



Friends of Salt Springs Park

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Covid-19 Impact Update

Now that Susquehanna County has reached the green phase, we've passed a few more reopening milestones. The cabins and the Williams Pavilion can be reserved and used again, and our public programs have resumed. Check out what's coming up in July and August.

The Wheaton House, which is our office / exhibit space / gift shop building, remains closed. We have heard no criteria for its reopening, so possibly not at all this summer.

We are still unsure whether we can hold the Celebration this year. We will decide soon and let you know.

And, again, for the foreseeable future, we ask—and strongly recommend—that all visitors wear masks and maintain social distancing.

Time for a Camping Trip?

Call (570-967-7275) or email (info@saltsspringspark.org) to make a reservation. Some sites are walk-in only; others are drive up.



Cottage 1 (aka the treehouse), left, and campsite 10, above.



Cottage 2, above; and below, L to R, cottage 3 and campsites 8 and 7.



Mark Your Calendar

[Full Details on Our Website](#)

NOTE: Programs are adapted to comply with current pandemic health and safety guidance from the Dept. of Conservation and Natural Resources and the PA Dept. of Health and Human Services. At a minimum, we require participants to practice social distancing and to be respectful of other participants' personal space and comfort. Please bring a mask with you in case a situation arises where guidelines advise its use. See individual program listings for additional requirements.

First Day Hike. Wednesday, July 1, 7 p.m. Get outdoors, enjoy nature, and make new friends while getting a little exercise. \$5; families, \$15; members, free.

Archery for Beginners. Saturday, July 11, 10 a.m. Our program is based on the National Archery in Schools program and taught by NASP-certified instructor Diane Hawley-Wurth. Face masks are required. \$5; \$15/family.

Wild for Wildflowers Hike. Sunday, July 12, 1 p.m. Let's see how many wildflowers we can find along a 1.5-mile easy to moderate hike. \$5; members, free.

Star Party. Saturday, July 18, 8:30 p.m. Mike and Mary Sinkovich host this summer star-gazing party, and we hope to see Jupiter and Saturn. \$5; \$15/family; members, free.

Stream Stomp for Dragonflies. Sunday, July 19, 1 p.m. We'll search for macroinvertebrates and dragonfly nymphs. Wear waterproof boots. \$5; families, \$15; members, free.

First Day Hike—Tree ID. Saturday, August 1, 10 a.m. Meet at the Bunny Trail Parking Lot on Buckley Rd. Jim Kessler will get you primed to find the largest trees in the park (the contest is open until September 5). \$5; \$15/family; members, free.

Full Moon Hike. Sunday, August 2, 8 p.m. Come explore the park by moonlight. \$5; families, \$15; members, free.

Archery for Beginners. Saturday, August 8, 10 a.m. Our program is based on the National Archery in Schools program and taught by NASP-certified instructor Diane Hawley-Wurth. Face masks are required. \$5; \$15/family.

The Five Elements—Earth. Sunday, August 23, 1 p.m. According to Chinese philosophy, the five elements of Wood, Fire, Earth, Metal, and Water are believed to be the fundamental elements of everything in the universe. In this workshop, Tami Noonan explores the element Earth, which is associated with the changing of the seasons. Free-will donation.