

# Hocking Hills State Park

## Special Events & Nature Programs

All programs are subject to change. Notify the naturalist if special accommodations are needed for your participation.  
Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times.

### Saturday 1

**9:00 AM THE WONDERS of OLD MAN'S CAVE-** Meet the naturalist at the Naturalist Cabin for a short hike and discover some facts about the history of the area and the rock formations that are found throughout the park.

**1:00 PM HOCKING'S OWLS** - Join the naturalist at the Naturalist Cabin for a closer look at Ohio's winged nocturnal predators.

### Thursday 6

**9:00 AM \*SCALAWAGS & RENEGADES** - The Ohio Frontier was full of heroes and shady characters. Meet at the Shelter House at the Rock House to hike and explore our local history.

### Friday 7

**9:00 AM CONKLE'S CREEP** - Conkle's Hollow state nature preserve is one of the most unique locations in the Hocking Hills. Join the naturalist for a short hike to find out why. Meet in the parking area.

### **1:00 PM HOCKING'S WILDLIFE at the CABIN**

As you pass by on your hike today, stop by the Naturalist Cabin to explore and take a closer look at some of our native residents

### Saturday 8

**9:00 AM RIDGETOPS & HOLLERS"** - Ever wonder about the difference between a ridgetop and a 'holler'? Join the naturalist at Ash Cave Parking area to find out.

### Thursday 13

**9:00 AM CEDAR FALLS STROLL** - Join the naturalist to explore Cedar Falls and discover the unique natural & cultural history of this area of the park.

### Friday 14

### **1:00 PM FURS, FEATHERS, FEET &**

**FANGS** - Join the naturalist at the naturalist cabin located

behind the Old man's cave visitor center to discover the many special wildlife adaptations and discuss how to search for signs of the species here at Hocking Hills.

### Friday 28 - Sunday 30

## **HOCKING HALLOWEEN CAMPOUT -- See next page**

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### Saturday 15

### **Grandma Gatewood's Fall Colors Hike\*\* 1 PM**

Bring along a cool drink and celebrate the season's colors. Meet with the naturalist at the Old Man's Cave Visitor Center for a strenuous hike that spans roughly **6 miles** of the Grandma Gatewood trail. We will be traversing the section that runs from Old Man's Cave to Cedar Falls and back while enjoying the scenic beauty and cultural personality. This hike does include several hills and steps and is not recommended for the easily winded individual.  
(Approx. 3 to 4 hrs)



# HOCKING HILLS STATE PARK PRESENTS HOCKING HALLOWEEN CAMPOUT 2016

## Friday October 28

**7:00 pm - \*HAUNTED HOCKING: Spirits of Ash Cave** – *Is Ash Cave really haunted or could it be something else? Join the naturalist at the Ash Cave parking area to explore the possibilities. (This program does contain ghost stories...parents; you know your children best and should decide if it is appropriate. Please, no pets at Haunted Hocking.)*

## Saturday October 29

11am-12 - Pumpkin decorating at the Old Man's cave shelter house. *For children 12 & under. Adult supervision required.*

*The following events are for registered campground/cottage guests*

1:00 - 4:00 pm – Hayrides through the campground. Starts at main showerhouse. *This is your chance to see all of the decorated campsites and tell us your favorite.*

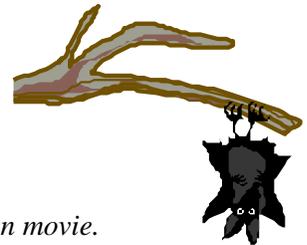
Best Decorated Campsite award will be given right after Trick-or-Treat!

6:00 pm - Costume parade at the amphitheater.

7:00 pm - 8:00 pm - Trick or Treat in the campground!!  
*Vehicle traffic will be stopped for 1 hour only.*

8:30 pm - Halloween movies at the Amphitheater.

*Sit back with your trick or treat "bootie" and enjoy a family fun Halloween movie.*



Children must have adult supervision at all events.

**HAPPY HALLOWEEN!!**

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