



LAKE ROLAND

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2021 WINTER PROGRAMS

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Ongoing

<p>Weed Warriors Second Saturday each month 9:00-11:00am Ages 13 and up! Free</p>	<p>Volunteer with our weed warriors to help keep Lake Roland beautiful. Participants under the age of 18 must have a parent or guardian present. Bring gloves, boots, mask, and water. Meeting point varies, registration required.</p>
<p>Art on the Trail All ages, Free!</p> 	<p>Art on the trail offers a unique view of the world around us. Installations from artisans are located along the red, yellow, and blue trails. For more information, visit http://lakeroland.org/art-trail-2/</p>
<p>Nature Book Club Mondays, every 6-8 weeks Currently meets virtually 6:30 - 8:00pm Adults only, Free!</p>	<p>Meet at the Nature Center to discuss some of the greatest nature book selections. Meetings are on Mondays every few weeks online. Please e-mail for details about our upcoming book selections and meeting dates. LakeRol-RP@BaltimoreCountyMD.gov</p>

January


<p>First Day Hike Friday, January 1 10:00am—12:00pm For all ages, Free!</p>	<p>Start the year off right by enjoying the great outdoors! Join a park ranger for an easy hike observing nature's winter splendor. Dress warmly for the weather and bring a water bottle with you. Space limited.</p>
<p>Polar Bear Lunge Sunday, January 3 9:00—10:00am Ages 14 and up, Free</p>	<p>The cold weather is no excuse to stop moving! Come join us under Pavilion #2 as we stretch out our limbs and loosen our joints. Bring your own mat, wear a mask, and please dress appropriately for the outdoors! Space is limited and registration is required.</p>
<p>Primitive Fire Making Saturday, January 16 1:00—2:00pm Ages 8 & up with an adult \$4 per person (\$2 members)</p>	<p>What did our ancestors do before lighters and matches? Learn how to make fire from various materials. Children must be registered with an adult. Space is limited.</p>
<p>Moonlit Hike Friday, January 29 6:00-7:00pm Ages 5 and up \$3 per person (\$2 members)</p>	<p>Tradition and folklore dub January's full moon the Wolf Moon. Join us for moonlit night hike. Enjoy the silvery glow of the moonbeams streaming through the trees on a crisp winter night. Please dress appropriately for the weather. Space is limited.</p>
<p>Hibernation Exultation Sunday, January 31 1:00-2:00pm All Ages \$2 per person</p>	<p>The groundhog is one of the very few animals in Maryland to truly hibernate. Learn about hibernation, the animals that undergo it, and then hike to a groundhog den as they begin to awake.</p>

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February

<p><u>Beginning Bird Photography</u> Sunday, February 7 9:00—11:00am Ages 13 and up, Free!</p>	<p>Activate your creative side this winter by joining a Naturalist for an introduction to Nature Photography. Participants will learn a variety of techniques for using their digital or smartphone camera while on a hike down one of our many excellent trails. You will need to bring your own camera. Masks and social distancing will be required.</p>
<p><u>Make Your Own Birdfeeder</u> Saturday, February 13 2:00-3:30pm Ages 5 and up \$3 per feeder</p>	<p>Use recycled objects to make up to three birdfeeders to take home with you. Then, take a short walk with a naturalist to learn where to hang the feeders for the most bird activity. Also learn about participating in FeederWatch and how to report your findings.</p>
<p><u>Lake Roland Bird Count</u> Saturday, February 13 8:00-9:00am Sunday, February 14 9:00-10:00am All Ages, Free!</p>	<p>Join park staff on a hike for the Great Backyard Bird Count. Bird counts from events around the world will be shared with the Cornell Lab of Ornithology and the National Audubon Society to help evaluate the global birds populations. Please bring your own binoculars and dress for the weather.</p>
<p><u>Maple Sugaring</u> Saturday, February 27, OR Sunday, February 28 10:00am- 2:00pm , All ages \$5 per person (\$3 members)</p>	<p>Where does maple syrup come from? Learn the art of turning sap into syrup, from tree to treat! Take a hike to tap trees, see sap cooking into syrup being made here at the park!</p>

March

<p><u>Search for the Timberdoodle</u> Friday, March 5 6:00-7:30pm Ages 5 and up \$3 per person (\$2 members)</p>	<p>Timberdoodle, bog sucker, Labrador twister, and mud snipe; all of these are nicknames for the American Woodcock. Join us for a night hike through the wetlands to call and listen for this peculiar bird as they begin their breeding season.</p>
<p><u>Whose Scat Is That?</u> Saturday, March 6 2:00 - 3:00 pm Ages 4 and up \$3 per person (\$2 members)</p>	<p>Whether you call it scat, dung, or droppings, all animals poop! What does deer scat look like? What about poop from a squirrel? Using playdough, you can make piles of scat to take home with you for up to 3 animal species.</p>
<p><u>Outdoor Yoga</u> Sunday, March 7 9:00—10:00am Ages 14 and up, Free</p>	<p>Come join us under Pavilion #2 as we stretch out our limbs and loosen our joints. Bring your own mat, wear a mask, and please dress appropriately for the outdoors! Space is limited and registration is required. Rain or shine!</p>
<p><u>Nature Quest Hop Along</u> Sunday, March 14 1:00-2:30 pm All Ages, Free</p> 	<p>Get an early start on your 2021 Nature Quest Passport. Bring your own Parker the Frog along on a guided adventure to a Nature Quest Marker. No strollers or dogs please. Use the QR code to learn more about Parker the Frog!</p>

April

<p><u>Frog Peeps and Net Sweeps</u> Friday, April 16 6:30-8:00pm Ages 5 and up \$3 per person (\$2 members)</p>	<p>Frogs are calling in the vernal ponds of Lake Roland. Learn about who makes what call, and search for these amphibians as the sun goes down. Bring waterproof boots and a flashlight for exploration of the wetlands. Meet staff at Falls Road entrance gate to the red trail.</p>
<p><u>Earth Day Clean Up</u> Sunday, April 18 10:00 am- 12:00pm All Ages! Free!</p>	<p>Celebrate Mother Earth by helping to clean our park. Small groups are welcome, please make arrangements in advance.</p>

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