatives include Roots to Market, which supports the growth and sale of fresh produce by Camden households and organizations. Root Camp workshops provide free training in urban agriculture and value-added food production, empowering individuals to produce their own nutritious foods for income or personal consumption. Additionally, through the FBRx (Food as Medicine) initiative, RTP partners with Virtua's Eatwell

program to extend the accessibility of produce vouchers prescribed by physicians to be redeemable in diverse community settings like neighborhood corner stores. Lastly, the Teaspoon of Love Initiative engages area families in the joys of healthy cooking. Families are filmed preparing meals with fresh produce in their kitchens, before airing over Zoom in front of a large public audience. Learn about RTP at [RootstoPrevention.com](http://RootstoPrevention.com).

Jonathan Wetstein, is both the founder and manager of RTP. In the previous year, he partnered with PPA to further RTP's efforts to support urban farmers. Rancocas Creek Farm, quickly became an aggregator for Camden-grown produce, facilitating sales to Virtua Health and generating income for local farmers. This partnership highlights the intersection of environmental conservation and sustainable urban agriculture, emphasizing the interconnectedness of ecological health and community well-being.

Looking ahead to 2024, RTP with PPA will broaden sales opportunities for Camden produce by engaging more institutional buyers, extending the impact beyond the immediate community. In addition to Jonathan joining the PPA staff, RTP Coordinator, Kelvin Wagner is also a key member of the team. Kelvin takes on the crucial role of farmer engagement. This work includes recruiting future growers to participate in sales channel opportunities as well as streamlining the sales process through an online platform called the Open Food Network. Kelvin's role does not stop here, as he continues to support RTP's origins in Camden's Parkside neighborhood by provid-

ing administrative support to its local gardening facilities including the Parkside Learning and History Gardens.

This journey exemplifies the intersection of environmental sustainability and workforce development, showcasing the transformative power of community-led initiatives. This holistic approach aims to scale efforts regionally, emphasizing the importance of sustainable practices, community engagement, and inclusivity in shaping the future of urban agriculture in Camden and beyond.

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# Access Nature Goes Statewide

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came together after a convening held in the fall of 2023 of numerous activists, organizations and agencies to launch the initiative.

This initiative will not only benefit those who have disabilities, but also their families, caregivers, and the general public. It will lead to specific and tangible outcomes that improve access to nature and outdoor recreational activities for people with disabilities. And we aim to change the assumptions about who can and does explore natural places that are prevalent among decision-makers, in the media, and in the minds of many individuals.

## **The campaign is focusing on these activities:**

1) Highlight and normalize every person's ability and right to enjoy the natural places New Jersey has protected for our benefit by sharing stories, images and videos with everyone in New Jersey.

2) Evaluate nature trails and facilities for accessibility and share the results online, so families and individuals can find places that will work for them and make reliable plans in light of the conditions prevailing at each site. The interactive map is at [AccessNatureNJ.org](https://AccessNatureNJ.org), where many sites in South Jersey are already up and available.

3) Hold regular online meetings of the Access Nature Forum for people with disabilities, allies, and anyone interested in this subject. In the Forum, we share information and ideas and discuss actions that improve access to nature, such as identifying policies and practices that limit access to nature. Coming to a Forum meeting is a great way to learn more and meet people. Visit [PinelandsAlliance.org/natureaccess](https://PinelandsAlliance.org/natureaccess) for more information.

4) Create a "Go-to" website for everyone interested in accessible nature recreation in New Jersey,

including the [AccessNatureNJ.org](https://AccessNatureNJ.org) interactive map, the home base of the Access Nature Forum, posting inclusive nature hikes and programs by recreation providers, reports and data to support healthcare providers and guide policy making, and images and videos that promote the enjoyment of nature by all people. The complete website should be up by early summer.

5) Bring about changes in policies and practices among government agencies, nonprofits, healthcare providers and individuals that address the obstacles people with disabilities face to enjoying nature. For example, most public and private parks management budgets today do not focus resources on creating more accessible trails, and several regulations that make it extremely difficult to improve trails for accessibility, even where the improvements would have no environmental impact.

6) Create the capacities among agencies and organizations to promote nature-based recreation, including staff members who have disabilities and a passion for nature, wide-spread understanding of accessibility issues, inclusive programming, and equipment to help people with disabilities use trails, waters and scenic areas.

7) Train nature guides, educators and trip leaders working for government agencies, non-profits, schools and recreation businesses on how to design and conduct inclusive activities like hikes, kayak trips and school outings.

8) Create a network of community connectors who serve as links between the various communities and individuals with disabilities and the partners, help identify new activists and participants, and collect feedback and ideas from people with disabilities and caregivers to improve the project.

We hope that more individuals, agencies and organizations will get involved and undertake activities in their areas of expertise or interest.

We believe this initiative can achieve the kind of change in policies and priorities that will become self-sustaining and commonplace for every agency and organization involved in managing conservation lands and meeting the needs of people with disabilities. Once organizations and agencies change their perspectives to encompass access as a core priority, they can adapt what they are already undertaking within their missions and better encompass the eclectic structure of our society.

Most importantly, this effort aims to support and empower people with disabilities to ensure they share equitably in the enjoyment and health benefits of being in nature. Contact me to get involved [sean@pinelandsalliance.org](mailto:sean@pinelandsalliance.org).

## **PINE BARRENS GRAVEL BIKE RIDE**

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# Thoughts on Pollinator Conservation

by Stephen Elliott, Water Outreach Specialist

Do you remember the days of your childhood when every corner held a new discovery? Recall the times when you overturned rocks eagerly searching for the life hidden beneath. Or perhaps those summer evenings chasing fireflies, carefully capturing them in jars with tiny holes to ensure they could still breathe. Maybe you were one of the fortunate ones, equipped with a butterfly net, darting through your neighborhood in pursuit of any winged creature that dared to flutter by.

But amid these moments of wonder, there were also encounters with creatures that sent shivers down your spine. You watched, wide-eyed, as your parents recoiled at the sight of spiders or beetles, their fears mirrored in the movies that depicted your childhood fascination as monstrous and sinister. Slowly, the innocent curiosity you once held for these tiny neighbors transformed into a primal fear, spurred on by tales of disease-carrying insects and the relentless march of urbanization.

As you grew older, so did your arsenal of poisons, aimed at eradicating ants, bees, wasps, and any other creature deemed a nuisance. But now, it's time to pause, to rewind the clock and rediscover the world of insects with fresh eyes and an open heart. It's time to rekindle the empathy and care we once showed to our captive fireflies and to recognize the vital role that insects play in maintaining the delicate balance of our ecosystems.

Today, insects face an unprecedented threat. While they may still have air to breathe, their habitats and food sources are rapidly disappearing. Some scientists have even sounded the alarm, warning of an impending "insect apocalypse" or "insect Armageddon." Though the situation is undoubtedly complex and multifaceted, there is a growing consensus that insect populations are in decline, threatened by habitat loss, pesticide overuse, light pollution, and other human activities.

Consider, for instance, the staggering expanse of turf grass that blankets the landscape of the United States—some 40 million acres of land that was once teeming with diverse ecosystems, now reduced to ecological wastelands known simply as "lawns." But amidst this bleak reality, there is hope.

Awaken the child within you and embrace curiosity and wonder once more. Take time to understand the crucial role that insects play in our world, from pollination to decomposition to natural pest control. Educate yourself on the importance of native plants and the ecosystems they support, using resources like the National Wildlife Federation's *Keystone Native Plant* list or Doug Tallamy's *Homegrown National Park* site.

Start small. Consider replacing invasive species like the butterfly bush with native alternatives like Sweet Pepperbush ([JerseyYards.org](http://JerseyYards.org)). Plant an oak tree, and marvel at the hundreds of caterpillar species that call it home. And once you've established your native garden, do less. Allow leaves to accumulate, providing insulation and habitat for overwintering insects. Resist the urge to cover your garden beds with mulch volcanoes, instead letting decomposing materials naturally fertilize your plants.

Embrace the freedom that comes with a more naturalistic approach to landscaping. Trade in your lawnmower for a comfortable chair beneath the shade of your oak tree, and revel in the symphony of life unfolding around you. Watch as bees and butterflies flit from flower to flower, pollinating with purpose. Observe as ladybugs and lacewings patrol your garden, keeping aphids and other pests in check.

And if you find yourself content to sit and observe, consider sharing your experiences with others. Download the *iNaturalist* and *Seek* Apps and contribute to citizen science efforts aimed at better understanding our

world. PPA and our Landscape Makeover Partners have a project called the *New Jersey Landscape Makeover Program Pollinator Project*. Originally designed to capture the wildlife and insects that visit our rain garden projects, we are opening it up to anyone that is transforming their landscape and wants to share the different species spending time in their native trees and gardens. You can also share the type of plant that the pollinator is using or the tree that the insect is calling home. Be on the lookout for our *iNaturalist* webinars that will show you how to use the App and share your observations in our project. Your photo may even be selected as our pollinator/insect of the month. Have fun with it!

Don't forget about our annual native plant sale taking place at our headquarters on April 26th (members only) and April 27th for the public. For more information contact me at [stephen@pinelandsalliance.org](mailto:stephen@pinelandsalliance.org).

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### Visit the Pinelands!

Now is a great time to explore the Pinelands. Here is a list of state parks and forests begging for you to visit. Make sure you check with each location before you visit.

#### Atlantic County

##### Estell Manor County Park

This is a large, user-friendly park where you can hike, bike, picnic, fish, go sightseeing, exercise, visit the park's nature center, and really enjoy the Pine Barrens. The Fox Nature Center provides programs for enjoying the outdoors as well as displays about the local ecology. With its location on tributaries to the Great Egg Harbor, the park provides an excellent point to launch all manner of water craft. Historic ruins in the park are well-explained in interpretive signs.

#### Burlington County

##### Bass River State Forest

Home to one of the first Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) camps, Bass River State Forest now provides easily accessible camping, swimming and hiking facilities. In addition to a swimming beach on Lake Absegami, the State Forest has eight walking of 1 to 3.2 miles through typical Pine Barrens habitats. Bass River State Forest is located at 762 Stage Road, Tuckerton, NJ. This state forest is in Burlington and Ocean County.

##### Brendan Byrne State Forest

Brendan Byrnes State Forest is over 37,000 acres lovely trails that crisscross the forest and pass historic sites. A great place to visit is Pakim Pond. A beautiful small pond in the heart of the Pine Barrens, Pakim Pond is a wonderful place to explore forest and wetland habitats. A short trail wraps around the entire perimeter of the pond, and also connects to the Batona Trail. Accessible by paved road, the pond has a gazebo, picnic tables and grills, and restrooms. Another lovely spot is historic Whitesbog Village the historic site of a company town where the blueberry was first culti-

vated for commercial production by Elizabeth White. The village, now incorporated within Brendan T. Byrne State Forest, includes historic buildings and houses, cranberry bogs, blueberry fields, reservoirs and surrounding woodlands. The village area is managed by the Whitesbog Preservation Trust, and JJ White Cranberry Company, owned by the descendants of Elizabeth White, cultivates some of the cranberry bogs at the edge of the village.

##### Wharton State Forest

Wharton State Forest is New Jersey's largest state forest at 125,000 acres. There are many trails, roads and historic places to visit. A great place to start is historic Batsto Village. Batsto is one of the most popular stops in the Pinelands. Originally founded as an ironworks in 1766, a restored village surrounds the original ironworks with information and displays on site to show how things were done "in the old days". The mill dam in the heart of the village creates Batsto Lake, a beautiful lake on which most Batsto River canoe and kayak trips end. The mansion is restored and open for tours, and the village includes a nature center, saw mill, general store and other early buildings. Batsto's Visitor Center is also the main office for Wharton State Forest, where camping permits, trail maps, and a gift shop can be found.

#### Ocean County

##### Double Trouble Village in Double Trouble State Forest

Double Trouble is the site of an old village dedicated to cranberry farming. Many of the historic buildings, including the cranberry packing house and the sawmill are intact and can be toured. Cedar Creek runs next to the village and is one of the Pine Barrens' most beautiful. The State Forest contains excellent hiking trails.

##### Edwin B. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge

The Forsythe Refuge includes more than 47,000 acres of southern New Jersey coastal habitats and represents the fragile estuary ecosystems

which are sustained by fresh water flowing from the interior Pine Barrens forests into the coastal marshes and bays. The Refuge includes walking trails through rare coastal pine forest habitats. Start at the Visitor Center and Wildlife Drive on Great Creek Road in Galloway Township.

#### Pinelands Commission Meeting

5/10, 6/14, 7/12 starting at 9:30 am. Monthly meetings are open to the public and are held via livestream on YouTube.

The Pinelands Commission is the state agency that oversees conservation and development within the Pinelands. They meet on the 2nd Friday of the month. You can attend in person or virtually. Meeting agendas, link to livestream and a phone number to call can be found at [www.nj.gov/pinelands](http://www.nj.gov/pinelands).

#### Native Plant Sale

April 26 & 27 at Pinelands Preservation Alliance, 17 Pemberton Rd, Southampton, NJ.

#### Pine Barrens Gravel Ride

May 5th at Pinelands Preservation Alliance, 17 Pemberton Rd, Southampton, NJ.

Distances of 74 and 61 miles are offered on paved, sand, gravel and dirt roads in the Pine Barrens. Organized by Kermesse Sport to benefit PPA. Bicycle through state forests, nature preserves, trails, ghost towns and visit the Carranza Memorial. Register [pinelandsgravel.com](http://pinelandsgravel.com)

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