

Interpretive



Programs



**Brookville Lake
Mounds & Quakertown
July 2016**

Mounds

Saturday, July 2

1 pm – 3 pm Roving Naturalist – Search for the Naturalist at the beach to see what natural item they have with them today!

7 pm Celebration Campfire – Celebrate Indiana State Park’s 100th Birthday by joining us at the Mounds Camp Store for a campfire and s’mores! Participate in fun activities and learn how our State Parks came to be.

Sunday, July 3



11 am Cornhole Tournament – Enter a team to participate in our annual Cornhole tournament at our Camp Store. This is a great way to enjoy being outdoors with friends and family! Register your team at our Camp Store beginning Friday, July 1st. Registration closes at 10:45 am on Sunday, July 3rd.

6 pm Reptile Roundup – Join us at the Camp Store to visit with some native reptiles. Discover some fascinating facts about these sometimes misunderstood critters. 40 minutes.

Monday, July 4

10 am Nature Photography – Calling all cameras! Have you ever wanted to take up nature photography, but aren’t sure where to begin? Join us at the Templeton Creek Picnic Area for a 1 hour talk/hike to get started in this fun and rewarding hobby. BYOC (Bring your own camera)

Saturday, July 9

1 pm – 3 pm Roving Naturalist – Search for the Naturalist at the beach to see what natural item they have with them today!

6 pm Going Batty! – Bats have been given a bad reputation, but we think they are awesome! Explore the world of this helpful nocturnal mammal and make a hanging bat craft to take home. Meet at the Camp Store for this 40 minute program.

Sunday, July 10



10 am Amazing Amphibians! – Meet at the Camp Store for a 30 minute program to explore the world of Amphibians and discover how they lead a double life. Live critters will be there, we hope you will too!

Saturday, July 16

6:30 pm Cards and Decorations for Smokey! – Join us at the Camp Store to make a birthday card for Smokey and help decorate for his party! We will also share the story of how Smokey got his name. 30 minutes.

7 pm Smokey’s Birthday Bash – Help wish Smokey a Happy 72nd Birthday! Take a photo with this famous bear and enjoy some birthday treats at the Camp Store!

Sunday, July 17

10 am Feathered Friends – Join us at the Camp Store to learn about common backyard birds! Make a bird to take home with you. 40 minutes.

Saturday, July 23

9 pm Nocturnal Hurdles – Think you could survive as a nocturnal predator? Let’s find out! We will test your nighttime senses on this 1 hour easy hike. Meet at the Campground Shelter House across from Wildlife Wander.

Sunday, July 24

10 am Buzzin’ Bees – Meet at the Camp Store to make a buzzin’ bee to take home with you! Discover why our pollinators are so important at this 30 minute program.

Saturday, July 30



1 pm – 3 pm Roving Naturalist – Search for the Naturalist at the beach to see what natural item they have with them today!

6 pm Wonderful Wildflowers! – Have you ever stopped to consider how important a flower can be? Find out how beneficial wildflowers are to the natural world at this 40 minute program. Meet at the Camp Store. Make your own flower to take home.

Sunday, July 31

10 am Woodland Wander – Join us for a nature discovery hike! Let’s see what the forest has in store for us today on this 40 minute easy hike. Meet at the Campground Shelter House.

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Assistant Property Managers: Steven DeLorenzo
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Quakertown

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Saturday, July 2

5 pm Cornhole Tournament – Enter a team to participate in our annual Cornhole tournament in the front lawn of our Service Area across from the campground gatehouse. This is a great way to enjoy being outdoors with friends and family! Register your team at the service area the day of the tournament, beginning at 4 pm. Registration closes at 4:45 pm.

Sunday, July 3

6 pm Frogs and Toads Oh My! – Meet at the Campground Playground to explore the world of these awesome amphibians. There will be live animals at this 30 minute program.



Monday, July 4

10 am Wild about Water – Everybody loves a great way to cool off and have fun, and we want you to be safe while doing it. Meet at the Beach Deck to learn some water safety tips while playing some fun games during this 30 minute program.

Saturday, July 9

1 pm – 3 pm Roving Naturalist – Search for the Naturalist at the beach to see what natural item they have with them today!

6 pm Snakes Alive! – Join us at the Campground Playground to meet and learn about our resident snakes during this 30 minute program.

Sunday, July 10

10 am Tree Cookie Necklaces – Have you wondered why we have fewer trees in our campground? Meet at the Campground Playground to find out! Make your very own tree cookie necklace to take home during this 30 minute program.



Saturday, July 16

10:30 am Cards and Decorations for Smokey! – Join us at the Quakertown Shelter House to make a birthday card for Smokey and help decorate for his party! We will also share the story of how Smokey got his name. 30 minutes.

11:00 am Smokey's Birthday Bash – Help wish Smokey a Happy 72nd Birthday! Take a photo with this famous bear and enjoy some birthday treats at the Quakertown Shelter House!

Sunday, July 17

10 am X Marks the Spot! – Discover the 7 things that every good map should have and how to read one without getting lost. Using your new skills, create your very own treasure map for your friends and family! Meet at the Campground Playground for this 40 minute activity.



Saturday, July 23

1 pm – 3 pm Roving Naturalist – Search for the Naturalist at the beach to see what natural item they have with them today!

6 pm Insect Inspection – What does it take to be an insect? Find out along with some fascinating facts about these sometimes creepy crawlies. Make an insect craft to take home! Meet at the Campground Playground. 30 minutes.

Sunday, July 24

10 am Fishing is Fun! – Join us at the Beach Deck to learn some fun fishing facts! Make your own edible fishing pole at this 30 minute program.

Saturday, July 30

1 pm – 3 pm Roving Naturalist – Search for the Naturalist at the beach to see what natural item they have with them today!

6 pm Alien Invaders – Ever wondered what's lurking on our property that doesn't belong? Learn about these invasive species and what you can do to help! Meet at the Campground Playground for this 30 minute program.



Sunday, July 31

10 am Fossils Rock! – Meet at the Campground Playground for a 30 minute program as we travel back in time. Discover how fossils are made and what kinds you are likely to find around Brookville Lake.

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Whitewater Memorial State Park July 2016

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11 am Cornhole Tournament – Enter a team to participate in our annual Cornhole tournament at our Camp Store. It's a great way to have fun with friends and family! Register your team at our Camp Store beginning Friday, July 1st. Registration closes at 10:45 am on Saturday, July 2nd.

7 pm Celebration Campfire – Celebrate Indiana State Park's 100th Birthday by joining us at the newly finished campfire ring next to the playground in loop B of the campground for a fire and s'mores! Participate in fun activities and learn how our State Parks came to be.



Sunday, July 3

4 pm – 6 pm Roving Naturalist – Search for the Naturalist at the beach to see what natural item they have with them today!

9:30 pm 4th of July Fireflies! – Enjoy nature's fireworks during this 40 minute exploration! Join us at the Naturalist Cabin to learn about these fascinating nightlights. We will also be catching some fireflies to get an up-close look.

Monday, July 4

10 am Turtle Trivia – How much do you know about turtles? Find out at this 30 minute program where we will test your turtle knowledge. Meet at the shelter house by the campground playground. We will also visit with some live turtles.

Saturday, July 9.

1 pm – 3 pm Roving Naturalist – Search for the Naturalist at the beach to see what natural item they have with them today!

6 pm Paint by Nature – Join us at the shelter house by the Campground Playground to talk about nature all around us. We will paint a nature scene that you can take home. 30 minutes.

Sunday, July 10

10 am Creek Peek – Meet at the South Shelter for an aquatic adventure! Enjoy a short hike as we explore and learn about some of the critters that call this creek home during this 1 hour program.

Saturday, July 16

2 pm Cards and Decorations for Smokey! – Join us at the Naturalist Cabin to make a birthday card for Smokey and help decorate for his party! We will also share the story of how Smokey got his name. 30 minutes.



2:30 pm Smokey's Birthday Bash – Help wish Smokey a Happy 72nd Birthday! Take a photo with this famous bear and enjoy some birthday treats at the Naturalist Cabin!

6 pm Snakes Alive! – Join us at the Shelter House next to the Campground Playground to meet and learn about our resident snakes during this 30 minute program.

Sunday, July 17

10 am Backyard Birdfeeders – Stop by the Naturalist Cabin to create a recycled birdfeeder and learn how to attract birds to your backyard.

Saturday, July 23

4 pm – 6 pm Roving Naturalist – Search for the Naturalist at the beach to see what natural item they have with them today!

9:30 pm Big Dipper Night! – Have you ever wondered why it is called the Big Dipper? Find out and much more as we explore the night sky. Meet at the beach for this 40 minute program.

Sunday, July 24



10 am Birding Basics – Calling all future birders! Explore the hobby of birding and discover some helpful tips and tricks to get started. BYOB (Bring your own binoculars) and meet at Poplar Grove Shelter House for this 40 minute program/easy hike.

Saturday, July 30

1 pm – 3 pm Roving Naturalist – Search for the Naturalist at the beach to see what natural item they have with them today!

6 pm Cold Blooded Critters – Meet at the Shelter House by the Campground Playground for a 30 minute program as we explore the world of Amphibians and discover how they lead a double life. Visit with live amphibians.

Sunday, July 31

10 am Nature Journals – Join us at the Naturalist Cabin to create your very own nature journal!

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