

## Harborcreek's *other* Parks

### Shades Beach

On the shores of Lake Erie, Shades Beach is located at 7000 E. Lake Road. There are trails, woodlands, play areas, picnic grounds, a beach area, and boat launch. Featuring two complete organized picnic facilities; each with complete kitchen, shared restrooms and playground facilities, and horseshoe courts.

### Whitford Park

A popular summer destination for families. Located along 6-mile creek at 5400 Iroquois Avenue. Features 4 picnic pavilions (no kitchens), ADA playground, ball field, tennis courts, basketball court, wading pool, restrooms.

### Rolling Ridge Park

Located at 3899 Brierwood Drive, Rolling Ridge Park offers a covered pavilion, a large playground, basketball / tennis / hockey court, volleyball, horseshoe pit, charcoal grills, and restrooms.

### Community Park

Harborcreek's premier outdoor sports complex has approximately 130 acres and is located at Clark and Firman Roads. Features: 12 baseball/softball diamonds (one with lights for night games), 2 regulation size soccer fields, little griders football field, complete with enclosed press/announcer's booth, electronic score board. Also offering two completely furnished concession buildings and 3 restroom facilities.

### Slade Park

Located on Slade Road, is home to 3 baseball diamonds, maintained by the HC Parks crew, and used by groups such as the HC Little League.

### Roadside Park

Located on Route 20, across from the Municipal Building. Many "train buffs" use this locale to photograph their favorite locomotives. New iron and wood slat park style benches and landscaping, including red stone path and flower beds, were added in 2004. Learn about the "Gauge War" from the plaque commemorated in 2014. A picnic table is also available for seating, or even better, for a picnic lunch! Sorry, no facilities.

### Shorewood Park

Located along Lake Erie at the intersection of E. Lake Road and Moorheadville Road, is over 14 acres of passive recreation area maintained by the Harborcreek Parks Department. 12 Mile Creek intersects the property which has approximately 1,200 ft of shoreline. Sorry, no facilities.

### Highmeyer Park

Located on Highmeyer Road, Highmeyer Road Park offers acres of hiking trails, perfect for an enjoyable walk and a serene basket lunch. Put on your best walking shoes and take advantage of all our beautiful Township has to offer. Sorry, no facilities.

To check rental availability at Shades, Whitford, and Rolling Ridge, or for more information on all parks, visit our website at: <http://www.harborcreek.org/parks.htm>

## All Parks Park Rules *and* Regulations

### Section 1: Authority

The authority to make and enforce these rules is granted through Township Ordinance's #79-79 and #95-164.

### Section 2: Hours of Operation

Township parks open at 9:00am and closes at 9:00pm. Shades Beach Park pavilions closes at 10pm.

In the event of hazardous conditions (weather, etc.) endangering property of park may be closed at the discretion of the Township Parks Superintendent.

### Section 3: Rental of Picnic Pavilions

Please Call the township offices at (814) 899-3171 for information specific to each park.

Visitors will NOT trespass on private property surrounding the park's limits.

Fires may NOT be built or allowed anywhere in the Parks; other than in stoves and/or grills provided for that purpose and located by the Parks Department.

### Sect. 4: Activities Prohibited / Restricted

Grass areas must not be used for roadway parking or other purposes, which may injure the turf or landscaping.

Trees, shrubs, hedges, wildflowers or other flowers, must not be picked, dug, broken, or injured in any way whatsoever.

Buildings, fences, fountains, benches, walls, posts, or signs must not be injured, defaced, or removed from the park or immediate location.

No person shall conduct himself/herself within the Park so as to harass or annoy any other person using the Park for recreational purposes.

No littering or property damage.

Public meetings, camping, assemblages, or parades may not take place within the Park limits without written consent of Parks Superintendent. This includes any organized group conducting activities of any kind within the Park areas.

### Section 5: Restrictions of Pets

Shades Beach (pavilion area), Whitford Park and Rolling Ridge Park; No domesticated animals are permitted on property at any time.

Community Park, 6-Mile Park, Highmeyer Park and Shades Beach shoreline; Domesticated animals are allowed on a leash.

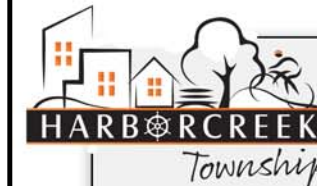
### Section 6: Motor Vehicles

The parking of vehicles is prohibited in areas other than the designated parking lots. No parking permitted on highway berms and inside driveway chains.

A rate of speed exceeding 15 miles per hour is prohibited in the Park.



## Welcome to Six Mile Creek Park



### A little information...

Visitors can enjoy a handicap accessible quarter mile trail and scenic overlook, as well as other trails to both the east and west of the parking lot.

This heavily wooded property is home to at least 8 native species of trees and 10 varieties of native perennials.

Six Mile creek meanders through the entire park – offering hikers and photographers ideal vistas to enjoy.

The park perimeter is posted for the benefit of park users as well as neighboring property owners.

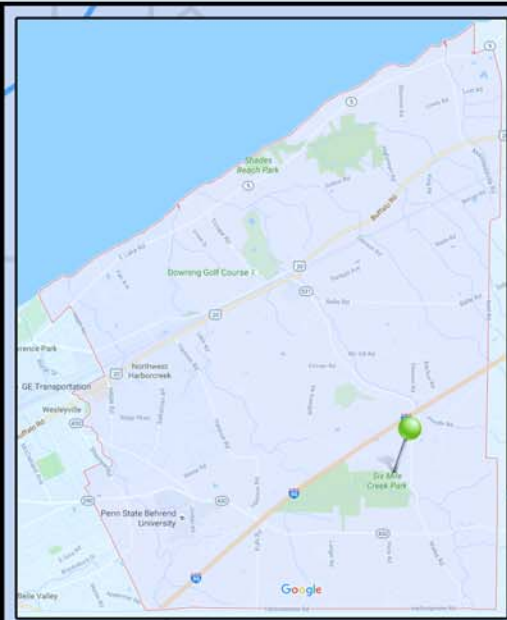
### A little history...

In the Spring of 2011, Erie County graciously awarded Harborcreek Township over 425 acres of wooded parkland known as Six Mile Creek Park. Since the acquisition, the Harborcreek Parks Department has created community access and a parking lot in the 7700 block of Clark Road.

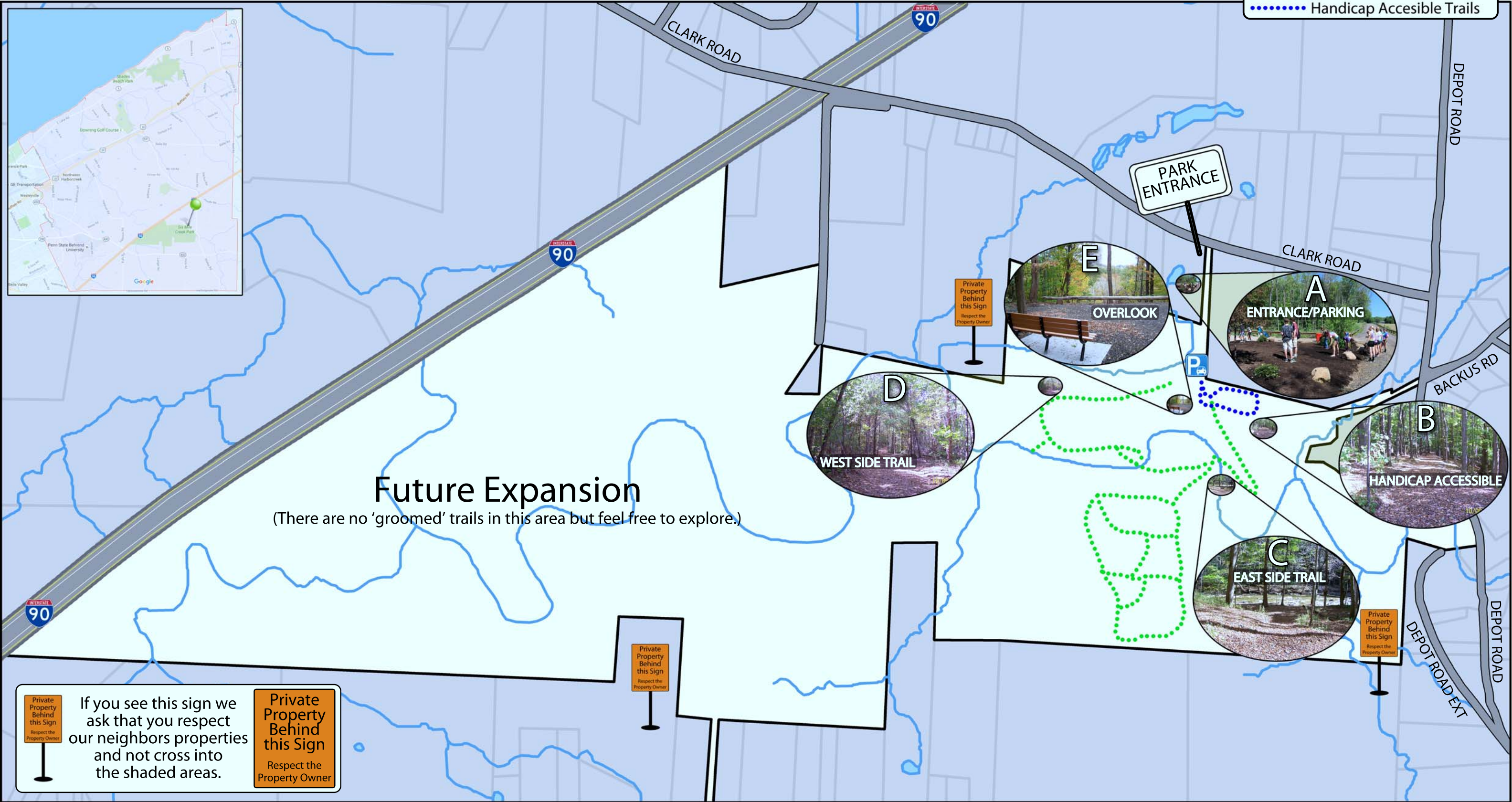
Hours of Operation (9am to 9pm)  
Website: <http://www.harborcreek.org>



# Welcome to Six Mile Creek Park and Harborcreek Township



**KEY**  
●●●●● Park Trails  
●●●●● Handicap Accessible Trails



## Future Expansion

(There are no 'groomed' trails in this area but feel free to explore.)

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If you see this sign we ask that you respect our neighbors properties and not cross into the shaded areas.

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- A. Park Entrance - This 900ft. driveway entrance on Clark Rd was built by township employees in 2012 and leads to a parking lot to accommodate at least 20 vehicles as well as bus parking. All trailheads & scenic overlook are accessed from here.
- B. Handicap Accessible Trail - this approximately 1/4 mile trail is available directly adjacent to the parking lot at the Clark Road entrance. This trail is a circular route that brings the user back to the parking lot. Beautiful views through large trees.
- C. East Side Trail - This trail spurs off of the handicap accessible trail and follows the ridge down to a flatland near Six Mile Creek.
- D. West Side Trail - This trail begins at the opposite end of the parking lot and meanders slightly downhill before following the ridge more steeply to the flatland areas near Six Mile Creek.
- E. Scenic Overlook - this scenic overlook is located within the Handicap Accessible trail and overlooks the Six Mile Creek gorge. A bench is available to enjoy the views throughout the seasons.