

Patoka Lake Nature Center

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Open Tuesday- Saturday 8:30a.m. – 4p.m. Eastern Daylight Time

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February 2016

ALL PROGRAMS ARE ON EASTERN TIME.

*nc ~ Nature Center

*ar ~ archery range

*b ~ beach

*sh ~ shelterhouse

*br~ boat ramp

*cg~ campground

*csh ~ modern campground shelter house

Saturday 6th Nature Center Closed

Saturday 13th 8:30am -2p.m. Hunter's Hideaway – Hunters, furbearers and anglers using Patoka Lake are welcome to warm up inside the Nature Center. We will treat you to a cup of coffee or hot chocolate to get your blood pumping again. Share stories of your experiences out in the field. We may have a tale or two to tell also! **nc**

10a.m. - 3p.m. Resident Birds of Prey: Bald Eagle and Eastern Screech Owl in backyard shelters.

1p.m. Beaver Basics – How does this animal architect spend its time in the winter? Do beaver swim in the winter? Where can you spot beaver at Patoka Lake? Find out the answers to these questions and more! **nc**



Friday 19th and Saturday 20th Nature Center Closed

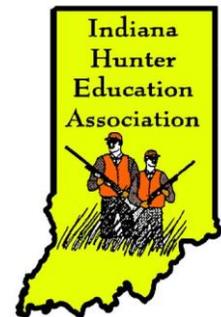
INDIANA HUNTER EDUCATION CLASS

At the Huntingburg Conservation Club House

Friday 19th 5:45p.m. – 9:30p.m. Saturday 20th 7:45a.m. - 8p.m.

All Indiana residents are invited to join in a FREE 2-day hunter education class that will cover safety and hands on training in the following topics: Ammunition, Rifle, Pistol, Shotgun, Muzzle Loading, Archery, Tree Stand Safety, Survival, Safety, Legal & Ethical Responsibilities, and Wildlife Management/Conservation. Parent participation is encouraged! **Attendance during the entire session is mandatory to pass.** Meals provided: Friday snack 8:00, Saturday lunch at noon and dinner at 6:00. Cost: \$15 1st family member \$10 after that to cover cost of food. Reservations must be paid by Feb. 15. Limited to first 90 paid applicants. Contact: Dick Lange 812-309-4043 E-mail: dlange@fullnet.com Pre-registration is required. Go to www.passitonindiana.com to register today!

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Saturday 27th 8:30am -2p.m. Hunter's Hideaway – Hunters, furbearers and anglers using Patoka Lake are welcome to warm up inside the Nature Center. We will treat you to a cup of coffee or hot chocolate to get your blood pumping again. Share stories of your experiences out in the field. We may have a tale or two to tell also! **nc**

10a.m. - 3p.m. Resident Birds of Prey: Bald Eagle and Eastern Screech Owl in backyard shelters.

12:30p.m. Talons, Beaks, and Instincts- What unique tools do birds of prey use to survive in the wild? How do they hunt for prey? Find out this and more in the backyard at the Nature Center with two LIVE birds of prey! **nc**