

# Hueston Woods State Park

## Naturalist Programs

Visit the Nature Center: Open Tuesdays-Sundays 10am-4:30pm; Closed Mondays

*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.*

### May 2016

- Sunday, May 1<sup>st</sup>**      **11AM Fossil Expedition** – Meet at the **Nature Center** to follow a Naturalist to one of the great fossil collection sites around the park. Bring your vehicle; we will drive to the collection site.  
**2PM Afternoon Hike** – Meet at the **Nature Center** for a hike thru a scenic forest. Please wear appropriate footwear. Bring your vehicle; we will drive to the trailhead.
- Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup>**      **11AM Wildlife Invasion** - Meet at the **Lodge** for a look at some of Ohio's wild animals.  
**2PM Basic Orienteering** – Meet at the **Indian Mound in the Campground** to learn to navigate with a map and compass. Be prepared to go off-trail.
- Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup>**      **11AM Big Woods Hike** - Meet at the **Nature Center** to journey to an old growth forest. Please wear appropriate footwear. Bring your vehicle; we will drive to the trailhead.  
**2PM Reptile Show** - Meet at the **Nature Center** to meet some of our scaly residents.
- Saturday, May 21<sup>st</sup>**      **11AM Wildlife Invasion** - Meet at the **Lodge** for a look at some of Ohio's wild animals.  
**2PM Big Woods Hike** - Meet at the **Nature Center** to journey to an old growth forest. Please wear appropriate footwear. Bring your vehicle; we will drive to the trailhead.
- Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>**      **11AM Fossil Expedition** – Meet at the **Nature Center** to follow a Naturalist to one of the great fossil collection sites around the park. Bring your vehicle; we will drive to the collection site.  
**2PM Birds of Prey** - Meet at the **Nature Center** to get a close look at some winged predators.
- Thursday, May 26<sup>th</sup>**      **1PM-3PM Canoe Excursion** - Meet at the **Marina** to learn canoeing basics and then take a guided canoe trip on Acton Lake. Space is limited. Sign up begins at the Marina at 9AM on Thursday.
- Friday, May 27<sup>th</sup>**      **3PM Big Woods Hike** - Meet at the **Nature Center** to journey to an old growth forest. Please wear appropriate footwear. Bring your vehicle; we will drive to the trailhead.  
**6PM Pontoon Excursion** – Meet at the **Marina** for a Naturalist led boat tour of Acton Lake. Seats are limited. Sign up begins at the Marina at 9AM on Friday.  
**9PM Campfire** – Meet at the **Indian Mound in the Campground** to have a Naturalist answer questions and provide park info leading up to the Night Hike.  
**9:30PM Night Hike** – Meet at the **Indian Mound in the Campground** for a night time adventure. Please wear appropriate footwear. No flashlights needed; we will hike by moonlight.
- Saturday, May 28<sup>th</sup>**      **11AM Wildlife Invasion** - Meet at the **Lodge** for a look at some of Ohio's wild animals.  
**1PM Creeking** - Meet at the **Four Mile Creek Picnic Area** to explore an aquatic habitat and find what creatures are living below the surface.  
**3PM Birds of Prey** - Meet at the **Nature Center** to get a close look at some winged predators.  
**4PM Hooked on Fishing** – Meet at the **Marina** to try your luck at casting a line. Bait and tackle are provided but are limited.  
**6PM Reptile Repast** - Meet at the **Nature Center** for a discussion about our scaly residents. Meet them face to face and observe them during feeding time.
- Sunday, May 29<sup>th</sup>**      **11AM Fossil Expedition** – Meet at the **Nature Center** to follow a Naturalist to one of the great fossil collection sites around the park. Bring your vehicle; we will drive to the collection site.  
**1PM Afternoon Hike** – Meet at the **Nature Center** for a hike thru a scenic forest. Please wear appropriate footwear. Bring your vehicle; we will drive to the trailhead.
- Monday, May 30<sup>th</sup>**      **11AM Birds of Prey** - Meet at the **Nature Center** to get a close look at some winged predators.  
**2PM Reptile Show** - Meet at the **Nature Center** to meet some of our scaly residents.

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