

Hike the Highlands

The Great Outdoors, Close To Home –
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Photo: Tom Gettings, Wildlands Conservancy

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Trexler Memorial Park is named after the late General Harry C. Trexler, considered by many to be the father of the Allentown Park System. The park was bequeathed to the City by the Trexlers as a public park, and was once their summer home known as Springwood Park. Today the park provides an urban green haven to city dwellers and a scenic backdrop to the city. A network of wide paved trails totaling about three miles passes along Cedar Creek with a broad expanse of lawn and artfully clustered trees reminiscent of an English county setting.

For more information:
Allentown Department of Parks and Recreation
Phone: 610-437-7757
Website: <http://www.allentownpa.gov>



Directions to Trexler Memorial Park



From Rt. 22, take Cedar Crest Blvd. exit. Go south on Cedar Crest Blvd. 1.5 miles. Turn right onto Broadway, go 0.1 mile, then turn right onto Springhouse Rd. Go 0.15 mile to the entrance to Trexler Memorial Park.



Where are the Highlands?



The Highlands region is 3.5 million acres running from south-central Pennsylvania, through New Jersey, New York and into northwestern Connecticut. For more information: www.highlandscoalition.org.

The Appalachian Mountain Club offers a variety of recreational activities in the Highlands. To find an activity in your area, visit: <http://trips.outdoors.org/>. To order Hike the Highlands cards, learn about upcoming events, and help protect this region, visit: www.outdoors.org/hiketthehighlands.



The Appalachian Mountain Club promotes the protection, enjoyment, and wise use of the mountains, rivers, and trails of the Appalachian region.

Wildlands Conservancy has been preserving, protecting, restoring, and enhancing the land, water, ecological, and recreational resources of the Lehigh Valley and the Lehigh River valley since 1973.



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