## South Chagrin Reservation

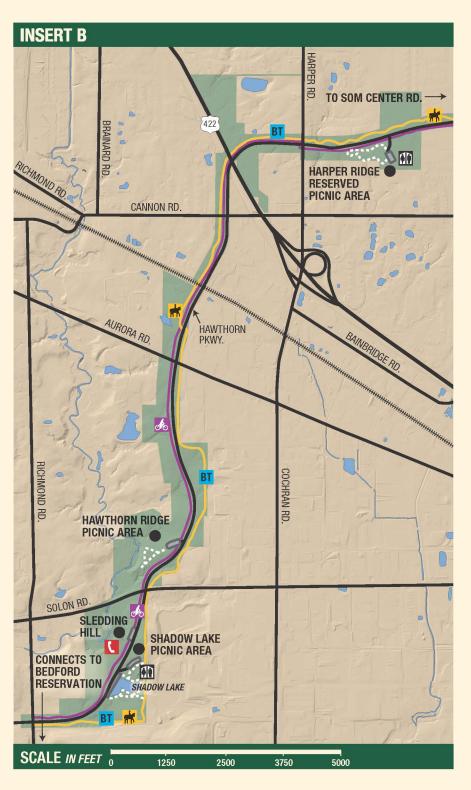


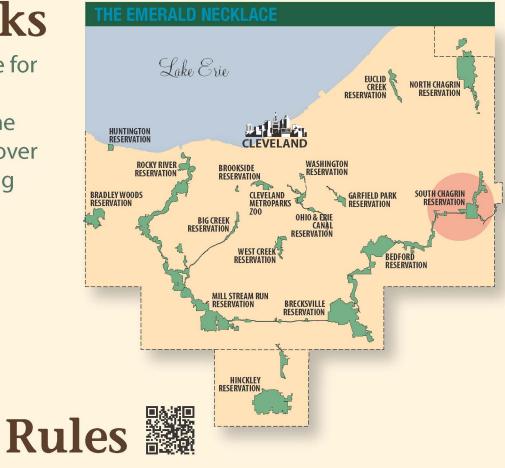
The Chagrin River, designated as a State Scenic River in 1979, skirts the eastern edge of the reservation. A well-known focal point is Squaw Rock, a sandstone boulder carved by Henry Church in 1885. Beyond the river are acres of forest rich with spring wildflowers. Look About Lodge, listed on the National Register of Historic Places, was constructed in 1938 by the Cleveland Natural Science Club. The Lodge now serves as a Cleveland Metroparks outdoor education center offering year-round nature programming.

## **Cleveland Metroparks**

was established in 1917 to provide open space for the people of Greater Cleveland, as well as to conserve and preserve the natural valleys of the area. Today, Cleveland Metroparks consists of over 21,000 acres in 16 reservations, their connecting parkways and Cleveland Metroparks Zoo.

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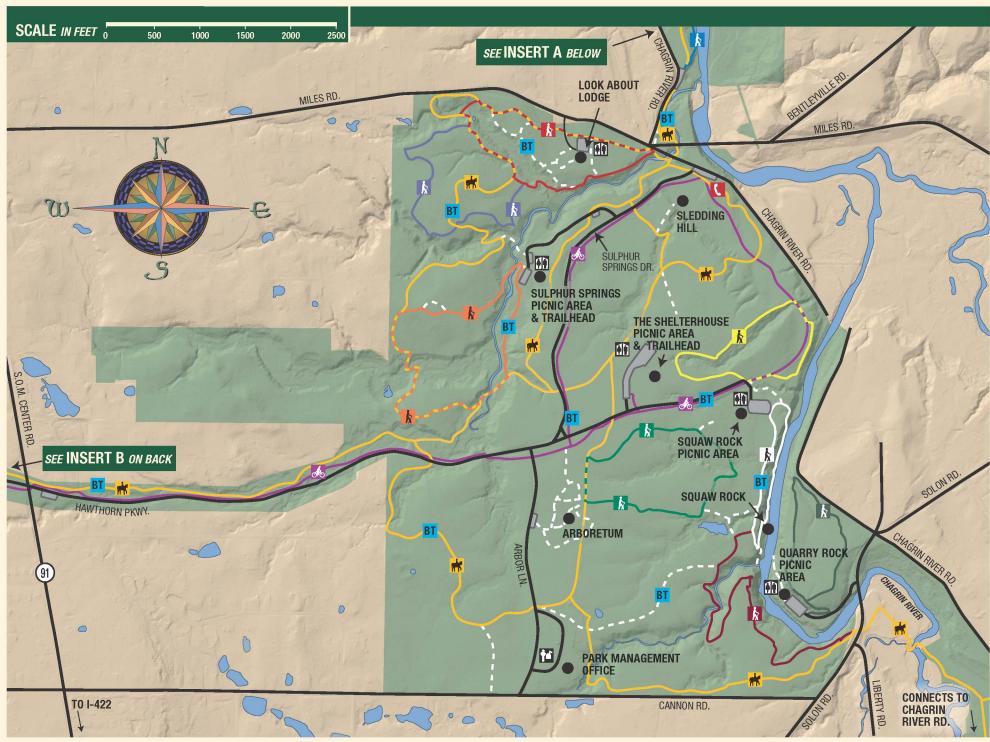
A complete set of Cleveland Metroparks rules and regulations can be found at clevelandmetroparks.com or scan the above QR code.

- Reservation hours 6 a.m. 11 p.m.
- Respect the fragile nature of the environment by staying on the trails.
- Do not feed, trap or hunt wildlife.
- Enjoy the natural environment, but do not disturb, destroy, deface, injure, or remove any part of the Park District including plants, animals, rocks, buildings, signs, equipment or property.
- Put litter in trash containers even if it's not your own.
- Cats and dogs must be on a leash not more than 8-feet long and are the only pets permitted in the Park District. Clean up after your pet.
- Keep to the right, pass on the left. Signal with bell or voice when passing.
- Fishing is permitted with an Ohio fishing license.
- The use of alcohol and drugs is not permitted.
- Bicycles permitted on roadways and designated trails.

# Etiquette

- Control your speed and maintain a safe distance.
- Stay out of ski tracks when walking.
- Faster trail users yield to slower trail users.
- All trail users yield to horses.

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- Blue Heron Trail 1.6 miles. See a variety of rich habitats along the Chagrin River, including bottomland forest, wetland, meadow and creek.
- Chagrin Overlook Loop Trail 0.8 mile. Hike to the top of a ridge overlooking the Chagrin
- Look About Lodge Loop Trail 0.9 mile. Walk along hemlock ravines with views of small waterfalls and woodland creeks.
- Persing Trail 0.7 mile. This ridge trail travels through a mature forest of large oak, hickory and beech trees.
- Sulphur Springs Loop Trail 1.1 mile. Travel this hilly trail through a forest more typical of a northern climate and cut by a coldwater stream.
- Squaw Rock Loop Trail 0.6 mile. A challenging trail that travels the Chagrin River edge to a rock carving by Henry Church.
- Shelterhouse Loop Trail 0.7 mile. Walk along a woodland ravine to Squaw Rock Picnic
- Forest Loop Trail 0.8 mile. This rolling trail through mature forest journeys past an old Boy Scout pond.
- Hatchet Ridge Trail 0.8 mile. A deep forest hike through the former Boy Scout winter camp to spectacular views of the Chagrin River.
- Quarry Rock Loop Trail 0.4 mile. This short loop winds through second growth woods near the site of an old stone quarry.
- Buckeye Trail A portion of the 1400-mile Buckeye Trail travels through this reservation on its way around the state. Marked by blue blazes.
- All Purpose Trail 7.1 miles of paved trail for activities like cycling, walking and in-line skating. Motorized vehicles prohibited.
- Bridle Trails 15.3 total miles. Hikers, runners and walkers welcome, bicycles and
- motorized vehicles are prohibited.











Secondary Trail



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