

# ages 10-13

## ART IN NATURE

Let nature be your inspiration for sculptures, paintings, mosaics and other art that you create in the great outdoors. Campers should wear clothes that can get messy. An art reception featuring all of their creations will be held from 2pm-2:30pm, on Friday, June 24.

**Tuesday June 21-Friday June 24, 9:30 AM-2:30 PM**

**Fee \$100, pre-registration required before June 21**

**Spring Lakes Park, 2191 Ferry Road, Bellbrook**

## FOREST RECON

This week is serious fun. We will build secret bases in the woods, sneak around the park tracking other groups, perfect our human camouflage strategies, and compete against other groups in daily top secret challenges! You'll never have more fun being sneaky!

**Monday August 1-Friday August 5, 9:00 AM-2:30 PM**

**Fee \$100, pre-registration required before August 1**

**Narrows Reserve Canoe Launch, 2575 Indian Ripple Rd., Xenia**

## MINECRAFT 2.0

Ready for some next level Minecraft fun? Craft your own tools, explore the biomes of the park, conquer all sorts of hostile mobs on an epic quest, and brew up awesome potions. Plus you'll play tons of fun Minecraft-themed games throughout the week.

**Monday July 25-Friday July 29, 9:00 AM-2:30 PM**

**Fee \$100, pre-registration required before July 25**

**Narrows Reserve Canoe Launch, 2575 Indian Ripple Rd., Xenia**

## NATURALIST CAMP

Calling all nature lovers! Join us for a week of creeking, hiking, and exploring the habitats of Spring Lakes Park. You'll also get a chance to care for and handle many of our resident animals. The highlights of the week will be a field trip to the Columbus Zoo and Aquarium and a camping overnight at the park where we will encounter awesome nocturnal animals!

**June 27, 28, 29: 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM**

**June 30: 9:00 AM - 11:59 PM**

**July 1: thru 12:00 PM**

**Fee \$125, pre-registration required before June 27**

**Spring Lakes Park, 2191 Ferry Road, Bellbrook**

## ROUGHIN' IT!

Cooking over an open fire, tossing a tomahawk, and building your own shelter are all included in this week of outdoor adventure. Each camper will also receive their very own pocket knife. Campers will spend Thursday night with us at a camp out at Caesar Ford. Tents, dinner, snack, and breakfast will be provided during the camp out.

**June 6, 7, 8: 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM**

**June 9: 9:00 AM - 11:59 PM**

**June 10: thru 12:00 PM**

**Fee \$125, pre-registration required before June 6**

**Caesar Ford Park, 520 S. Stringtown Road, Xenia**



## GREENE COUNTY PARKS & TRAILS

### THOUSANDS OF ACRES. MILES OF TRAILS.

It all belongs to you. That's right. So, get out of your house. Turn off your TV and smart phone. We want to see you on the trails and in the parks as often as you want... to jump, sit, cast, peddle, or float... or walk or run or cartwheel... to your heart's content.

### YOUR INTEREST. YOUR ENERGY. YOUR TIME.

We love volunteers. And there's a lot to do! You can organize, guide, lead, share your knowledge, or bring us your ideas! You'll help make our parks and trails better, our events more fun, our children better people, and make sure we keep up the best backyard in the country! Call 937-562-6440. Nothing is more valuable than you.

### SEE SOMETHING. SAY SOMETHING.

If it's an emergency, call 911 immediately. If it's not critical but still important, contact the ranger on duty by calling Greene County Central Dispatch at 937-376-5111.

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## 2022 GCP&T SUMMER CAMPS



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## GCP&T SUMMER CAMPS

Join the excitement and create lifelong memories as you explore the outdoors of Greene County. GCP&T summer camps offer a variety of activities that meet the interests of any participant.

## SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION

Online at [gcparkstrails.com/register](http://gcparkstrails.com/register)

By phone at 937-562-6440

In person at  
635 Dayton-Xenia Rd., Xenia

# ages 4-5

## ANIMAL PALS

Furry, scaly, feathered and smooth—all kinds of animals are here to meet you! Make friends with some amazing critters and learn all about them during this camp which will be perfect for young animal lovers! Please bring a water bottle and light snack every day.

**Tuesday June 21-Friday June 24, 9:30-11:30 AM**

**Fee \$50, pre-registration required before June 20**

**Spring Lakes Park, 2191 Ferry Road, Bellbrook**

## DINO-RIFIC!

This camp will make you want to stomp like a stegosaurus, fly like a pterosaur, and roar like a T-Rex! Every day will be filled with Dino-sized fun as campers play, learn, and discover all about dinosaurs. Please bring a water bottle and light snack every day.

**Monday June 6-Friday June 10, 9:30-11:30 AM**

**Fee \$50, pre-registration required before June 6**

**Narrows Reserve Canoe Launch, 2575 Indian Ripple Rd., Xenia**

## ON THE DOUBLE!

No job is too big, no dog (or camper) is too small...Join us for a week with your favorite Paw Patrol characters as you all work together on missions to help protect nature and wildlife. Are you up for the challenge?

**Monday July 11-Friday July 15, 9:30-11:30 AM**

**Fee \$50, pre-registration required before July 11**

**Russ Nature Reserve, 2380 Kemp Rd., Beavercreek**

# ages 6-9

## ANIMALYMPICS

The greatest animal athletes will compete for the top prize in this exciting camp. Do you have what it takes to compete in games of skill, strength, and agility? Basketball, kickball and races will be some of the competitions campers will participate in as they explore amazing facts about what animals are capable of.

**Monday June 27-Friday July 1, 9:00 AM-2:30 PM**

**Fee \$100, pre-registration required before June 27**

**Fairgrounds Recreation Center, 210 Fairground Road, Xenia**

## CRITTER CAMP

Are you fascinated by fish? Intrigued by iguanas? Engrossed by eagles? This is the camp for you! We'll spend the week exploring the woods, lakes, and creek at Spring Lakes Park and searching for as many critters as we can find. Plus, we'll meet and care for the resident critters. The week will end with a trip to the Cincinnati Zoo and Botanical Garden!

**June 13, 14, 15, 16: 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM**

**June 17: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM**

**Fee \$100, pre-registration required before June 13**

**Spring Lakes Park, 2191 Ferry Road, Bellbrook**

## MINECRAFT UNPLUGGED

Back by POPULAR DEMAND! Experience all of the fun of Minecraft in real world! Go mining, use bows and arrows to shoot hostile mobs, go on exciting quests in the woods and creeks, and so much more!

**Monday July 25-Friday July 29, 9:00 AM-2:30 PM**

**Fee \$100, pre-registration required before July 25**

**Narrows Reserve Canoe Launch, 2575 Indian Ripple Rd., Xenia**

## NATURE'S PLAYGROUND

Nature is full of opportunities for play, and this week we will take full advantage of them. We'll build secret forts for a week long game of capture the flag, play in the creek, climb on trees, skip stones, play in the mud and much more!

**Monday August 1-Friday August 5, 9:00 AM-2:30 PM**

**Fee \$100, pre-registration required before August 1**

**Narrows Reserve Canoe Launch, 2575 Indian Ripple Rd., Xenia**

## WATER BLAST

This week will be a blast! We'll play lots of water games, build vegetable boats, slide down a 100 foot slip-n-slide, and play in a massive pile of bubbles! On Friday, we'll add to the fun with a day of water games and water slides. H2-Oh Yeah!!

**Monday August 8-Friday August 12, 9:00 AM-2:30 PM**

**Fee \$100, pre-registration required before August 8**

**Narrows Reserve Canoe Launch, 2575 Indian Ripple Rd., Xenia**



## WOODLAND MYSTERIES

Use your detective and scientific experiments to solve mysteries in the woods. Look for clues, solve puzzles, and crack the case of the Stolen Walnuts, the Mystery of Midnight Munchers, and other nature whodunits.

**Monday July 18-Friday July 22, 9:00 AM-2:30 PM**

**Fee \$100, pre-registration required before July 18**

**Russ Nature Reserve, 2380 Kemp Rd., Beavercreek**

## JUNIOR RANGER ACADEMY for ages 10-13

Would you like to become certified as a junior ranger and become an ambassador to Greene County Parks & Trails? Then join our week-long Junior Ranger Academy. Youth will spend a week with the Ranger Division completing exciting missions and experiencing nature first-hand. Cadets will get experience in: crime scene investigating, archery, gun safety, first aid, agility, and more. Friday will end with a celebration at the Fairgrounds Recreation Center, with cadets officially becoming certified Junior Park Rangers.

**Monday July 11-Friday July 15, 9:00 AM-2:30 PM**

**Fee \$100, pre-registration required before July 11**

**Greene County Parks & Trails Headquarters,  
635 Dayton-Xenia Road, Xenia**