



2017-What's Happenin'

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Summer and Fall Events

World Population Day	7/11
Int'l Youth Day	8/12
World Kitchen Garden Day	8/27
Nat'l Hunting & Fishing Day	9/23
Take a Child Outside Week	9/24-30
World Habitat Day	10/3
Earth Science Week	10/8-14
Nat'l Fossil Day	10/11
Timber Wolf Awareness	10/15-21
Make A Difference Day	10/28
Geography Awareness Wk	11/13-19
America Recycles Day	11/15
Int'l Volunteer Day	12/5
Christmas Bird Count	12/14-15

July:

Story Time Thursdays 10am-Noon
 (7/6): Nature Recycles-A Log's Life
 (7/13): Amazing Builders-Beavers
 (7/20): Prickly Porcupines
 (7/27) Native Flowers & Unique Pots (Recycling Ideas)

Bring your kids & Family out for a day of fun. Each day will involve hands-on activities; from crafts to story and an outdoor adventure.



Story Times will occur rain or shine. Bring a picnic lunch and stay a little longer!

For more Information Call Joan Dickrell@715-457-6727 or Brandi Tempel@715-457-6771.

Sunday (7/30): 11am-3pm
 "Native Plants & Container Planting": New Public Event, Come out and learn about different kinds of Native plants and some unique ways to plant them or other plants in containers.



August:

Saturday (8/12) :11am-3pm
 "Outdoor Adventure Day"
 2nd Annual Family Event: co-sponsored by the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation (RMEF)
 Join us as we explore many different ways to enjoy the out of doors.

Some of the Activities:

- ◆ Duck Decoy Painting



- ◆ Canoeing or Kayaking
- ◆ Outdoor Cooking
- ◆ Leave No Trace Camping/ Backpacking
- ◆ Geocaching
- ◆ Nat'l Wild Turkey Hunting
- ◆ Kids Activities

September:

Sunday (9/17): 11am-2pm Fall Family Festival; Free Public Event

- ◆ REGI Raptor Show @1 pm



- ◆ Wildflower & Butterfly Walk @Noon with Pam
- ◆ Animal & Nature Crafts

Thursday Night (9/21): 7-10pm

A Star Gazing Party, hosted by the "Stars R Us" group from Wausau.



Join us for fun evening of looking at the Fall night sky. Telescopes will be provided, can Bring your own binoculars, too.

October



Saturday (10/21): 5:30-8pm

Spooktacular & Food Drive

Join us for our 7th Annual non-scary, Family fun night **Halloween** event:

Play games, Craft a craft, Decorate a pumpkin or cookie, Warm-up by the Campfire

Admission is **Free** with a **non-perishable** food item, or **\$2.00** per person

Volunteer Opportunities:

- ◆ Wildlife Assistant (Jan-Dec)
- ◆ Events (January-December)
- ◆ Education Assistant (All Year)
- ◆ Grounds Maintenance (Spring to Fall)

