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## INTRODUCTION

**LONG & FOSTER / WEBBER & ASSOCIATES** is a growing, vibrant real estate firm. Long & Foster/Webber & Associates is one of the largest offices in the Blue Ridge Association of Realtors area. We currently have a staff of over 48 Associates. Among these are 8 Associate Brokers, one REO Specialist, 10 Associates with the hard earned GRI (Graduate Realtors Institute) designation, one CRB (Certified Residential Broker) designation, 3 CRS (Certified Residential Specialist), 2 SRES (Senior Real Estate Specialist) and 13 ABR (Accredited Buyer Representative) designations. We also have 3 E-Pro agents, 20 agents who are multi-state licensed and 14 agents who carry their SFR (Short Sale and Foreclosure Resource).

Long & Foster / Webber & Associates is highly visible in the real estate community, having won virtually every award available from our Association. Our staff has served on the local Association's Board of Directors and has held every office through the Association's presidency. Our agents have been awarded: "Salesperson of the Year", "Rookie of the Year", "Realtor of the Year", "Past Appreciation", Ethics" award and reached "Realtor Emeritus" status. In some of these categories, we have multiple winners. The agents of Long & Foster/Webber & Associates are community oriented, working with the Chamber of Commerce, and acting as volunteers in almost every charity, including Habitat for Humanity.

As a business entity, we are clearly leaders. Our agents come from, and work with, all walks of life. We are highly trained and continue our education through weekly sessions. We have extensive backgrounds in relocation.

Long & Foster/Webber & Associates is located at 480 W. Jubal Early Drive, Suite 100, in Winchester, Virginia. The office is only minutes away from Interstate 81 which connects to Washington, D.C. and Baltimore, Maryland.

We operate from a modern office building. Our ground level location with ample parking and handicapped accessibility makes access convenient for our clients.

For more information about our office, please visit us on the internet at [www.webberrealty.com](http://www.webberrealty.com)

# STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA AT A GLANCE

**West Virginia is known as "The Mountain State"**

**Capital** - Charleston

**Population** - U. S. Census Bureau estimate July 1, 2015: 1,844,128

**Climate** - It is West Virginia's topography that drives the dramatic characteristics of the state's weather and climate. The rapid changes in elevation cause dramatic variations in temperature and precipitation, in an otherwise small geographical area. While the lowlands generally have very mild and temperate conditions, the mountainous regions have much cooler conditions and much more precipitation.

Temperatures statewide average about 53°F and naturally increase southward. In the mountains, however, elevation changes lead to decreases of approximately 5 to 10°F, keeping the annual average locked into the 40s. During the winter, the average daily temperature is about 21°F, while in the summer it is about 87°F.

**Location** - The unusual shape and location of the state has coined the phrase, "West Virginia is the most southern of the northern states, the most northern of the southern states, and the most western of the eastern states."

**Geography** - West Virginia encompasses 24,038 square miles and is very hilly and rugged, with the highest mean altitude (1,500 ft/457 m) of any state east of the Mississippi. Nearly all of the state is on the Allegheny Plateau, with the jagged Virginia–West Virginia line roughly following the eastern escarpment of the plateau (known as the Allegheny Front). Extremely irregular in outline, West Virginia has two narrow projections—the Northern Panhandle, which cuts north between Ohio and Pennsylvania, and the Eastern Panhandle, which cuts east between Maryland (with the Potomac River forming the state line) and Virginia. In the Eastern Panhandle, a part of the Appalachian ridge and valley country, lie the state's lowest point (240 ft/73 m) near Harpers Ferry where the Shenandoah River joins the Potomac, as well as its highest point, Spruce Knob (4,860 ft/1,481 m).

**Government** - There are 55 counties in West Virginia. The state government is modeled after the government of the United States, with three branches: the executive, legislative and judicial .

## **BERKELEY COUNTY AT A GLANCE**

Berkeley County is the second oldest county in West Virginia. Created in 1772 from the northern third of Frederick County, Virginia and named for Norbourn Berkeley, (Baron Boutetort) Colonial Governor of Virginia from 1768 to 1770. Martinsburg, recognized as the “fastest growing City in the State” is known as the “Gateway to the Shenandoah Valley.” Located in the heart of the Eastern Panhandle, the City serves as the county seat and was founded in 1778, by General Adam Stephen who named it in honor of Colonel Thomas Bryan Martin, a nephew of Lord Fairfax. It was incorporated by act of the legislature March 30, 1868.

# LOCAL GOVERNMENT

## **Berkeley County**

County Administrator, 5 person council

Central Dispatch: Countywide Enhanced 911

Fire and Rescue: 8 Volunteer fire stations and substations managed and operated by 5 volunteer companies

Emergency Medical Services: 35 paid professionals, 5 volunteer departments

Sheriffs Department: 58 uniformed officers

## **City of Martinsburg**

City Manager, Mayor and 7 Councilmen

Fire and Rescue: 37 career firefighters, volunteers from 2 volunteer departments

Police: Police Chief, 44 sworn officers

# WEST VIRGINIA'S DRIVER'S LICENSE

You can apply for a new driver's license at any Division of Motor Vehicles in West Virginia. Obtain a West Virginia Driver's Handbook to familiarize with the driving rules and regulations.

## NEW DRIVERS AND FIRST TIME APPLICANTS

Following are the basic requirements for applying for a West Virginia driver's license:

1. Applicants must be 15 years or older.
2. Any individual under 18 should provide parental consent and must complete the graduated driver licensing process. The Graduated Driver License (GDL) system is followed in West Virginia based on which an individual below 18 has 3 levels to complete before being eligible for a full Class E license
3. Everyone must pass the vision, written, and driving tests.
4. Applicants must provide two acceptable proofs of identification.
5. Applicants must provide a birth certificate and a social security card.
6. A driver's license application form can be downloaded at [www.dmv.com/wv](http://www.dmv.com/wv)

## NEW RESIDENTS

West Virginia residents holding a driver's license from another state need to pass the vision as well as the alcohol awareness tests. Like other applicants, new residents must provide proof of residency, birth certificate and social security card. New residents have 30 days from their arrival to either apply for a West Virginia license or transfer their valid out of state license. Non-US citizens residing in West Virginia may apply for a West Virginia driver's license, as long as they can provide proof that they are legally authorized to be in the United States, and meet all the other requirements. They can drive up to 90 days with a valid license from their country of citizenship. It is suggested that you also get an International Driving Permit. Note that a West Virginia driver's license issued to a foreign national will expire no later than the last date on which they are authorized to be in the United States by the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service.



# VEHICLE REGISTRATION

West Virginia law requires that motor vehicle owners must register their vehicle with the West Virginia Division of Motor Vehicles (DMV) before taking it on the road. Both new and second-hand vehicles must be registered, regardless of whether they are purchased from a dealer or an individual. In addition, new West Virginia residents who have registered their vehicle in another state must register their vehicle in West Virginia. The initial vehicle registration must be done in person, and registration renewals must be done annually, either in person or by mail.

## INITIAL REGISTRATION

If you are registering a motor vehicle in West Virginia for the first time, you must complete the following steps:

1. All vehicles in West Virginia must be insured. When you register your vehicle you must provide proof of insurance. The easiest way to do this is to obtain auto liability insurance.
2. Collect the necessary paperwork. If you bought your vehicle from a dealer, then the dealer will have sent the necessary paperwork to the West Virginia Division of Motor Vehicles.
3. A bill of sale is necessary if you have not transferred the title of the vehicle and you have not paid at least half the book value for the vehicle.
4. If the vehicle is less than ten years old, make sure that the title shows the correct odometer reading.
5. Visit your local DMV office and bring the completed forms with you. You do not need to make an appointment for this.
6. If your vehicle already has a valid inspection sticker from the state of Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, New Hampshire, New York, Oklahoma, Texas, Utah or Wyoming, you do not need to have your vehicle inspected until the sticker expires. However, if you purchased your vehicle in West Virginia and it does not have a current inspection sticker, you must have the vehicle inspected within three days of registering it. Inspections are carried out at a West Virginia State Police approved inspection station.

## REGISTRATION FEES

The basic registration fee is \$30; however this fee covers only the license plates and registration card. If this is the first time you have registered the vehicle, you will need to pay fees for the titling process - this is usually \$10 for your title and a 5% privilege tax, based on the purchase price of the vehicle. If you have just moved to West Virginia and the vehicle title is already in your name, you may be exempt from paying the privilege tax.

## RENEWING YOUR VEHICLE REGISTRATION

Owners of motor vehicles in West Virginia are required to renew their vehicle registration annually, in person or by mail.

## FIREARM REGISTRATION

Contact your State Police for information on restrictions and/or use and possession, which may be found under the conservation laws. Registration is not mandatory.

## VOTER REGISTRATION

### *Eligibility requirements to vote in West Virginia:*

- A resident of West Virginia and the county in which you register.
- A U.S. Citizen.
- At least 17 years old, and 18 before the next General Election. (Seventeen year olds may register and vote in primary elections, if they turn 18 by the next General Election.)
- Not currently under conviction for a felony, including probation or parole, or a court ruling of mental incompetence. Voting rights are restored when the term of conviction ends.

### *How to Register to vote:*

**In Person:** You may register in person at the office of the Secretary of State. You may also receive and submit your voter registration form at any of the offices listed at [www.sos.wv.gov](http://www.sos.wv.gov). Be sure to bring proof of physical address (a current and valid photo ID, utility bill, bank statement, paycheck, or other government document).

**By Mail:** You may request an application from your County Clerk or the Secretary of State, you may download the form from [www.sos.wv.gov](http://www.sos.wv.gov). Return completed voter registration forms to your County Clerk's office.

**Online:** You must provide the following: Your name as it appears on your WV driver's license or ID card, your date of birth, your WV driver's license or ID card number, your last 4 digits of your Social Security number. **If you do not have a WV driver's license or ID card number and the last 4 digits of your Social Security number, you may not submit your form online**, but you may enter your information online to be auto-filled in a voter registration form. Once you submit your information, you may print your form to sign and submit to your County Clerk by mail or in person.

## **Voter Registration (continued)**

### ***What offices accept registration forms?***

You may submit a registration form at any of these offices (If it is close to an election, registering at your County Clerk's office is the best place to go to ensure that you are registered by the deadline which is 21 days before an election):

- The County Clerk's office at your county courthouse.
- DMV offices through the Motor Voter program.
- Public assistance offices.
- Agencies who serve people with disabilities.
- Marriage license offices (at your County Clerk's office).
- Military recruiting offices.

### ***Voting Locations***

There are 66 voting precincts within the county and 6 magisterial districts. Any and all of them are subject to change. Call the Voter Registration Office at 304-728-3246 or visit the website at [www.sos.wv.gov](http://www.sos.wv.gov) to determine your voting location.

**TAX INFORMATION**  
*(As of 2011)*

SALES AND USE TAX	6%
REAL ESTATE TAX	
Effective Property Tax Rate per \$1,000 of home value	\$5.90
INDIVIDUAL PERSONAL STATE INCOME TAX	
Maximum State Tax Rate	6.5%
Taxable Base	Adjusted Gross

## **IMPORTANT LOCAL NUMBERS / WEBSITES**

<b>Name of Business/Address</b>	<b>Phone #</b>	<b>Website</b>
<b>AREA CODE</b>	<b>304</b>	
<b>Chamber of Commerce</b> 198 Viking Way Martinsburg, WV 25401	267-4841	berkeleycounty.org
<b>Development Authority - Berkeley county</b> 300 Foxcroft Avenue, Ste 201 Martinsburg, WV 25401	267-4144	developmentauthority.com
<b>Driver's Licenses (Div. of Motor Vehicles-WV)</b> <b>Regional Office</b> 38 Severna Parkway	588-3900 (800) 642-9066	transportation.wv.gov/dmv
<b>Employment (local office)</b> 891 Auto Parts Place, Ste 1314 Martinsburg, WV 25402	267-0065	wvcommerce.org wv.gov
<b>Emergency Phone Numbers</b> <b>Fire, Police &amp; Rescue Squad</b>	<b>9-1-1</b>	
<b>Martinsburg Police (non-emergency)</b> 232 N. Queen Street	264-2100	martinsburgpd.org
<b>Martinsburg Fire &amp; Rescue (Non-emergency)</b> 200 North Raleigh Street	264-2111	cityofmartinsburg.org
<b>Berkeley County Sheriff (non-emergency)</b> 802 Emmett Rousch Dr., Ste C	267-7000	sheriff.berkeleywv.org
<b>Berkeley County Fire &amp; Rescue (non-emergency)</b>	263-1330	ephfire.com
<b>Government Offices</b> Berkeley County Council 400 West Stephen Street, Ste 201 Martinsburg, WV 25401	264-1923	berkeleycountycomm.org
City of Martinsburg City Hall 232 N. Queen Street Martinsburg, WV 25401	264-2131	cityofmartinsburg.org
<b>Health Department</b> 122 Waverly Ct. Martinsburg, WV 25403	263-5131	bchealthdept.org
<b>Hospital and Medical</b> <b>Berkeley Medical Center</b> 2500 Hospital Drive, Martinsburg	264-1000	wvuniversityhealthcare.com

<b>Hunting and Fishing (licenses)</b> <b>(West Va Dept of Natural Resources)</b>	558-2754	wvdnr.gov
<b>Internet Providers</b> Verizon Winchester Wireless Wild Blue Hughes Net	888-791-3024 540-665-0800 855-627-2554 844-737-2700	verizon.com winchesterwireless.com wildblue.com hughesnet.com
<b>LONG &amp; FOSTER / WEBBER &amp; ASSOCIATES,</b> <b>REALTORS</b> 480 W. Jubal Early Dr., #100, Winchester Toll Free	540-662-3484 800-468-6619	webberrealty.com
<b>Newspapers (local)</b> The Journal 207 W. King Street, Martinsburg	263-8931	journal-news.net
<b>Parks &amp; Recreation</b> <b>Martinsburg - Berkeley County Parks</b> <b>and Recreation</b> Berkeley 2000 Rec Center (Lambert Park) W. Randy Smith Rec. Center (Inwood)	264-4842 229-0022	mbcparks-rec.org
<b>Post Office (Local Branches)</b> 1355 Old Courthouse Sq, Martinsburg 9604 Winchester Ave., Bunker Hill 9853 Williamsport Pike, Falling Waters 7796 Winchester Ave., Inwood 1498 Gerrardstown Rd., Gerrardstown 5471 Hedgesville Rd., Hedgesville	800-275-8777 267-7787 229-8303 274-2091 229-8450 229-3325 754-3013	usps.com
<b>Public Library</b> Martinsburg-Berkeley Co Public Library 101 W. King Street, Martinsburg Musselman-South Berkeley Public Library 126 Excellence Way, Inwood Hedgesville Public Library 207 North Mary St., Hedgesville, WV North Berkeley Public Library 1255 TJ Jackson Dr., Falling Waters, WV	267-8933 229-2220 754-3949 274-3443	martinsburg.lib.wv.us
<b>Schools (Public Schools)</b> <b>Berkeley County (Administrative Offices)</b> 401 S. Queen Street, Martinsburg	267-3500	berkeleycountyschools.org
<b>Telephone Company</b> Verizon Residential Service Business Service Frontier Communications Lumos Networks	800-837-4966 800-569-8799 800-921-8101 800-320-6144	verizon.com frontier.com lumosnetworks.com

<b>TV Cable / Satellite</b> <b>Comcast Cable</b>	800-934-6489 888-266-2278	comcast.com
<b>Utilities</b> <b>Water and Sewer</b> City of Martinsburg Water & Sewer Berkeley County Water Berkeley County Sewer <b>Electric</b> Potomac Edison  <b>Natural Gas</b> Mountaineer Gas	264-2116 267-4600 263-8566  800-686-0011  800-834-2070	cityofmartinsburg.org berkeleywater.org bcpsd.org
<b>Voter Registration</b> 100 W. King Street, Martinsburg	264-1989	berkeleycountycomm.org

## HEALTH CARE

Valley Health is a nonprofit organization serving the healthcare needs of residents in the tri-state areas of Virginia, West Virginia and Maryland. It is comprised of 6 hospitals and 3 urgent care centers with over 5,300 employees and a medical staff of over 500. There are a total of 594 licensed in-patient beds and 166 long-term care beds among 6 the hospitals.

The **mission statement** of Valley Health is "**Serving our community by Improving Health**" and their **vision** is "**One System – One Purpose: Leading with Innovative Healthcare**"

### HOSPITALS AFFILIATED WITH VALLEY HEALTH

**Hampshire Memorial Hospital**

363 Sunrise Blvd.  
Romney, WV 26757  
(304) 822-4561

**War Memorial Hospital**

1 Healthy Way  
Berkeley Springs, WV 25411  
(304) 258-1234

**Page Memorial Hospital**

200 Memorial Drive  
Luray, VA 22835  
(540) 743-4561

**Warren Memorial Hospital**

1000 N. Shenandoah Avenue  
Front Royal, VA 22630  
(540) 636-0300

**Shenandoah Memorial Hospital**

759 S. Main Street  
Woodstock, VA 22664  
(540) 459-1100

**Winchester Medical Center**

1840 Amherst Street  
Winchester, VA 22601  
(540) 536-8000

### VALLEY HEALTH URGENT / QUICK CARE CENTERS

**Valley Health Urgent Care**

607 E. Jubal Early Drive  
Winchester, VA 22601  
(540) 536-2232

**Valley Health Quick Care**

33820 Old Valley Pike  
Strasburg, VA 22657  
(540) 459-1310

**Valley Health Urgent Care**

120 Commerce Street  
Front Royal, VA 22630  
(540) 635-0700

**Valley Health Urgent Care**

97 Administrative Drive  
Martinsburg, WV 25404  
(304) 350-3200



## **VALLEY HEALTH AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION:**

- Angioplasty
- Audiology
- Cancer Cure (see Oncology)
- Cardiology
  - Cardiopulmonary Lab
  - Electrocardiography
  - Coronary Angioplasty
  - Cardiac Catheterization
  - Open Heart Surgery
  - Cardiac Rehabilitation
- Critical Care
- Dentistry
- Dermatology
- Detoxification (Drugs and Alcohol)
- Diagnostic and Therapeutic Radiological Services
  - CT Scanning
  - Ultrasonography
  - Radioisotopes
- Emergency Medicine
- Endocrinology
- Family Practice
- General Surgery
- Gynecology
- Home Health
- Internal Medicine
- Lithotripsy
- Magnetic Resonance Imaging
- Medical Education
- Neurology
  - Neuro Special Care
- Nuclear Medicine
- Nutrition Services
- Obstetrics/ Gynecology
- Occupational Therapy
- Oncology/ Hematology
  - Chemotherapy
  - Radiation Oncology
- Ophthalmology
- OPTIFAST Weight Control
- Oral Surgery
- Orthopedic Surgery
- Otolaryngology
- Outpatient Surgery
- Pediatrics
- Pedodontics
- Pharmacy
- Physical Therapy
- Plastic Surgery

- Premature and Well Baby Nurseries
- Psychiatry
- Recreational Therapy
- Rehabilitation
- Renal Dialysis
- Respiratory Therapy
- Rheumatology
- Speech Therapy
- Social Services
- Thoracic/ Cardiovascular Surgery
- UrologyNeurosurgery  
Neuro/Stroke Rehabilitation

***Winchester Medical Center is rated "high performing" in nine specialties by U.S. News & World Report. Those specialties are:***

- Cardiology & Heart Surgery
- Diabetes & Endocrinology
- Orthopedics
- Geriatrics
- Gastroenterology & GI Surgery
- Nephrology
- Neurology & Neurosurgery
- Pulmonology
- Urology

## **VALLEY HEALTH ACCOLADES/ RANKINGS**

A few of the accolades from recent years are as follows:

**2014-15** - The Winchester Medical Center was recognized by *U. S. News and World Report* as a **Best Regional Hospital** and was ranked among the **top five** hospitals in Virginia by the rating agency.

**November 2012** - Winchester Medical Center (**WMC**) awarded "A" rating by national Hospital Safety Group for patient safety

**July 2012** - **WMC** rated the sixth "Best Overall Hospital" in Virginia and was rated the "top" hospital in the Shenandoah Valley by U.S. News & World Report

**February 2012** - **WMC** ranked among the nation's "Best Regional Hospitals for 2011-2012" by U.S. News & World Report

**July 2011** - **WMC** is first hospital in Virginia to receive Heart Failure Accreditation

**May 2011 - WMC** ranked among the top 10 percent of the most recommended hospitals in America by patients. For 3rd Qtr. 2009 to 2nd Qtr. 2010, WMC had the third highest recommendation score among 175 hospitals in Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, Delaware and DC.

**March 2011 - WMC** selected as one of 10 U.S. sites to use robotic catheter technology in FDA clinical trial.

**November 2010 - WMC** Cardiovascular Unit receives Beacon Award for critical care excellence

**November 2010 - WMC** rated top 5% in nation by patients and ahead of every hospital in Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, Delaware and the District of Columbia.

As health care providers since the turn of the century, they maintain their founding ideal ~ to provide the highest quality health care with small town compassion. They call it “excellence with a personal touch”. In support of their commitment to quality, they voluntarily submit to a review of the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations. The Commission has consistently awarded them full accreditation, a recognition bestowed on only one out of four hospitals nationally.

**VALLEY HEALTH**  
**HEALTH, WELLNESS AND PREVENTION SERVICES**

For more information on any of the following programs, please call 1-800-662-7831.

***Disease Management:***

- ❖ Community Case Management (for homebound patients)
- ❖ Congestive Heart Failure Clinic
- ❖ EPO Clinic/EECP/SEEK/Anticoag
- ❖ Faith Community Nursing
- ❖ Infusion Center
- ❖ Stroke Program
- ❖ Wound Care Center

***Community Health Education:***

- ❖ CPR
- ❖ Diabetes Management
- ❖ Dietitian Counseling
- ❖ First Aid Classes
- ❖ Infant Massage
- ❖ Mind Aerobics (class on age-related changes)
- ❖ Ripples (Networking for women with cancer)
- ❖ Safe Sitter Program
- ❖ Wellspring Series

***Screening:***

- ❖ Blood Pressure
- ❖ Bone Density
- ❖ Brain Tumor
- ❖ Heart Attack Risk Program
- ❖ Lab Screening

***Support Group (for patients & families affected by chronic diseases):***

- ❖ Alzheimer's Support
- ❖ Amputee Support
- ❖ Arthritis Support
- ❖ Bariatric Surgery Support
- ❖ Breast Cancer Support
- ❖ Care Givers Support
- ❖ Diabetes Support
- ❖ Low Vision Support
- ❖ Man To Man (prostrate cancer)
- ❖ Mended Hearts (Heart Surgery)
- ❖ Parkinson's Support
- ❖ Quit For Good (Smoking)
- ❖ Young Breast Cancer Survivors
- ❖ Young Diabetes Support

***Transition Programs:***

- ❖ Bariatric Exercise Component
- ❖ Cardiac - Movin' Forward
- ❖ Cardiopulmonary Rehab
- ❖ Fit For Surgery (fitness program to prepare for surgery)
- ❖ Habits Not Diets
- ❖ Home Health (intermittent home medical care)
- ❖ Keep It Off (maintaining weight loss)
- ❖ Outpatient Rehab
- ❖ Weigh 2 GO (class on diet & exercise)

## **OTHER HEALTH CARE FACILITIES IN THE REGION**

Other major health care facilities in the region include:

- ❖ **VA Medical Center** also known as the Martinsburg Veterans Affairs Medical Center (VAMC) provides medical support for military veterans and is located in Martinsburg, West Virginia. The hospital consists of 69 acute care beds plus 178 Nursing beds and 312 domiciliary care beds. The center serves 126,000 veterans in West Virginia, Maryland, Virginia, and Pennsylvania and offer a comprehensive range of services. They are located at 510 Butler Avenue in Martinsburg. Their phone number is 800-817-3807 and website is [www.martinsburg.va.gov](http://www.martinsburg.va.gov).
- ❖ **Virginia Department of Health** - The mission of the Frederick/Winchester Health Department is to achieve and maintain optimum personal and community health by emphasizing health promotion, disease prevention, emergency preparedness and environmental protection. They are located at 10 Baker Street in Winchester. Their phone number is (540) 722-3470 and their website is [www.vdh.virginia.gov/lhd/lordfairfax](http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/lhd/lordfairfax).
- ❖ **University of Virginia Health System** is located in Charlottesville, Virginia. UVA Health System includes a 565-bed hospital, level I trauma center, nationally recognized cancer and heart centers and primary and specialty clinics throughout Central Virginia. The main hospital is located at 1215 Lee Street in Charlottesville. The main phone number is 434-924-0211, Toll Free 800-251-3627 and their website is [www.uvahealth.com](http://www.uvahealth.com).
- ❖ **Northwestern Community Services** offers an array of outpatient, case management and emergency programs that are designed to enhance the quality of life for both children and adults affected by emotional/behavioral disorders, mental illness, substance abuse and mental retardation and developmental disabilities (MR/DD). They have offices in Winchester, Front Royal, Woodstock and Luray. The office in Winchester is located at 158 Front Royal Pike, Suite 200. Their phone number is (540) 667-8888 and website is [www.nwcsb.com](http://www.nwcsb.com).

Included in the benefits of living near a major metropolitan area is easy access to some of the most comprehensive medical care facilities in the country. Among those are:

- ❖ **Children's Hospital National Medical Center** is located in Washington, D.C. and has some of the nation's best pediatric physicians on staff.
- ❖ **Georgetown and George Washington University**, among others, are staffed by leading specialists in all fields of medicine and research.

## TEMPORARY LODGING

NAME (listed alphabetically)	ADDRESS / PHONE #	WEBSITE
<b><i>Comfort Inn - Aikens Center</i></b>	1872 Edwin Miller Blvd Martinsburg, WV 25401 (304) 263-6200	comfortinn.com
<b><i>Comfort Suites</i></b>	1937 Short Road Martinsburg, WV 25402 (304) 263-8888	comfordsuitesmartinsburg.com
<b><i>Days Inn - Shenandoah</i></b>	209 Viking Way Martinsburg, WV 25401 (304) 263-1800	daysinn.com
<b><i>Hampton Inn - Martinsburg</i></b>	975 Foxcroft Avenue Martinsburg, WV 25401 (304) 267-2900	hamptoninn3.hilton.com
<b><i>Hampton Inn - Inwood</i></b>	4758 Gerrardstown Road Inwood, WV 25428 (304) 229-6677	hamptoninn3.hilton.com
<b><i>Holiday Inn</i></b>	301 Foxcroft Avenue Martinsburg, WV 25401 (304) 267-5500	holidayinn.com
<b><i>Motel 6 Martinsburg</i></b>	5595 Hammonds Mill Road Martinsburg, WV 25401 (304) 274-2181	motel6.com
<b><i>Knights Inn</i></b>	1997 Edwin Miller Blvd. Martinsburg, WV 25401 (304) 267-2211	knightsin.com
<b><i>Rodeway Inn</i></b>	94 McMillian Court Martinsburg, WV 25401 (304) 263-8811	rodewayinn.com

# CHURCHES

Listed below is a sampling of various churches in the area by denomination

<b>ASSEMBLY OF GOD</b>		
Faith Tabernacle AOG	7937 Apple Harvest Dr., Gerrardstown	(304) 229-8475
Hedgesville Assembly of God	6867 Hedgesville Rd., Hedgesville	(304) 754-8020
Inwood Assembly of God	RR 11, Inwood	(304) 229-3931
<b>BAPTIST</b>		
Baker Heights Baptist	580 Needy Rd., Martinsburg	(304) 267-8778
Berkeley Baptist Church	172 Winchester Grade Rd, Berkeley Springs	(304) 258-4101
Covenant Baptist Church	7485 Shepherdstown Pike, Shepherdstown	(304) 876-2212
Destiny Baptist Church	115 North Raleigh St., Martinsburg	(304) 267-4489
Emmanuel Baptist Church	5299 Central Ave., Great Cacapon	(304) 258-6097
First Baptist Church - Inwood	634 Middleway Pike, Inwood	(304) 229-3690
First Baptist Church - Martinsburg	315 W. King Street, Martinsburg	(304) 263-5722
Hedgesville Baptist Church	2710 Butlers Chapel Rd., Martinsburg	(304) 754-7036
<b>BIBLE</b>		
Snyder's Bible Chapel	10980 Martinsburg Road, Hedgesville	(304) 258-3930
<b>CATHOLIC</b>		
St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church	67 Liberty St., Berkeley Springs	(304) 258-1311
<b>CHURCH OF CHRIST</b>		
Church of Christ - Martinsburg	9512 Tuscarora Pike, Martinsburg	(340) 263-5989
Church of Christ - Northside	Corner Kauffman & Woodberry, Martinsburg	(340) 263-0600
Church of Christ - Vanville	11 Classic Vanville Rd., Martinsburg	(340) 267-4296
<b>JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS</b>		
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints	1050 Lovelace Way, Martinsburg	(304) 267-6438



<b>EPISCOPAL</b>		
St. Marks Episcopal Church	180 S. Washington Street, Berkeley Springs	(304) 258-2440
<b>LUTHERAN</b>		
St. John Lutheran Church	950 Washington Street, Harpers Ferry	(304) 535-3105
St. John's Lutheran Church	101 W. Martin Street, Martinsburg	(304) 263-9291
<b>METHODIST</b>		
Blairton United Methodist Church	71 Upper Road, Martinsburg	(304) 754-5333
Bunker Hill United Methodist	9863 Winchester Ave., Bunker Hill	(304) 229-8508
Calvary United Methodist	220 W. Burke St., Martinsburg	(304) 267-4542
First United Methodist Church	49 S. Green St., Berkeley Springs	(304) 258-2766
Hedgesville United Methodist Church	201 S. Mary Street, Hedgesville	(304) 754-8793
<b>NAZARENE</b>		
Berkeley Springs Church of Nazarene	58 Truman Street, Berkeley Springs	(304) 258-4412
<b>NON-DENOMINATIONAL</b>		
Crossroads Community Church	111 Ellis Street, Martinsburg	(304) 260-8645
Inwood Family Worship Center	28 Lafayette Lane, Inwood	(304) 229-6715
<b>PENTECOSTAL</b>		
Full Gospel Pentecostal Church	36 Laing Drive, Martinsburg	(304) 267-4071
<b>PRESBYTERIAN</b>		
Berkeley Springs Presbyterian Church	97 Mercer St, Berkeley Springs	(304) 258-1352
<b>SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST</b>		
Seventh Day Adventist Church	3606 Valley Road, Berkeley Springs	(304) 258-6620

# TRANSPORTATION

## HIGHWAYS

Highways that serve the Martinsburg/Berkeley County Area:

Interstate 81 (North-South)  
Interstate 70 (East-West)  
US 11 (North-South)  
WV-9 (North-South)  
WV-45 (East-West)  
WV-51 (East-West)

Approximate distances and driving times to selected locations from *Martinsburg, WV*:

<b>Destination</b>	<b>Distance (in miles)</b>	<b>Time</b>
Atlanta, GA	622	10 hrs, 5 mins
Baltimore, MD	89	1 hr, 39 mins
Boston, MA	487	8 hrs, 31 mins
Detroit, MI	469	7 hrs, 50 mins
Hagerstown, MD	24	30 mins
New York, NY	261	4 hrs, 31 mins
Philadelphia, PA	190	3 hrs, 29 mins
Pittsburg, PA	189	3 hrs, 19 mins
Richmond, VA	170	3 hrs, 3 mins
Washington, DC	79	1 hr, 43 mins

## AIRPORTS

Nearest commercial airports and driving distance in miles from *Martinsburg, WV*

<b>Airport Name</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Distance (in miles)</b>
Hagerstown Regional Airport	Hagerstown, MD	28
Washington-Dulles International	Chantilly, VA	55
Baltimore-Washington International	Baltimore, MD	91

## COMMUTER RAIL SERVICE

Martinsburg and Berkeley County are served by Amtrak Train Service ([www.amtrak.com](http://www.amtrak.com)) and the MARC Commuter Train Service at the Caperton Train Station ([mta.maryland.gov](http://mta.maryland.gov)), 229 East Martin St, Martinsburg WV. Fare information and schedules are available on their websites.

## **LOCAL BUS TRANSPORTATION**

PanTran provides public transportation services to Berkeley and Jefferson Counties in West Virginia. They operate a fleet of buses six days a week that help local residents get to work, school, shopping centers and hospitals. For more information, visit their website at [www.pantran.com](http://www.pantran.com) or call 304-263-0876.

## **TAXI SERVICE**

Taxi service is available via private cab companies:

Courtesy Cab, Martinsburg, WV (304) 267-8294  
Community Taxi, Martinsburg, WV (304) 262-8294  
Community Taxi, Ranson, WV (304) 725-3794  
Blue Cab of Martinsburg, Martinsburg WV (304) 441-6000  
Coast & Valley Taxi, Martinsburg WV (304) 616-8560

## SHOPPING

From the revitalized Martinsburg shopping district, to the area shopping mall, Berkeley County offers a fine selection of stores and shops. An enclosed mall provides access to national retailers and serves as a backdrop for special exhibits and performances. Individual shopping centers offer a great selection of discount stores, supermarkets, and specialty shops.

Listed below are the major shopping malls in the region:

<b>Name of Shopping Center (listed alphabetically)</b>	<b>Address (website, if available)</b>	<b>Major Retailers &amp; Services</b>
<b><i>Apple Blossom Mall (A Simon Mall)</i></b>	1850 Apple Blossom Drive Winchester, VA 22601 (540) 665-0202  simon.com/mall/apple-blossom-mall	Belk's, JC Penney, Sears and more than 90 other stores, including a food court and all new Apple Blossom 12 Carmike Cinemas.
<b><i>Hagerstown Premium Outlets</i></b>	495 Premium Outlets Blvd. Hagerstown, MD (301) 790-0300  premiumoutlets.com	A village style shopping center that includes Adidas, Banana Republic, Brooks Brothers, Calvin Klein, Coach, Under Armour, Izod and many other retailers.
<b><i>Martinsburg Mall</i></b>	800 Foxcroft Avenue Martinsburg, WV (304) 264-0017  shopmartinsburgmall.com	Bon Ton, JC Penney, Walmart, and more than 40 other retailers, including a food court.
<b><i>Valley Mall</i></b>	17301 Valley Mall Road Hagerstown, MD (301) 582-1000  shopthevalleymall.com	Over 90 specialty retailers such as Penney's, Macy's, Sears, The Bon Ton, Old Navy and includes Regal Cinemas and several restaurants.

# BERKELEY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

## Enrollment - Registration Procedures & Guidelines

### Kindergarten Enrollment

To enroll in Kindergarten, a child must be five prior to September 1 of that year:

1. A child who will be five years of age prior to September 1 will be enrolled in kindergarten.
2. A child who will be six years of age prior to September 1 must be enrolled in school; will be enrolled in first grade if the child has completed an accredited kindergarten program; and will be enrolled in kindergarten if an accredited kindergarten program has not been completed.

NOTE: Kindergarten students presently attending Berkeley County schools need not re-enroll for first grade.

### Registration Documents required by schools:

- Certified Birth Certificate
  - Hospital or County Birth Certificates are not acceptable.
  - Certified Birth Certificates must be obtained from your State's Office of Vital Statistics.

For West Virginia contact:

Vital Registration

Room 165

350 Capital Street

Charleston, WV 25301-3701

(304) 558-2931

The fee is \$12.00

For information on how to contact other states call 267-3510, Ext. 3234.

- Completed Enrollment Form (available at school)
- Social Security Card
- Immunization Records
- As of May 25, 2015, Tuberculin Skin Testing (PPD) is no longer required for students entering from out of state. However, students entering from a country with high risk will be required to complete PPD.
- Name and Address of your child's last school.
- Proof of residency in Berkeley County.
- Required Health Check for Pre-K
- Suggested Health Check for Kindergarten

## **Berkeley County Public Schools**

### **Mission Statement**

*Berkeley County Schools will provide educational excellence for all.*

### **Core Beliefs**

*Based on the core values of **Accountability, Integrity and Respect:***

*We believe...*

**A**.....we are accountable for the learning and achievement of every student.

**I**.....in achieving with integrity.

**R**.....respect for self, others and school creates a safe environment for learning.

# **BERKELEY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

**Administrative Offices:  
401 S. Queen Street  
Martinsburg, WV  
304-267-3500  
berkeleycountyschools.org**

<b>ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS</b>			
<b>Name of School (listed alphabetically)</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Phone #</b>	<b>Website Address</b>
<b><i>Back Creek Valley</i></b>	1962 Back Creek Valley Road Hedgesville, WV	304-229-1975	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/backcreek">berkeleycountyschools.org/backcreek</a>
<b><i>Bedington</i></b>	149 Bedington Road Martinsburg, WV	304-274-2535	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/bedington">berkeleycountyschools.org/bedington</a>
<b><i>Berkeley Heights</i></b>	726 Hack Wilson Way Martinsburg, WV	304-267-3520	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/berkeleyheights">berkeleycountyschools.org/berkeleyheights</a>
<b><i>Bunker Hill</i></b>	58 Happy School Ave Bunker Hill, WV	304-229-1980	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/bunkerhill">berkeleycountyschools.org/bunkerhill</a>
<b><i>Burke Street</i></b>	422 W. Burke Street Martinsburg, WV	304-267-3525	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/burkestreet">berkeleycountyschools.org/burkestreet</a>
<b><i>Eagle School Intermediate</i></b>	730 Eagle School Road Martinsburg, WV	304-263-0422	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/eagleschool">berkeleycountyschools.org/eagleschool</a>
<b><i>Gerrardstown</i></b>	15 Dominion Road Gerrardstown, WV	304-229-1985	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/gerrardstown">berkeleycountyschools.org/gerrardstown</a>
<b><i>Hedgesville</i></b>	88 Schoolhouse Road Hedgesville, WV	304-754-3341	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/hedgesvilleelementary">berkeleycountyschools.org/hedgesvilleelementary</a>
<b><i>Inwood Primary</i></b>	7864 Winchester Avenue Inwood, WV	304-229-1990	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/inwood">berkeleycountyschools.org/inwood</a>
<b><i>Marlowe</i></b>	9580 Williamsport Pike Falling Waters, WV	304-274-2291	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/Marlowe">berkeleycountyschools.org/Marlowe</a>
<b><i>Mill Creek Intermediate</i></b>	8785 Winchester Ave. Bunker Hill, WV	304-229-4570	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/Millcreek">berkeleycountyschools.org/Millcreek</a>

<b><i>Mountain Ridge Intermediate</i></b>	2691 Gerrardstown Rd. Gerrardstown WV	304-229-6791	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/mountainridge">berkeleycountyschools.org/mountainridge</a>
<b><i>Opequon</i></b>	395 East Rd., Martinsburg WV	304-267-3550	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/opequon">berkeleycountyschools.org/opequon</a>
<b><i>Orchard View Intermediate</i></b>	1455 Delmar Orchard Rd. Martinsburg WV	304-263-4143	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/orchardview">berkeleycountyschools.org/orchardview</a>
<b><i>Potomack Intermediate</i></b>	5308 Williamsport Pike Martinsburg WV	304-274-6592	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/potomack">berkeleycountyschools.org/potomack</a>
<b><i>Rosemont</i></b>	301 South Alabama Ave. Martinsburg WV	304-267-3560	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/rosemont">berkeleycountyschools.org/rosemont</a>
<b><i>Spring Mills Primary</i></b>	401 Campus Dr. Martinsburg WV	304-274-5892	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/springmillsprimary">berkeleycountyschools.org/springmillsprimary</a>
<b><i>Tomahawk Intermediate</i></b>	6665 Hedgesville Rd. Hedgesville WV	304-754-3171	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/tomahawk">berkeleycountyschools.org/tomahawk</a>
<b><i>Tuscarora</i></b>	2000 Tavern Rd. Martinsburg WV	304-267-3565	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/Tuscarora">berkeleycountyschools.org/Tuscarora</a>
<b><i>Valley View</i></b>	140 Nadenbousch Ln. Martinsburg WV	304-229-1970	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/valleyview">berkeleycountyschools.org/valleyview</a>
<b><i>Winchester Avenue</i></b>	650 Winchester Ave. Martinsburg WV	304-267-3570	<a href="http://berkeleycountyschools.org/winchesteravenue">berkeleycountyschools.org/winchesteravenue</a>



**Berkeley County Public Schools (continued)**

<b>MIDDLE SCHOOLS</b>			
<b>Name of School (listed alphabetically)</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Phone #</b>	<b>Website Address</b>
<b><i>Hedgesville Middle</i></b>	334 Schoolhouse Dr, Hedgesville, WV	304-754-3313	berkeleycountyschools.org/hedgesvillemiddle
<b><i>Musselman Middle</i></b>	126 Excellence Way Bunker Hill, WV	304-229-1965	berkeleycountyschools.org/musselmanmiddle
<b><i>Martinsburg North Middle</i></b>	250 East Road Martinsburg, WV	304-267-3540	berkeleycountyschools.org/martinsburgnorth
<b><i>Martinsburg South Middle</i></b>	150 Bulldog Blvd. Martinsburg, WV	304-267-3545	berkeleycountyschools.org/martinsburgsouth
<b><i>Mountain Ridge</i></b>	2771 Gerrardstown Rd. Gerrardstown WV	304-229-8833	berkeleycountyschools.org/mountainridgemiddle
<b><i>Spring Mills Middle</i></b>	255 Campus Drive Martinsburg, WV	304-274-5030	berkeleycountyschools.org/springmillsmiddle

<b>HIGH SCHOOLS</b>			
<b>Name of School (listed alphabetically)</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Phone #</b>	<b>Website Address</b>
<b><i>Hedgesville High</i></b>	109 North Ridge Road Hedgesville, WV	304-754-3354	berkeleycountyschools.org/hedgesvillehigh
<b><i>Martinsburg High</i></b>	701 S. Queen Street Martinsburg, WV	304-267-3530	berkeleycountyschools.org/martinsburghigh
<b><i>Musselman High</i></b>	126 Excellence Way Bunker Hill, WV	304-229-1950	berkeleycountyschools.org/musselmanhigh
<b><i>Spring Mills High</i></b>	499 Campus Drive Martinsburg, WV	304-274-5141	berkeleycountyschools.org/springmillshigh

## OTHER SCHOOLS

Name of School	Address	Phone #	Website Address
<i>James Rumsey Technical Institute</i>	3274 Hedgesville Road Martinsburg, WV	304-754-7925	jamesrumsey.com
<i>Valley College</i>	287 Aikens Center Martinsburg, WV	304-263-0979	valley.edu

## PRIVATE EDUCATION

Numerous private facilities, including schools for autism and other learning disabilities are available.

NAME OF SCHOOL (listed alphabetically)	ADDRESS	PHONE # / WEBSITE	GRADES
<i>Faith Christian Academy</i>	138 Greensburg Road Martinsburg, WV	304-263-0011 faithchristianacademy.net	PreK-12
<i>Martinsburg Christian Academy</i>	2247 Williamsport Pike Martinsburg, WV	304-267-6368 sbbcwv.com	PreK-12
<i>Rocky Knoll Adventist School</i>	52 Advent Drive Martinsburg, WV	304-263-9894 <a href="https://go2rks.com/about">https://go2rks.com/about</a>	PreK-8
<i>St. Joseph School</i>	110 E. Stephen Street Martinsburg, WV	304-267-6447 stjosephparishschool.us	PreK-8

## POST SECONDARY EDUCATION

<b>Name of Institution / City (listed alphabetically)</b>	<b>Type of Institution</b>	<b>Phone #</b>	<b>Website</b>
<b><i>Blue Ridge Community and Technical College</i></b> 13650 Apple Harvest Drive Martinsburg, WV	Public - 2 year Vocational training and workforce development	304-260-4380	blueridgectc.edu
<b><i>Shenandoah University</i></b> 1460 University Drive Winchester, Virginia	Private (Methodist) 4 year Bachelor's, Master's and Doctoral degrees	800-432-2266	su.edu
<b><i>Shepherd University</i></b> P.O. Box 5000 Shepherdstown, WV	Public - 4 year Bachelor's and Master's degrees	304-876-5000	shepherd.edu
<b><i>West Virginia University</i></b> P.O. Box 6201 Morgantown, WV	Public - 4 year Bachelor's, Master's and Doctoral degrees	304-293-0111	wvu.edu

# **LIBRARY SYSTEMS**

*website for all branches: [martinsburg.lib.wv.us](http://martinsburg.lib.wv.us)*

## **MARTINSBURG-BERKELEY COUNTY LIBRARY**

101 West King Street  
Martinsburg, WV 25401  
(304) 267-8933

## **MUSSELMAN-SOUTH BERKELEY LIBRARY**

(located at Musselman High School)  
126 Excellence Way  
Inwood, WV 25428  
(304) 229-2220

## **HEDGESVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY**

207 North Mary Street  
Hedgesville, WV 25427  
(304) 754-3949

## **NORTH BERKELEY PUBLIC LIBRARY**

1255 TJ Jackson Drive  
Falling Waters, WV 25419  
(304) 274-3443

## CHILD DAY CARE CENTERS

Name (Listed Alphabetically)	Address	Phone #
<b><i>Busy Bee Child Care South</i></b>	5342 Tabler Station Road Inwood, WV	304-267-7024
<b><i>Children First Child Development</i></b>	95 Childrens Way Kearneysville, WV 25430	304-820-0324
<b><i>Faith Christian Academy</i></b>	138 Greenburg Road Martinsburg, WV	304-263-0011
<b><i>His Little Lambs Daycare</i></b>	437 Border Road Kearneysville, WV	304-724-9335
<b><i>Jack &amp; Jill Preschools Inc</i></b>	307 Medical Court Martinsburg, WV	304-267-2777
<b><i>Jefferson Academy</i></b>	449 Rose Hill Drive Kearneysville, WV	304-725-1438
<b><i>Kids Kount LLC</i></b>	9802 Martinsburg Pike Martinsburg, WV	304-886-6951
<b><i>Kid's World</i></b>	11507 Winchester Avenue Bunker Hill, WV	304-596-0006
<b><i>Lil Adventures Daycare</i></b>	557 Jenny Wren Drive Martinsburg, WV	240-527-9161
<b><i>Little Eagle Child Care Center, Inc. II</i></b>	313 B Fifth Street Martinsburg, WV	304-229-7529
<b><i>Mountaintop Daycare, LLC</i></b>	369 Rotterham Drive Hedgesville, WV	304-754-3484
<b><i>New Beginnings Child Care LLC</i></b>	1544 Middleway Pike Inwood, WV	304-229-8823
<b><i>Norborne Preschool &amp; Day Care</i></b>	200 W. King Street Martinsburg, WV	304-263-2298
<b><i>Our Little Preschool</i></b>	500 N. Tennessee Ave Martinsburg, WV	304-264-9728
<b><i>Rainbows End Child Develop. Ctr</i></b>	1301 Echo Street Martinsburg, WV	304-267-0416
<b><i>Resa VIII Headstart</i></b>	1500 Winchester Avenue Martinsburg, WV	304-263-5811
<b><i>Step Ahead Preschool</i></b>	418 Stribling Road Martinsburg, WV	304-263-6181
<b><i>Teddy Bear Preschool</i></b>	1890 Middleway Pike Bunker Hill, WV	304-229-0483
<b><i>The Golden Rule Daycare</i></b>	407 Bowers Street Martinsburg, WV	304-262-8371
<b><i>The Mustard Seed</i></b>	101 W. Martin Street Martinsburg, WV	304-263-9291
<b><i>Tiny Tots Village Inc.</i></b>	1206 Williamsport Pike Martinsburg, WV	304-264-0227
<b><i>Wee Disciples Christian Academy</i></b>	114 Poor Farm Road #101 Kearneysville, WV	304-707-6812

## REGIONAL PARKS & RECREATION

As you travel throughout Berkeley County, the irresistible natural beauty of the land will captivate and lure you into one of the endless opportunities for outdoor adventure. No matter what your pleasure—biking, hiking, fishing, hunting, rock climbing, boating, golf or sight-seeing—Berkeley County provides the perfect landscape in any season to engage in your favorite indulgence.

For a splashing good time, white-water rafting on the Potomac and Shenandoah Rivers is a refreshing group challenge. Or wet your whistle with some of the finest fishing on the east coast in many of the creeks, rivers and streams. Whether you're on two wheels or journeying by foot, the Appalachian Trail and C & O Canal Towpath offer challenges and breath-taking vistas rolled into one. And if golf is your game, Berkeley County boasts two championship-length courses set amidst the awesome splendor of the area's natural beauty.

Host of well-known national and international cycling events, like Rider Rally and the Olympic Trials, this natural beauty that weaves throughout the county has become sought out by many. Nature has cleverly knit raw beauty and adventure together for endless journeys in the great outdoors. The most glorious pleasures of the area offer a myriad of challenges for everyone in the great outdoors.

### CITY OF MARTINSBURG PARKS

#### **Ambrose Park**

Location: Mall Drive  
Acreage: 4.3 acres  
Type: Neighborhood Park  
Facilities: 1 large Pavilion, rest room facilities, playground area, picnic tables, grills, paved parking, dog park and children's garden (under construction).

#### **Lambert Park**

Location: Woodbury Avenue  
Acreage: 12 acres  
Type: Neighborhood Park  
Facilities: Outdoor pool (bath house and concession stand, baby pool, wading pool and water slide), paved parking and Berkeley 2000 Recreation Center which houses Parks & Recreation Administrative Offices, Gymnastics Center and Quad/Graphics Gymnasium and the Marshall Mason Multipurpose Center.

#### **Leeland Park**

Location: West Martin Street between Race and Samuel Streets  
Acreage: 1.5 acres  
Type: Mini Park  
Facilities: Large playground area, basketball court, small pavillion

### **Martin Luther King, Jr. Park**

Location: West martin Street between Samuel and Charles Streets  
Acreage: 1 acre  
Type: Mini Park  
Facilities: 1 Paved basketball court and compact fitness center

### **Oak Street Park**

Location: Oak Street between Cedar and Leonard Streets  
Acreage: 2 acres  
Type: Neighborhood Park  
Facilities: Regulation horseshoe pits, Hexagon pavilion (\$35 to rent pavilion), 1 Paved basketball court, Playground area and Parking

### **Oatesdale Park**

Location: Corner Baltimore and Williams Streets  
Acreage: 17 acres  
Type: Community Park  
Facilities: 2 In-line hockey rinks, 4 Little League fields, Trout stream and parking facility. Home of Martinsburg Little League.

### **P. O. Faulkner Park**

Location: Sycamore and Ryneal Streets  
Acreage: 30 acres  
Type: Community Park  
Facilities: 1 High school baseball field (dugouts, bleachers, press box, lights, concession stand), 4 Tennis courts, Small pavilion and Parking.  
Home field of Martinsburg High School and Berkeley County American Legion baseball.

For more information on Parks and Recreation programs you may call the Parks and Recreation Office at (304) 264-4842

## **PARKS, FORESTS AND TRAILS**

**American Discovery Trail** - Nitro, WV, 304-755-4878, This 6,000 mile, multi-use, trans-continental trail extends from Cape Henlopen, Delaware to Point Reyes, California. The trail in West Virginia is 288.6 miles long, with 4 segments.

**Appalachian Trail** - Harpers Ferry, WV, 304-258-2711, Charles Town, WV, 800-CALL-WVA, Passing through West Virginia at Harpers Ferry, the famous Appalachian Trail provides miles of scenic hiking and biking trails throughout the Northeast.

**Berkeley Springs State Park** - Berkeley Springs, WV, 304-258-2711, This working mineral spa is graced by a quaint historical atmosphere and offers treatments on a year-round basis. The highlight is George Washington's bathtub, the only outdoor monument to presidential bathing!

**C & O Canal National Historical Park** - Potomac River, 301-739-4200, Boat Rides, 301-582-0813, Hikers and bikers are invited to enjoy this former towpath canal used to transport cargo in the latter part of the 19<sup>th</sup> century. Running over 184.5 miles, the canal includes a section from Harpers Ferry to Paw Paw. Camping, fishing and boating are available in designated areas.

**Cacapon Resort State Park** - Berkeley Springs, WV, 304-258-1022, combining resort amenities with the lush surroundings of a state park, the area offers year-round access to lodge and cabins as well as horseback riding and an 18-hole championship golf course designed by master architect Robert Trent Jones.

**Harpers Ferry National Historic Park** - Harpers Ferry, WV, 304-535-6029, Combine recreation with history by walking along the brick streets of this restored, pre-Civil War town where abolitionist John Brown fought to free the slaves in 1859.

**Sam Michael's Park** - Job Corps Road, Off Route 230/Route 17, Home of the nationally recognized fall Mountain Heritage Arts and Crafts Festival, the farm is the crown jewel of the park system, offering over 130 acres of prime land. For information call: 304-728-3207.

**Sleepy Creek Wildlife Management Area** - Berkeley and Morgan Counties, 304-822-3551, This sprawling area encompasses over 22,000 acres of prime forest for seasonal hunting and rifle practice on a designated range. Over 75 primitive campsites provide an ideal outdoor experience, while a 205-acre lake offers boating and fishing.

**Tuscarora Trail** - Information 540-984-4101(Lee Ranger District), A southwestern section of a long circuit consists of the Appalachian Trail on the east and the Tuscarora Trail in the northwest. The Big Blue is 144 miles long, beginning in the north at Hancock, Maryland, on the C & O Canal Towpath under the US 522 bridge. The southern terminus connects it to the Appalachian Trail in the Matthews Arm section of the Shenandoah National Park.



# RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

## SPECTATOR SPORTS

**Charles Town Races and Casino** – 580 E. 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Ranson, WV, 304-725-7001. Enjoy live racing, a deluxe simulcast parlor, video slot games, Hollywood Casino, the Inn at Charles Town and fine dining.

**Hagerstown Speedway** - 15112 National Pike, Route 40, Hagerstown, MD, 301-582-0640, Late-model cars compete in dirt-track races from February through October.

**Summit Point Raceway** - Summit Point, WV, 304-725-8444, Sports car, motorcycle, go-cart and international Grand Prix style racing ensure area residents of season thrills.

## GOLF COURSES

**The Club at Cress Creek** - Shepherdstown, WV, 304-876-3375

**Cacapon Resort State Park Golf Course** - Berkeley Springs, WV, 304-258-1022

**Locust Hill Golf Course** - Charles Town, WV, 304-728-7300

**Mountain View Golf Course** - The Woods Resort, Hedgesville, WV, 800-984-2222

**Sleepy Hollow Golf & Country Club** - Charles Town, WV, 304-725-5210

**Stony Lick Golf Course**- The Woods Resort, Hedgesville, WV, 800-248-2222

## ATTRACTIONS

**A. T. Gift Company Farm Winery** - Route 3, Harpers Ferry, WV, 304-876-6680, Sample award-winning wines that have been served at the White House and on Capitol Hill. First Lady Barbara Bush received the Blackberry wine as a birthday gift in 1992.

**Berkeley Springs State Park** – 2 S. Washington St., Berkeley Springs, WV, 304-258-2711. Enjoy the variety of baths and treatments in the warm mineral waters that flow from the springs at a constant 74.3 degrees Fahrenheit. Bathing in the springs has been popular since before the days of George Washington.

**Harpers Ferry National Park** – 485 Fillmore St., Harpers Ferry, WV, 304-535-6029. Take a walk through time as you visit the historical town of Harpers Ferry. The park is actually a collection of many small museums created with original buildings. It offers a schedule of events all year long, with costumed interpreters providing daily tours throughout the summer and on weekends in the fall and spring.

**River Riders** – 408 Alstadts Hill Rd., Harpers Ferry, WV, 304-535-2663 or 800-326-7238, [trips@riverriders.com](mailto:trips@riverriders.com). Offers various outdoor activities: rafting, canoing, tubing, fishing, kayak, and biking.

**Martinsburg Roundhouse Center** – 100 Liberty St., Martinsburg, WV, 304-260-4141. The center includes 13 acres with 3 B&O Railroad shop buildings. The main attraction is the completely enclosed 1866 cast iron frame roadhouse.

**West Virginia Attractions** - 800-Call-WVA, Toll-free connection to information about West Virginia such as accommodations, camping, fall foliage tours, highway maps, skiing, state parks, whitewater rafting. Reservations for state park and other attractions may also be made.

**Whitewater Rafting** - Shenandoah & Potomac Rivers, Harpers Ferry and Charles Town Areas, Class II-III whitewater action with rafting, canoeing, kayaking, ziplining and tubing. For more information or reservations, contact your choice of local outfitters.

**The Woods Resort** - Hedgesville, WV, 304-754-7977. Enjoy year-round activities at this “resort for all seasons.” In addition to golf packages for the 36 holes of great golf, you’ll find deluxe lodging, dining, 2 outdoor pools, tennis courts, basketball/volleyball courts, softball field and catch-and-release fishing. For rainy day or winter activities the Sports Center houses a heated swimming pool and large whirlpool, racquetball court, a multi-purpose court for tennis and basketball and a fully equipped exercise room.

## ANNUAL EVENTS

**House and Garden Tour** - (*Last full weekend in April*) Annual tour of historic panhandle homes (including some not normally open to the public). 304-535-2627, 800-848-8687, 304-264-8801, 800-498-2386, Martinsburg, Charles Town, Shepherdstown.

**Mountain State Apple Harvest Festival** - (*held annually the third weekend in October*) Queen's coronation and ball, sports breakfast and parade plus two days of juried arts and crafts show. Admission fees apply to some activities. 304-263-2500, Martinsburg.

**Over the Mountain Studio Tour** - (*second weekend in November*) A tour featuring crafts and artwork made in the two counties. Potters, basket makers, weavers, quilters, cabinetmakers, woodcarvers, jewelry makers, portrait/other painters and doll makers. Saturday-Sunday 10:00 am – 5:00 pm. No charge. 800-624-0577, 304-725-0567.

**B & O Roundhouse Events** - (*at different times throughout the year*) For information call the Roundhouse Complex at 304-260-4141 or the Martinsburg-Berkeley County Convention and Visitor's Bureau at 304-264-8801.

**West Virginia Wine and Arts Festival** - (*Memorial Day weekend*) Savor the wines of West Virginia, sweet and dry, enjoy the vendors and food and listen to a wide variety of jazz, blues, folk and rock music. Held in Martinsburg. For more information call the Martinsburg-Berkeley County Convention and Visitor's Bureau at 304-264-8801.

## LOCAL HISTORIC SITES

**The General Adam Stephen House** in Martinsburg, restored home of the town's founder, French and Indian War commander and Revolutionary War General Adam Stephen, is located at 309 East John Street, just off the downtown area. Built of native limestone circa 1774-1789 and furnished with antique pieces of the period from 1750 to 1830, the house was restored in the 1960s as a memorial to Adam Stephen, native of Scotland, colonial surgeon, soldier, and town founder. Stephen was a contemporary military and political figure and close acquaintance of George Washington for most of Washington's adult life. Stephen's daughter, Ann, married Alexander Spottswood Dandridge, a brother-in-law of Patrick Henry and a second cousin to Martha Washington. Call 304-267-4434 for tour information

**The Triple Brick Museum**, next door at 313 East John Street, was constructed by the Showers family in the mid-1870s as housing for railroad workers. It now houses a museum of local artifacts, special collections, and period furnishings reflective of the history and cultures of early Martinsburg and Berkeley County, including such items as quilts, railroad memorabilia, items from the early spinning and textile industries, military uniforms, and more. Call 304-267-4434 for tour information.

**The Adam Stephen Monument**, burial place of General Stephen, is located at 600 South Queen Street, just north of Martinsburg High and South Middle Schools in Martinsburg.

**B & O Train Station/Roundhouse Complex**, 229 East Martin Street, Martinsburg, WV. The original roundhouse, built in 1842 and destroyed in the Civil War, was rebuilt in 1866. Site of the first national labor strike in 1877. MARC/Amtrac station. Site of Visitors Center.

**Bunker Hill Mill**, 714 Giles Mill Road, Bunker Hill, WV, 304-229-8707. Built on one of the oldest mill sites in West Virginia (1738), this mill was reconstructed in the 1880s. Tours by appointment year-round.

**The Belle Boyd House**, 126 E. Race St., Martinsburg, WV was built in 1853 by Benjamin Boyd, the father of Belle Boyd who was born in 1843 and became a confederate spy during the Civil War. After spying she became an actress and married three times and had five children. The house has been restored and turned into a military museum and local county museum with eight rooms of displays. The Archives and Research Center on the second floor has a wealth of information on the Tri-County area "Old Berkeley". Records include wills, early surveys, deeds, marriage, court case, birth and death records which are on microfilm and may be copied. There is also a family files collection, and Survey and National Register listing. The Berkeley County Historic Landmarks Commission is also in the Belle Boyd House with forms for over 2,000 properties listed in the National Register of historic places and surveys of historic buildings in Berkeley County. A book store carries local maps, pictures and local history books. The Belle Boyd House is open Sunday through Saturday from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm except major holidays. For more information call 304-267-4713 or email: [www.bchs.org](http://www.bchs.org)

**George Washington Heritage Trail** is a designated West Virginia Scenic Byway. It consists of a 136-mile looped driving tour of the three counties in excursion from Martinsburg, West Virginia east through Shepherdstown, Charles Town, and Harpers Ferry and then west through Middleway, Gerrardstown and Berkeley Springs. The route is fully signed and covers the historic, cultural, scenic and recreation areas available. 304-264-8801, 800-498-2386

**Morgan Cabin**, Built in 1731. Home of the first settler in West Virginia, Colonel Morgan Morgan. It is located on Runnymede Road, Bunker Hill, WV 25413. Open Sundays 2-4 the month of June. For information or special tours call 304-229-8707.

**The Arts Center**, 300 W. King St., Martinsburg WV, offers a wide variety of educational programs throughout the year for individuals of all ages. In addition to this, the Arts Center is the host of the WV Wine and Arts Festival, sponsors the Nancy Rodig Exhibit and annually presents an exhibition of art from students in the local area. Hours are Tuesday – Saturday 12:00 – 4:00 pm. 304-263-0224, [www.theartcentre.org](http://www.theartcentre.org)

**L. Norman Dillon Farm Museum**, 3083 Ridge Road across from the Hedgesville High School, features antique horse-drawn farm machinery and educational exhibits. Open Saturday-Sunday 1:00-5:00 p.m., April 1 through October 31. Free admission. 304-582-5707

**Snodgrass Tavern**, Route 9, West of Hedgesville, WV, distinguished as one of the oldest buildings in the state, portions of the log house and nearby outbuilding date back to the 1740s. During its operation as a tavern for over 100 years, famous visitors included George Washington and Henry Clay.

**Museum of Berkeley Springs**, Berkeley Springs, WV, is located above the 1815 Roman Bath House, the oldest public building in Morgan County. The museum highlights the history and geology of the springs. It is open 11:00 am – 4:00 pm weekends through the spring and fall, daily in the summer. It is closed from December to mid-March. Free to the public. 304-258-6020 or [www.museumoftheberkeleysprings.com](http://www.museumoftheberkeleysprings.com)

**Jefferson County Courthouse**, Charles Town, WV, is the courthouse where John Brown was tried and sentenced to hang for treason. The building was restored in 1836 and remains a working courthouse. **The Jefferson County Museum**, 200 E. Washington St., Charles Town WV, houses relics from the Civil War era and John Brown's raid. 304-725-8628.

**Historic Shepherdstown Museum**, Shepherdstown, WV, is located in the Entler Hotel. The museum offers displays of regional historical interest. The James Rumsey Boat House with its half-scale replica of the country's first successful steamboat is located just behind the Hotel. It is open from 11:00 am to 5:00 pm Saturdays and 1:00 to 4:00 pm on Sundays from April through October and the two weeks of "Christmas in Historic Shepherdstown". 304-876-0910.

**Berkeley Castle Museum**, Berkeley Springs, WV. The only English Norman Castle in America was built in 1885 and patterned as a half-scale replica of the famous Berkeley Castle in England. While no longer available for tours, it is available for weddings, fundraisers and private and corporate events. For information call 304-258-4000.

**Gerrardstown Historic District**, Gerrardstown, WV. David Gerrard first laid out the village in 1784 and many original buildings (including the 1743 Hays-Gerrard stone house) and log homes are still standing.

**Harpers Ferry Overlook**, Harpers Ferry Historical Park, 171 Shoreline Dr., Harpers Ferry WV, 304-535-6029. Visit the famous Jefferson Rock where Thomas Jefferson sat and observed West Virginia, Virginia and Maryland in 1783. He wrote of the overlook: "This scene is worth a voyage across the Atlantic."

**Hedgesville Historic District**, Hedgesville, WV, Josiah Hedges laid out the town of Hedgesville at the heavily traveled gap in North Mountain. The Mount Zion Episcopal Church was built in 1818.

## LOCAL ARTS

**Apollo Civic Theatre** - 128 East Martin Street, Martinsburg, WV, produces six main-stage shows each year as well as a summer youth production and is host to other community events throughout the year, including a Halloween event and a Community Talent Extravaganza. Charges apply. Call 304-263-6766 for more information.

**The Arts Centre** – Located in the Old Federal Building at 300 W. King Street, Martinsburg, WV, 304-263-0224. The Arts Centre is an educational resource in the community and a cultural gathering place. It is host to many exhibits and events throughout the year, including the annual West Virginia Wine and Arts Festival.

**Contemporary American Theater Festival** - Shepherdstown, WV. 304-876-3473 or 800-999-CATF, This professional theater company presents new American plays in rotating repertory. Summertime brings world premiers and important new plays.

**Ice House Summer Concert Series** - Berkeley Springs State Park, Berkeley Springs, WV. 304-258-2711 or 304-258-2300. Beneath the summer's clear blue skies, you can relax and enjoy free outdoor live performances of blues, jazz, folk and traditional music (rain location is the Ice House). From late fall through early spring the music comes inside with a series of musical events in the Ice House.

**Old Opera House Theatre** - 204 N. George Street, Charles Town, WV. 304-725-4420, This beautiful venue provides an attractive atmosphere for live stage productions of plays, musicals, concerts and dance.

**Shepherdstown Music & Dance** - Shepherdstown, WV. Kick up your heels and meet new friends at monthly dances, dance workshops, concerts and special events. The Dance Americana series features swing, Cajun, salsa and other American dance styles. Email: smad.us

**NEWSPAPERS  
(local and national)**

<b>Name of Newspaper</b>	<b>Phone #</b>	<b>Website</b>
The Journal (daily)	(304) 263-8931	journal-news.net
The Washington Post	(202) 334-6000	washingtonpost.com
The Winchester Star	(540) 667-3200	winchesterstar.com
The Wall Street Journal	(800) 568-7625	wsj.com
USA Today	(800) 872-0001	usatoday.com

**LOCAL RADIO STATIONS**

<b>Station Call Letters</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Format</b>	<b>City</b>
WVEP	88.9 FM	Public Radio	Martinsburg, WV
WTRM	91.3 FM	American Family Radio	Winchester, VA
WINC	92.5	Adult Contemporary	Winchester, VA
WDHC	92.9	Classic Rock	Berkeley Springs, WV
WLTF	97.5	Contemporary	Martinsburg, WV
WKSI	98.3	Top 40	Stephens City, VA

## LOCAL TELEVISION STATIONS

Station Letters/ Network	City / State	Website
WMAR / <b>ABC</b>	Baltimore, Maryland	abc2news.com
WRC / <b>NBC</b>	Washington, DC	nbcwashington.com
WTTG / <b>FOX</b>	Washington, DC	fox5dc.com
WJLA / <b>ABC</b>	Washington, D.C.	wjla.com
WUSA / <b>CBS</b>	Washington, DC	wusa9.com
WTAJ / <b>CBS</b>	Altoona, PA	wearecentralpa.com

## CABLE TV / INTERNET SERVICE

Company	Phone #	Website
Comcast	1-800-934-6489	comcast.com

## TELECOMMUNICATIONS

Company	Phone #	Website
<b>Telephone Company</b>		
Verizon		verizon.com
Residential Service	800-837-4966	
Business Service	800-826-2355	
Frontier Communications	800-921-8101	frontier.com
Lumos Networks	800-262-2200	lumosnetworks.com