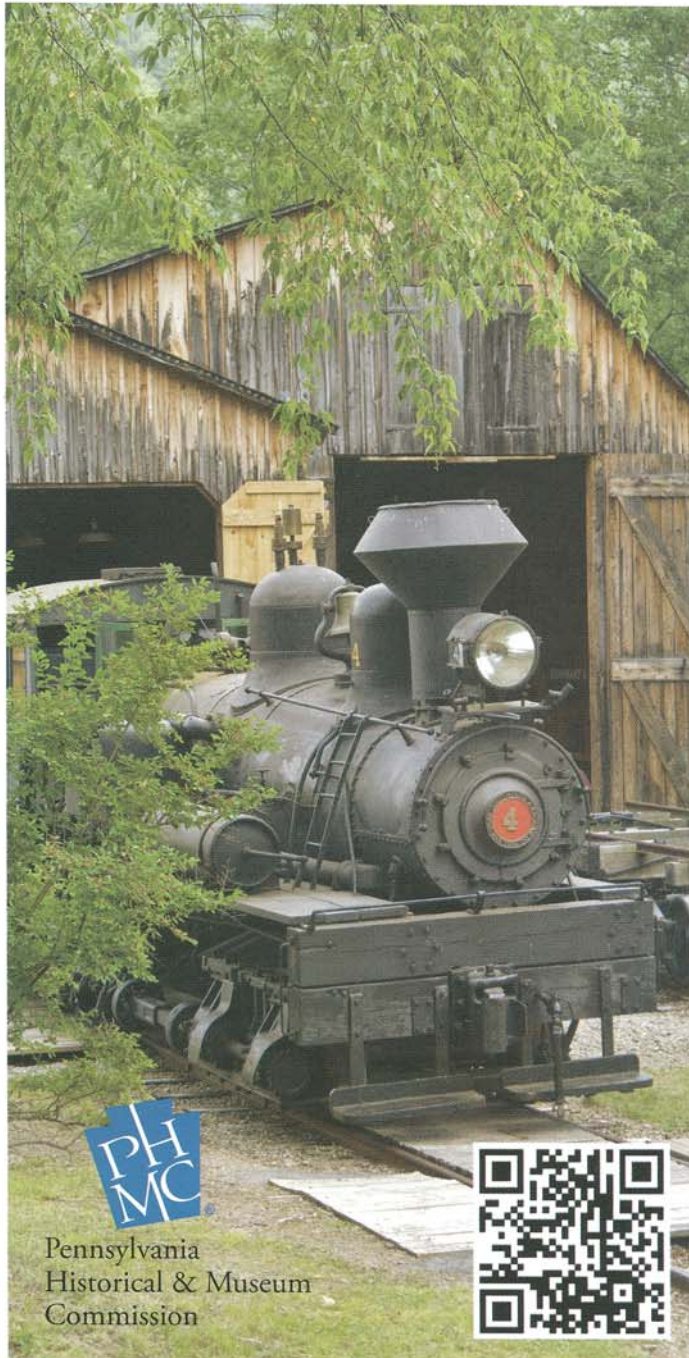




# PENNSYLVANIA LUMBER MUSEUM

Galeton, Potter County



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*Penn's Woods*

the museum's most popular objects—a seventy-ton Shay geared-locomotive and a 1910 Barnhart log loader. A 1936 chestnut log cabin stands as a memorial to the Civilian Conservation Corps. Our outdoor experience includes a steam-powered circular sawmill and log holding pond, a 1945 Brookville tannery switch engine and a Sustainable Forestry Trail that loops through forty acres of hardwood forest.

### **Hours of Operation**

**OPEN:** Wednesday through Sunday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., spring, summer, and fall.

**CLOSED:** Monday and Tuesday, and all holidays except Memorial Day, Independence Day, and Labor Day. Call for winter hours.

### **Tour Options**

For information on tour arrangements and "Lunch with the Loggers," please contact us at (814) 435-2652 or [www.lumbermuseum.org](http://www.lumbermuseum.org).

*Individuals with disabilities who need special assistance or accommodation should call in advance, Wednesday through Sunday, to discuss their needs. Persons who are deaf, hard of hearing, or speech impaired who wish to contact a hearing person via Text Telephone may use the PA Relay Center at (800) 654-5984.*

*Hours and rates are subject to change. Please contact us for additional event information.*

**The Pennsylvania Lumber Museum**, located in the high plateau country of the Commonwealth, tells the story of the choices and changes made by nature, Native Americans, early settlers and modern society that have shaped our forests since the beginning of time. To showcase the diversity, heritage and history of this lumber era, museum tours begin in the Visitor Center with exhibits, an orientation video and sales shop. Logging camp exhibits include two of



*The Mess Hall*



*Circular sawmills such as the museum's mill became widespread throughout Pennsylvania after the Civil War.*

*The birling contest for the state championship is a highlight of the annual Bark Peelers' Convention.*



### **Site Events**

- May: Envirothon**
- July: Bark Peelers' Convention**
- August: Heritage in Glass  
Youth and Family Field Day**
- October: Heritage Days**

### **Where We Are Located**

The Lumber Museum is located on Route 6 in mountainous Potter County, on the northern border of the Lumber Heritage Region and the Pennsylvania Wilds.



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The Pennsylvania Lumber Museum is administered by the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission in partnership with the Pennsylvania Lumber Museum Associates.





*A 1936 chestnut log cabin typifies the rustic architecture made famous by the Civilian Conservation Corps.*



## PENNSYLVANIA TRAILS OF HISTORY™

### **In Pennsylvania, all roads lead to history.**

To help find your path, the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission (PHMC) has blazed several special-interest trails leading to some of Pennsylvania's most historic sites. We invite you to explore one site at a time, travel an entire trail, or create your own road trip through Pennsylvania's past. No matter whether you choose one of our classic trails, a trail based on PHMC's annual themes, or if you blaze your own, we're sure it will lead you to experience and embrace the people, places and events that make Pennsylvania so special.

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