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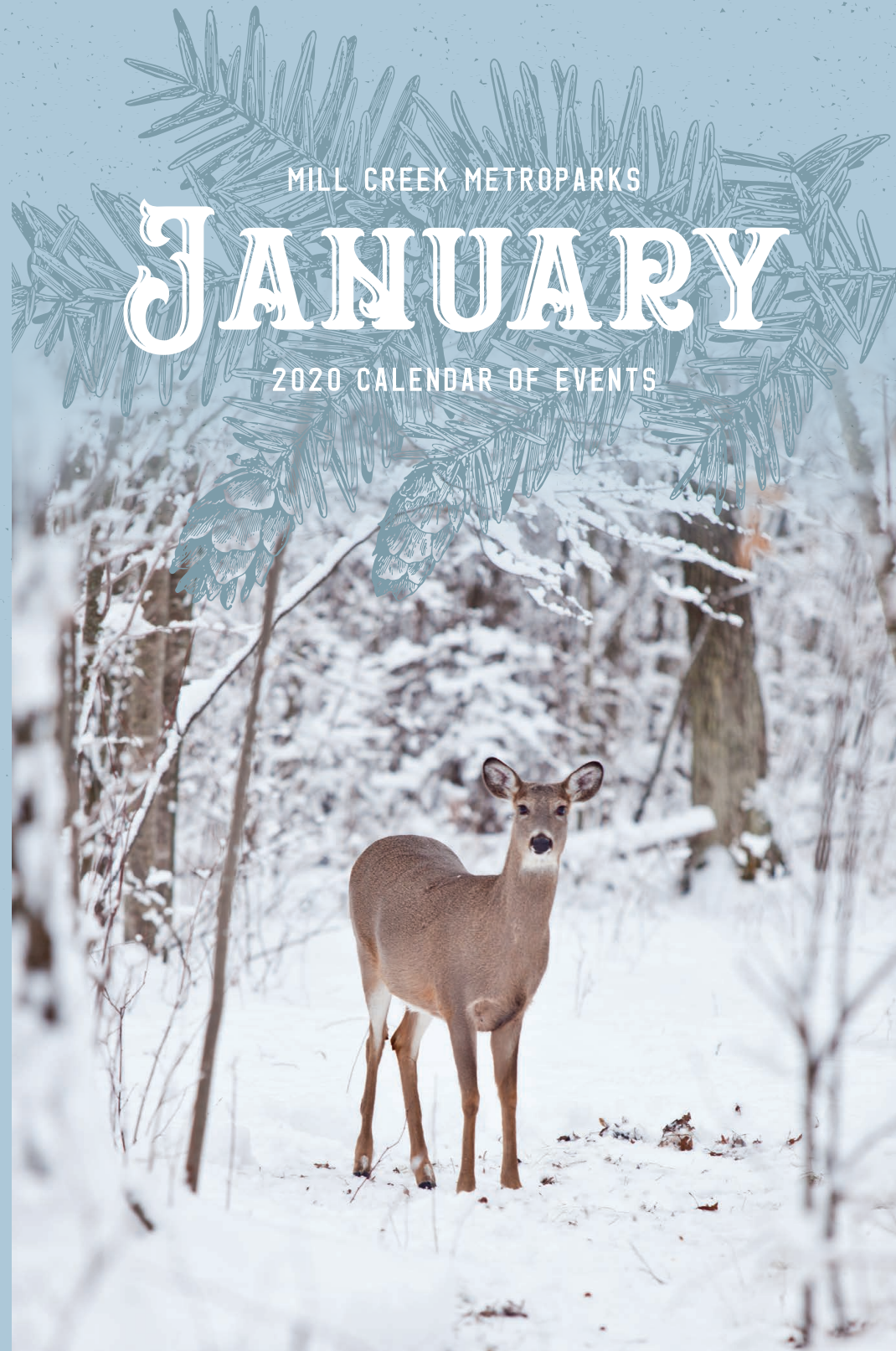


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MILL CREEK METROPARKS

JANUARY

2020 CALENDAR OF EVENTS



JANUARY SPECIAL EVENTS



CALL FOR PHOTOS

Nature Photography Exhibit

January 4, 5, 11, 12, 18, 19 | 11 am - 5 pm

Entries accepted at the Wick Recreation Area Warming House.
Application and more information available at millcreekmetroparks.org.
Exhibit dates are February 15 - April 12, 2020.



JEWELS of Winter

1/28 - 3/1 | Tuesday - Sunday, 10 am - 5pm
Fellows Riverside Gardens

Orchids are the jewels of the plant world, full of color, let them dazzle you with their brilliance and splendor. During the heart of winter, find the spirit of the tropics here at the Davis Center as you observe these exotic beauties on display. Bring your camera, as there will be plenty of amazing flowers to photograph.

THIS & THAT

MetroMutt’s: Movie Night \$

Yellow Creek Lodge
1/11 | 4:30 – 6:30 PM
Bring your pup for a cozy, pawfect date night at Yellow Creek Lodge. Enjoy snacks and warm up with hot drinks like you would at a theater. Bring a lawn chair for yourself and a blanket for your pup, sit back, relax, and enjoy the movie! MetroMutt’s members free; not-yet-members \$2.

Line Dancing, Wedding, and Party Favorites Dance Class \$

MetroParks Farm - McMahon Hall
1/14, 1/21, 1/28, 2/4, 2/11 | 6 - 7 pm
Learn these party favorite dances. No partner? No problem! Everyone learns this paired dance together. Beginners welcome and encouraged. Led by dance expert Lynda McPhail. Call WRA for details. \$8/class at the door.

Rumba Dance Class \$

MetroParks Farm - McMahon Hall
1/14, 1/21, 1/28, 2/4, 2/11 | 7 – 8 pm
Come out and enjoy learning this easy to follow slow dance. No partner? No problem! It is a paired dance, but everyone learns together. Beginners welcome and encouraged. Led by dance expert Lynda McPhail and A Time to Dance. Call WRA for details. \$8/class at the door.

HORTICULTURE

Men’s Garden Club Talk

Fellows Riverside Gardens
1/8 | 7 – 8:30 pm
The Men’s Garden Club of Youngstown invites you to attend their general meeting. Drop-in.



HIKES & WALKS

Wintry Wanderings

MetroParks Farm Bikeway Trailhead
1/5 | 2 - 4 pm
Pull on your warmest gear and spend the afternoon exploring the winter beauty of the different habitats of MetroParks Farm. Moderate, 2 mi.

Recreational Hikes

Volunteer led hikes focusing on exercising in the outdoors. Call WRA for details

1/8 | 9-10 am | Meet at MetroParks Bikeway Trailhead at MetroParks Farm. Easy, 2 or 4 mi.

1/22 | 9-10 am | Meet at Scholl Recreation Area. Moderate, 2 or 4 mi.

The Snow Moon

Meet at Suspension Bridge Parking Lot
1/10 | 7 - 8:30 pm
Enjoy a walk along Lake Cohasset under the light of the full moon. Moderate, 2 mi.

Birding Walk: Meet the Locals

Birch Hill Cabin
1/18 | Noon - 2 pm
Learn about winter resident birds. Short indoor presentation with subsequent birding hike. Binoculars provided to share. Easy, 1 mi.

Signs of Life: Tracking Wildlife

Vickers Nature Preserve
1/25 | 11 am - 1 pm
Explore the winter wilderness of Vickers Nature Preserve as you search for and identify animal tracks and signs in the snow. Boots and appropriate clothing for the season are required. Moderate, 3 mi.

PROGRAM KEY

- \$ Fee charged for this program
- ◆ Registration Required
- Add'l fee after deadline
- G Guardian/adult must accompany child

R = Mahoning County Resident
NR = Non-Resident



FOR THE BIRDS

Hand Feed A Chickadee

Birch Hill Cabin
1/18, 2/1 | 9 -11 am
Join us as we try to coax the inquisitive Black-capped chickadee into landing on our hands. We'll provide the birdseed, if you provide the hands. Call FRG for details.

HEALTHY LIVING

Yoga in the Gardens \$

Fellows Riverside Gardens
1/7, 1/9, 1/14, 1/16, 1/21, 1/23, 1/28, 1/30 | 9:30 – 11 am
Enjoy yoga with Marina Perdos that will help you keep a healthy outlook. Bring a mat and small blanket. Drop-in. \$12/class

T'ai Chi Step One in the Gardens \$

Fellows Riverside Gardens
1/8, 1/15, 1/22, 1/29 | Noon – 1 pm
Warm-ups, breathing exercises and movements with Marie Lew will ease stress, improve health, and increase vitality. Drop-in. \$10/class

Yoga Basics Course \$ ◆

Fellows Riverside Gardens
1/12 - 3/8 | Sundays, 9 - 10 am or
1/14 - 3/10 | Tuesdays, 6 - 7 pm
Choose Sunday mornings or Tuesday evenings for this relaxing nine-week yoga course with Karres Cvetkovich. \$90; 10% discount (\$81) if registered by 1/5.

Manifest Your Greatness \$ ◆

Various MCMP Locations
1/24 | 10 - 11:30 am or
1/26 | Noon - 1:30 pm
Join Marina Perdos for the third annual Manifest Your Greatness, a cozy and special New Year's class. Learn a contemplative system while you create a personal mala bracelet to aid in manifestation. Bring a pen and paper. Register/pay by 1/17, at FRG. \$26 R; \$28 NR per class

KIDS & FAMILIES

Cardinal Challenge

Fellows Riverside Gardens
1/2 - 1/31 | Tuesday - Sunday, 10 am - 5 pm
Take the Cardinal Challenge! Stop by Fellows Riverside Gardens during the month of January and use your power of observation to learn about cardinals. Call FRG for details.

Little Explorers Club G \$ ◆

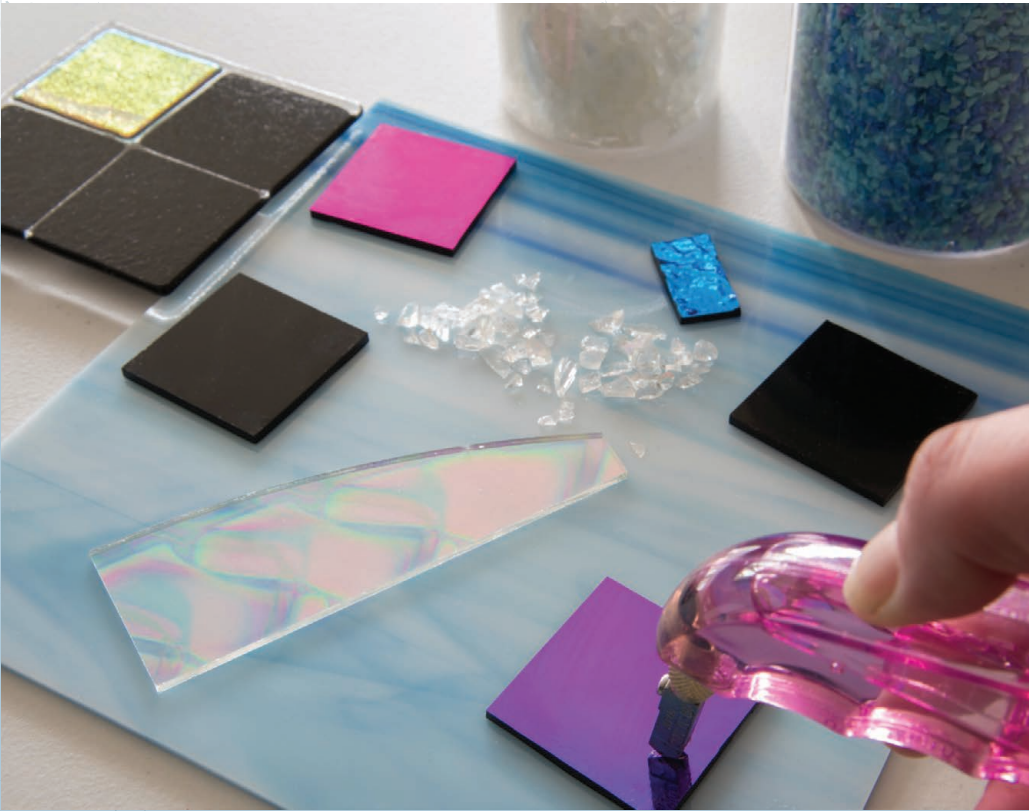
Various MCMP Locations
1/9, 2/6, 3/5 | 10 - 11 am
Ages 3-6, plus adult. Join the club as we explore and enjoy the wonders of winter! We'll look for the *Stranger in the Woods*, search for Frozen Treasures, and discover Whooo's That? Deadline for series is 1/7. Register at FRG. \$12/series; \$5/class

Tales for Tots: It’s Winter! G \$ ◆

Birch Hill Cabin
1/17 | 10 – 11 am
Ages 2 - 3, plus adult. Join us as we celebrate winter with a story and outdoor activities. Hot chocolate included! Register/pay at FRG by 1/15. \$4

Stuffed Animal Sleepover G \$ ◆

Fellows Riverside Gardens
2/7 | 6 - 7 pm & 2/8 | 9 - 11 am
Ages 4-9, plus adult. Friday evening, bring your favorite stuffed animal for a sleepover at the Gardens. Return on Saturday morning with the whole family for breakfast and activities. Call FRG, 330.740.7116, to make a reservation by 1/29. \$12 ages 10 and older, \$8 ages 2 - 9, under 2 free.



EXPRESS YOURSELF

Nature Photography Exhibit: Call for Photos \$ ◆

Wick Recreation Area Warming House
1/4, 1/5, 1/11, 1/12, 1/18, 1/19 | 11 am – 5 pm
It's time to prepare to submit photos for the amateur 2020 Nature Photography Exhibit to be displayed 2/15 – 4/12 at Fellows Riverside Gardens. Full details available at millcreekmetroparks.org. Submit photos and fees at WRA, Saturdays and Sundays, 1/4 -1/19. \$5 R; \$7 NR.

Fused Dichroic Glass Pendants \$ ◆

Fellows Riverside Gardens
1/14 | 6 - 7:30 pm
Adults & ages 14+ with paid adult. Learn how to create two fused dichroic glass pendants with Lynn Cardwell. Register/pay by 1/12. \$28 R; \$32 NR

Winter Flower Arrangement \$ ◆

Fellows Riverside Gardens
1/18 | 10 - 11:30 am
Create a live flower arrangement with Judy Stanislaw to brighten your home. Register/pay by 1/16. \$24 R; \$26 NR



CUISINE

Laid Back Cooking: Bagel Making \$ ◆

Fellows Riverside Gardens
1/28 | 6 - 8:30 pm
Hands-on. Learn how to make bagels with Jack Kravitz. Using prepped dough, go through the hands-on process of shaping, rising, and cooking for the perfect bagel. Register/pay by 1/25, call FRG, 330.740.7116. \$24 R; \$26 NR



EXHIBITS

Hidden Gems from the Mahoning Valley Historical Society

Fellows Riverside Gardens – Weller Gallery
Through 1/5 | Tuesday – Sunday, 10 am – 5 pm
This exhibit will showcase 19th and 20th Century photographs from the archives of the Mahoning Valley Historical Society. These images feature breathtaking, snow-covered landscapes, downtown Youngstown decked for the holidays, people enjoying winter pastimes, and more.

Unity Through Nature

Fellows Riverside Gardens – Weller Gallery
1/11 – 2/9 | Tuesday – Sunday, 10 am – 5 pm
Students from the Youngstown City School District Visual and Performing Arts program, the Tri-County School District as well as students from YSU and KSU unite and collaborate to pay tribute to Mill Creek MetroParks through paintings on canvas.

Meet the Students: 1/11 | 1 – 3 pm, Rossi Auditorium

Mill Creek MetroParks History

Fellows Riverside Gardens – Melnick Museum
Ongoing | Tuesday – Sunday, 10 am – 5 pm
The Melnick Museum offers the visitor a peek into the unique history of Mill Creek MetroParks.

Outdoor Gallery

Fellows Riverside Gardens
Ongoing | Sunrise to Sunset
Experience another level of Fellows Riverside Gardens in the Outdoor Gallery. View original works from local artists whose displays range from steel to wood to topiary. Enjoy the art experience in nature through all the seasons.