



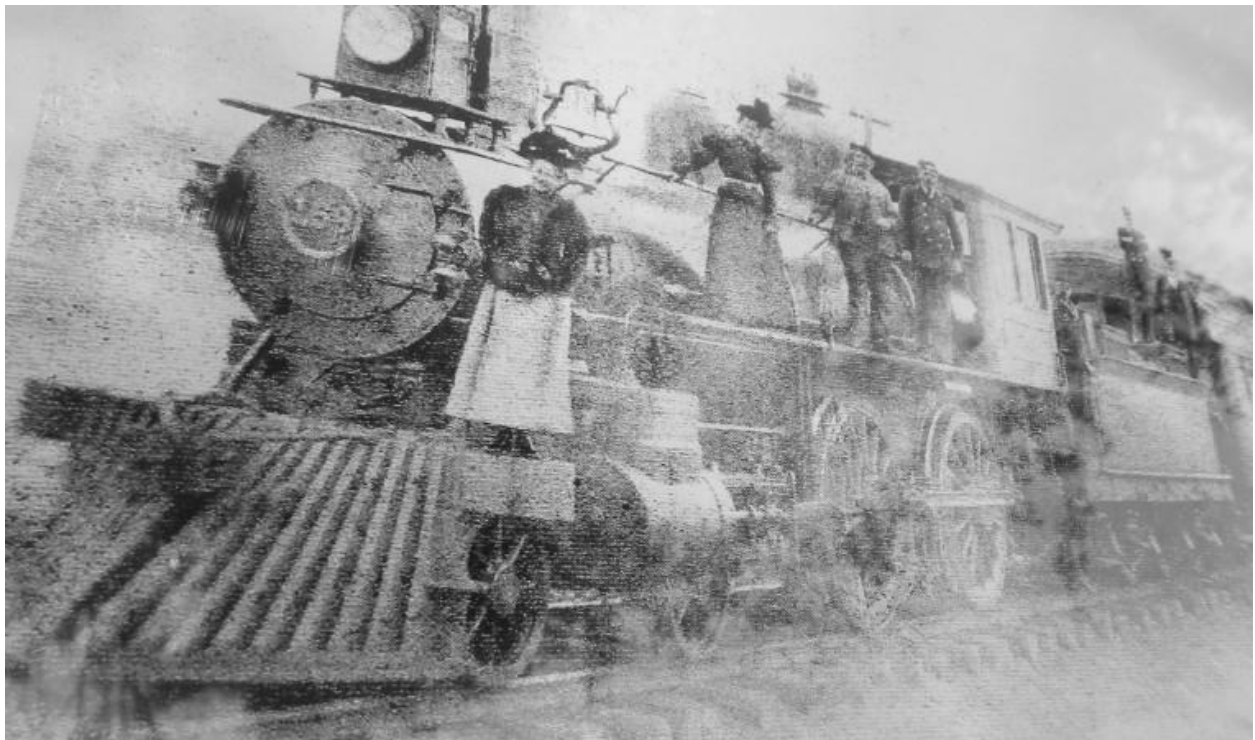
FWCCSP RECORD

March 2023

Friends Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Friends of White Clay Creek State Park takes place Tuesday March 28 at Deerfield Golf Club, Newark. Doors open at 6:30 (coffee, tea, treats) with the meeting commencing at 7 pm. The Friends welcomes non members to register at the door and attend for free. The Friends and the Park will provide brief updates followed by a presentation by Professor Jim Jones "When the Railroad Came to the Valley: how the Pomeroy & Newark changed life along the White Clay Creek."

Invite a friend to join you!



New Bridge

This new bridge replaces the covered "zigzag" bridge on Arc Corner road . Many thanks to all the volunteers who build and maintain trails.

Want to help? <https://www.whiteclayfriends.org/lots-to-do>



Quiz



These bridge abutments are from 1) Creek Road 2) Pomeroy Railroad 3) Wilmington&Western RR 4) Newark Landenberg Road. Claim your prize at whiteclaycreekfriends@gmail.com

Join us!



The Friends have a governing body, the Executive Committee, with the President and six other members. We are in need of someone to handle **Publicity and Social Media**. This means helping, for example, with this newsletter, with Facebook, and connecting with people and organizations that use and support the Park. If you think this is of interest please send a note to whiteclaycreekfriends@gmail.com.

Mystery at Judge Morris Mansion



Murder in the Park ! was solved by a slew of sleuths at Judge Morris Mansion on March3, with each of the suspects telling a tale of innocence! Watch the Park calendar for other Events.

Upcoming Park Activities

Naturalist Led Hike

Tuesday, March 14, 2023 at 10:00 AM

New to the park? Ready to find a new favorite trail? Then join the park naturalist on this series to explore trails and discover nature in White Clay Creek State Park. Dress for the weather, bring bottled water and come ready for adventure! Pre-registration required, call 302-368-6900 by Friday at 3 p.m. Free

Intro to Biomimicry: Inspiration from Nature

Saturday, March 18, 2023 at 10:00 AM

Join Master Naturalist Mary Osman on a hike to learn about ways nature inspires innovative solutions to everyday problems. Please call 302-368-6900 to register. Free

Stroll with the Superintendent

Saturday, March 18, 2023 at 1:00 PM

Join the park superintendent at the Judge Morris Estate for a house and grounds tour. We'll be sharing history, current improvements and more. Pre-registration required by calling 302-368-6900. Free

The Wedge, the Arc and the Horn

Sunday, March 19, 2023 at 1:00 PM

The Arc Corner Monument signifies a land swap between Pennsylvania and Delaware. Join local historian Mike Ott for a hike to the Arc Corner Monument and to another marker on the DE Arc for some interesting history of these boundaries. Degree of Difficulty: Moderate to difficult. Space is limited, pre-registration is required by noon, Thursday, March 26, Call 302-368-6900 for registration. Meet at the Chambers House Nature Center. Free

Nature Babies Series

Tuesday, March 21 and March 28, 2023 at 10:00 AM

Bring your little ones out for their first nature program at the park! Cost includes one parent /guardian with child (for kids 2 years and younger). Must pre-register online or by calling the park office 302-368-6900.

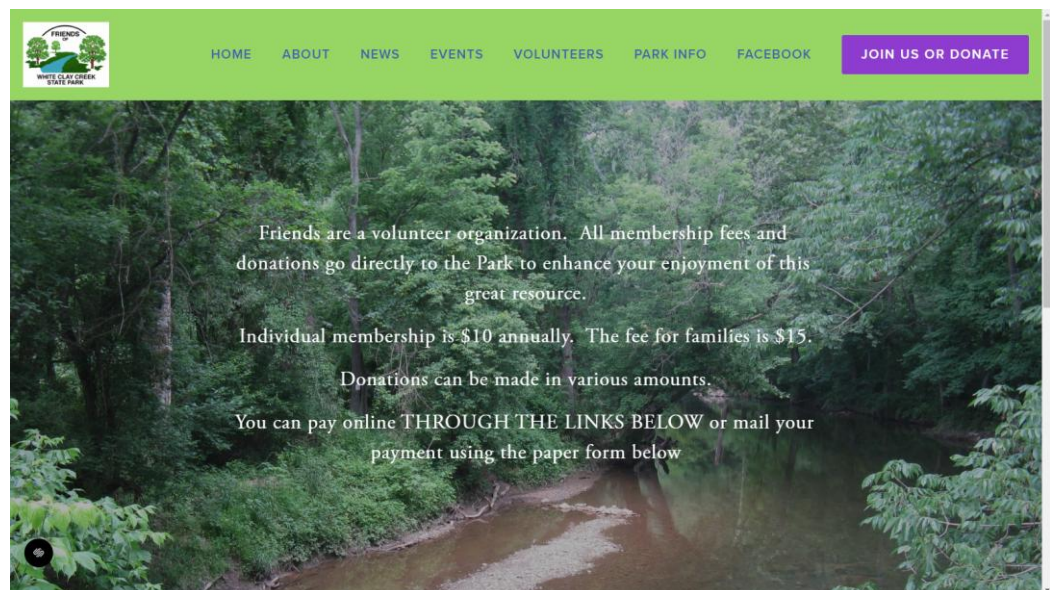
Sunset Hike

Friday, March 31, 2023 at 7:30 PM

Enjoy the sunset on this hike with the naturalist where we will learn about this month's full moon. Must pre-register online or by calling the park office 302-368-6900. Meeting location provided upon registration.

Support the White Clay Creek State Park by Renewing your Membership!

The more members we have, the more our voice is heard when we seek to preserve and enhance our Park. Please go to our [website](#) and click on the purple button.



The screenshot shows the website for Friends of White Clay Creek State Park. The header is green with a logo on the left and navigation links: HOME, ABOUT, NEWS, EVENTS, VOLUNTEERS, PARK INFO, FACEBOOK, and a purple button labeled "JOIN US OR DONATE". The main content area features a background image of a forest stream and text that reads: "Friends are a volunteer organization. All membership fees and donations go directly to the Park to enhance your enjoyment of this great resource. Individual membership is \$10 annually. The fee for families is \$15. Donations can be made in various amounts. You can pay online THROUGH THE LINKS BELOW or mail your payment using the paper form below".