



Programs for All Ages

METROPARK MUSINGS: NATURE BOOK CLUB

Each month, a theme will be selected and a list of suggested book titles or articles will be sent to participants (or you may choose your own that fit within the chosen theme). \$20 (one time fee), Reservations, Code 504404622

JANUARY 7 - NOVEMBER 3 | TUESDAY; 6 TO 7:30 P.M.
Toledo Botanical Garden, Crosby Conference Center

JOHLIN CABIN OPEN HOURS: MAPLE SEASON

Free, Reservations, Code 101102601

MARCH 1 | SUNDAY; 1 TO 3 P.M.
Pearson, Johlin Cabin

OAK GROVE SCHOOL: NATURE STUDY

Free, Reservations, Code 101103603

MARCH 28 | SATURDAY; 10 A.M. TO 1 P.M.
Wildwood Preserve, Oak Grove School (east entrance)

THE MARCH FORWARD TO THE BATTLE OF FALLEN TIMBERS

\$10, Reservations, Code 101106601

MARCH 10 | TUESDAY; 9 A.M. TO 1 P.M.
Side Cut, Silver lake Parking Lot

MARCH 14 | SATURDAY; 9 A.M. TO 1 P.M.
Side Cut, Silver lake parking lot

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There's More! For a complete list of programs, see the calendar of events at MetroparksPrograms.com. Metroparks members receive a 20% discount on most programs. For more information about Metroparks, visit our website at MetroparksToledo.com.

**METROPARKS
TOLEDO**



Metroparks of the Toledo Area
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Toledo, Ohio 43615



Program Guide

WINTER 2020



Visit MetroparksToledo.com
for a complete list of programs.

Special Event Programs

GROUNDHOGS DAY

Celebrate Groundhogs Day with us at Wildwood Preserve as we explore and learn about this magnificent mammal and the legend that surrounds it. Free, Reservations, Code 104404607

FEBRUARY 2 | SUNDAY; 10 TO 11:30 A.M.

Wildwood Preserve, Metroparks Hall

WINTERING THE TOWPATH

Shake off those winter blahs at the best winter hike in the region. Fee: \$5, Reservations, Code

FEBRUARY 22 | SATURDAY, 10 A.M. TO 2 P.M.

Providence Historic Area, Canal/Mill parking lot

Travel Circle

MAUMEE VALLEY ADVENTURERS: TRAVEL CIRCLE

Join Maumee Valley Adventurers on Saturdays for a hike from 1 to 2 p.m., and stay for an interesting travel program at 2:15 p.m. No Reservations Needed. Free

JANUARY 4 – MARCH 28 | SATURDAYS, 2:15 TO 3:15 P.M.

Various Locations

Lecture Series

WINTER LEARNING SERIES: A CLOSER LOOK

Enrich your knowledge of the natural and cultural history of our region through this weekly lecture series featuring an indoor presentation followed by an optional hike. Free, Reservations, Code 104404603

JANUARY 5, 12, 19 AND 26 | SUNDAY; 2 TO 3:30 P.M.

Toledo Botanical Garden, Crosby Conference Center

FEBRUARY 2, 9, 16 AND 23 | SUNDAY; 2 TO 3:30 P.M.

Fallen Timbers Battlefield, Fallen Timbers Visitor Center

MARCH 1, 8, 15, 22 AND 29 | SUNDAY; 2 TO 3:30 P.M.

Pearson, Packer-Hammersmith Center

Forest Therapy

ESPECIALLY FOR KIDS: THE FOREST IS WITH YOU (AGES 7 TO 10)

\$10, Reservations, Code 105510605

JANUARY 25, FEBRUARY 22 AND MARCH 28

SATURDAY; 1 TO 3 P.M.

Secor, NCNP parking lot



Outdoor Skills

SNOWSHOE POP-UPS

You never know what can 'pop-up' in the winter! Sometimes, conditions are just right for a fun snowshoe adventure in our beautiful Metroparks. These fun winter wonderland escapes will be posted on short notice, so keep your eyes peeled!

JANUARY 1 - MARCH 31

Various Metroparks

BACKPACKING 101: APPALACHIAN TRAIL ADVENTURES

Free, Reservations, Code 105503102

JANUARY 15 | WEDNESDAY; 6:30 TO 8 P.M.

Wildwood Preserve, Ward Pavilion

TRY IT! TREE CLIMBING

\$25, Reservations, Code 105516102

MARCH 29 | SUNDAY; 2 TO 3:30 P.M.

Secor, Walnut Grove Shelter

TRY IT! KAYAKING POOL SESSION

Free, Reservations, Code 105501103

JANUARY 18 | SATURDAY; 5 TO 6 P.M. OR

6:30 TO 7:30 P.M.

University of Toledo Rec Center

ESCAPE THE MANOR HOUSE: OTIS HAS OAK WILT!

\$15, Reservations, Code 105512101

JANUARY 31 - FEBRUARY 22 | VARIOUS DATES & TIMES

Wildwood Preserve, Manor House

ESCAPE THE MANOR HOUSE: SQUATCH WEDDING

\$20, Reservations, Code 105512101

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OUTDOOR SKILLS PROGRAM OVERVIEW

ARCHERY

Metroparks offers the opportunity for would-be archers to explore the sport with a try-it program, refine their skills with a class or the beginner 3D league, and enjoy fun themed shoots throughout the year.

BACKPACKING

We offer short informational programs with practice hikes, beginner-friendly overnight trips, and intermediate overnight trips to prepare you to explore the outdoors in a safe and environmentally friendly manner.

BOULDERING

Learn to boulder at the beginner-friendly Wildwood FitPark brought to you in a fitness partnership with Mercy Health.

CAMPING

Metroparks offers camping classes, campfire cooking experiences, and opportunities to try camping without the hassle and expense of buying any equipment.

CYCLING

Learn and practice the basic bicycle maintenance skills that all cyclist need to keep cruising on the trail, including how to change a tire and adjust brakes and gears. Beginner friendly, no experience needed.

FISHING

Learn the basics or expand your skills during our try-it programs, explore fly fishing with introductory classes and fly-tying, or broaden your horizons with kayak or night fishing.

HIKING

Jumpstart your path to overall wellness and enjoy nature by exploring Metroparks trails with a naturalist. We offer evening hikes, fitness hikes, 5 and 10 mile hikes, and more!

PADDLING

Learn the basics or hone your skills at one of Metroparks paddle classes, Try-its or eco-tours. See the Outdoor Skills calendar for the lineup of upcoming programs designed to get you on the water.

TREE CLIMBING

Participants will be using harnesses and climbing ropes to get to the tree-tops. All equipment provided.