



**NEW RIVER GORGE NATIONAL PARK AND PRESERVE, WVA  
AMERICA'S NEWEST NATIONAL PARK  
JUNE 3 – 6, 2024**

Let's visit America's newest national park, the New River Gorge with its spectacular scenery and an iconic bridge! Great hiking with lots of trails here for hikers of all levels! Besides hiking, you may also want to try an exhilarating whitewater raft trip or kayaking. The Park is approximately a four to five hour drive from Akron.

Lodging is at the Best Western, 125 Hylton Lane in Beckley, WVA. I did not reserve a block of rooms as there is plenty of availability and you can go online yourself and book a room at [Best Western Hotels - Book Online For The Lowest Rate](#) or call the hotel directly at 1-304-252-8661. The hotel is about a 15-minute drive to the park. A free hot breakfast is provided. Free cancellation until June 2. A queen double room senior rate online is currently \$132. There are refrigerators and microwaves in each room. The hotel is pet-friendly and has an outdoor pool. There are plenty of restaurants in Beckley as well as several attractions: Beckley Exhibition Coal Mine and Youth Exhibit where one can tour an actual coal mine, Grandview State Park and Beckley Arts Center. Check in is Monday June 3 and checkout is Thursday June 6.

The trip will be capped at 30 people. Please call me **before you book** and I can let you know availability. If we have reached our cap, I will add you to the waiting list. I recommend that you book as soon as possible to get on the attendee list. **You must hike a minimum of six hikes by June 3 with AMPHC and be an active member in order to attend this trip.**

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