



PARK PALS: BIRDWATCHING!

Tue. Jun. 24, 10:30-11:30 a.m. We will talk all about Ohio's Native birds! We will read a story, take a walk with binoculars (weather permitting), and make a craft. Must be accompanied by an adult. Ages 3-6 (siblings welcome). Registration required. Limit 15. Osborn MetroPark, Roger Johnson Nature Center, Room 109, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron.

JUST ABOUT HORSES AND DONKEYS

Thu. Jun. 26, 6-7 p.m. Increase your horse/donkey knowledge and get hands-on experience with them. Learn about health, safety, grooming and more. Participants will get to interact with and brush a horse. Ages 8+ (adults too!). Registration required. Limit 8. Please wear closed toed shoes. The Barnyard, 3819 Perkins Ave., Huron.

ART IN THE PARK-TBA

Thu. Jun. 26, 6-7:30 p.m. Ages 16+. Registration required. Limit 15. Osborn MetroPark, Roger Johnson Nature Center, Room 110, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron.

OSBORN METROPARK PARKRUN

Sat. Jun. 28, 9-10:30 a.m. Walk, run, jog, or volunteer at a fun, friendly, free 5K. Kids and dogs can take part too! All ages. Register through parkrun.us. Osborn MetroPark, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron. Meet near the Community

Gardens.

MORNING KAYAK PADDLE

Sat. Jun. 28, 8-10 a.m. Join Erie MetroParks for a relaxing evening paddle on the scenic Sandusky Bay! This guided kayak program offers a chance to explore calm waters while enjoying breathtaking sunset views and the sights and sounds of local wildlife. Perfect for paddlers of all skill levels. Ages 13+. Registration required. Limit 10. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. The Enchanted Cottage, 4011 Cleveland Rd. W., Huron.

PLANKTON LAB

Sat. Jun. 28, 10-11 a.m. Did you know that half the oxygen in the atmosphere is made by plankton? Join us to dive into the microscopic world of plankton! We will look at live specimens under microscopes and learn more about these oxygen producing power houses. Ages 10+. Registration required. Limit 20. Roger Johnson Nature Center, Room 110, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron.

EVENING HIKE WITH A NATURALIST

Mon. Jun. 30, 6-7 p.m. Enjoy a guided evening walk at the Huron Riverpath MetroPark. All ages. Walk ups welcomed, no registration required. Huron River Path MetroPark, 1805 River Rd., Huron.

To learn more about these programs and register, please visit eriemetroparks.org/programs



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Programs & Events

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BLUEBIRD NESTBOX MONITORING

Wed. Jun. 4, 10-11 a.m. Help monitor our Eastern bluebird nest boxes, and learn about how to identify nests and eggs from various bird species. All ages. Registration required. Limit 10. Osborn MetroPark, Roger Johnson Nature Center, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron. Meet in atrium.

BUBBLE BOOGIE

Wed. Jun. 4, 6-7 p.m. So many bubbles! We will have bubble machines, large wands, and other fun bubble toys to play with while listening to your favorite kid-friendly tunes! Snacks and drinks provided. All ages. Walk ups welcomed, no registration required. Osborn MetroPark, Shelter 5, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron.

JUST ABOUT HORSES AND DONKEYS

Thu. Jun. 5, 6-7 p.m. Increase your horse/donkey knowledge and get hands-on experience with them. Learn about health, safety, grooming and more. Participants will get to interact with and brush a horse. Ages 8+ (adults too!). Registration required. Limit 8. Please wear closed toed shoes. The Barnyard, 3819 Perkins Ave., Huron.

CURIOUS NATURALIST: BAT NIGHT EDITION

Thu. Jun. 5, 8:30-9:30 p.m. Join "curious naturalist" Katie for a fun filled night of exploring the world of bats. Starting with some bat education and then setting our

sights on the sky while to look for these beautiful flying mammals. Edison Woods MetroPark, 8111 Smokey Rd., Berlin Heights.

EVENING KAYAK PADDLE

Fri. Jun. 6, 5:30-7 p.m. Join Erie MetroParks for a relaxing evening paddle along The Sandusky Bay! This guided kayak program offers a chance to explore calm waters while enjoying great views and the sights and sounds of local wildlife. Perfect for paddlers of all skill levels. Ages 13+. Registration required. Limit 10. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. The Enchanted Cottage, 4011 Cleveland Rd. W., Huron.



OSBORN METROPARK PARKRUN

Sat. Jun. 7, 9-10:30 a.m. Walk, run, jog, or volunteer at a fun, friendly, free 5K. Kids and dogs can take part too! All ages. Register through parkrun.us. Osborn MetroPark, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron. Meet near the Community Gardens.

TRAIN RIDES!

Sat. Jun. 7, 10 a.m. -12 p.m. Erie Metro Live Steamers will have miniature steam-powered engines available to pull passengers through the park! Fun for all! All rides are weather dependent. All ages. Walk ups welcomed, no registration required. East Sandusky Bay MetroPark, Community Foundation Preserve at Eagle

Point, 3819 Cleveland Rd. W., Sandusky.

LITTLE SCIENCE LAB

Sat. Jun. 7, 11-12 p.m. Join Miss Hannah in the Nature Center to create a tiny science experiment. Must be accompanied by an adult. Ages 6+. Registration required. Limit 20. Osborn MetroPark, Roger Johnson Nature Center, Room 110, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron.

NATURE BABY! BUMBLE BEES!

Tue. Jun. 10, 10-10:30 a.m. Join Miss Cheryl to read a story and sing songs about bumble bees! We will also go on a short nature walk and enjoy the meadows of Edison Woods MetroPark. Ages 0-3 (siblings welcome). Walk ups welcomed, no registration required. Edison Woods MetroPark, 8613 Mason Rd., Berlin Heights.

PARK PALS; BUG EXPLORATION!

Tue. Jun. 10, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Lots of bugs come out in summer, let's explore them! We will read a story, take a walk (weather permitting), and make a craft. Must be accompanied by an adult. Ages 3-6 (siblings welcome). Registration required. Limit 15. Osborn MetroPark, Roger Johnson Nature Center, Room 109, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron.

POKÉMON RAID HOUR WALK

Wed. Jun. 11, 5:30-7 p.m. Join us for Pokémon GO Raid hour! We will visit the gyms at Osborn Metro Park and raid together. All ages. Walk ups welcomed, no registration required. Osborn MetroPark, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron. Meet in front of the Roger Johnson Nature Center.

OSBORN METROPARK PARKRUN

Sat. Jun. 14, 9-10:30 a.m. Walk, run, jog, or volunteer at a fun, friendly, free 5K. Kids and dogs can take part too! All ages.

Register through parkrun.us. Osborn MetroPark, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron. Meet near the Community Gardens.

WOMEN WHO ROAM

Mon. Jun. 16, 10-11:30 a.m. Join us for 'Women Who Roam,' a welcoming space for women of all ages to explore the outdoors together. Our hikes offer a safe and supportive environment, perfect for meaningful conversations as we journey through nature. Connect, unwind, and discover the beauty of the natural world alongside a community of fellow adventurers. Ages 18+. Walk ups welcomed, no registration required. Wyandot MetroPark, 5401 Cleveland Rd. W., Huron.



WASTE WATCHERS WORKSHOP

Wed. Jun. 18, 2-3 p.m. Join a naturalist for a lesson in sustainability and learn more about being conscious of our ecological footprint. All ages. Walk ups welcomed, no registration required. Osborn MetroPark, Roger Johnson Nature Center, Room 110, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron.

OSBORN METROPARK PARKRUN

Sat. Jun. 21, 9-10:30 a.m. Walk, run, jog, or volunteer at a fun, friendly, free 5K. Kids and dogs can take part too! All ages. Register through parkrun.us. Osborn MetroPark, 3910 Perkins Ave., Huron. Meet near the Community