

# Beaman Park Nature Center

## May and June 2019

### Program Schedule



#### Recurring Events

#### Yoga



Saturday, May 11 & 25  
 Saturday, June 8 & 22  
 9:30-10:45 A.M.  
 Age level: Adults  
 Cost: \$10 per person  
 Call to register

Enjoy your downward facing dog outside in the beautiful serenity of Paradise Ridge with yoga instructor Robin Haynes. Rain or shine, you'll enjoy your workout on our lovely covered deck.

## May

To register for programs, please call 862-8580

#### Container Gardening



Saturday, May 11  
 1:00-2:00P.M.  
 Age level: All Ages  
 Call to register

Everyone can grow vegetables, fruit, herbs, and flowers! It doesn't matter where you live or how much sunlight you have. Join park naturalist Kevin Sykes to learn about how start an easy container garden of your very own.

#### Night Hike



Wednesday, May 15  
 8:00 P.M.–10 P.M.  
 Age level: All ages  
 Call to register

The moon is bright and the trails beckon. We'll hike the Henry Hollow Loop trail and enjoy the magic and mystery of Beaman Park in the dark.

#### Cinnamon Beetles



Saturday, May 18  
 9:30-10:30 A.M.  
 Age level: 6-13 years  
 Call to register

An insect's acute sense of smell enables them to survive. Some insects rely on chemical cues to find their way in nature. Join Ronnie at Beaman Park to learn about Cinnamon Beetles.

#### Emerald Ash Borer



Saturday, May 18  
 10:30-11:30 A.M.  
 All ages  
 Call to register

Ash alert! Ash trees are in danger across the country as the Emerald Ash Borer moves throughout the east and now into Davidson County. Learn all you need to know about identification and what to do for your trees. Leader:Kathi Fortenberry

#### Guided Nature Hike



Friday, May 24  
 9:30-11:30 A.M.  
 Age level: All ages  
 Call to register

Join a park naturalist as we hike the trails to enjoy the beauty of nature and look for wildflowers and other late spring plants.  
 Leader: Kevin Sykes

#### Nature Hike



Saturday, May 25  
 10:30 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.  
 Age level: Adult, 13+  
 Call to register

Beaman Park contains a bounty of wildflowers and all things natural. Join a naturalist as we hike along the park's trails looking for ephemerals and other woodland organisms.  
 Leader: Cheryl Medley

For assistance or accommodation, please contact the Beaman Park Nature Center: (615) 862-8580



Beaman Park is open 7 days a week from dawn until dusk  
 Check out programs at the other Metro Parks Nature Centers too.  
[www.nashville.gov/parks/nature](http://www.nashville.gov/parks/nature)



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June

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## Wildflower Hikes

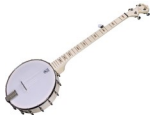


Most Saturdays in June  
June 1, 8, 15, & 22  
10:00 - 11:30 A.M.  
Age level: 13+  
Call to register

Join park naturalist Cheryl Medley for a morning of searching for colorful summer flowers and those that are more inconspicuous. We'll focus on the Henry Hollow Creek area.

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## Meet The Banjo



Friday, June 7  
1:00 - 2:00 P.M.  
Age level: All Ages  
Call to register

Join park naturalist and banjo player Kevin Sykes to learn the history of this uniquely American instrument and hear some "old time" tunes played in the clawhammer banjo playing style.

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## National Trails Day



Saturday, June 1

The first Saturday of every June is National Trails Day, and we invite you to visit Warner, Shelby Bottoms, Bells Bend, or Beaman to celebrate our parks by hitting the trails. And don't forget to stop by our nature centers to say hello!

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## Trees of Summer



Thursday, June 13  
9:00 - 10:30 A.M.  
Age level: 13+  
Call to register

Summer leaves tell us much about who a tree is. Learn about tree ID and the diversity of the park on this hike along the ridge and creek.  
Leader: LinnAnn Welch

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## Owl Prowl



Friday, June 14  
7:30 - 9:00 P.M.  
Age level: All ages  
Call to register

Let's hit the trail and search for owls in the park. We will try to call the owls and see if they will answer.  
Leader: Park Staff

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## Creek Exploration



Saturday, June 22 & 29  
1:00-3:00 P.M.  
Age level: All ages  
Call to register

Bring your creek shoes and minnow net to explore the creek with a naturalist. You'll learn about the stream's quality by the critters that live there, as you also cool off on a summer day.

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Tuesday-Friday: 12-4 P.M.  
Saturday: 9A.M-4 P.M.  
and by appointment  
Please visit us on Facebook

### **For Safety and Security Needs Contact:**

**Park Police Office: 615-880-3429**

**Non life-threatening emergencies: 615-862-8600    Life-threatening emergencies: 911**

