About our trails

**Black Bear Trail:** Wheelchair accessible trail that passes many reminders of the Swink Farm on its way to the Swink Pond. This flat, paved path is less than 1/4 mile.

**Mattioli Trail:** Short walk that leads to the Mattioli Pavilion. Also connects to the Kreger Trail and Deer Trail.

**Kreger Trail:** Winds through the old shale pit, offering an interesting view into the geology of the area.

**Garter Snake Trail:** Follows old shale pit road to Mader’s Pond, passing an old bungalow that is no longer in use.

**Songbird Trail:** Short loop through old fields and immature forests of deciduous and mixed conifer trees. 1/2 mile

**Deer Trail:** Large loop that goes over the hill and along the upper boundary of the property. 1.1 mile

**Red-tailed Hawk Loop:** Most strenuous trail at Kettle Creek. Goes through mature forest and past a glacial erratic boulder that is split in half.

**Gray Fox Loop:** Meanders through mature hardwood forest.

The remaining trails, ending with path or way, allow for loop walks of various distances.

**Important:** The trails at the Kettle Creek Wildlife Sanctuary are maintained to the best of our ability. Please be aware that you will be walking on wooded trails that do have rocks, leaves, and branches in places and some traverse sloped terrain. Seasonal conditions may include wet, muddy, leaf covered, or snow and ice conditions. Please be cautious where necessary and enjoy your walk.

Directions to Kettle Creek

From Stroudsburg (or Exit 302 from I-80 West or 302B from I-80 East) make a left onto Rte. 611 North. Travel 1/2 mile to the second traffic light and turn left onto Rimrock Drive. Follow Rimrock Drive for 0.4 mile, bear right onto North Easton Belmont Pike, go 0.2 mile, then bear right onto Running Valley Road. The EE Center is on 0.7 mile on the left.

Important:

- Kettle Creek Wildlife Sanctuary is open to the public year-round, from sunrise to sunset.
- Littering, hunting, camping, and pets are not allowed on the property.
- Fishing is limited to handicapped individuals for catch and release purposes only.
- For more information please call our office at (570) 629-3061, or visit our website at www.mcconservation.org.