



CASS SCENIC RAILROAD STATE PARK

Come and visit the Cass Company Store and Shays Restaurant! Park naturalist is staffed seasonally to provide a variety of interpretive, educational, and recreational programs on the Park's natural and cultural history. The Company Store is open 7 days a week.

September 24, 2026

10:00AM Cass History Tour Meet at the Visitors Center. Take a hike with the Naturalist to explore the old Cass Mill and some of the unique history of the town.

1:00PM Roving Naturalist Walk around the park with a bug net and learn about the history of Cass as we look for Monarch butterflies for our [MonarchWatch.org](https://monarchwatch.org) tagging project. We'll learn about whatever we encounter along the way.

September 25, 2026

10:00AM Cass History Tour Meet at the Visitors Center. Take a hike with the Naturalist to explore the old Cass Mill and some of the unique history of the town.

5:00PM Free Fly Fishing Friday Meet at the Visitors Center. Free Fly Fishing Lessons. Learn how to cast, tie knots, and some of the flies and what they represent.

Fly-casting Learn how to cast a fly rod and some of the basics of fly fishing.

September 26, 2026

NATIONAL PUBLIC LANDS DAY VOLUNTEER EFFORT

September 27, 2026

10:00AM Cass History Tour Meet at the Company Store. Take a hike with the Naturalist to explore the old Cass Mill and some of the unique history of the town.

3:00PM Wonderfall Hike Hike the Greenbrier River Trail with the Naturalist to learn about Cass History, fall wildflowers, look for Monarch butterflies, and fall foliage. Patches are available for participants.

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October 1, 2026

10:00AM Cass History Tour Meet at the Visitors Center. Hike around the Park to learn about the nature and history of Cass. The tour has three parts: the Mill, the Company Store, and the town. We'll learn about the history of the town, the mill, the railroad, the company store and identify plants and animals along the way.

3:00PM Roving Naturalist - The Naturalist will be moving around the park throughout the day. Join in to learn about the nature and history of Cass. If supplies last, we will tag some monarch butterflies.

October 2, 2026

10:00AM Cass History Tour Meet at the Visitors Center. Hike around the Park to learn about the nature and history of Cass. The tour has three parts: the Mill, the Company Store, and the town. We'll learn about the history of the town, the mill, the railroad, the company store and identify plants and animals along the way.

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8:00PM Campfire Meet at the pavilion (between the parking lot and the mill) for a campfire. S'mores materials will be provided (but you can bring your own if desired). We'll talk about Cass History and ghost stories.

October 3, 2026

10:00AM Cass History Tour Meet at the Visitors Center. Hike around the Park to learn about the nature and history of Cass. The tour has three parts: the Mill, the Company Store, and the town. We'll learn about the history of the town, the mill, the railroad, the company store and identify plants and animals along the way.

3:00PM Salamander Saturday Meet at the Visitors Center and take a hike around the park to look for salamanders and learn some things about general salamander ecology and conservation. .

October 4, 2026

10:00AM Cass History Tour Meet at the Visitors Center. Hike around the Park to learn about the nature and history of Cass. The tour has three parts: the Mill, the Company Store, and the town. We'll learn about the history of the town, the mill, the railroad, the company store and identify plants and animals along the way.

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<https://wvstateparks.com/west-furgingia-ranger/>



Find Naturalist and Nature Center
Program Schedules online at:



Complete the Junior Naturalist Book
and attend Two Naturalist's Programs
to earn the patch! Ages 6-16.

Junior Naturalist Books can be found
at the Company Store or the Visitor's
Center.



Ask about the Bark Ranger Program!
Dog-friendly activities at 8 State
Parks.

<https://wvstateparks.com/programs/naturalist/>

Contact the Naturalist:

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Programs are available by request
throughout the year

Upcoming Events:
Harvest Day - Sept 12

**National Public Lands Day
Barberry Control Volunteer Effort
with Friends of Cass - Sept 26**