

SOMETHING for EVERYONE

Fairport Harbor Lakefront Park

Open Memorial Day weekend: May 26 through 28
Open for the season: June 2 through September 3
9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. (weather permitting)

Painesville Township Ball Field Rental

Softball, hardball, kickball, tournaments, or just for fun, Painesville Township Park has ball fields for rent. Rent by the game or for the whole day!
We can accommodate softball and hardball up to 60 x 90. Fields are lined and measured to ASA and USSSA requirements, and can accommodate NSA.

2012 Tournament Dates:

Early Bird: April 13-15, 2012

Memorial Day: May 25-28, 2012

Independence Day: July 4-8, 2012

Labor Day: August 31-September 3, 2012

For more information contact the Registration Department at 440-358-7275.

ACTIVE LIFESTYLES

B Fit 4 Life

All ages, Fee: \$15

It is a proven fact that walking is one of the best types of exercise to improve your health. The national recommendation is that you walk 10,000 steps or the equivalent daily. The fee includes a pedometer, a calendar with programs and walking opportunities, a list of step equivalents and a steps log. After you join, you will receive the Get Healthy newsletter and a new step log every three months. Call 440-358-7275 to register. For more details, contact Andrea at apasquale@lakemetroparks.com.



B Fit 4 Life: Yoga

Ages 18 and older, Fee: Members FREE, non-members \$5 at door

B Fit 4 Life partner Central YMCA is hosting a yoga class. Wear appropriate clothing. To register, call the Lake Health Best of Health Line 440-953-6000.

Instructor: Central YMCA Staff, min 6, max 24

Thursday, March 1, 2012, 7 to 8 p.m., PT

B Fit 4 Life: Geocache Hiking

Ages 18 and older, Fee: Members FREE, non-members \$5 at door

Learn how to use a GPS unit working in a group for this high tech scavenger hunt. To register, call the Lake Health Best of Health Line 440-953-6000.

Instructor: LMP Staff, min 6, max 50

Thursday, April 5, 2012, 6 to 7 p.m., GB

B Fit 4 Life: Zumba

Ages 18 and older, Fee: Members FREE, non-members \$5 at door

Attend a cardio Latin-inspired dance fitness class and burn calories. To register, call the Lake Health Best of Health Line 440-953-6000.

Instructor: YMCA Staff, min 6, max 50

Thursday, May 3, 2012, 7 to 8 p.m., PT

ART SHOWS

Woven from Nature

Penitentiary Glen Nature Center

March 10-May 13, 2012

Nature offers us an endless variety of raw materials in different shapes, colors and textures. Discover how artists have taken natural and recycled materials and transformed them into wonderful and whimsical works of art. Meet and talk with the artists at the free opening reception on Saturday, March 10, from noon to 4 pm. Artwork is available for purchase.

Creative Artists Association

March 27 through April 29 at Lake Metroparks Farnpark

See the talent of local artists in the Creative Artists Association and the broad range of mediums and styles used today. The Creative Artists Association is a non-profit organization established in 1952, comprised primarily of artists and those who appreciate art from Lake, Geauga and Ashtabula counties. Works are available for purchase. Regular Farnpark admission and hours apply.

Lake Metroparks 26th annual

AMATEUR photography contest

Penitentiary Glen Nature Center

Entries accepted May 1 through May 31

Entry fees: Adults \$5 per print; Juniors (14 & younger) \$3 per print
Select your best photos now for Lake Metroparks Annual Amateur Photography Contest. Categories are: Lake Metroparks, Lake Erie, Landscape/Floral, Wildlife, Black & White and Creative Manipulations. All photos must be taken in Lake County. Prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in each category and Best of Show. Juniors will be judged in a separate division. Winners announced and prizes awarded at the opening reception on Friday, June 8, at 7:30 pm at Penitentiary Glen Nature Center. For complete rules and entry forms, call 440-256-1404, stop by the Nature Center, or visit our website at lakemetroparks.com. Contest entries will be displayed 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily from June 9 to July 29, 2012.

ASTRONOMY

GLOBE at Night

Ages 6 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Do your part as a Citizen Scientist. Whether you love astronomy or are a beginner, this is the project for you! Learn how to measure the brightness of stars, then do your part and report your findings.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 30

Wednesday, March 15, 2012, 7:30 to 9 p.m., GR-SOUTH

Season of the Stars

Ages 8 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

What stars will you see in the spring night sky? Come take a look in our StarLab inflatable planetarium. Don't worry about it being cloudy because we will be inside for the entire program.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 6, max 30

Thursday, March 22, 2012, 7 to 8 p.m., PG

Planet Walk

Ages 6 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Have you ever looked at a planet and wondered how far away it is from Earth? Take a walk to discover, in relative terms, how far away the planets are from us! Take away some great planet facts!

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 30

Wednesday, April 18, 2012, 6:30 to 8 p.m., GR-SOUTH

Astronomy Night

Ages 6 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Spend the evening searching the skies for stars, planets and other heavenly bodies. We'll bring the telescopes and binoculars, you provide the curiosity!

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 60

Saturday, May 19, 2012, 9 to 10:30 p.m., GR-SOUTH

BOATING

Ohio Boater Education Course

Ages 12 and older, Fee: \$15

Taking this course will allow you to comply with the new Ohio Boater Education law and will satisfy other states' boater education requirements for Ohio boaters operating in and out of state.

Instructor: Brian Davidson, min 12, max 20

Mondays, April 2 & 9, 2012, 6 to 10 p.m., EL

Mondays, May 14 & 21, 2012, 6 to 10 p.m., EL

CLUBS

North Coast Fly Fishers

Ages 13 and older, FREE

Come watch skilled fly fishers demonstrate tying techniques of their favorite flies at the annual NCFE Fly Tying Marathon. Visit www.ncff.net for more information.

Wednesday, March 7, 2012, 6:30 to 10 p.m., PG

Wednesday, April 4, 2012, 6:30 to 10 p.m., PG

Wednesday, May 2, 2012, 6:30 to 10 p.m., PG

Western Reserve Photographic Society

Ages 13 and older, FREE

The club is open to all photographers; competitions are designed for members. For more information, call 440-256-1404 or visit www.wrpsphoto.org.

Tuesday, March 13, 2012, 7 to 10 p.m., PG

Tuesday, March 27, 2012, 7 to 10 p.m., PG

Tuesday, April 10, 2012, 7 to 10 p.m., PG

Tuesday, April 24, 2012, 7 to 10 p.m., PG

Tuesday, May 8, 2012, 7 to 10 p.m., PG

Tuesday, May 22, 2012, 7 to 10 p.m., PG

Ohio Horseman's Council

All ages, FREE

We host educational speakers and plan trail rides throughout the year at various locations. The Lake County Chapter is part of the 3,200-member statewide organization sponsoring a variety of horse events.

Wednesday, March 14, 2012, 7 to 9 p.m., FP

Wednesday, April 11, 2012, 7 to 9 p.m., FP

Blackbrook Audubon Society

All ages, FREE

Blackbrook Audubon Society is a local chapter of the National Audubon Society. It promotes education and action on environmental issues and the natural world. Everyone is welcome.

Tuesday, March 20, 2012, 7 to 9 p.m., PG

Tuesday, April 17, 2012, 7 to 9 p.m., PG

Tuesday, May 15, 2012, 7 to 9 p.m., The West Woods

Western Reserve Spinners and Weavers

Join us! We have guest speakers and workshops on spinning, weaving and textile arts. Everyone is welcome! Call Cindy Kolacz at 440-285-7982 for schedule or more information.

Textile Guild of Farmpark

Share your textile obsession and expand your horizons through the knowledge of others. Guild meets the second Wednesday of each month 10 a.m. to noon. Members are encouraged to bring a project to work on. Contact Diane at 440-256-2697 for more details.

FARM & GARDEN

Farmpark Gardens

Attention Farmpark members! Do you want to grow your own fresh vegetables but don't have the space? Farmpark has a limited number of garden plots available. You may access your garden during regular Farmpark hours and Plant Science Center staff will be available to answer planting and gardening related questions. For details call Valerie Reinhardt at 440-256-2122. Visit lakemetroparks.com for membership information.

Draft Horse Driver Training

Ages 18 and older, Fee: \$20 for two hours

Learn to drive a team of draft horses with one-on-one sessions. Additional lessons are available after initial session, Call Rick LeMaster at 440-256-2122 to schedule training; program available year-round.

Maple Sugaring & Pancakes

March 3 & 4, 17 & 18, 24 & 25

Enjoy a hearty pancake breakfast in the café, served from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., \$7 ages 12 and older; \$4 ages 2 to 11. Then take a wagon ride to the sugarhouse where you'll see maple syrup and sugar being made. Be sure to view Quilts 2012, one of Ohio's finest judged quilt shows with more than 200 quilted pieces.

Maple Sugaring Weekend

March 10 & 11 at Farmpark

Experience a weekend of special maple activities for the whole family. Take a wagon ride to the sugarhouse to see how maple syrup and sugar are made. Sample maple syrup and candy, make a maple craft, help gather sap, learn how to tap trees and make maple syrup in your own backyard. Pancakes served all day in the J&J cafe (\$7 ages 12 and older; \$4 ages 2 to 11). No registration necessary.

Sheep Shearing

May 14 through May 31 at Farmpark (No shearing May 19 & 20.)

Twice a day we'll be shearing our sheep of their heavy winter coats. Call ahead at 440-256-2122 or 800-366-3276 for specific times.

horsefest 2012

May 19 & 20 at Farmpark

Regular Farmpark admission applies. Discover the magical beauty of horses at Lake Metroparks Farmpark. HorseFest showcases many different breeds, riding disciplines and uses for these versatile animals. The event will include: Mounted Unit team and individual competition, driving breeds, dressage, jumping, exhibitors, pony rides (\$4), children's activities, and much more! For information call 440-256-2122 or 800-366-3276.

Drive a Horse

Ages 10 and older, Fee: \$13

All participants will learn about grooming, harnessing and hitching a horse to the cart. All will have a chance to drive.

Instructor: Susan Townsend, min 5, max 8

Sunday, April 1, 2012, 10 to 11:30 a.m., FP

Ride a Draft Horse

Ages 10 and older, Fee: \$12

You have seen them pull wagons and plows, now here is your chance to groom, saddle and ride a mighty draft horse. Fee includes Farmpark admission.

Instructor: Farmpark Staff, min 5, max 15

Sunday, March 4, 2012, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., FP

Saturday, April 21, 2012, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., FP

the *Farmers' Market*

Wednesdays 3 to 6 p.m. at Farmpark

May 23 through October 10

Help the economy and support local farmers. Locally raised, farm fresh produce, plants, homemade baked goods, herbs, grass-fed beef and more will be available!

FLY-FISHING

Basic Fly Tying

Ages 13 and older, FREE

Interested in seeing fly fishers tie their own fly lures? Join the North Coast Fly Fishers as they demonstrate and teach some basic fly-tying lessons.

Instructor: North Coast Fly Fishers

Wednesday, April 4, 2012, 6:30 to 8 p.m., PG

Wednesday, May 2, 2012, 6:30 to 8 p.m., PG

HIKES

Gorge Hikes

All ages (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Enjoy a challenging guided walk in "gorge"ous Penitentiary Glen. The terrain is wet and slippery rock and waterproof footwear is required. This area is not otherwise open to the public.

Instructor: Volunteer Naturalist Guides, min 10, max 25

Saturday, March 3, 2012, 1:30 to 4 p.m., PG

Sunday, April 15, 2012, 1:30 to 4 p.m., PG

Saturday, April 28, 2012, 1:30 to 4 p.m., PG

Saturday, May 12, 2012, 1:30 to 4 p.m., PG

Sunday, May 27, 2012, 1:30 to 4 p.m., PG

Night Hike

Ages 8 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Take a hike in the dark and find out what goes on in the woods when the sun goes down. We will explore the park and look for signs of the nocturnal inhabitants. You won't be afraid of the dark anymore.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 30

Friday, March 9, 2012, 7 to 8:30 p.m., CP-EAST

Roving with Rover

All ages (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Join a naturalist on your next walk with your best buddy. Turn an ordinary dog walk into a nature discovery hike. One friendly dog per walker, leash required. Snacks for Rover included.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 6, max 12

Sunday, March 11, 2012, 2 to 3:30 p.m., VP

Saturday, April 14, 2012, 1 to 2:30 p.m., PG

Tuesday, May 22, 2012, 7:30 to 9 p.m., IP-UPPER

Outback Trek

Ages 12 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Here's your chance to explore the off-trail areas of Lake Metroparks. Participants must be up to a physically demanding hike. Bring a sack lunch, water bottle and sturdy footwear.

Instructor: Andy Avram, min 10, max 20

Sunday, March 18, 2012, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., HH

Off the Beaten Path Hike

Ages 8 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Join a naturalist for a 2.5-mile hike through parts of Penitentiary Glen Reservation not seen by most visitors. Terrain is hilly and may be muddy/wet. Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 30

Saturday, March 24, 2012, 1 to 3 p.m., PG

Saturday, April 21, 2012, 1 to 3 p.m., PG

Saturday, May 26, 2012, 1 to 3 p.m., PG

Ledgerock Hike

All ages (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Greet spring with a walk at the ledges—a place of antiquity and beauty. This is a chance to explore off-trail, as hiking here is permitted only with a guide. Sturdy hiking shoes are required.

Instructor: Volunteer Naturalist Guides, min 10, max 20

Saturday, March 31, 2012, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., CF-LEDGE

Saturday, May 19, 2012, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., CF-LEDGE

HISTORY

In Search of Ann's Cottage

Ages 10 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Search for clues of Penitentiary Glen's hidden past on this off-trail exploration in areas not normally open to the public. Please dress for the weather and wear comfortable hiking/walking shoes.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 8, max 20

Sunday, March 25, 2012, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., PG

JUST FOR FUN

Family Dinner Dance

All ages, Fee: \$4

Does your family have the winter blues? Bring the family out for a child-friendly dinner and then dance afterward! This is three hours of enjoyment and cheaper than a movie!

Instructor: Robin Petric & Recreation Staff, min 15, max 50

Saturday, March 3, 2012, 5 to 8 p.m., PT

Train Rides!

Compliments of Lake Shore Live Steamers

All ages, FREE, no registration required

Miniature train engines pull passengers through the woodlands of Penitentiary Glen Reservation along the rim of the gorge. Trains run weather permitting. A naturalist will engage visitors waiting in line with a fun and interesting topic.

Sunday, April 22, 2012, 1 to 3 p.m., PG

Sunday, May 6, 2012, 1 to 3 p.m., PG

Sunday, May 20, 2012, 1 to 3 p.m., PG

NATURE

8th Annual Hummingbird Contest

FREE

Guess when the first hummingbird will be spotted at Penitentiary Glen Nature Center this spring! Mail-in or drop off a postcard with your guess of the DATE and TIME (between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.) of the first sighting before May 1, and you may win a new Hummingbird Feeding Station. Call 440-256-1404 for rules and information.

X-Plorer Packs

Families (adult is required for sign out), FREE

Explore spring nature at Penitentiary Glen Reservation at your own pace! X-Plorer Packs are filled with fun games and nature activities for the whole family. Sign out a backpack and "X-plore" the park. Call the Nature Center at 440-256-1404 for information.

Eagles in Ohio

Ages 6 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Learn about America's national symbol, how it lives and where to see it in Ohio. This is an introductory program for families.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 25

Sunday, March 11, 2012, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., PG

Build a Bluebird Box

Ages 8 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), Fee: \$20 per kit

Invite bluebirds to your yard by providing them with a house you made yourself! A pre-cut kit of materials, assembly assistance and take-home booklet will be provided.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 3, max 5

Saturday, March 17, 2012, 10 a.m. to noon, PG

Woodcock Watch

Ages 8 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

We will search for these elusive birds at dusk by listening for their distinct calls and watching for the aerial dance of the male as he tries to attract a mate. Plan for active field hiking.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 30

Friday, April 13, 2012, 7 to 8:30 p.m., PG

F.I.S.H. (Find It Swimming Here)

Ages 8 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Let's use different techniques to find out what sort of fish and other water creatures live in this habitat. We will go fishing during the last part of the program. Ohio fishing license required.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 30

Saturday, March 24, 2012, 5 to 7:30 p.m., IP-LOWER

Wednesday, May 30, 2012, 6:30 to 9 p.m., FP

The Outdoor Connection

Ages 10 and older, Fee: \$4 per person, \$12 per family

The Outdoor Connection is an environmental nature club for families with children 10 and older and groups of two or more. Join us to hike and observe the seasons at the Environmental Learning Center.

Instructor: Lake Metroparks Staff, min 10, max 30

Sunday, March 25, 2012, 9 a.m. to noon, EL

Amphibian Discovery Hike

Ages 6 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Discover who awakens in early spring as we search for salamanders, frogs and toads. Nets and buckets are provided and everyone gets to take home a color amphibian guide.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 20

Saturday, April 7, 2012, 7:30 to 9 p.m., PG

Saturday, April 14, 2012, 7:30 to 9 p.m., HR

Fun Day Monday

All ages (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

School's out for Spring Break! Come to the Nature Center for fun, new activities including a challenging scavenger hunt and easy craft—all at your own pace. No registration required.

Monday, April 9, 2012, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., PG

Family Campfires in the Park

All ages (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Gather around a warm campfire for a short story or two. Enjoy a short hike and then relax by the fire, or bring some grillables and create your own meal. We'll provide the grilling sticks.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 8, max 20

Saturday, April 14, 2012, 7:30 to 9 p.m., PG

Friday, May 11, 2012, 8 to 9:30 p.m., PG

Schoolhouse Sunday

All ages, FREE

Welcome! Are you curious about our Schoolhouse? Now is your chance to peek inside. A children's naturalist will be available to answer questions about how this building has evolved over the years!

Instructor: Children's Schoolhouse Staff, min 6, max 30

Sunday, April 15, 2012, noon to 4 p.m., SH

Habitat Hikes: Vernal Pools

Ages 8 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

The different habitats found in Lake County offer many plants and animals a good place to live. This season we will take a look at vernal pools and which animals call them home.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 20

Thursday, April 19, 2012, 7 to 8:30 p.m., HR

Wildflower Walk

Ages 6 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

There are many beautiful and beneficial wildflowers that often go unnoticed. We will explore the fields and woods to find out what is blooming. Please dress for the weather.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 30

Saturday, April 21, 2012, 2 to 3:30 p.m., FP

Saturday, April 28, 2012, 2 to 3:30 p.m., HR

Sunday, April 29, 2012, 2 to 3:30 p.m., PG

Saturday, May 5, 2012, 1 to 2:30 p.m., IP-LOWER

EARTH DAY

April 22 at Penitentiary Glen Reservation

Noon to 4 p.m.

Celebrate Earth Day at Penitentiary Glen! Our Environmental Eco-Fair showcases local conservation organizations with hands-on activities. Enjoy kid's eco-crafts, visit live animals at the Wildlife Center, play outdoor games, receive a FREE tree to plant at home, shop The Nature Store, and take a train ride (1 to 3 pm, weather permitting). Food, hikes and lots of fun! Call 440-256-1404 for more information. No registration required

April 22 at Farmpark

Regular Farmpark admission applies. Free to Lake County residents, proof of residency required.

Regular Farmpark activities 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Earth Day activities noon to 4 p.m.

Celebrate the earth with us on Earth Day! Explore the outdoors at our bike rodeo for everyone. Discover ways to make an earth-friendly difference at home. You can learn how to start a garden, compost your scrap vegetables, and save energy. Visit our eco-fair for more ideas and investigate a new energy efficient car. Enjoy a family day in the country with games and crafts for kids.

For information on how to take part in the bike rodeo, go to lakemetroparks.com and search Earth Day.

Coastal Shoreline Cleanups

We will be doing cleanups at Lakefront Lodge, Fairport Harbor Lakefront Park, Painesville Township Park, Lake Erie Bluffs, Lakeshore Reservation, Arcola Creek, Chagrin River Park and Hidden Valley Park. For more information on the cleanups, contact Leigh Garam at lgaram@lakemetroparks.com. If you would like to volunteer, please contact the volunteer office at 440-585-3418.

Coyote

Ages 8 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

You've seen them in the news and maybe even your backyard, but are coyotes friend or foe? Learn the truths and myths of coyotes as we search for signs of this elusive animal.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 30

Thursday, May 17, 2012, 7 to 8:30 p.m., CP-EAST

Species Spotlight: Black Rat Snake

All ages (younger than 18 with an adult), Fee: \$5

Come and learn about the fascinating life of the Black Rat Snake! You will get an up-close view at our permanent resident snake, make a snake craft and learn fun facts about these amazing reptiles!

Instructor: Wildlife Center Staff, min 6, max 20

Sunday, May 20, 2012, 2 to 3 p.m., PG

Catching Bugs

Ages 6 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

Grab a net as we search through fields for all sorts of spiders, bugs and other creepy crawlers. Nets and buckets will be provided for your use during this outdoor program.

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 30

Sunday, May 20, 2012, 2 to 3:30 p.m., GR-SKOK

Nature's Neighbor: Vulture

Ages 6 and older (younger than 18 with an adult), FREE

People in the past told stories to explain animal behaviors they observed; those stories persist even today. Discover the truth about vultures and meet one!

Instructor: Naturalist Staff, min 10, max 25

Friday, May 25, 2012, 7 to 8:30 p.m., CP-EAST

SPORTS & ADVENTURE

Backpacking 101: Planning, Packing, Pitching

Ages 16 and older, FEE: \$8

Interested in backpacking? Explore some new ideas and tricks from planning the trip and packing the pack to pitching the tent. What do you need to be comfortable on the trail?

Instructor: Brian Davidson, min 8, max 25

Thursday, March 29, 2012, 6:30 to 8 p.m., EL

Reverse Technology: What if...

Ages 12, Fee: \$8

What if you are on a hike and technology is taken away piece by piece. Would you be able to find your way back? We will do just that in this reverse tech hike removing things along our way.

Instructor: Brian Davidson, min 8, max 20

Tuesday, May 15, 2012, 6:30 to 8 p.m., EL

Snowshoe Championship Series

Ages 10 and older, \$15 single race, \$40 three races, \$10 equipment rental

The Lake Metroparks Snowshoe Championship Race Series is a three race series. The third race will be held at Girdled Road Reservation and will have 2.5k and 5k or 10k courses. Pre- registration required.

Instructor: Brian Fowler, min 15, max 60

Saturday, March 3, 2012, 9 a.m. to noon, GR-SOUTH

Grand River Canoe & Kayak Race

Ages 10 and older, \$12 pre-registered (until Thursday, April 19 at noon), \$20 same day registration

Annual 9-mile Grand River race from Harpersfield Covered Bridge to Hidden Valley Park. Awards to top three finishers in each race category (determined by skill level and boat type).

Instructor: Brian Davidson, min 50, max 400



Saturday, April 21, 2012, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Harpersfield Covered Bridge Metropark

GIVE the GIFT of the PARKS



Lake Metroparks gift cards are available for any occasion! Redeemable at Lake Metroparks Registration, Farmpark*, The Nature Store at Penitentiary Glen Nature Center and the pro shops at Pine Ridge Country Club and Erie Shores Golf Course. Call 440-358-7275 or 800-669-9226 for more information.

*Excludes Vintage Ohio, Village Peddler Festival and J & J Cafe.



Interested in supporting
Lake Metroparks by sponsoring
a program or making a donation?
440-352-2913 or
akapostasy@lakemetroparks.com

You can make a

BIG DIFFERENCE!

volunteer

Lake Metroparks offers several opportunities for volunteering including:

- domestic and wildlife animal care • special events • gardening
- gift shop assistant • naturalist • Mounted Posse
- food service • photographer • Bike Patrol
- citizen science • tourism hosts • day camps
- corporate groups, youth opportunities and *much more!*



Spring volunteer orientation dates:

March 1,
April 5, May 3
6 pm at
Lakefront Lodge



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