

TRAINING PROGRAMS

The PSAD Training Center was established to provide a variety of training courses which include but are not limited to:

- Leadership In Training Program (LTP)
- PSAD Youth Camp (PYC)
- PSAD Adult/Parent Camp (PAPC)
- Sign Language Courses for Children and Adults
- Sign Language Classes for Interpreters

CAMP FACILITIES

The PSAD camp facilities are available to rent for a variety of functions including:

- Boy/Girl Scout Camp
- Retreats
- Weddings
- Family Reunions
- Support Groups
- Organizational Presentations

Contact the Camp Strategic Planning Chairperson or Camp Director to reserve your event.

WEBSITE

For more information regarding the PSAD Camp and Training Center and directions to the facility, please visit our website at www.psadland.org

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**PSAD Camp
&
Training Center**

MISSION

The mission of the PSAD Camp and Training Center is to enable Deaf, Hard of Hearing, and Public Organizations to open their eyes to the enriching world of camping, training, leadership, and socializing. This is accomplished through a proven mix of nature events, campouts, sports, and various trainings such as leadership, self defense, emergency awareness, and advocacy.



WHAT IS PSAD CAMP AND TRAINING CENTER?

PSAD Camp and Training Center, a 156-acre campground, is located about three miles west of State Route 36 near Five Points (La Jose), Pennsylvania in Clearfield County. Most PSAD members called that campground "PSADland Camp", because a first camp was made on a flat ground along the foot of the hill near the camp entrance gate in 1990. PSAD owns, operates, and maintains the campground through support of its members and volunteers.

PSAD CAMPGROUND

The PSAD Campground is located at the top of the hill about one-half mile from the camp entrance gate. A pavilion provides a picnic style outdoor social gathering place and a recreational building for indoor activities. Ten primitive rental cabins with 6 beds each are situated in a cool, wooded area. There are twenty recreational vehicle parking sites available complete with running water and electricity. A vast landscape provides ample room for tents.



Horseshoe pits, volleyball and basketball courts, and a playground for children are available for outdoor recreation.



Comfort stations, bathhouse, counselor/caretaker cabin, and a lodge are future projects.

EVENTS

Camping is a favorite outdoor activity for adults and children alike. One of the most famous events at the PSAD Camp is the Annual Fall Campout which was established in 1990. Every year in September/October, more than 125 campers visit to enjoy camping activities, fellowship, and sign language communication skills.

Additional seasonal events include:

- Fishing Camp
- Deaf Family Camp
- ATV Camp
- Camp for Children of Deaf Parents (CCDP)
- Horseshoe Tournament
- Senior Citizen Camp Outing



PSAD continues to host additional campout events as they continue to grow yearly.