

shore, as well as a lengthy pier near the ramps. The park hosts a Safe Boating & Fishing Festival on June 12.

Charles Mill Lake near Mifflin is a little slower paced, where pontoon boats and small fishing crafts are generally the norm. Again, if you don't bring your own, they can be rented at the marina.

This sprawling, shallow lake is ideal for picnics on the water while cruising along its scenic shores.

Fishermen flock to Charles Mill for its wide variety of species. The tail waters below the dam yields great catches of saugeye, particularly in early spring and fall. Many shore anglers seek the large population of channel catfish that patrol the shorelines at dusk. The lake offers excellent catch-



es of largemouth bass and crappie too.

Recreation in Mohican country isn't limited to the water, as there are plenty of things to do for land lovers too! In addition to the new bike path connecting downtown Loudonville with Mohican State Park, the Rails to Trails movement has created several paved bike trails around the area. The B & O Trail is a 26-mile route running from Butler, through Bellville, and on to Mansfield. The Holmes Country Trail offers a scenic ride through Ohio's Amish Country. Three different trails connect in Knox County, taking users across the spectacular Bridge of Dreams near Brinkhaven.

See the area on horseback with one of the area's private bridle stables. Enjoy guided trail rides through the beautiful Mohican valley. It's a great family activity, and perfect for group outings too.

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