

Emerald Necklace Summer Camp Write-ups **Outdoor Experiences 2020**

Online Registration ONLY

Registration is required for all camps. **Register online ONLY at www.clevelandmetroparks.com.** Credit card information is required for registration.

Please have the following information ready when you register:

Camper's name, address, birthday, your name, address, phone number, email address, and your credit card information (number, billing address, expiration date, security code). *It is best to already have an account set-up on the Cleveland Metroparks website.*

If you are in need of a scholarship, please call the number listed for that specific camp. **Scholarship deadline is February 18, 2020.**

NOTE: Camp fees are non-refundable and non-transferable.

Donations are welcome to support the Outdoor Experiences Summer Day Camp Scholarship Fund.

Registration begins **March 3rd at 9:00 a.m.** for Cuyahoga County and Hinckley Township residents.

9:00 a.m. registration will include:

Euclid Creek Reservation
North Chagrin Reservation
South Chagrin Reservation

9:30 a.m. registration will include:

Rocky River Reservation
West Creek Reservation

10:00 a.m. registration will include:

Bedford Reservation
Garfield Reservation
Lakefront Reservation
Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation

10:30 a.m. registration will include:

Brecksville Reservation
Hinckley Reservation
Mill Stream Run Reservation

Registration begins **March 10th at 9:30 a.m.** for all other participants.

Euclid Reservation

June 29-July 10 (M-W-F)

Junior Beach Lifeguarding

Do you have what it takes to be a lifeguard? This program is an introduction to beach lifeguarding. Cleveland Metroparks lifeguarding staff will teach participants about beach safety and water rescue skills. You will get to participate in beach games, physical fitness activities and learn the daily lifeguard responsibilities. T-shirt and supplies included.

Prerequisites: Participants must be able to swim 100 yards, tread water for 3 minutes and be able to swim 10 yards underwater.

9a.m. - noon ER

Villa Angela Beach

Age: 12-15 years

Fee: \$70

440-331-8694

Max: 20

Bedford Reservation

June 23-25

Bedford Explorers

We will spend the next three days exploring Bedford Reservation. We'll hike along Tinker's Creek and through the forest. We'll play games and do activities that relate to the animals of the forest.

Bedford Reservation

Locations vary

216-206-1000

Fee: \$90.75

10 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Age: 7-10 years

Max: 20

July 31

Teen Mountain Bike Skills Camp

Come ride with us and learn new mountain biking skills as we build confidence on the trails. Each teen will be taught fundamental bike movements like balance and control before progressing to harder skills and obstacles later in the day. Better understanding the mechanics of gearing and braking will also be a focus. Please bring a packed lunch and water bottle.

Bedford Reservation

Egbert Picnic Area

216-341-1704

Fee: \$50 (bike and helmet included, or bring your own)

9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Age: 13 - 15 years

Max: 8

Brecksville Reservation

June 15-18 OR June 29-July 2

Primitive Skills Camp - Advanced

This camp is for those who have learned the basics and are ready to move on to more advanced skills including creating fire with a bow drill, making a coal-burned bowl, trying a few life-saving knots, crafting a hiking stick, making lunch over the campfire and much more. Led by Naturalist Jenny McClain.

**Registration is limited to those who have previously taken the Beginner Primitive Skills Camp.*

Brecksville Reservation
Ottawa Point Picnic Area
440-526-1012
Fee: \$104
10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Age: 10 – 14 years
Max: 15

June 22-24

Nature Crafts Camp

Let's explore art and nature together! We are going to blend a fun week of camp activities like games and exploring with a TON of nature-inspired crafts!

Brecksville Reservation
Trailside Program Center
440-526-1012
Fee: \$78
10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Age: 8 – 12 years
Max: 20

July 7-9

Diggin' Dinos & Dirt Camp

If you love digging in the dirt, this camp is for you! We'll spend the week exploring dinosaurs and fossils, take a trip to the Cleveland Museum of Natural History, and even complete a mini excavation! (Transportation provided.)

Brecksville Reservation
Trailside Program Center
440-526-1012
Fee: \$74
10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Age: 8 – 11 years
Max: 20

July 14-16 OR August 4-6

Trailside Explorers

This new camp takes exploration to a new level! Spend the first two days exploring the creeks and fields of Brecksville Reservation. We will search for a variety of animals in these habitats and play some games. Day three we will travel to Oberlin to explore the forest through tree climbing and team building. (Transportation provided, camp will be 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. on July 16)

Brecksville Reservation
Trailside Program Center
440-526-1012
Fee: \$130
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Age: 7 - 9 years
Max: 20

July 20-22**Journey to the Stars Camp**

This week we will be exploring the universe! From galaxy crafts, to moon snacks and space themed games, we will take a journey to the stars and back. We will also visit a planetarium for a special program. (Transportation provided.)

Brecksville Reservation
Trailside Program Center
440-526-1012

Fee: \$74
10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Age: 8 – 11 years
Max: 20

July 30**Archery Youth Day JR**

Join Naturalist Jenny McClain, USA Archery certified instructor, to learn the basics of the sport, enjoy friendly competition playing archery games, and learn how to properly care for archery equipment. All equipment is provided.

Brecksville Reservation
York Road Archery Range
440-526-1012

Fee: \$35
10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Age: 9 – 12 years
Max: 12

July 31**Archery Youth Day SR**

Join Naturalist Jenny McClain, USA Archery certified instructor, to learn the basics of the sport, enjoy friendly competition playing archery games, and learn how to properly care for archery equipment. All equipment is provided.

Brecksville Reservation
York Road Archery Range
440-526-1012

Fee: \$35
10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Age: 13 – 17 years
Max: 12

Garfield Reservation**August 5-7****Adventure Seeker Series Camp**

Let the adventure seeker in your family explore Cleveland Metroparks through recreation. Spend a day exploring Hinckley Reservation by ledge and lake through rock climbing and stand up paddleboard. Discover Bedford Reservation's winding, single track mountain bike trails before cooking on an open fire. Wrap up your adventure by embarking on a paddling excursion on the scenic Cuyahoga River. Daily activities are based on weather and water conditions. Bring a packed lunch and prepare to get wet. (Transportation provided)

Garfield Reservation
Garfield Park Center
216-341-1704

Fee: \$175 (equipment included)
9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Age: 10 - 15 years
Max: 10

June 24-26 OR July 15-17

Watersports Adventure Camp

Follow your sense of adventure and join us for three days of paddling Ohio's rivers and lakes while learning about water quality. On the water fun is guaranteed, however, weather and water conditions will determine our daily activities. The menu of possible activities include: stand up paddleboard, kayak, canoe, sailing, and stream exploration. Transportation from Garfield Park Center will be provided to Hinckley Lake, the Cuyahoga River, and Lake Erie. Please bring a packed lunch and be prepared to get wet! (Participants may not experience all activities due to weather)

Garfield Reservation

Garfield Park Center

216-341-1704

Fee: \$175 (equipment included)

9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Age: 10 - 15 years

Max: 10

Hinckley Reservation

June 22-24

Camp Hinckley

Join us for three days of adventure on land, water and air. Campers should be ready to fish, hike, and kayak in Hinckley Reservation. The final day of camp we will board a bus and travel to Geauga Park District for a treetop adventure on their high ropes challenge course, this day will end at 3 p.m.

SPECIAL NOTE: **Due to rope course requirements campers **MUST** be 54" tall and weigh 50 pounds to participate in this camp.**

Hinckley Reservation

Hinckley Lake Boathouse & Store

440-526-1012

Fee: \$100

10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Age: 10 - 13 years

Max: 16

June 17, July 1 OR July 20

Kayak/SUP Youth Day

Spend a hot summer day learning two new ways to have fun on the water. Whether you're balancing on a stand up paddleboard or exploring nature from a kayak, you are sure to stay cool. Be prepared to get wet! Please bring a packed lunch.

Hinckley Reservation

Hinckley Lake Boathouse

216-341-1704

Fee: \$50 (equipment included)

9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Age: 10 - 15 years

Max: 20

June 26 OR July 8

Climb the Ledge Youth Day

Spend a day exploring Hinckley Reservation's natural rock maze! After hiking through Whipp's Ledges, your camper goes vertical. Learn climbing techniques, basic knots, and climbing safety. Please bring a packed lunch.

Hinckley Reservation

Top O'Ledges Picnic Area

216-341-1704

Fee: \$50 (equipment included)

9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Age: 10 - 15 years

Max: 20

July 27-30

Camp Hinckley Advanced

Four days of adventure and great experiences await you! Two days will be spent in Hinckley Reservation kayaking and rock climbing. While the other two days we will hit the road and take some field trips. We will head to Oberlin for team building through a low and high ropes course. Our final day we will travel to Lake Erie to go on a charter fishing boat for walleye fishing. We will plan a fish fry for our catch of the day!

SPECIAL NOTES:

**Registration is limited to those who have previously participated in Camp Hinckley.*

****Due to high ropes requirements campers MUST weigh 70 pounds to participate in this camp.****

Hinckley Reservation

Hinckley Lake Boathouse & Store

440-526-1012

Fee: \$260

9 a.m. – 2 p.m. (M, W, Th)

9 a.m. – 4 p.m. (Tues)

Age: 11-14 years

Max: 14

Lakefront Reservation

June 9-11

Lakefront Explorers

We'll spend three days exploring Cleveland's lakefront. Our days will be spent playing in the sand at the beach, looking for insects in the fields, and exploring the forests. Camp meets at Upper Edgewater Picnic Shelter Tuesday & Thursday and Wendy Park on Wednesday.

Locations vary

216-206-1000

Fee: \$90.75

10:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Ages: 7-10 years

Max: 20

June 29, July 23 OR August 3

Youth Sailing Camp

Spend a day learning to sail on the inner harbor of Lake Erie. Learn the basics of sailing while focusing on terminology, etiquette, reading the wind, tacking, gybing and how to handle emergencies. Please bring a packed lunch, and come prepared to get wet.

Lakefront Reservation

Wendy Park

216-341-1704

Fee: \$75 (includes equipment)

9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Age: 10 – 15 years

Max: 8

Mill Stream Run Reservation

June 9-11

Primitive Skills Camp - Beginner

Join Naturalist Jenny McClain to learn primitive skills. Start a fire with flint and steel, build a debris shelter, find your way with map and compass and more. Participants must come all 3 days.

Mill Stream Run Reservation

W. J. Green Lodge

440-526-1012

Fee: \$78

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Age: 9 – 12 years

Max: 15

North Chagrin Reservation

June 8-10

Forest Friends – North

First time campers will become a friend of the forest as they engage in fun, hands-on nature games and activities in a small group setting. Join Natalie the Naturalist on trail walks, animal encounters, songs, stories and art projects.

Campers must be potty-trained.

North Chagrin Reservation

North Chagrin Nature Center

440-473-3370

Fee: \$33

9:30 – 11:30 a.m. OR 1 – 3 p.m.

Age: 3 – 4 years

Max: 12

June 16-18

Young Naturalist Camp

Help your child connect to the natural world by experiencing it up close and personal. This camp will delve into the “ologies” of natural history through cool take-home projects, adventurous hikes and deep studies of insects, trees, mammals, birds, reptiles and amphibians.

North Chagrin Reservation

North Chagrin Nature Center

440-473-3370

Fee: \$66

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Age: 10 – 12 years

Max: 20

June 22-24**Nightcrawlers**

The world doesn't go to sleep when the sun goes down. Join Naturalist Natalie Schroder for three evenings filled with owls, bats, flying squirrels, and hikes through the forest.

North Chagrin Reservation

North Chagrin Nature Center

440-473-3370

Fee: \$50

6 – 9 p.m.

Age: 8 – 10 years

Max: 20

June 30-July 2**Future Scientists**

Does your child always ask you "Why" things are the way they are? Do they like hands on experiments and exploration hikes? Then this is the camp for them! North Chagrin reservation will be our laboratory and science discoveries will happen daily.

North Chagrin Reservation

Nature Education Building

440-473-3370

Fee: \$117

10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Age: 8 – 10 years

Max: 20

July 7-9**Critter Camp**

Come and explore a wetland, creek, and forest in search of insects, tadpoles, salamanders and other critters. Children will use dip nets, lift logs in the woods, go on a creek walk and play games in this fun and educational nature appreciation camp.

North Chagrin Reservation

Nature Education Building

440-473-3370

Fee: \$66

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Age: 5 – 7 years

Max: 15

July 14-16**Nature Art Camp**

Young artists who love nature will paint, sculpt, and sketch the wildlife of North Chagrin. Creative adventure is waiting for you.

North Chagrin Reservation

North Chagrin Nature Center

440-473-3370

Fee: \$78

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Age: 10 – 12 years

Max: 20

July 28-30

Wildling Camp

The deep woods and rich wetlands of North Chagrin are full of adventure. Campers will explore winding trails through the forest, search for tadpoles and frogs in the marsh, hike the creek, and play nature games in this fun and educational nature camp.

North Chagrin Reservation

Nature Education Building

440-473-3370

Fee: \$83

10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Age: 8 – 10 years

Max: 20

August 3-5

Polliwog Summer Adventure – North

Summer is a time of discovery! Join Natalie the Naturalist on new adventures and learn through music, art, discovery and reading. We will hike the trails, stomp in the stream and look for critters while growing your polliwog's sense of wonder and discovery. Campers must be potty-trained.

North Chagrin Reservation

North Chagrin Nature Center

440-473-3370

Fee: \$42

9:30 a.m. – noon OR 1:30 – 4 p.m. NCNC

Age: 4 – 5 years

Max: 12

Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation

June 9-11

Snakes, Turtles and Toads

In this camp we will have the opportunity to get up close and hands-on with the reptiles and amphibians that live in Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation. We will learn how to safely interact with wildlife and the important roles they play in an ecosystem.

Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation

CWC

216-206-1000

Fee: \$90.75

10 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Age: 6 – 8 years

Max: 20

June 16-18

CanalWay Camper

We'll spend the next three days discovering the skills of an extreme camper through fun and games. We'll learn how to use a compass, hike, build a fire, play games, and go fishing. Be ready to get dirty exploring as we master the art of camping.

Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation

CWC

216-206-1000

Fee: \$90.75

10a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Age: 6 - 8 years

Max: 20

June 23-25**CanalWay Little Explorers Camp**

Join us for three afternoons of exploring. We will investigate the local animals, plants, waters, and land of the Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation. What animal left this behind? Who eats that plant? Why did this tree grow here?

Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation

CWC

216-206-1000

Fee: \$49.50

1 – 4 p.m.

Age: 5 - 6 years

Max: 15

June 30-July 2**Forest, Field, and Farm Camp**

Join us for three fun filled days of discovery. We'll investigate who lives in the forest, catch bugs in the fields and we will visit a farm to complete the experience. We meet at CanalWay Center Tuesday and Wednesday. On Thursday we will meet at Stearns Homestead.

Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation

CWC

216-206-1000

Fee: \$90.75

10 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Age: 6 - 8 years

Max: 20

July 7-9**Hidden Valley Survival**

Join us for three days of early survivor skills, activities, and games. We'll enjoy many American Indian tasks like archery, atlatl, canoeing, stalking prey, making fire, and relating to nature. Thursday will meet at the Hinckley Lake Boathouse.

Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation

CWC

216-206-1000

Fee: \$107.25

10 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Age: 10 - 13 years

Max: 20

July 14-16**American Girl Camp**

Our camp will be centered around Kirsten, one of the first American Girl Dolls, and her new life on the frontier in America in the 1850s. We'll explore, play games, and craft as Kirsten did.

Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation

CWC

216-206-1000

Fee: \$90.75

10 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Age: 9 - 11 years

Max: 20

July 14-16**Water Camp Junior**

In this camp we will explore the creeks, rivers, and ponds of Cleveland Metroparks. We'll meet at Bedford Reservation to explore a creek, we'll fish along and kayak on the Ohio & Erie Canal, and we will visit the Greater Cleveland Aquarium, followed by a relaxing afternoon at Edgewater Beach.

Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation & Bedford Reservation

CWC

216-206-1000

Fee: \$120.25

10 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Age: 7 -9 years

Max: 20

July 21-23**CanalWay Adventure Camp**

We'll spend three days doing different recreational activities in nature. Learn about archery, hiking, fishing, and biking. You must provide your own bike (with helmet) and know how to ride it for bike day.

Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation

CWC

216-206-1000

Fee: \$99

10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Age: 9-11 years

Max: 20

Before care: 8 - 10 a.m. = \$25 (min. 5 campers)

After care: 4 - 6 p.m. = \$25 (min. 5 campers)

July 28-30**CanalWay Investigators**

Join us for three days of questioning nature. We will investigate the local mammals, reptiles, amphibians, insects, and birds. What animal lives here? Whose scat is this? Who eats who in our food chain? Who made these tracks?

Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation

CWC

216-206-1000

Fee: \$90.75

10 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Age: 6 - 8 years

Max: 20

July 28-31**Water Camp**

In this four day camp we will explore the creeks, rivers, ponds, and lakes of Cleveland Metroparks. . We'll meet at Bedford Reservation to explore a creek, we'll fish along the Ohio & Erie Canal, take a fishing charter onto Lake Erie, visit the Greater Cleveland Aquarium, and wrap up camp at Edgewater Park for some relaxation along the lakefront.

Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation & Bedford Reservation

CWC

216-206-1000

Fee: \$212.50

10:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Age: 10 - 12 years

Max: 16

August 11-13**CanalWay Preschool Camp**

Join us for an adventure to see what lives in our wetland and our woods. We will do crafts, read stories, play games, go on hikes and meet some animals. Be ready to explore and have fun!

Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation

CWC

216-206-1000

Fee: \$33

10 a.m. – Noon OR 2 – 4 p.m.

Age: 3 - 4 years

Max: 12

Rocky River Reservation**June 8-10****Young Birders**

Is there a budding Audubon in your family? They will enjoy hanging out with other kids who share their love for birds and nature. Our last day will be on the road exploring some of Northeast Ohio's premiere birding spots. (Transportation provided)

10 a.m. – 2 p.m. June 8 & 9 RRNC

9 a.m. – 4 p.m. June 10 RRNC

Age: 8 – 12 years

Fee: \$110

440-734-6660

Max 12

June 10-12**Home Sweet Habitat**

Spend the week learning about different animals' homes and what all living things need to survive! Each day of camp we will learn about a different thing that needs to be in an animal's habitat through games and songs.

10 a.m. – noon RRNC

Age: 4 – 6 years

Fee: \$33

Max: 12

June 15-17 OR July 13-15**Stream Stomp Littles**

Come discover and explore the remarkable Rocky River from a knee-high perspective. We will play, use our imagination, be creative and have a splashing good time. Rubber boots recommended.

9:30 – noon RRNC

Age: 5 – 6 years

Fee: \$41

440-734-6660

Max: 12

June 17 – 19**Things With Wings**

Preschoolers will explore the wonderful world of flying things in this hands-on exploration camp. Join a naturalist to learn more about the incredible world of these winged-wonders.

10 a.m. – noon RRNC

Ages: 4-6 years

Fee: \$33

440-734-6660

Max: 12

June 23-25

Woodland Wanderers JR

This camp is for kids who like to hike. We will spend most of the day on the move as we explore different trails and terrains within the park. We will practice Leave No Trace principles and learn some outdoor skills along the way.

10 a.m. - 2 p.m. RRNC

Age: 8 - 10 years

Fee: \$66

440-734-6660

Max: 20

July 6-8

Woodland Wanderers SR

This camp is for kids who like to hike. We will spend most of the day on the move as we explore different trails and terrains within the park. We will practice Leave No Trace principles and learn some outdoor skills along the way.

10 a.m. - 2 p.m. RRNC

Age: 10 - 12 years

Fee: \$66

440-734-6660

Max: 20

July 8-10

Cleveland Rocks!

This camp is perfect for kids who love rocks and want to know more! Learn about the different types of rocks in northeast Ohio and the prehistoric creatures that lived here millions of years ago!

10 a.m. – 2 p.m. RRNC

Age: 8 – 10 years

Fee: \$66

440-734-6660

Max: 20

July 15 – 17

Nature Artists

Young art enthusiasts can spend some time immersed in creativity inspired by the beauty of the natural world. Campers will be able to try their hand at a variety of different arts and crafts. No artistic talent is required; just a love for creating!

10 a.m. – 2 p.m. RRNC

Ages 10-12 years

Fee: \$78

440-734-6660

Max: 12

July 21-23

Storybook Adventures

Storybook adventures await our preschool explorers in this camp. We will go “around the pond’ and “in the woods” as we read Lindsay Barret George’s interactive nature stories and then we’ll head outside to explore and have adventures of our own!

9:30 – 11:30 a.m. RRNC

Age: 4 – 6 years

Fee: \$33

440-734-6660

Max: 12

July 22-24**Habitat Heroes**

Become a real life hero as we work together to help keep our habitats healthy! We'll learn to upcycle trash into treasures, clean up our beaches, and look for creatures that will benefit from our hard work. Each day includes a mini service project.

10 a.m. – 2 p.m. RRNC

Age: 7 – 9 years

Fee: \$74

440-734-6660

Max: 18

July 27-29 OR August 3-5**Trail Blazers**

Bring your boots! Join a naturalist for three days of fort-building, crayfish-catching, frog-spotting, forest hiking, pond-dipping, a campfire and more. We'll learn about Rocky River's wildlife and get some great exercise.

10 a.m. - 2 p.m. RRNC

Age: 5 - 7 years

Fee: \$66

440-734-6660

Max: 15

July 31-August 2**Night Owls**

As the sun wanes, the forest comes to life. Explore the mysteries of the cosmos and search for the magnificent creatures that inhabit our twilight trails. After taking in a beautiful sunset, campers will be treated to s'mores around a campfire to close out the week.

6:30 – 9:30 p.m. RRNC

Age: 8 – 10 years

Fee: \$59

440-734-6660

Max: 20

August 5-7 OR August 12-14**Stream Stomp**

Come stomp, splash and discover the amazing Rocky River at this wet and watery camp. We'll explore the river and the life it holds. On day two we'll travel by bus to destinations along the Lake Erie shoreline.

10 a.m. – 2 p.m. RRNC

Age: 7 - 9 years

Fee: \$74

440-734-6660

Max: 15

South Chagrin Reservation

June 9-11

Chagrin Navigators

Does your kid love getting lost in the woods? This week, we'll become confident explorers as we search for natural wonders by map, compass, and GPS. Each day will bring a new challenge as we learn how wildlife finds their way. Send your camper prepared to get wet, muddy, and exhilarated!

South Chagrin Reservation

Look About Lodge

440-473-3370

Fee: \$83

10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Age: 8 – 10 years

Max: 20

June 16-18

Folklore Camp

Fact or fiction? Real or imaginary? Nature folklore is rooted in our culture and waiting for us to explore its mysteries!

Join us for a week of stories, games, treasure, and adventure.

South Chagrin Reservation

Look About Lodge

440-473-3370

Fee: \$78

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Age: 7 – 9 years

Max: 15

June 23-25

My Adult and Me Camp

Whether the child and adult would simply enjoy camp together or a child isn't ready for an independent camp experience, this is sure to be a week of outdoor fun and discovery! Register each child; maximum of 2 children per adult.

South Chagrin Reservation

Look About Lodge

440-473-3370

Fee: \$78 per child

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Age: 6 – 8 years with adult

Max: 10

June 30-July 2

Wild Things

What's your favorite animal? Each day we will experience the pond, forest or meadow through the eyes of a wild creature. With imaginative play and exploration, we'll get a hands-on look at their lives and the natural world.

South Chagrin Reservation

Look About Lodge

440-473-3370

Fee: \$66

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Age: 5 – 7 years

Max: 15

July 6-8**Forest Friends – South**

First time campers will become a friend of the forest as they engage in fun, hands-on nature games and activities in a small group setting. Join Natalie the Naturalist on trail walks, animal encounters, songs, stories and art projects.

Campers must be potty-trained.

South Chagrin Reservation

Look About Lodge

440-473-3370

Fee: \$33

9:30 – 11:30 a.m. OR 1 – 3 p.m.

Age: 3 – 4 years

Max: 12

July 14-16**Nature Nuts**

Help your child connect to the natural world by experiencing it up close and personal. This camp will delve into the “ologies” of natural history through cool take-home projects, adventurous hikes and deep studies of insects, trees, mammals, birds, reptiles and amphibians.

South Chagrin Reservation

Look About Lodge

440-473-3370

Fee: \$66

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Age: 8 – 10

Max: 20

July 21-23**Go Outside Camp**

Catching bugs, creek walking, and playing games in the forest are just some of the adventures we'll find in this week of traditional nature camp.

South Chagrin Reservation

Look About Lodge

440-473-3370

Fee: \$66

10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Age: 5 – 7 years

Max: 15

July 27-29**Polliwog Summer Adventure – South**

Summer is a time of discovery! Join Natalie the Naturalist on new adventures and learn through music, art, discovery and reading. We will hike trails, dip in the pond, and stomp in the stream while growing your polliwog's sense of wonder and discovery. Campers must be potty-trained.

South Chagrin Reservation

Look About Lodge

440-473-3370

Fee: \$42

9:30 a.m. – noon OR 1:30 – 4 p.m.

Age: 4 – 5 years

Max: 12

August 4-6**Nature Quest**

Climb the highest hills! Cross the winding rivers! Catch bugs, fish, and butterflies on a quest to explore nature.

South Chagrin Reservation

Look About Lodge

440-473-3370

Fee: \$99

10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Age: 5 – 7 years

Max: 15

West Creek Reservation**June 10 - 12 OR July 8 - 10****Creek Explorers Camp**

Have you ever wondered how our creeks are formed and what might be living in the water? Come splash around and discover what lies hidden beneath the surface of our water features.

West Creek Reservation

WSC

440-887-1968

Fee: \$83

10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Age: 7 - 9

Max: 20

July 22 - 24**River to Lake Adventure JR Camp**

Discover two of Northeast Ohio's greatest natural treasures, the Cuyahoga River and Lake Erie. Canoe and ride a boat along the crooked river and then sail on Lake Erie as we discover their natural and cultural history along the way.

(Transportation provided)

West Creek Reservation

WSC

440-887-1968

Fee: \$110

10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Age: 9 - 12

Max: 10

June 17 - 19 OR July 15 -17**Science of Survival Camp**

Can you eat that plant? How do you start a fire without matches? Can you build a shelter to withstand a storm? Learn how to survive in the wilds of West Creek.

West Creek Reservation

WSC

440-887-1968

Fee: \$98

10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Age: 9 – 12

Max: 20

June 24 - 26 OR July 29 - 31

Creative Camp

Learn and create with nature. Travel the trails and the waterways of West Creek's backyard in this exploratory camp as we discover the natural world using art as our compass.

West Creek Reservation

WSC

440-887-1968

Fee: \$98

10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Age: 8 - 10

Max: 20

August 5 - 7

River to Lake Adventure SR Camp

Discover two of Northeast Ohio's greatest natural treasures, the Cuyahoga River and Lake Erie. Canoe and ride a boat along the crooked river and then sail on Lake Erie as we discover their natural and cultural history along the way.

(Transportation provided)

West Creek Reservation

WSC

440-887-1968

Fee: \$110

10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Age: 12 - 14

Max: 10