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LOYALHANNA LAKE, BUSH RECREATION AREA CLOSED DUE TO HIGH POOL LEVELS

<u>Saltsburg, PA</u>- Inclement weather this past week has brought significant rainfall across the region causing water levels to rise quickly. This rise in water has raised the lake level over 20 feet at Loyalhanna Lake, thus causing unsafe conditions for visitors including floating debris and submerged hazards.

The Bush Recreation Area Campground and Boat launch will remain closed until further notice due to high pool levels. The Campground and Boat Launch will open as soon as water levels recede to safe conditions and cleanup efforts are made.

Please call the project's 24 hour code a phone message service @ 724-639-3785 for current lake conditions or contact Loyalhanna Lake, Monday thru Friday between 7am to 4pm.



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