

MORAINES VIEW STATE PARK

27374 Moraine View Park Road
LeRoy, IL 61752
(309) 724-8032

Moraine View State Park has 1,600 acres of developed facilities for camping, hiking, boating, swimming and hunting. Built on the Bloomington Moraine (a large, ancient glacial deposit stretching across Illinois) this state park is about 20 minutes from Bloomington, Illinois. Illinois is home to some of the most geologically significant moraines in the country, so glacial deposit study is popular in this region. Although located in the middle of farmland, (just south of one of the largest stretches of wind farms in Illinois), when camped inside Moraine View State Park, campers will feel at home in the woods. Reservations are made directly with the park.



Campfire Rules: No imported fire wood, fire rings at each site

Water: Potable water at youth/group sites and good latrines.

Seasonal information: Open year-round. Well heads may close in winter. Check when making reservations with park.

Interesting fact about the area: The farm land north of this park contains the largest electricity generating wind farm in Illinois. Look on the horizon for the spinning modern day windmills.

Nearby attraction:

Upper Limits Climbing Gym
1304 West Washington Street
Bloomington, Illinois 61701
309-829-8255

“Upper Limits Climbing Gym is an old grain elevator in the town of Bloomington. The silos, the old warehouse room and the outside of the building have been converted to climbing walls. This is a great place to learn climbing and earn the climbing merit badge. They cater to groups, love Scouts, have a great staff, and have a group room for bringing your meals or tables outside.

There are day sessions, or late afternoon into the evening sessions, so you can enjoy the daylight hours at Moraine View State Park, although Bloomington is close enough to make this a day trip too.” John Lorenzen, Troop 14, La Grange, IL



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