



Allegheny State Park Recreation Activities July 12-July 18, 2009



Special Events this Week

Monday- Trees of ASP
Tuesday- Wildflower Walk
Wednesday-Wildlife Series-White Tail Deer
Thursday- Hike to the Big Basin
Friday- Pond & Stream Safari

It's New, It's all Natural, Its Non-Itching... It's the **Junior Naturalist/ Naturalist-in-Training Program!** Hey Kids! Be one of the few, the proud, the muddy. Kids ages 5-11 can work toward earning the title of Jr. Naturalist, while older kids 12-16 can become a NiT (Naturalist-in-Training)! Work through the Notebook on activities about the outdoors & ASP. When you are done, have a naturalist check it over at Jr. Naturalist Night or "Ask the Naturalist". Then you'll receive a very cool bandana, and a certificate. Pick up one today! Jr. Naturalist Notebook cost \$5.00 and are available at one of the Naturalist Cabins during "Ask the Naturalist", at the Quaker Store Museum or the Admin. Building Offices Monday through Friday between 8:30 A.M. and 4:30 P.M. Ask for Pati or Danielle.

Congratulations on becoming a Junior Naturalist or a Naturalist in Training! Your next assignment is to become a **Woodchuck Watcher**. Woodchuck Watch reveals the secrets of the rodent world. Pick up your copy at the same locations as the Junior Naturalist book. The cost is \$3.00.



- * Bring a flashlight.
- ** Shorts and water shoes are recommended.
- # Bicycle helmets required.
- ## Jeans and hiking boots recommended.

What's a SNIT????

The Senior Naturalist-in-Training (SNIT) notebook is for the "ah, hum" older set who are interested in becoming amateur naturalists and who want to know more about Allegheny State Park.. Once you have worked through the book, take it to any naturalist who will be excited about welcoming you to the ranks. They will then give you a good strong handshake, a pat on the back and an extremely snazzy SNIT bumper sticker.



It will show all those around you that you know your stuff!
Books cost \$5.00 and are available at the same places as the Jr. Naturalist book Monday through Friday from 8:30- 4:30. Ask for Pati.

Got a question? Got a bug or a snake?
Ask the Naturalist! Stop by one of the Naturalists' cabins. Check the schedule for time and site location.

Sunday, July 12

10 AM- 5:00PM

Old Quaker Store Museum—open

Monday, July 13

10:00- 11:00 AM

Fossils (JC) Site 4

10:00- 11:30 AM

Allegheny Adventure Camp (KS&CW)

McIntosh Cabin 4 (For kids ages 9-12.)

Bring water shoes and water.

Quaker Store Museum—open

10 AM-5:00 PM

1:00- 2:00 PM

****Pond & Stream Safari (JC & KS) Site 40**

3:00- 4:00 PM

Trees of ASP (JC) Site 43

3:00- 4:00 PM

Compass Reading (KS) Site 49

5:00- 6:00 PM

Allegheny Black Bears (RA) Site 44

7:30-8:30 PM

FOLK CONCERT: w/ Susan Rozler

Quaker Amphitheater

Tuesday, July 14

10:00-11:00 AM

KinderKamp (CW) must be accompanied

by an adult (for ages 3-5 years)

(bring your own blanket)

McIntosh Cabin 4

10:00-12:00 PM

##Hike to the Big Basin (JC) Site 64

10 AM-5:00 PM

Quaker Store Museum, open

1:00- 2:00 PM

Summit Fire Tower—open (RD)

1:00- 2:00 PM

Forest Dodgeball (KS & CW) Site 9

(Teens ONLY—wear old clothes)

1:00-2:00 PM

Wild Edibles (JC) Site 29

1:00-2:30 PM

Raccoon Rangers (AW& NiTs) Site 7

(for kids 5-10)

3:00- 4:00 PM

Wildflower Walk (AW) Site 5

3:00- 4:00 PM

Salamanders (RD &KS) Site 64

3:00- 4:00 PM

Lost? Now what? (JC) Site 44

Learn survival skills.

5:30- 6:30 PM

What's at the End of Your Line?

(RD &KS) Site 7

7:30- 8:30 PM

Tour of Beaver Colony (KS & RD) Site 30

7:30- 8:30 PM

Folk Concert: with Susan Rozler

Site A-lobby



People with special needs are welcome and may best be accommodated by contacting the Recreation Department, in advance, at the phone number listed above. Wheelchairs can be accommodated at some site with assistance and/or advance planning.

Park Naturalists: (RA)-Randall Abbott, (JC)-Jeff Clerc (RD)-Ryan Droney, (KS)-Katie Santangelo, (HT)-Heidi Tschopp (AW)-Adele Wellman, (CW)-Cassie Wright, **NITS** -Carolyn and Elizabeth Wellman

Museum Staff: (VD)-Virginia Deacon, (LM)-Lorraine Milbrandt

Wednesday, July 15

10:00-11:30 AM

Allegheny Adventure Camp
(AW&JC) Quaker naturalist cabin
(Ages 9-12) Bring water shoes &
water.

10:00- 11:00 AM

Snakes & Frogs (RD&KS) Site 19

10 AM- 5:00 PM

Quaker Store Museum open

1:00-2:00 PM

Wildlife Series:**White Tail Deer**

Grace Christy

Site A-lobby

1:00-2:00 PM

Tracks & Signs

(RD) Site 1

1:00-3:00 PM

Map & Compass -Learn how to make
maps with a compass.

(JC&KS) Site 9

3:00-4:00 PM

Allegheny Black Bears (RD)

Site A-lobby

3:00-4:30 PM

Dragonflies: Citizen Scientist
Program (AW)

Site 40

7:30- 8:30 PM

Folk Concert: w/ Susan Rozler
Quaker Amphitheater**Friday, July 17**

10:00- 11:00 AM

Fossils (HT) Site 4

10 AM-Noon

Ask the Naturalist (AW)

McIntosh Cabin 4

10 AM- 5:00 PM

Quaker Store Museum, open

1:00-2:00 PM

What's at the End of Your Line?
(RD) Site 7

1:00- 2:00 PM

Edibles Plants (AW) Site 5

3:00- 4:30 PM

Family Nature Hike to Bridal
Falls (AW) Site 62

3:00- 4:30 PM

****Pond & Stream Safari**

(RD&CW) Site 40

6:00-7:00 PM

Porcupines & Fishers (RD)

McIntosh Cabin 4

7:30-8:30 PM

Tour of a Beaver Colony

(RD) Site 30

7:30- 8:30 PM

Folk Concert: with Susan Rozler
Site A-lobby**Saturday, July 18**

10 AM- 5:00 PM

Quaker Store Museum, open**Thursday, July 16**

10:00-11:00 AM

Salamanders (RD & JC) Site 1

10 AM- 5:00 PM

Quaker Store Museum open

1:30- 2:30 PM

Bugs & Butterflies (AW & NiTs)
Site 29

1:30- 3:30 PM

##Hike to the Big Basin (JC & RD)
Site 64

1:30- 2:30 PM

Children's Concert: with Susan
Rozler Red House Beach House
(Rain location: Site A-lobby)

3:30- 4:30 PM

Raccoon Rangers (AW & NiTs)
(Ages 5-10) Site 45

4:00- 5:00 PM

Forest Dodgeball (RD & JC)
Site 9 (TEENS ONLY)

4:22- 4:44 PM

It's T-TimeHate unsightly trash? Take 22
minutes at 4:22 on to pick up litter
near your cabin, on a trail, or
wherever you happen to be.

5:30- 6:30 PM

Ask the Naturalist (AW & CW)
Site 43

6:30-8:00 PM

Jr. Naturalist Night (CW & AW)
Open to all Jr. Naturalist, NITS
and Woodchuck Watchers
(ages 5-16) Site 43

8:00- PM

Hootenanny: with Sally Marsh
Quaker Amphitheater**Art and the Adirondack Chair****FIRST...**

Come view 18 Adirondack chairs, hand-crafted by the Carpentry/Maintenance students at the Collins Correctional Facility and painted by volunteer members of our *very talented* arts community!

The chairs are on display in the park from *June 1st until August 14th! Enjoy a day in the park viewing these works of art at 9 different locations!

THEN...

Plan on attending Allegheny State Park's annual Beach Party on Friday, August 14th starting at 6:00 p.m. at the Red House beach area. The chairs will be up for bid in an auction. Bring the family for music, crafts and more!

Proceeds from this exciting event benefit continued arts programming in the park. For more information contact the CCAC at 716-372-7455 or Allegheny State Park at 716-354-9101 ext. 236.

To bid online visit www.myartscouncil.net



*Hey you Jr. Naturalists come to the Jr. Naturalists Night on Thursday from 6:30 until 8:00pm. Meet other kids that like nature. It's a great time to get your certificates, bandanas, buttons & magnifying glasses.

BYOM (Bring Your Own Marshmallows)

