sites between these hours.

- Park closes from 11 p.m. until 7 a.m. No one is allowed in the park, except for campers using their
 - Use of metal detectors is prohibited.
- · Bicycles are to be ridden on paved surfaces only.
 - way. Snowmobiles are prohibited.
- All motorized vehicles shall remain on paved road-
 - This water is tested regularly for purity.

 Report lost or found articles to the park office.
- Drinking water should be taken only from pumps, hydrants or fountains provided for that purpose.
- by the Department of Natural Resources.
- Swimming is limited to places and times designated
- Motorists shall observe posted speed limits and park only in designated areas.
 - Fires shall be built only in designated places.
- Camping is permitted only in the campground.
 Youth groups must be under adult supervision.
- Department of Natural Resources is prohibited.
- Vending or advertising without permission of the
- Dogs and cats must be attended at all times and kept on a leash no longer than 6 feet.

• Any firearm (except lawfully possessed handguns), BB gun, air gun, CO_2 gun, bow and arrow, paint gun or spear gun in possession in a state park must be unloaded or un-nocked and stored in a case or locked within a vehicle, except when owner is participating in an activity authorized by written permit.

 Do not injure or damage any structure, rock, tree, flower, bird or wild animal. Do NOT gather limbs, brush or trees (either dead or alive) for firewood because they rebuild the natural humus.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

PLEASE STAY ON MARKED TRAILS.

mile hike consists of old field succession stands of trees, a CCC pine grove, and the newly reclaimed Weber Lake. The lake is testimony to the reclamstion efforts of the DNR and federal government. Weber Lake went from a "dead" lake to one that purifies water and supports a variety of wetland plant and animal species. You may walk the levee, scale the "high wall", and look for reminders of the scale the "high wall", and look for reminders of the old mining days while viewing wildlife species.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN BICENTENNIAL PLAZA—

Designed by Will Clark and George Morrison, the

monument reminds visitors of Abraham Lincoln's

growth from boy to man. The plaza contains several

pedestals and markers illustrating various milestones

in Lincoln's young life in Indiana. The monument

came about through a cooperative effort between

the DNR, the Indiana Arts Commision, the Indiana

Historical Bureau, and the Indiana Abraham Lincoln

BOATS—Canoes and rowboats are rented by the

hour or day. Paddleboats are rented by the ½ hour or

hour. Privately owned boats may be launched. State launch permit is required. Only electric trolling mo-

tors, powered by no more than two 12-volt batteries,

CAMPING—Campground equipped with flush toilets,

hot water and showers. Occupancy limited to 14

consecutive nights. Sites will accommodate trailers. Reservations are available for both Electric and Non-

electric sites through the Central Reservation System.

COL. JONES HOME—Historic home tours and

CONCESSIONS—A snack shop and grocery operate

in the upper level of the beach bathhouse daily from

Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend.

FAMILY CABINS*—Family cabins sleep six persons

and are available from April through November. Cab-

ins may be rented for a maximum of 14 consecutive

nights. Reservations are available through the Central

FISHING—Bass, bluegill, etc. A state fishing license

GROUP CAMP*-Pine Hills Group Camp accom-

modates 155 people with its sleeping cabins, dining

hall, kitchen, restrooms, showers and playfield. It

is available from April to November. Reservations

available through the Central Reservation System.

is required and available at the park office.

programs available throughout year.

ACTIVITIES AND FACILITIES

Bicentennial Commission.

are permitted.

Firewood sold here.

Reservation System.

6. WEBER LAKE TRAIL (1.8 miles) EASY—This light to moderate hike takes you along the remnant of the Troy-Gentryville Road to Weber Lake. The 1.8-

5. MR LINCOLN'S NEIGHBORHOOD WALK (1.7 miles) MODERATE—Young Abe spent many hours at the Gorden Mill waiting to mill grain. This trail branches off of Trail 1 at the picnic shelter just west of the beach. You will pass the Little Pigeon Primitive Baptist Church and the gravesite of Sarah Lincoln Grigsby, the Gorden Home and Mill sites. By connecting with Trail 1 on the south shore, you can continue around the lake. (Brochures available at the park office, Nature Center or box available at the park office, Nature Center or box

4. JAMES GENTRY TRAIL (3.7 miles) MODER-ATE—Takes you across (north of) S.R. 162 along the northern border of the property to the site of the James Gentry home. Abraham Lincoln worked at the Centry store as a young man and the Lincolns alept their last night in Indiana at this location. A historical marker designates the site. Passing through mature forest, the trail returns south of S.R. 162 to the Howell Shelter. A short side trail takes you to the Weber Lake trail.

3. SARAH LINCOLN GRIGSBY TRAIL (1.7 miles)
Moderate—Running through the Sarah Lincoln
Woods Nature Preserve, this is the park's most
pristine and unusual area. You may find many
prisirie plants unusual to the area. The dry upland
forest has many steep slopes. Sarah, Abe's older
forest has many steep slopes. Sarah, Abe's older
sister died at an early age during childbirth at a
nearby homestead.

2. JOHN CARTER TRAIL (2.1 miles) MODERATE—John Carter was a Lincoln family neighbor. This trail starts east of the gatehouse and proceeds through beautiful pines, past an old strip mine area before connecting with Trail 1 (Lake Trail) area before connecting with Trail 1 (Lake Trail) 162 from the start of this trail is the Lincoln Boyhood Mational Memorial. Stop in and talk with the interpretive staff and tour the visitors center and "living farm." Fee required.

1. LAKE TRAIL (1.5 miles) EASY—Starts at the boat rental building (CCC ranger cabin) and goes around the south shore of the lake. This is one of the oldest remaining CCC ranger cabins in Indiana. A short-side loop leads to the fire tower (CCC built, 1935). The trail returns via the dam, back to the beach area.

DESCRIPTION OF TRAILS

may vary each year. See LincolnAmphitheatre.com or call 1-800-264-4ABE.

NATURE CENTER—Operates five days a week from Memorial Day to Labor Day. Full-time naturalist. Schedules at InterpretiveServices.IN.gov or (812) 937-4710.

PICNIC AREAS—Tables, grills, toilet facilities, playground equipment and a playfield. Three picnic shelters may be reserved through the Central Reservation System.

SWIMMING—Swim at own risk from dawn to dusk. The bathhouse and beach are open from the Saturday before Memorial Day to no later than Labor Day.

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Reservations for all types of camping, family cabins, and shelters at state parks, reservoirs and forests can be made by going online or by calling toll-free.

camp.IN.gov 1-866-6campIN (1-866-622-6746)



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Indianalnns.com 1-877-lodges1 (1-877-563-4371)

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Write: LINCOLN STATE PARK Box 216, S.R. 162

Lincoln City, Indiana 47552

Call: (812) 937-4710

Mapping Address: 15476 N. CR 300 E Lincoln City, IN 47552

GROUP COTTAGES*—Located in Pine Hills Group Camp and available when the group camp is not reserved. Reservations available through the Central Reservation System.

HIKING—Miles of hiking trails available, rated easy to moderate in difficulty.

LINCOLN AMPHITHEATRE—Presents a "Lincoln," theatrical experience unlike any other. Productions

* All cabins and cottages are non-smoking

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fees available in the park office.

Receipts from admission and service charges are used to help defray the operation and maintenance costs of the park. List of

SPECIAL NOTE

and enjoyment.

Visitors shall observe the following rules, which are designed to fulfill the purpose for which state parks were established, namely, to preserve a primitive landscape in its natural condition for the public's use

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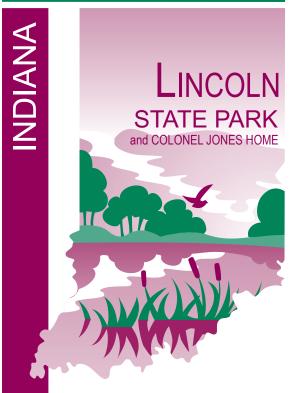
Enjoy your stay. Please disturb nothing. Take only pictures and leave only footprints. Abe could be

In addition to the Lincoln relics, the property's federal style brick farmhouse of William Jones, merchant, farmer, politician, and Union Army Colonel, depicts life in the mid-19th century. Visitors can tour the house and a restored log barn, moved to the site in 1995. Tours and programs run from April through October. Request the naturalist schedule for times.

The Sarah Lincoln Woods Nature Preserve is located in the southernmost part of the park. This nature preserve protects a rare southern Indiana plant community called the oak barrens. Oak barrens are marked by small populations of prairie plants growing in very open oak woodlands with dry, sandy soil. Early surveyors described these sandy ridge tops with clearings as "barrens, some oak, hickory, grassy."

Many of the park's trees were planted by the CCC. Within these groves of green, visitors can find cool respite from the summer sun, as they use Lincoln's family cabins, the electric campground and group camp facilities.

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Young Abe Lincoln spent part of his youth in the woods and fields of this region and the 1,747 acres of today's park, which was established in 1932 as a memorial to the 16th president's mother, Nancy Hanks Lincoln.

Honest Abe once recalled his childhood home with these words, "The very spot where grew the bread that formed my bones, I see. How strange, old field, on thee to tread. And feel I'm part of thee."

A trail called "Mr. Lincoln's Neighborhood Walk" highlights the park's Lincolnera sites, such as Noah Gorden's mill and the grave of Abe's sister, Sarah Lincoln-Grigsby.

Many of the structures here are part of history, too. The Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) was instrumental in establishing the park's recreational facilities, building Lake Lincoln, the Lakeside shelter house, the boat rental building (formerly a ranger cabin) and many trails.

