Monday Cast live · Nov 16–18, 2026

Weather
National Weather Service forecast for Lake Marburg area

Lake Marburg

Pennsylvania
Mon Nov 16 – Wed Nov 18, 2026 · Eastern Time · Largemouth

BITE ODDS · THIS CAST

Strong odds

9/10

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PRESSURE	STORMS	WIND	SKY / RAIN	BASS STAGE	CROWD
+ Mostly stable	+ No lightning	+ 3–8 mph usable ripple	+ Clear / sunny (~0%)	+ Fall transition	+ Weekday · lighter traffic

WEEK Early-week setup on this water — highs **55–63°F**, lows **32–35°F**, rain chance up to **~0%**. Story is light and bait position — dawn and last light carry the window.

THREE-DAY WEATHER

MONDAY NOV 16

55° F high

LOW	32°F
SKY	Mostly Sunny
WIND	NW 3–8 mph
RAIN	~0%
SUN	6:53 AM / 4:51 PM

Frame: Cold start — let the sun warm the shallows; the better bite often comes later in the day.

TUESDAY NOV 17

59° F high

LOW	32°F
SKY	Sunny
WIND	NW 1–5 mph
RAIN	~0%
SUN	6:54 AM / 4:50 PM

Frame: Cold start — let the sun warm the shallows; the better bite often comes later in the day.

WEDNESDAY NOV 18

63° F high

LOW	35°F
SKY	Sunny
WIND	NW 0–3 mph
RAIN	~0%
SUN	6:55 AM / 4:49 PM

Frame: Cold start — let the sun warm the shallows; the better bite often comes later in the day.

Window: Mon–Wed · Air: NW · Bite window: dawn + last light

HOW TO FISH THIS WEATHER

MORNING

- Shallow cover, points, creek mouths
- **First light (6:53 AM EST) → ~9 AM**
- Use any ripple as cover

MIDDAY

- Shade lines, docks, deeper edges
- Electronics for bait height first
- Slow down once the sun is overhead

EVENING

- Revisit shallow shade as sun drops
- Topwater if the surface lays down
- Weekday traffic is lighter — work quiet pockets

FALL TRANSITION **Largemouth plan: Follow shad into the backs of creeks and flats 1-10 ft; spinnerbait, squarebill and topwater at a fast pace.**

BIOLOGY

BASS STAGE

Largemouth are in the fall transition — following bait into creeks and onto flats as water cools.

Basis: estimated water ~57°F — 75-day observed air record (NOAA ACIS) lagged for a lake (14-day response); no water-temperature gauge on the lake; air record trending falling

NATURAL FORAGE

What's on the menu: We do not have a dated forage report for this window.

ALSO BITING

Muskellunge · tiger muskellunge. Fall is muskie time at Marburg.

PRESSURE

Weekday traffic — lighter than the weekend. Fish early, give ramps and swim areas room.

DAM & WATER — CONFIRM BEFORE YOU LAUNCH

FIXED Dam-controlled water. No shared generation/level feed this cycle — check the agency page the morning you fish; releases and pool levels change daily. Stay outside buoyed restricted zones.

ITEM	NOTE	SOURCE
Permit / regs	Non-powered boats need a registration or a state park or PFBC launch permit.	

ACCESS — BANK / KAYAK / BOAT

BANK

Expect cold starts, near 41 to 42 degrees mornings, so dress in layers and plan for the bite to build after 10 AM. Codorus State Park has 26 miles of shoreline, and the banks around the Marina Day Use Area and the main launch on the east side give you walkable access to points and drop-offs.

KAYAK

Launch from the main launch or the Marina Day Use Area, where the boat rental also keeps kayaks and canoes on fall weekends, or from the quieter Hoff Road launch to reach the northwest arms. Stay in the protected coves on the west side, where the northwest wind is blocked, and fish the windward points at the cove mouths.

BOAT

Lake Marburg has seven launch ramps, and all but the campground ramp are open to the public. The three-lane main launch on the east side has docks and the most parking; Smith Station Road (two lanes), Blooming Grove Road, and Hoff Road (single lanes) put you on the west side and northwest arms.

LURE BOX

TOP

Walking bait over weed flats on warm Buzzbait along shady banks at first light. Large topwater for muskie at dusk.

MID

3/8 oz spinnerbait on wind-blown points. Squarebill crankbait along weed edges and riprap. Paddle-tail swimbait (3.8–4.8") for bass.

BOTTOM

Texas-rigged creature bait along weed edges. 3/8 oz football jig on main-lake points. Drop shot on deeper edges for suspended bass.