DISCOVER THE LEBANON VALLEY FORT INDIANTOWN GAP

From its marked significance to our nation's military to the scenic beauty of its outdoor expanses, Fort Indiantown Gap is home to a wealth of adventures and opportunities. Honor the sacrifices of those who have fought for our freedom at the National Cemetery, then learn more about that fight at the National Guard Museum. Take in the beauty of the areas surrounding the Gap with outdoor exploration at Memorial Lake State Park or a birding excursion at Second Mountain Hawk Watch, With restaurants dotted throughout the region, fuel up alongside friendly faces and handcrafted brews.

INDIANTOWN GAP NATIONAL CEMETERY

In 1976, FTIG was selected as the site of the national cemetery for the states of Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, Virginia and West Virginia. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania donated land to the Veterans Administration for the 677-acre site.

FUN FACTS

FTIG is one of the busiest National Guard Training Centers in America.

The Muir Army Heliport, located at FTIG, is the second-busiest heliport in the U.S. Army.

FTIG was dedicated on March 3, 1941 under the name "Indiantown Gap Military Reservation".

Before FTIG, the PA
National Guard had a
120-acre training site in
Mount Gretna.

LOCAL DINING

Arrowheads Bar and Grill
Harper's Tavern
Moose's LZ
Snitz Creek Brewery





PENNSYLVANIA NATIONAL GUARD MILITARY MUSEUM

Housed in a World War II-era barracks building on Fort Indiantown Gap, this museum showcases items and weapons from the Civil War to the Gulf War. It also features items depicting the history of the PA National Guard and the Gap.

T-8-57, Fort Indiantown Gap, Annville, PA • 717.861.2402 • www.pngmilitarymuseum.org

FORT INDIANTOWN GAP STATIC DISPLAYS

Several military aircraft, vehicles, and equipment, including an EC-130 Commando Solo aircraft flown by the PA National Guard's 193rd Special Operations Wing, are on display along Fisher Avenue.

Fisher Ave., Annville, PA

LINDLEY MURRAY SCHOOL

From 1850 to 1947, this one-room schoolhouse educated area children in grades 1 through 8. It was named after Lindley Murray, who was born nearby in 1745 and became one of the best-known authorities on English grammar.

Asher Miner Rd., Annville, PA

INDIANTOWN GAP NATIONAL CEMETERY

Established in 1976, this cemetery is one of the largest in the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs' National Cemetery Administration. It encompasses 677 acres of land—more than Arlington National Cemetery—and has over 60,000 interments.

60 Indiantown Gap Rd., Annville, PA • 717.865.5254 • www.cem.va.gov

PENNSYLVANIA VETERANS MEMORIAL

Located inside the National Cemetery, this memorial is the largest monument in the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs' national cemeteries. Its design evokes "the ruins of a war-torn building centered in a land of solemnity."

60 Indiantown Gap Rd., Annville, PA

MEMORIAL LAKE STATE PARK

This 230-acre park offers many outdoor activities, including fishing, hiking, and picnicking. Inside the park sits Memorial Lake, an 85-acre lake constructed in 1945 for amphibious assault training for troops at Fort Indiantown Gap.

18 Boundary Rd., Grantville, PA • 717-865-6470 • www.dcnr.pa.gov/StateParks

MARQUETTE LAKE

Named after Sgt. Charles D. Marquette, the first Lebanon County resident to be awarded the Medal of Honor, Marquette Lake was constructed in 1939 for lifeboat and landing drills. Today, the lake offers fishing, picnicking, and a spectacular view of the Indiantown Gap.

Lake Rd., Grantville, PA

SECOND MOUNTAIN HAWK WATCH

Located atop Second Mountain within the bounds of Fort Indiantown Gap, Second Mountain Hawk Watch was established in 1984 to assist birders with environmental stewardship.

Unnamed Road, Jonestown, PA

Note: Anyone visiting Fort Indiantown Gap's secure area must pass through the installation's access-control point. Those without an approved form of identification must park and go inside the Visitor Center, where personnel will scan their driver's license to conduct a background check. Find more information here: www.ftig.ng.mil/Visitor-Info







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