

# Burr Oak State Park

## July 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.*

- Fri. July 1**     **Naturalist's Choice, 3-4 pm**  
Join the naturalist for a surprise topic in the lodge lobby!
- Sat. July 2**     **Terrific Trees, 3:30-5 pm**  
Join the naturalist for activities that celebrate trees along a 1-mile hike. For ages 7 and above. Trail is up and down. Meet at the Ranger Office.
- Sat. July 2**     **Campfire: Nocturnal Animals, 8:30 pm**  
Gather around the campfire for an evening focusing on Ohio's wildlife at night! Meet at the campground amphitheater.
- Sun. July 3**     **Butterflies and Blooms, 4-5:30 pm**  
We'll take a look at summer's wildflowers and the butterflies they attract. Bring water. Meet at the Group Camp by Dock 3.
- Sun. July 3**     **Nature's Fireworks, 8:30 pm**  
What better time to look for fireflies than the 4<sup>th</sup> of July! Join the naturalist for a look at the life history of this unique insect followed by a search for fireflies. Meet at the lodge shelter house.
- Fri. July 8**     **Mammals Around Us, 3-4 pm**  
Join the naturalist for a close-up look at common Ohio mammals by examining their skins and skulls. Meet in the lodge lobby.
- Sat. July 9**     **Kids Fishing, 10 am**  
Drop a line in Burr Oak Lake and see what you catch. Poles and bait provided, or bring your own. Meet at Dock 1.
- Fri. July 15**    **Damsels and Dragons, 3-4 pm**  
We'll look for all life phases of the beautiful dragonfly and damselfly, plus discover their interesting natural history. Meet at the lodge boat ramp (NOT the dock).
- Sat. July 16**    **Nearly Full Moon Paddle, 7 pm**  
Rent a canoe/kayak from the marina or bring your own for this evening paddle on Burr Oak Lake. **Registration required for this program.** Contact naturalist Julie at 740-767-3570 or [julie.gee@dnr.state.oh.us](mailto:julie.gee@dnr.state.oh.us)
- Fri. July 22**    **Pontoon Lake Tour with the Naturalist, 10 am-12 noon**  
Enjoy Burr Oak Lake from the comfort of a pontoon boat while the naturalist points out items of interest along the way including wildlife. **Registration required for this program.** Contact naturalist Julie at 740-767-3570 or [julie.gee@dnr.state.oh.us](mailto:julie.gee@dnr.state.oh.us)
- Sat. July 23**    **"Beat the Heat" Morning Paddle, 9 am**  
Rent a canoe/kayak from the marina or bring your own for this morning paddle on Burr Oak Lake. **Registration required for this program.** Contact naturalist Julie at 740-767-3570 or [julie.gee@dnr.state.oh.us](mailto:julie.gee@dnr.state.oh.us)
- Fri. July 29**    **Creek Critters, 3-4 pm**  
We'll search for animals that call the creek home. Wear shoes that you don't mind getting wet. Meet at the beach parking lot on the end away from the beach.

**4<sup>th</sup> of July Flotilla**  
**Sunday, July 3—5-10:30 pm**

<b>5-7:30</b>	<b>Music DJ; Free hot dogs at 5:30</b>
<b>7-7:30</b>	<b>Boat Decorating Judging</b>
<b>7:30-8:30</b>	<b>Lake Flotilla</b>
<b>8:30-10:30</b>	<b>Live music—Acoustic Avalanche</b>

***Sponsored by the Burr Oak Alive! Friends Group***

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