



Unforgettable experiences are made possible in Lehigh Valley, Pennsylvania. Host your sporting event in a region accessible by major highways with easy proximity to Philadelphia and New York City, making Lehigh Valley an ideal location for your sporting event or tournament.

Set amid gentle hills and charming countryside, Lehigh Valley is home to **Allentown**, **Bethlehem**, and **Easton**, as well as dozens of small towns and picturesque boroughs.

Home to two professional teams - **Lehigh Valley IronPigs**, the Triple A affiliate of the Philadelphia Phillies and **Lehigh Valley Phantoms**, the American Hockey League (AHL) affiliate of the Philadelphia Flyers, as well as **Valley Preferred Cycling**

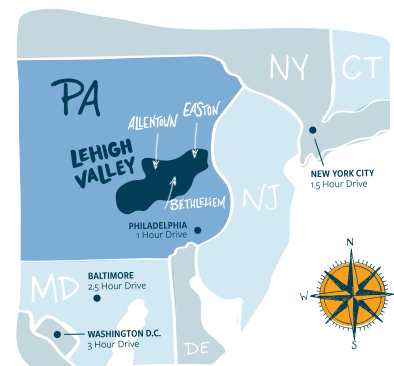
**Center**, the bicycle racing capital of the world, serving everyone from recreational cyclists to Olympians.

Lehigh Valley can host a variety of athletic events including football, soccer, lacrosse, basketball, baseball, softball, disc golf, ultimate Frisbee, track cycling, mountain biking, track & field, cross country, rugby, and even quidditch, all ranging from youth and collegiate to amateur and professional sports!

And, it's not limited to the sporting events themselves.

Lehigh Valley is a center for higher education with **10 colleges and universities**, as well as their nationally recognized collegiate sports programs such as Lehigh University, Lafayette University, & Kutztown University.

So, bring your A-game and suit up. Lehigh Valley is primed to host your next sporting event.



### EASY ACCESS AND A CONVENIENT, CENTRAL LOCATION

Lehigh Valley's got it. Located in the heart of the Northeast, Lehigh Valley, Pa., is conveniently located just **90 minutes west of New York City**, **60 minutes north of Philadelphia** and **less than three hours from Washington, D.C.**

✈️ Plus, experience stress-free air travel at **Lehigh Valley International Airport (ABE)**. You'll find non-stop access to 15 destinations plus a comfortable, crowd-free and secure terminal, with free luggage carts and WiFi.







## Why Lehigh Valley?

When you host a sporting event in Lehigh Valley, you are investing in an experience, not just a space. Lehigh Valley boasts over 65 hotels, and more than 6,300 guest rooms. After a long day of competition, teams, families, and coaches can explore the area's numerous attractions like Crayola Experience, Dorney Park & Wildwater Kingdom, and National Canal Museum. Grab a bite to eat and discover the area's unique eateries, and quench your thirst at one (or two) of Lehigh Valley's 20+ breweries, 5 distilleries, and 20+ wineries!



### Sports Venues (just a few!)

**Coca Cola Park,**  
Home of Lehigh Valley IronPigs  
10,100 capacity; 3 meeting rooms

**Lehigh County Sports Fields**  
8 Soccer fields; 6 baseball fields

**Lehigh University Athletics**  
Over 20 sports facilities

**Stabler Arena**  
6,200 capacity; 19,000 sq. ft.

**Goodman Stadium** 16,000 capacity

**PPL Center**  
8,500+ capacity for sporting events;  
10,000+ capacity for concerts/events

**Valley Preferred Cycling Center**  
2,500 capacity; 333.3m concrete surface

**Steel Ice Center**  
Two NHL sized surfaces 85' x 200';  
8 Locker Rooms; 3 meeting rooms

**Blue Mountain Resort**  
24 downhill mountain bike trails;  
3 disc golf courses; 40 ski and  
snowboard trails; 4 meeting rooms

### HOSTED EVENTS RESUME

Over the years, Lehigh Valley has hosted a variety of events and tournaments for sports across the spectrum from All-Star Games and National Championships to youth and amateur competitions. Highlights include:

- Lehigh LAXFEST
- Men's & Women's Pennsylvania State Bowling Championship
- U.S. Women's Golf Open
- NCAA National Track Cycling Championships
- Triple-A All-Star Game
- Triple-A Championship Game
- Mid-Atlantic AAU Regional Wrestling Tournaments
- USA Cycling National Mountain Bike Championship
- Professional Disc Golf World Championships
- U.S. Senior Golf Open
- National Prep Wrestling Tournament
- Laxpalooza
- Project 120
- AHL All-Star Game
- NCAA Hockey Regionals
- NCAA Cross Country
- Drum Corp International
- U.S. Lacrosse Women's Invitational National Tournament
- East Coast Volleyball President's Day Classic
- Runner's World Half Marathon
- USA Cycling Track National Championship Events
- Easton Twilight Criterium Event in the Tour of Somerville Cycling Series
- Gran Fondo Hincapie Lehigh Valley



### DISCOVER LEHIGH VALLEY'S COMPLIMENTARY SERVICES

#### ARRANGING SITE VISITS

#### ASSIST WITH BID & RFP RESEARCH AND PRESENTATION

#### ESTABLISH OR JOIN A LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE (LOC).

#### ARRANGING SITE VISITS

#### WELCOME EMAILS

#### PRE-PROMOTIONS

#### IN-ROOM AMENITIES

#### VIP EXPERIENCES

#### UNIQUE ACTIVITIES



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