



NORTH BEND
STATE PARK

Monday, Sept. 30th

Nature Center Closed

Tuesday, Oct. 1st

10:00am-2:00pm Nature Center
Open

10:00am- Tree ID Hike-Join the
Naturalist on a hike to learn to
identify trees in our park! (YPP)

11:00am- Sand Art-Make a
beautiful work of art out of
colored sand! Design your own
creation or use outlines and
stencils to help bring your ideas
to life!

1:00pm- Games! - On the
blacktop outside of the Nature
Center, we will have basketball,
cornhole, sidewalk chalk, and
other activities set up to play!

Wednesday, Oct. 2nd

10:00am-2:00pm Nature Center
Open

10:00am- Story Time- Come to
the Nature Center and listen to
the Naturalist read a story, then
do a craft that goes along with
the story!

11:00am- Jr. Naturalist Hike-Go
on a hike with the Naturalist and
help them identify things you see
along the way! (YPP)

1:00pm- Animal Masks-Create a
wearable mask of your favorite
animal! Use your imagination to
turn craft materials into a
beautiful work of art!

Thursday, Oct. 3rd

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Friday, Oct. 4th

1:00pm-4:00pm Nature Center
Open

1:30pm- Forest Habitats-

Discuss what an animal needs from its habitat to survive, then apply your knowledge and create a mini habitat for a creature to live in! (YPP)

2:30pm- Rock Painting Craft-

Use your imagination to turn a rock into a frog, slice of pizza, ladybug, or anything else you can think of! Help us decorate our garden with painted rocks or take it home with you!

Saturday, Oct. 5th

10:00am-3:00pm Nature Center
Open

10:00am- Clothespin Critter

Craft- Make a frog or butterfly out of a clothespin! Color your creature and watch as they flap their wings or open and close their mouths when you're done!

11:00am- Which Bear Goes

Where? – Learn the different species of bears and how their adaptations help them survive in their habitats! (YPP)

1:00pm- Eastern Box Turtle

Game- Discover the trials of living life as a box turtle while playing a fun game! (YPP)

Sunday, Oct. 6th

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Monday, Oct. 7th

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Tuesday, Oct. 8th

10:00am-2:00pm Nature Center
Open

10:00am- Chalk Art-Help
decorate the walkway in front of
the Nature Center with some
beautiful artwork! Sidewalk chalk
provided, just bring your
imagination!

11:00am-Tracks and Pelts- Join
us at the Nature Center to learn to
identify the tracks and pelts of
mammals that can be seen
around WV! (YPP)

1:00pm- Games! -On the
blacktop outside of the Nature
Center, we will have basketball,
cornhole, sidewalk chalk, and
other activities set up to play!

Wednesday, Oct. 9th

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Thursday, Oct. 10th

10:00am-3:00pm Nature Center
Open

10:00am-Jr. Naturalist Hike-Go
on a hike with the Naturalist and
help them identify things you see
along the way! (YPP)

11:00am- Rock Painting Craft-
Use your imagination to turn a
rock into a frog, slice of pizza,
ladybug, or anything else you can
think of! Help us decorate our
garden with painted rocks or take
it home with you!

**2:00pm- Slithering
Snakes**-Snakes get a bad rep, and
we are here to help fix that! Come
learn how snakes move, find their
food, and the differences between
venomous and nonvenomous
snakes! (YPP)

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Friday, Oct. 11th

10:00am-3:00pm Nature Center

Open

10:00am- Parts of a Tree-Learn the basic parts of a tree and their functions, then do a craft creating a “hand tree”! Best for ages K-2. (YPP)

11:00am- Pinecone Creature

Craft-Turn a pinecone into any creature you can imagine! Use pipe cleaners, pompoms, googly eyes and other craft supplies to turn your pinecone into a fox, caterpillar, or a make-believe creature!

1:00pm- Jr. Naturalist Hike-Go on a hike with the Naturalist and help them identify things you see along the way! (YPP)

5:00pm-WonderFall Hike-Join the Naturalist for a family friendly hike to enjoy the beautiful Fall foliage West Virginia is known for! We will walk along the access trail and Rail Trail, going through the first two tunnels then turn back. Visitors can choose to continue further on if they would like.

Registration Required! Please contact Sarah, the Naturalist, at sarah.e.clark@wv.gov or 304-643-2931 Ext 314 to register.

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Saturday, Oct. 12th

10:30am-4:00pm Nature Center
Open

11:00am- Animal Masks-Create a wearable mask of your favorite animal! Use your imagination to turn craft materials into a beautiful work of art!

1:00pm- Overhanging Rock Trail Hike-Follow the Naturalist on a hike on the Overhanging Rock Trail! This hike has steep inclines and is near 0.65mi long.

2:30pm- Eastern Box Turtle Game-Discover the trials of living life as a box turtle while playing a fun game! (YPP)

Sunday, Oct. 13th

Nature Center Closed



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