Welcome to Nathaniel Cole Park

In 1795, Revolutionary War veteran Nathaniel Cole settled with his family in the area that eventually came to be known as Cole's Hill. With his son, Nathaniel Cole, Jr., he built a tavern on the corner of what is now Farm-to-Market Rd and Watrous Rd. The tavern became a stopping point for the stage coach enroute from Binghamton to Albany.

Part of the land once owned by Nathaniel Cole became the Broome County Park that bears his name.

Cole Park boasts a beautiful 53-acre lake and twin arcs of white sand, the largest protected beach in the Broome County Parks system. A 1.25 mile nature trail encircles the lake. Two picnic areas, four picnic shelters, playgrounds, boat rentals, great fishing and more make Nathaniel Cole one of our finest parks.

A concession stand sells hot dogs, beverages, candy, ice cream, bagged ice, and more at Nathaniel Cole Park, Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day.

Organized youth groups may request a permit to use the park's Youth Group Camping Area for rustic camping.

Reservations & Permits

To reserve a picnic shelter:
ReserveAmerica.com
or call Broome County Parks
(607)778-2193

Unreserved picnic shelters are available free of charge on a first-come, first-served basis.

Groups of 25 or more wishing to enter a Broome County Park must obtain a **Group Permit** (free of charge) by calling 607-778-2193 in advance of their visit.

Directions & additional information:
BroomeCountyParks.com/natcole
or BroomeCountyParks.com/faq

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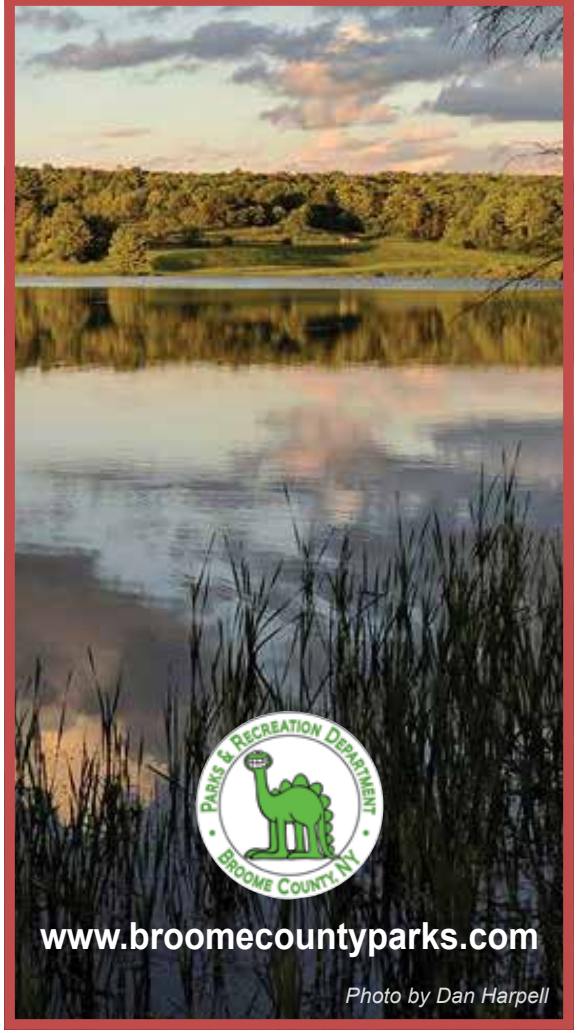

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Nathaniel Cole Park Trail Map and Amenities