



LAKE ROLAND

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SPRING & SUMMER PROGRAMS

NOTE: Registration is limited and required for all programs unless indicated otherwise. Please call (410) 887-4156 or email LakeRol-rp@BaltimoreCountyMD.gov to register.

<p>Firefly Outing & Campfire Saturday, July 15 7:00-9:00pm Ages 5 and older \$8 (\$5 members)</p>	<p>Join us for the magic of chasing and catching flashing fireflies (or lighting bugs as some call them). We'll learn why and how fireflies shine their lights. Your child can make a firefly craft. And we'll end the evening toasting marshmallows around our campfire.</p>
<p>Nature Quest Hike: Honeygo Sunday, July 23 10:00am-noon Ages 5 and older FREE!</p>	<p>Join a ranger-led hike to find one of the Nature Quest markers at another local Baltimore County Park: Honeygo Run Regional Park in Perry Hall. Meet at the playground at Honeygo Run Park for this event!</p>
<p>Singing Insects at Night August 26 7:00-9:00pm Ages 8 and older \$5 (\$3 members)</p>	<p>The soundscape of Summer evenings includes the trills, chirps, and beeps of insects calling for mates. We'll learn how they make their music and take a walk through the park to see how many we can identify by listening for them. Participants will help collect data for the "Cricket Crawl" citizen science project. Then end the evening with s'mores at our campfire.</p>
<p>Mud Day Sunday, August 27 2:00-4:00pm All ages! \$5 (\$3 members)</p>	<p>Get down and dirty exploring the world of mud! We'll have mud painting, mud sculptures, mud games, a muddy obstacle course, and of course—the very popular mud pit! Clean off by running through our sprinklers or get hosed off by the fire department. Wear clothes that can get wet/muddy!</p> <p>Parents: Please bring towels and a change of clothes for your muddy participants!</p>
<p>Nature Quest Canoe Sunday, Sept. 24 2:00-4:00pm Ages 6 and older \$15 (\$10 members)</p>	<p>Join a ranger to search for the Nature Quest marker on Lake Roland. Enjoy time on the lake looking for wildlife such as turtles, beavers, eagles, and more.</p> <p>Register early—a limited number of canoes are available.</p>

Frog Frenzy Hunt & Campfire
Saturday, March 25
7:00-9:00pm
Ages 6 and older
\$5 (\$3 members)

The chorus of frogs calling for mates is a sound of Spring evenings. Join us for a hike at dusk to see how many frogs we can hear and find. We'll explore the wetlands area of the park. End the evening with a campfire and s'mores.

Flashlight Egg Hunt
Saturday, April 8
Ages 5-12; 7:30-8:30pm
Ages 10 & up; 8:00-9:00pm (expert level)
Raindate: Sunday, April 9
\$5 per person (\$3 members)

Want more challenge to your traditional egg hunt? Let's search for holiday goodies at dark—using our night vision and our flashlights. Expert level hunt for ages 10 to adult starts at 8:00pm.
YOU'RE NEVER TOO OLD FOR CANDY!

Calling all Artists! A unique opportunity for Maryland artists to showcase their work in the natural beauty of Lake Roland, Art on the Trail, returns in 2017. Requests for proposals begin April 17, 2017. More information: LakeRoland.org/art-trail-2

Especially for children: Home School / School's Out Days / and After-School
To register for Camps, Homeschool, or Nature Scouts, please email LakeRol-RP@BaltimoreCountyMD.gov

After School: Nature Scouts
Children have fun learning important outdoor know-how! Naturalists will lead children in discovering nature and environmental survival skills.
Ages 6-12
Cost: \$25 for 6 sessions, or \$5 per class if space available
Tuesdays, May 2—June 6; 4:30-5:30pm
OR
Thursday, May 4—June 8; 4:30-5:30pm
LIMITED ENROLLMENT

Acorn Hill Saturday Morning Nature Drop-in
Each Saturday, we will have nature crafts, live animals, water fun, bamboo teepees, or other fun activities in the Acorn Hill play area.
Children must be accompanied by an adult
Ages 5 and older
Saturdays, June 24—Aug 19
9:30am—11:30am
FREE

Spring Break Camp
Ages 6—12 / April 10—14
9:00am—3:00pm, \$175 (\$150 members) for all 5 days
Extended Hours 3-4:30pm \$10 per child per day
Looking for something fun for your child to do when school is out? Unplug the kids and have them spend the day exploring nature at Lake Roland! Bring lunch, snack, and water, and dress appropriately for outdoor activities.

***** Refer to the separate program insert for Summer Camps and our Ongoing Programs! *****

Advance Registration is required for all programs.

Registration Process:

Send an email to lakerol-rp@baltimorecountymd.gov or call our office at 410-887-4156

Include: the name of the program you are registering for; if the program is offered on multiple days or times, include which session you are registering for; the number of participants; ages of participants (for ages 18 and over, you may use: Adult); and your contact information!

Programs begin promptly at start time.

- All payments are donations and are not refundable unless Lake Roland cancels the program.
- Organizations and large groups must schedule programs separately from the programs (for families) listed in the publication.
- Baltimore County Department of Recreation and Parks, LKR, its staff, and volunteers are not liable for loss, theft, or damage to personal property.

Rain/Inclement Weather Policy

- All events are rain or shine unless a rain date is specified.
- Program Leaders determine cancellations on the day of the program.





Childcare Disclaimer



This program is designed to provide a healthy and enjoyable leisure experience for your child. However, this is not a licensed childcare program and is not designed to provide child care. Therefore, parents are encouraged to discuss attendance expectations with their children. Department staff and volunteers cannot detain youth wishing to leave at any time.


Special Accommodation Disclaimer

Should you require special accommodations (i.e. sign language interpreter, large print, etc.) please give as much notice as possible by calling the Recreation Office at 410-887-5307 or the Therapeutic Office at 410-887-5370 (voice) or 410-887-5319 (TDD).

We reserve the right to deny any visitor the privilege to participate based on behavior that could jeopardize the safety of that individual or the group.

<p>Donut Run Sunday, April 9, 9:00am Ages 7 & older, \$5 per person (\$3 members)</p> 	<p>Donuts and hot beverages await you at the end of our short (5 miles or less) run through Lake Roland's marked trails. No run times will be recorded, but top finishers will be recognized at the end of the run. (No pets or strollers please.)</p>
<p>Natural Egg Dyeing Sunday, April 9 2:00-4:00pm All ages, \$3 per person (\$2 members)</p>	<p>Bring your own dozen of hard-boiled eggs to celebrate the ancient tradition of egg decorating. We'll learn a little bit about the history of this tradition and how to make dyes using natural materials. Then, dye your eggs in the pre-made natural dyes.</p>
<p>Earth Day Celebration Saturday, April 22, 10:00am-12:00pm All ages are welcome! FREE!</p> 	<p>Celebrate Earth Day by helping us restore the park! Join a team of rangers and volunteers to remove invasive plants, pick up trash, work on trails, and plant native plants.</p>
<p>Project Clean Stream Saturday, April 29 9:00am-12:00pm Ages 12 and older; FREE!</p>	<p>Join us for the statewide effort to clean up our streams. Bring your own canoe or kayak. All boaters must wear a life jacket. Participants under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.</p>
<p>Spring Wildflower Stroll Sunday, April 30, 10:00am-12:00pm Ages 8 and older; FREE!</p>	<p>Our trails are home to many species of beautiful Maryland plants. Starting at the Nature Center, we'll hike to find a variety of blooming flowers and shrubs.</p>
<p>Cane Pole Fishing Sunday, April 30, 10:00am-12:00pm Ages 5 and older \$5 per person (\$3 members)</p> 	<p>Learn how to identify a fish, bait a hook, and more. Then try to catch a fish! We supply the cane poles and bait. A Maryland non-tidal fishing license is required for ages 16 & older.</p>
<p>Native Plant Sale Saturday, May 13, 9:00am-3:00pm Raindate: May 14</p> 	<p>Growing native plants encourages beneficial insects, birds, and other wildlife in your community. Support your backyard ecosystem with this fundraiser for the Guilford Garden Club and Lake Roland Nature Council! The sale will be held in front of the Nature Center.</p>
<p>Campfire Games & Songs Saturday, May 13, 7:30pm-9:00pm All ages; \$5 per person (\$3 members)</p>	<p>Take a short hike to our campfire ring to play outdoor games, sing campfire songs, and eat s'mores! Kosher s'mores available upon request.</p>

<p>Spring Campout at the Park Friday, May 19, 6:00pm to Saturday May 20, 9:00am Ages 5 and older \$10 (\$8 members)</p>	<p>Enjoy the Spring weather with an overnight in the park! We'll go on a ranger-led night hike, make s'mores around the campfire, and enjoy breakfast in the morning. Bring dinner on Friday or cook food over the campfire. Bring your own tent or if you don't have one, reserve one by calling our office at 410-887-4156.</p>
<p>Fishing Fun Day Saturday, June 10, 9:30-11:30am Ages 6 and older \$5 (\$3 members)</p>	<p>Learn how to identify a fish, bait a hook, and more. Then try to catch a fish! Other activities will include games, crafts, and making your very own fishing pole! This is a Maryland "free fishing" day—a license is not required.</p>
<p>Great American Campout Friday, June 23, 6:00pm to Saturday June 24, 9:00am Ages 5 and older \$10 (\$8 members)</p> 	<p>This week-end, join thousands of people across the nation for The Great American Campout! We'll go on a ranger-led night hike, make s'mores around the campfire, and enjoy breakfast in the morning. Bring dinner on Friday. Bring your own tent or if you don't have one, reserve one by calling our office at 410-887-4156.</p>
<p>Fairies & Dragons Saturday, June 24, 2:00-4:00pm Ages 6 and older; \$5 (\$3 members)</p>	<p>Come learn about the mysterious forest-dwellers of myth and legend said to visit the human world at the Summer Solstice. We'll search the park for signs of dragons and the fair folk. Then use natural materials to create a fairy house or dragon's lair.</p>
<p>Mini Mud Day Thursday, June 29 3:00pm—4:30pm Ages 8 and younger \$3 (\$2 members)</p> 	<p>International Mud Day is a day for children all over the world to celebrate nature, the glorious earth beneath our feet, and the joy of making a mess by getting really muddy. Join us right outside our new Nature Center! Your young child can immerse themselves in mud play at a variety of stations that include sensory activities, crafts, and just plain (dirty) fun! Older children will enjoy our annual Mud Day, this year on Sunday, August 27, 2-4pm.</p>
<p>Plein Air Drawing for Adults 4 week session; Saturday July 8— July 29; 10:30am—12:30pm \$40 per person for entire program; materials included (\$35 members)</p>	<p>Come develop your artistic talents by using the beautiful surroundings of Lake Roland. All levels welcome from novices to advanced! Great for those who love nature and are interested in drawing it in charcoal! Class size is limited to 10 students. Adults only. No single classes available.</p>
<p>Nature Quest Hike Saturday, July 8, 2:00-4:00pm Ages 5 and older FREE!</p>	<p>Join a ranger-led hike to find one of the Nature Quest markers at Lake Roland and learn more about the diversity of birds, animals, and plants that make their home here at the park.</p>



1st Saturday of the month:
May 6, 2017
June 3, 2017
August 5, 2017
September 2, 2017

Canoe Lake Roland

Join a ranger for a guided tour of Lake Roland. Enjoy time on the lake looking for wildlife such as turtles, beavers, eagles, and more. Basic paddling instruction will be provided.


Ages 6 and up / \$15 per person (\$10 members)

10:00am—1:00pm
 Please arrive 15 minutes before the program begins, boats will depart on time.

Nature Quest Canoe
September 24, 2017

2:00-4:00pm / Ages 6 & up
 \$15 per person (\$10 members)

Join a ranger to search for the Nature Quest marker on Lake Roland. Enjoy time on the lake looking for wildlife such as turtles, beavers, eagles, and more.



Baltimore County "Nature Quest"

Fun for the Entire Family — Explore the Outdoors — Unplug — Earn Prizes!
Have an adventure in your own backyard with the Baltimore County Nature Quest

- Pick up your Nature Quest Passport Booklet at participating parks, online at LakeRoland.org/nature-quest, or at your local Wegmans grocery store.
- The Passport will direct participants to hiking, biking, and canoeing opportunities at the County's nature sites.
- Record your visit in your Passport.
- Complete just 5 trails to earn prizes.

FREE!

More information will be available in the 2017 Nature Quest Passport.