Monday Cast live · Nov 16–18, 2026

Weather
National Weather Service forecast for Wallenpaupack area

Wallenpaupack

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

BITE ODDS · THIS CAST

8/10 — Strong odds

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PRESSURE	STORMS	WIND	SKY / RAIN	BASS STAGE	CROWD
+ Mostly stable	+ No lightning	+ 6–9 mph usable ripple	+ Clear / sunny (~1%)	~ Fall transition	+ Weekday · lighter traffic

WEEK Early-week setup on this water — highs **47–57°F**, lows **31–32°F**, rain chance up to **~1%**. Story is light and bait position — dawn and last light carry the window.

THREE-DAY WEATHER

MONDAY NOV 16

47° F high

LOW	31°F
SKY	Mostly Cloudy
WIND	NW 9 mph
RAIN	~1%
SUN	6:50 AM / 4:40 PM

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

TUESDAY NOV 17

53° F high

LOW	31°F
SKY	Sunny
WIND	NW 3–7 mph
RAIN	~0%
SUN	6:51 AM / 4:39 PM

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

WEDNESDAY NOV 18

57° F high

LOW	32°F
SKY	Sunny
WIND	W 6 mph
RAIN	~0%
SUN	6:52 AM / 4:39 PM

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

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

HOW TO FISH THIS WEATHER

MORNING

- Shallow cover, points, creek mouths
- **First light (6:50 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: Slow down: steep points, channel drops and remaining grass just outside the creeks, between the fall flats and the 15-30 ft winter depth; suspending jerkbait with long pauses, jig-and-pig or blade bait crawled down the slope.**

BIOLOGY

BASS STAGE

Largemouth are in the late fall transition — water under the mid-50s, so bass are sliding off the shallow flats toward steeper points and channel drops near their fall feeding areas.

Basis: estimated water ~52°F — 75-day observed air record (NOAA ACIS) lagged for a lake (14-day response); no water-temperature

NATURAL FORAGE

Nights near 39 degrees will start the lake's real fall cooling, and smallmouth respond by moving onto rocky points, islands, and humps to feed on baitfish before winter, while largemouth hold in the coves around wood and docks. What's on the menu: We don't hav

ALSO BITING

Walleye · striped bass. PFBC stocks Wallenpaupack with walleye and with pure and hybrid striped bass.

PRESSURE

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

gauge on the lake; air record trending falling

DAM & WATER — GENERATION SCHEDULE

FIXED Dam-controlled water. No generation schedule posted by Brookfield Renewable for Mon Nov 16 – Wed Nov 18 — check the operator page the morning you fish; releases and pool levels change daily. Stay outside buoyed restricted zones.

ITEM	NOTE	SOURCE
Lake Wallenpaupack (Wallenpaupack Hydro)	No generation schedule posted by Brookfield Renewable for Mon Nov 16 – Wed Nov 18 Observed: pool 1,177.42 ft (Mon 11/16)	Brookfield Renewable
Permit / regs	Check the live PFBC page for size and creel rules.	

ACCESS — BANK / KAYAK / BOAT

BANK

Expect chilly mornings near 39 degrees, so dress in layers. The handicap-accessible fishing pier at PFBC's free Mangan Cove access off Route 590 and the pier at Brookfield's Ironwood Point give you solid footing near deeper water. Brookfield's natural areas and shoreline near the Ledgedale launch offer more walkable rock.

KAYAK

The lighter wind lets you paddle to nearby points and drift a drop shot or tube along rocky drop-offs. The light southwest breeze is the best paddling day; cover shoreline rock with a jerkbait or small swimbait.

BOAT

Launch at PFBC's free Mangan Cove access or Brookfield's Ironwood Point, Caffrey, Wilsonville, or Ledgedale launches; the four Brookfield sites charge a fee. Work wind-blown points, islands, and humps with a jerkbait or swimbait from 8 to 20 ft.

LURE BOX

TOP

Walking bait (bone or clear) over rocky points Prop bait along rocky banks in light wind. Popper on calm, shaded shorelines at dawn.

MID

The middle and western lake, from Caffrey and Ironwood Point up toward Ledgedale, has more islands, coves, and shallow flats. Those areas warm fastest on sunny afternoons. The west wind stacks bait on the rock along the east shores of coves and islands, and the warm-up is the best day to fish shallow with a jerkbait or squarebill.

BOTTOM

Drop shot with a minnow-style plastic on 15–25 ft rock. Tube (green pumpkin or brown) on rocky drop-offs. Ned rig on gravel and rocky points.