BOONE COUNTY PARKS 2024 NEWSLETTER

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Boone County Parks 5958 Garrard Street Burlington, KY 41005 859-334-2117 www.boonecountyky.org/departments/parks

We Begin Accepting Shelter Reservations on March 1, 2024

Shelters are reserved April through October. Shelters are reserved for the entire day. Shelters can be reserved online, by phone or in person at the Parks Office.

www.boonecountyky.org/departments/parks (Shelter Reservation Fees are non-refundable)

- Boone Woods Park Burlington, KY Shelter 1 - 20'x40' (seats 80) \$45 Shelter 2 - 20'x40' (seats 80) \$45 Shelter 3 - 30'x50' (seats 100) \$75 Restroom Buildings, Grills, Electricity and Nearby Water Available
- England-Idlewild Park Burlington, KY Shelter 1 - 30'x50' (seats 100) \$75 Shelter 2 - 20'x40' (seats 80) \$45 Shelter 3 - 20'x40' (seats 80) \$45 Port-O-Lets, Grills, Electricity and Nearby Water Available
- Walton Park Walton, KY Shelter 1 - 20'x40' (seats 80) \$45 Shelter 3 - 20'x40' (seats 80) \$45 Shelter 4 - 20'x40' (seats 80) \$45 Restroom Building, Grills, Electricity and Nearby Water Available
- <u>Central Park</u> Union, KY Shelter 1 - 20'x40' (seats 80) \$45 Shelter 2 - 30'x50' (seats 100) \$75 Restroom Buildings, Grills, Electricity and Nearby Water Available
- Giles Conrad Park Hebron, KY Shelter 1 - (seats 70)
 Shelter 2 - (seats 80)
 Port-O-Lets, Grill and Electricity Available
- Sperti Park- Burlington, KY Shelter 1 - (seats 25) \$45 Restroom Building, Grill, Electricity and Nearby Water Available Limited parking (6 spaces) *No Parking on the street

Park Addresses:

Boone Cliffs State Nature Preserve -4990 Middle Creek Road **Burlington KY 41005 Boone Woods Park -**6000 Veterans Way Burlington KY 41005 Camp Ernst Lake -7611 Camp Ernst Road Burlington KY 41005 **Central Park & Arboretum -**9190 Camp Ernst Road Union KY 41091 **Conservancy Park Belleview -**5989 Burlington Pike **Burlington KY 41005 Dinsmore Woods Nature Preserve -**5700 Burlington Pike Burlington KY 41005 **England Idlewild Park** -5550 Idlewild Road Burlington KY 41005 **England Idlewild Dog Park -**5310 Idlewild Road Burlington KY 41005 Fox Run -1510 Woodside Drive Florence KY 41042 **Giles Conrad Park -**7500 River Road Hebron KY 41048 **Gunpowder Creek Nature Park -**6750 Sperti Lane **Burlington KY 41005 Middle Creek Park -**5701 Burlington Pike Burlington KY 41005 North Pointe Park -1420 Northpointe Boulevard Hebron, KY 41048 **Oakbrook Park** -6605 Oakbrook Drive Florence KY 40142 Pete's Park -Nicholson Avenue Burlington KY 41005 Petersburg Community Center and Park -6517 Market Street Petersburg KY 41080 Shor Lake Park -505 Shorland Drive Walton KY 41094 **Union Park -**10165 US 42 Union KY 41091 **Valley Orchards** 7022 River Road Hebron KY 41048 Waller-Stephenson Mill Park -2744 Verona Mudlick Road Verona KY 41092 Walton Community Park -35 Old Stephenson-Mill Road Walton KY 41094

Shelters are Subject to Kentucky Sales Tax

FUN FOR ALL!

Yoga - \$30/month

Ages 10 and Over Why pay expensive gym or Yoga studio prices when you can get quality Yoga classes for half the cost! **Yoga for Healthy Weight - 6 PM - 7 PM** Monday - Boone County Public Library - Burlington Wednesday - Boone County Public Library - Hebron Thursday - Boone County Public Library - Union

Community Garage Sale - Spring - \$10/Spot

Be one of our many sellers or just shop for free **Sellers -** \$10 for the first space and \$6 for each additional space (spaces are equivalent to a 9'x12' parking space). Set - up begins at 6 AM. Gates open to the public from 8 AM -1 PM. **Sellers, Pre-Registration is Required.** Ages - 18 & up Location - Boone County Admin Building Parking Lot Date - May 4 Time - 8 AM - 1 PM

Summer Reading Kick Off & Movie Night

Friday, May 31 Boone Woods Shelter #3 & Stage 7 - 9 PM Join Boone County Parks & The Boone County Public Library for a night of Games, Food and Fun! We will be watching Encanto on the big screen! Movie will begin at Dusk (approximately 9:15 PM)

Archery for Adults & Kids

Learn the art, sport and skill of shooting a bow and arrow. We will use National Archery in the School Program equipment. Great Family Activity!

Ages - 10 & Up Location - Boone Woods Stage (2 Sessions)

Dates		Time	É Fee
6/3 6/7	M - F	6 - 7 PM	\$40
7/15 - 7/19	M - F	6 - 7 PM	\$40

Family Nature Day - Free

Saturday, June 15 Boone Woods Park Shelter #3 & Creek Area, 10 AM - Noon Explore the outdoors together while learning about some of the organizations in the community that serve the environment! Crafts, games, snacks, animal encounters, and more!

Touch - A-Truck - FREE

July 20 from 10 AM - 1 PM at England Idlewild Park! Enjoy checking out all of the trucks! Many local companies participate in this fun family event!

Disc Golf Pro Tour *LWS Open at Idlewild* Location - England Idlewild Park Date - August 9 - 11

ATKB TENNIS

Learn to play like the Pros! Whether you are brand new to the game of tennis or looking to refine your skills, ATKB Tennis has a class for you! Join us this year for a group session or individual lesson to develop your game through USPTA certified professional instruction. Be sure to take advantage of the many services that ATKB Tennis offers:

- Group classes and private lessons
- Racquet selection and stringing
- Equipment and merchandise
- Tournaments and hit days

For more information or to register for classes contact: Tom Kolenich - Owner/Head Pro (724) 988-9454 atkbtennis@gmail.com

www.atkbtennis.com

FUN FOR ALL!

Boone Woods Arts and Crafts Show - FREE

Area artists will be selling their Arts and Crafts! We will have Food Trucks and Music. Ages - All Location - Boone Woods Park Date - August 24, 2024 Time - 11 AM - 3 PM Are you interested in being a Vendor ? Contact the Parks Office for information. \$50/Space.

Summer Concerts - FREE!

Boone County Parks and the Boone County Public Library are excited to announce the 2023 Summer Concert Series! CREEKSIDE STAGE: Boone Woods Park, 7 PM - 8:30 PM

Forever Diamond (Neil Diamond Tribute) June 8 June 15 Swingtime Big Band June 29 Jump 'n' Jive Big Band July 6 **River's Edge Brass Band** July 20 London Street July 27 Falling to Pieces (Monica Heuser's Tribute to Patsy Cline) August 3 Everyday People (Motown, Soul & Funk Hits) August 10 Florence Community Band (Popular, Classic and Contemporary Music) August 17 Everly Brothers Tribute Band **Rain Site: Boone County Main Library**

Family Fun Nights - FREE

Boone County Parks and the Boone County Public Library are excited to announce the 2024 Family Fun Nights! Performances take place from 7 - 7:45 PM at the Boone Woods Park Creekside Stage!

Thursday, June 13 River City Puppets Upside Down Fairy Town Thursday, July 11 Madcap Puppets

Annie Oakley's Wild West Show **Thursday, July 25**

Madcap Puppets

Down on the Funny Farm **Thursday, August 8** Cincinnati Shakespeare Company Hamlet

Movie Nights - FREE!

Movies Begin at Dark Boone Woods Park Approximately 9:15 PM Join us at 7 PM for Pre-Show Fun!

May 31	Encanto
June 7	Dumbo 1941
June 14	Alice in Wonderland 1951
June 21	Pinocchio 1940
July 5	Fox & Hound 1981
July 12	Cinderella 1950
July 19	Bambi 1942
July 26	Sleeping Beauty 1959
August 2	Toy Story 1995

Don't forget your chairs and blankets for Family Fun Nights, Movie Nights and Concerts! Facebook and Instagram are updated with daily News & Announcements! Rain Site for Concerts, Family Fun Nights, & Shakespeare in the Park will be at the Boone County Main Library on Rt. 18 in Burlington, unless otherwise stated. Check our Facebook & Instagram for weather related updates. Rainout: 859-334-2283

Food Truck Wednesdays

Central Park Shelter 2 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM June 5 & 19 July 10 & 24 August 7

YOUTH PROGRAMS!

Easter Decorations Bag - \$5

Available for pickup starting the week of March 4 at the Parks office (5958 Garrard Street, Burlington) Ages - 4 + (Younger children will need adult assistance.) Create Easter Decorations for your home with bunnies, baskets, flowers and more! Register online or call the Parks office to reserve your bag. Limited registration.

Flashlight Egg Hunt - \$5/child

March 8

6:45 PM

England Idlewild Park (Meet at the Parks tent by Ball Field 3) Ages - 2 - 12

Grab your flashlight and parent for a fun egg hunt in the dark. All eggs will be numbered and you will be given your number at check in for the 2 eggs you are hunting for along the 1/2 mile paved trail. Once you've found your eggs enjoy the rest of the walk back to the Parks tent to collect your prizes. Must pre-register children - Program limited to 60 children Dress for the weather! We will stagger start groups to avoid crowding on the trail.

Fishing Derby - Youth

The Northern Kentucky Fly Fishers will provide fishing poles and bait at the Youth Fishing Derby or you can bring your own.

Ages - 15 & Under Location - England Idlewild Park, Shelter #1 Date - 5/11 Sat Time 2:30 - 4:30 PM

Archery Camp - \$40/session

Learn the art, sport and skill of shooting a bow and arrow. Our certified archery instructors will be teaching compound and recurve bows. (There are 4 sessions) Ages - 10 - 15

Location - Boone Woods Park Stage Area

Dates		Time	<u>Fee</u>
6/3 - 6/7	M - F	9 - 10 AM	\$40
6/17 - 6/21	M - F	9 - 10 AM	\$40
7/8 - 7/12	M - F	9 - 10 AM	\$40
7/22 - 7/26	M - F	9 - 10 AM	\$40

Tee - Ball - \$35

This program is an instructional league designed for children just entering the baseball world. Child must provide glove. Ages - 5 - 6 Location - England Idlewild Park Date - Mondays, 6/17-7/29 Time - 6 PM

Storytime in the Park & Garden - FREE

The Boone County Public Library & the Boone County Parks Department are partnering to provide you with outdoor story times and crafts! (Ages 2 - 5) Time - Thursdays, 10 AM - 11 AM

June 6Boone Woods, Stage6000 Veterans Way, BurlingtonJune 13Central Park & Arboretum, Shelter #29190 Camp Ernst Rd, UnionJune 20England Idlewild, Shelter #15550 Idlewild Rd, BurlingtonJune 27Walton Community Park, Shelter #235 Old Stephenson Mill Rd, Walton

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YOUTH PROGRAMS!

Little Galileo's I - \$15

How does that happen? Why does this happen? What will happen when...? We are going to explore as we dive into science. Ages - 4 - 5 Location - Boone Woods Shelter #3 Date - July 15 - 19 Time - 10 - 11 AM

Little Galileo's II - \$15

We will be diving into new experiments and activities while we continue to use the scientific method to find our answers. Ages - 5 & 6 Location - Boone Woods Shelter #3

Date - July 15 - 19 Time - 1:30 - 2:30 PM

Camp Crayon - \$10

This is the perfect class for little artists. We will learn about primary colors and work with watercolors, nature, paper and clay. It will be a fun and messy adventure! Ages - 4 - 6 Location - Boone Woods Shelter #3 Date - July 29 - August 2 Time - 10 - 11 AM

Build A Boat Camp - \$5

Think you've got the skills to build a boat out of cardboard and race it? Then come to Central Park and join the fun! You will be constructing your boat throughout the week and race it on Camp Ernst Lake on Saturday. We provide the duct tape, you provide the cardboard. Ages - 10 - 15 Central Park Shelter #2 July 22 - 26 - Camp 1:30 - 3 PM Monday - Friday July 27 - Race

Dinosaur Day with Dad - \$10

You are invited to bring your Dad for a fun day to be with dinosaurs! Karen Venetian with the Cincinnati Museum Center will lead us in Digging for Dinosaurs. It will be a fun-filled afternoon! Location - Boone Woods Shelter #2 Date - August 17 Time - 10 - 11 AM

ADULT PROGRAMS!

Northern Kentucky Senior Games - \$15/Base Fee

Come out for friendly competition, good food and prizes! Games are open to individuals 50 and over and take place at various Northern Kentucky locations.

Ages - 50 + Locations - Multiple Date - May 3 - 20 Times - Vary

Call the Parks Office at 859.334.2117 for a Registration Form.

Softball League Men's Church/Rec - \$237/Team

This is a recreational/church league with an end of league tournament. League fee covers game balls, bases, umpires and official score keepers. This league will follow modified ASA Rules. Ages - 18 +

Locations - Central Park Shelter #3 Date - Tuesday, 5/7 - 6/25 Times - 6 - 10 PM

Soccer 30 & Over Co-Ed Recreational - \$30

This 9 week program emphasizes fun and recreation while still being competitive on the soccer field. Players must sign up individually. Each week players will be split into teams by lottery for an evening of soccer. Ages - 30 +

Locations - Central Park Shelter #1 Date - Wednesdays, 5/29 - 7/24 Times - 7:30 PM - 9:30 PM

Adult Bocce League - FREE

Have fun playing Bocce on Tuesday mornings this summer. Meet at the Boone Woods Bocce Courts and players will be organized for the morning's games. Play as many weeks as you want. Don't know how to play? We'll teach you!

Ages:18+Location:Boone Woods Bocce CourtsDate:Tuesdays. June 4 - August 27Times:10 AM - 11 AM

Volleyball Women's League - \$190/team NFHS Rules.

Ages - 18 + Locations - Boone Woods Park Date - 6/6 - 7/25 Th Times - 6:30 - 9 PM No Games July 4.

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			ach day & compete with other kids. Thursday - Disc Golf, Fri- Washer Toss.		
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Boone Woods	6/10 - 6/14	M - F	10 - 11:30 AM		
Boone Woods	7/8 - 7/12	M - F	1:30 - 3 PM		
Games & Crafts - Ages 4 - 5					
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Walton Park #4	6/17 - 6/21	M - F	10 - 11:30 AM		
Boone Woods #2	6/24 - 6/28	M - F	10 - 11:30 AM		
Boone Woods #2	7/1 - 7/5	M - F	10 - 11:30 AM (No Program 7/4)		
Boone Woods #2	7/8 - 7/12	M - F	1:30 - 3 PM		
England Idlewild #1	7/29 - 8/2	M - F	10 - 11:30 AM		
Games & Crafts - Ages 6 - 7	<u>7</u>				
Enjoy a week of playing group g	ames and making	g crafts eac	h day! New activities and crafts each weekly session.		
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Games & Crafts - Ages 8 - 9					
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Location	<u>Dates</u>		Time		
Walton Park #4	6/17 - 6/21	M - F	10 - 11:30 AM		
Boone Woods #3	7/1- 7/5	M - F	10 - 11:30 AM (No Program 7/4)		
Creative Arts - Ages 6 - 7					
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Creative Arts - Ages 10 - 12					
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Central Park #2	6/17 - 6/21	M - F	1:30 - 3 PM		
Central Park #2	7/8 - 7/12	M - F	1:30 - 3 PM		
Dodgeball - Ages 8 - 12					
It's back! Join us for a week of D	odgeball! Players	s will be div	ided into teams each day.		
National Dodgeball Association rules will be followed.					
Location	Dates		<u>Time</u>		
Central Park Tennis Courts	6/24 - 6/28	M - F	<u>10 - 1</u> 1:30 AM		
Central Park Tennis Courts	7/15 - 7/19	M - F	10 - 11:30 AM		

\$5 Summer Park Programs!

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Scavenger Walks & Crafts - Ages 4 - 5	Detective Camp - Ages 6 - 7		
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Walton Park #4 6/24 - 6/28 M - F 10 - 11:30 AM	detective name badge, briefcase, play detective games and		
	solve the BIG mystery of the week!		
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Obstacle Courses, Relays & Crafts - Ages 4 - 5	Thursday Night Kickball - Ages 6 - 12		
Enjoy a week of creating fun obstacle courses and relays each	Join Thursday Night Kickball! Players will be divided into		
day. You'll also make a craft each day! New Activities & Crafts	teams by age group. (4 week program)		
each weekly session.	Location Dates Time		
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Central Park #2 6/10 - 6/14 M - F 1:30 - 3 PM			
Boone Woods #2 7/8 - 7/12 M - F 10 - 11:30 AM	Tuesday Night Kickball - Ages 10 - 15		
Walton Park #4 7/8 - 7/12 M - F 1:30 - 3 PM	Join the fun on Tuesday Nights for Kickball! Teams will be		
Obstacle Courses, Relays & Crafts - Ages 6 - 7	picked by lottery each week. No game 7/4.		
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	Chess, Backgammon & Mancala Camp - Ages 6 - 7		
each weekly session.	Learn to play Chess, Backgammon & Mancala. These fun		
Location Dates Time	games of strategy are a week long program. You will learn		
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Boone Woods #3 7/8 - 7/12 M - F 10 - 11:30 AM	a follow up Chess, Backgammon & Mancala Club to		
Walton Park #4 7/8 - 7/12 M - F 1:30 - 3 PM	continue your new skills.		
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Mystery Mayhem - Ages 4 - 5	continue your new skills.		
Join Park staff and become a detective solving mysteries in	Location Dates Time		
the park. Find out "whodunit" with a new mystery case each	Boone Woods #3 7/8 - 7/12 M - F 1:30 - 3:30 PM		
day. Mysteries include: Follow the Clues, Who Done It?, The			
Ancient Curse, Missing Items, and Treasure Hunt.			
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Olympark Games - Ages 4 - 5					
Join us for a week of friendly competition and spirit of the Olympark Games! The week will start of	off with an opening ceremony				
with participants representing different countries. Flags and torches will be made to carry in the					
begin! Athletes will compete in Bean Bag Toss, Jump Rope, Line Jumps, Races, Ring Toss, Tar					
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Model Magic Madness - Ages 6 - 7					
Enjoy a fun week of Model Magic Madness! A new theme will be featured each day. Just bring y	our imagination!				
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Summer Camps

Erpenbeck Goodridge

ELEMENTARY

North Pointe Yealey

June 3, 2024 - August 2, 2024 - 7 AM - 5:45 PM (Campers must be at Camp from 9 AM - 4 PM).

FIELD TRIPS

WEEKLY THEMES



Weekly themes have activities and field trips or guests each week. Transportation is through the Boone County Schools. We swim at the Florence Aquatic Center. The staff at each camp consists of one On Site Coordinator and 5 counselors. Our ratio at the school is less than 10 to 1. Camper groups are divided by age. Staff is trained in CPR and First Aid. Drop off as early as 7 AM. Pick up as late as 5:45 PM. Weekly fee- \$145. Additional Camper- \$135. *No camp the week of July 4th. No additional fees or costs. (50 participants per location per week.)

MIDDLE SCHOOL

June 3, 2024 - August 2, 2024 - 7 AM - 5:45 PM (Campers must be at Camp from 9 AM - 4 PM).

Meets Monday-Thursday at Yealey Elementary. Drop off as early as 7 AM. Pick up as late as 5:45 PM. Weekly fee- \$145. *No camp the week of July 4th. 30 Participants per week.

Registration begins February 15, 2024. Register online at www.boonecountyky.org/parks Parks Office: 859-334-2117

Spring Ephemeral Wildflower Walk

Join one of our Natural Area's Technicians and Boone County Conservation District for the brief window where spring ephemeral wildflowers appear before dying back. These perennial beauties take advantage of the sunlight hitting the forest floor before the canopy leafs out for summer and creates shade. Learn why these plants can be excellent indicators of forest health and enjoy their natural beauty.

Location : Middle Creek Park - Meet in Parking Lot

Date: April 13th

Time: 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Dazzling Darters of Middle Creek

Hidden underwater in high-quality Kentucky streams are beautiful forms of wildlife that few people ever get the chance to see. Helping to paint that scene are several species of Darters, small fish in the perch family that develop vibrant coloration during the spring breeding season. Come join one of our natural areas technicians in the creek to catch and identify some of these gorgeous native fish (Maximum Participants 20)

Location: Middle Creek Park – Meet in Parking Lot

Date: June 8th

Time: 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Pack Prowl

Take your dog for a walk on the wild side! Treat yourself and your dog to a change of scenery for your "W-A-L-K" and experience the sights, sounds, and smells of nature! Meet fellow dog lovers and introduce your dog to new friends on this short hike through one of Boone County's beautiful natural areas. All pets must remain on leash. **Conservancy Park** February 24 2pm

Nature Station

See, touch, and learn about the local nature of Boone County! Stop by the nature station to investigate pieces of nature and enjoy nature-based activities.

Conrad Park	June 6	1pm-2pm
Oakbrook Park	June 13	1pm-2pm
Union Park	June 20	1pm-2pm
Walton Community Park	June 27	1pm-2pm

Signs of the Seasons

Observe nature in all its glory throughout the year! Stop by for a hike in every season and see how the landscape changes throughout the months. Hike at your own pace and check the informational signs to learn about what's happening in nature! Middle Creek Park March 18-24; June 17-23; September 23-29; December 16-22

D20 Forest Fantasy Adventure

Grab some dice, choose an animal, and set out on a quest to survive in the wild! While on a short hike around the park, play along as a character based on our local native species, rolling dice to determine your successes and failures in your attempts to survive. The game will be played by scanning QR codes posted along the trail, so bring your smartphone and enjoy! **Conservancy Park** April 27-28

Poetry at the Park

Take a stroll along the river and pause to take in the beauty of nature around you, as well as read some of the writings authors have composed about its wonders. (Come by any time) May 23-26

Conrad Park

Discover Daniel Boone

Daniel Boone was an adventurous frontiersman whose explorations have become part of Kentucky legend and folklore. Follow the clues in excerpts from Daniel's travel diary to where he has been hidden. When you find him, take a picture of yourself with Daniel and email it to cbrakers@boonecountyky.org to be entered into our prize drawing! Daniel Boone will appear throughout the year, so keep an eye on the Boone County Parks Facebook page for updates on his travels!

Volunteer Opportunities:

Earth Day Garlic Mustard Pull

Join Boone County Parks staff at Middle Creek Park this Earth Day to give back to our beautiful forests. We will be conducting a Garlic Mustard pull at Middle Creek. Help us remove harmful invasive plants and keep our natural areas healthy! Meet in Middle Creek parking lot.

Location: Middle Creek Park

Date: 4/20/24

Time: 1-3pm

Honeysuckle Removal

Join Boone County Parks staff at Oakbrook Park for Honeysuckle removal. This park has been infested with non-native Honeysuckle which is threatening the wildlife and native forest composition. Help give back to the forest by removing these harmful invasive plants!

Location: Oakbrook Park (Meet in the Parking Lot) Date: 10/12/24

Time: 10-Noon

Boone County Parks Fair Events!

FAIR FISHING FRENZY - FREE!

Enjoy an afternoon of fishing with the Northern KY Fly Fishers. Ages - 15 & Under

Location - Boone County Fairgrounds Lake Date - June 22 Time - 3 - 5 PM

JUNKIMALS CONTEST - FREE!

Junkimals are animals made of junk! Create your own and enter the contest! Prizes are awarded to the 1st, 2nd & 3rd place winners in each of the 8 age groups. Drop off entries at the Parks Annex Building. Monday, June 24 from 2 - 7 PM. All entries will be displayed at the Boone County Fair Tuesday night through Saturday night in the Lutes Floral Hall. Ages - 2 & Over Location - Parks Annex Building 2959 Gallatin St. Burlington

Park in Boone County Administration Building Parking Lot

JUNKOBJECTS CONTEST - FREE!

Junkobjects are objects made of junk! Create your own and enter the contest! Prizes are awarded to the 1st, 2nd & 3rd place winners in each of the 8 age groups. Drop off entries at the Parks Annex Building on Monday, June 24 from 2 - 7 PM. All entries will be displayed at the Boone County Fair Tuesday night through Saturday night in the Lutes Floral Hall. Ages - 2 & Over Location - Parks Annex Building 2959 Gallatin St. Burlington

Park in Boone County Administration Building Parking Lot

Best Dressed Rock Contest - FREE!

Free! Rocks may be dressed in man-made materials or decorative paints. Prizes will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd & 3rd place winners in each of the 8 age groups! Drop off entries at the Parks Annex between 2 PM - 7 PM on Monday, June 24. They will be on display at the Boone County Fair in the Lutes Floral Hall after Tuesday's Rock Race.

Ages - 2 & Over Location - Parks Annex Building 2959 Gallatin St., Burlington Park in Boone County Administration Building Parking Lot

Best Painted Rock Shape - FREE!

Find a rock that is shaped like an object such as a fish, a plate, a flower etc. and paint it! Prizes go to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners in each of eight age groups. Drop off entries at the Parks Annex between 2 PM - 7 PM on Monday, June 24. They will be on display at the Boone County Fair in the Lutes Floral Hall after Tuesday's Rock Race. Ages - 2 & Over Location - Parks Annex Building 2961 E. Gallatin St., Burlington Park in Boone County Administration Building Parking Lot

THE GREAT ROCK RACE -

Roll your rock down the official Rock Race Track! Choose a rock in its natural state - no alterations. The rock should weigh at least 2 ounces and no more than 5 pounds. The rock traveling the farthest distance from the Rock Race Track is the winner. There will be two divisions: Professional (rocks rolling 20 feet or more) and Amateur (rocks rolling less than 20 feet). Tryouts for divisions are done prior to the race at registration. Prizes will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd & 3rd place winners in each of the 4 age groups! **Registration: 6 - 6:30 PM** Ages - 2 & Over Location - Boone County Fairgrounds Entertainment Pavilion Date - Tuesday, June 25 Time - 6:45 PM

Corn Hole Skills Contest -

Tuesday, June 25 7:15 - 8:15 PM Registration - 6 PM - 8 PM (Entertainment Pavilion) Show off your corn hole skills! Toss 10 beanbags: 1 point on the board, 3 points in the hole, all throws count. Top 3 winners in each age group will receive prizes. Prizes will be mailed so you can toss and enjoy the Fair! Age Groups: 6 - 7, 8- 9, 10 - 11, 12 - 13, 14+

Football Toss Skills Contest -

Tuesday, June 25 7:15 - 8:15 PM Registration - 6 PM - 8 PM (Entertainment Pavilion) Show off your football skills! Toss 10 footballs earning a point for each one that goes thru the target. Top 3 winners in each age group will receive prizes. Prizes will be mailed so you can toss and enjoy the Fair! Age Groups: 6 - 7, 8- 9, 10 - 11, 12 - 13, 14+

Disc Golf Skills Contest -

Tuesday, June 25 7:15 - 8:15 PM Registration - 6 PM - 8 PM (Entertainment Pavilion) Show off your Disc Golf skills! Toss 10 Discs: 1 point on the board, 3 points in the hole, all throws count. Top 3 winners in each age group will receive prizes. Prizes will be mailed so you can toss and enjoy the Fair! Age Groups: 6 - 7, 8-9, 10 - 11, 12 - 13, 14+

Fall/Winter Programs!

Community Garage Sale - Fall - \$10/Spot

Be one of our many sellers or just shop for free Sellers - \$10 for the first space and \$6 for each additional space (spaces are equivalent to a 9'x12' parking space). Set - up begins at 6 AM. Gates open to the public from 8 AM to 1 PM. Pre-Registration is Required to be a Seller Ages - 18 & up Location - Boone County Admin Building Parking Lot Date - October 5 Time - 8 AM - 1 PM

Search for Tom Turkey - FREE

Follow the clues given each Friday to hunt down Tom for a picture. Each time you find him, send your picture to jheyenbruch@boonecountyky.org to be entered into a drawing for a prize! Hunt lasts for 5 weeks and includes at least 5 locations. Get Ready! Date - October 12 - November 17

Letters From Santa - \$5/ Letter

Give your child a wonderful memory of Christmas 2024 with a personalized letter from Santa Claus. Print the registration form on our website, answer the questions and return to the Parks Office by 11/10. Letters will be mailed by 12/9. *Registration form available in August on our website.*

Fall Craft Bags Ages - 4 - 10

Create fall decorations and crafts for your home at home! A package of 5 different crafts can be picked up at the Parks Office for you to take home and make. There are 2 sessions: Halloween and Thanksgiving. Each session is \$5. Registration limited to 50 per session. Register by September 23 Pick up for Halloween begins October 7 Pick up for Thanksgiving begins November 4

Haunted House Building Contest

Create your own haunted house, no kits, and email a photo to jheyenbruch@boonecountyky.org. All entries will be posted on the Parks Facebook page. 1st, 2nd & 3rd Place Winners will receive a Halloween Treat. Deadline to Enter: October 11

Jack-O-Lantern Contest & Walk - FREE - Rain or Shine! Walk the illuminated trail lined with Jack-O-Lanterns. We will have hayrides and refreshments! Family Event! Location: Boone County Fair Grounds 5819 Idlewild Road, Burlington, KY 41005 Date - October 26, 2024 Time - 7:30 - 9 PM To enter the Jack-O-Lantern Contest please visit our website or call (859) 334-2117.

Mommy & Me for Tea- \$20/Person

Join us for a fun Fall Tea Party with your mom! Our afternoon party includes tea, sandwiches, sweets and crafts. Please wear your Sunday best. Reservations are required. Ages - 4 & Up

Location - Boone County Extension Enrichment Center 1824 Patrick Drive, Burlington Date - November 16 Time - 1 - 3 PM

Reindeer Games & Holiday Crafts - FREE Ages (3 - 10)

The Boone County Parks Department and the Boone County Cooperative Extension Service are partnering to bring you 2 hours of holiday fun for the family! Join us for this FREE program We'll be a variety of holiday crafts and play Reindeer Games! **Location**: Boone County Extension Enrichment Center 1824 Patrick Drive, Burlington **Dates:** Saturday, December 7 **Times**: 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM (Register online)

Christmas in Boone County - FREE

Enjoy music, refreshments, a visit with Santa and his friends and the Christmas Tree Lighting. We'll also have crafts to make! Location: Burlington Commons

2951 Washington Street, Burlington **Date:** Saturday, December 7 **Time**: 4 PM - 7 PM

Holiday House Building Contest

A fun virtual holiday event for all ages! Create your own holiday house and decorate it for the Christmas Season. Email a photo to jheyenbruch@boonecountyky.org. All entries will be on Parks Facebook. First, Second & Third Place Winners will receive a bowl of Christmas treats. Deadline to enter: December 7

2024 Boone County Arboretum Events

Date	Time	Title
Saturday, January 27, 2024	9:00am-10:00am	Winter & Resident Bird Walk with the NKY Bird Club
Saturday, February 10, 2024	9:00am-11:00am	Maple Tapping Basics
Saturday, March 16, 2024	9:00am-10:00am	Late Winter Residents & Early Spring Migrant Bird Walk with the NKY Bird Club
Saturday, April 27, 2024	9:00am-11:30am	Dogwood Dash
Saturday, April 27, 2024	12:00pm-3:00pm	Arbor Day Celebration
Thursday, May 2, 2024	5:00pm-8:00pm	25th Birthday of the Arboretum!
Saturday, May 11, 2024	9:00am-10:00am	Mindful Meandering
Saturday, May 11, 2024	10:00am-11:00am	Designing Summer Flower Beds & Containers
Wednesday, May 15, 2024	10:00am-11:00am	Storytime in the Arboretum
Wednesday, May 15, 2024	7:00pm-8:00pm	Yoga
Thursday, May 16, 2024	10:00am-11:00am	Art in the Arboretum
Friday, May 17, 2024	8:30pm-10:00pm	Arboretum After Dark - Stargazing with the Cincinnati Observatory
Wednesday, May 22, 2024	7:00pm-8:00pm	Yoga
Wednesday, May 29, 2024	7:00pm-8:00pm	Yoga
Wednesday, June 5, 2024	7:00pm-8:00pm	Yoga
Wednesday, June 12, 2024	10:00am-11:00am	Storytime in the Arboretum
Wednesday, June 12, 2024	7:00pm-8:00pm	Yoga
Wednesday, June 19, 2024	7:00pm-8:00pm	Yoga
Thursday, June 20, 2024	10:00am-11:00am	Art in the Arboretum
Wednesday, June 26, 2024	7:00pm-8:00pm	Yoga
Wednesday, July 3, 2024	7:00pm-8:00pm	Yoga
Wednesday, July 10, 2024	7:00pm-8:00pm	Yoga
Wednesday, July 17, 2024	10:00am-11:00am	Storytime in the Arboretum
Wednesday, July 17, 2024	7:00pm-8:00pm	Yoga
Thursday, July 18, 2024	10:00am-11:00am	Art in the Arboretum
Friday, June 21, 2024	8:30pm-10:00pm	Arboretum After Dark-Nocturnal Animals
Wednesday, July 24, 2024	7:00pm-8:00pm	Yoga
Wednesday, July 31, 2024	7:00pm-8:00pm	Yoga
Saturday, September 14, 2024	9:00am-10:00am	Fall Migrating Bird Walk with the NKY Bird Club
Saturday, November 16, 2024	9:00am-10:00am	Winter & Resident Bird Walk with the NKY Bird Club

Boone County Parks & Recreation Registration Form

Register online at: www.boonecountyky.org/departments/parks Register by Phone at: (859) 334-2117 Register by visiting the Boone County Parks Office at: 5958 Garrard Street, Burlington, KY

Make checks payable to: Boone County Fiscal Court All checks returned by the bank will incur a \$50 fee.

REGISTRANT INFORMATION (Please Print)

PARENT / GUARDIAN NAME			
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
HOME PHONE	CELL PHONE		E-MAIL ADDRESS
EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME	EMERGENCY CONTACT PHONE		RELATIONSHIP/CHILD

Please list any medical conditions or special needs of the Participant:

Please indicate t-shirt size by participant's name if applicable. (YS, YM, YL, AS, AM, AL, AXL or A2XL)

PARTICIPANT FIRST & LAST NAME	BIRTH DATE M/D/YYYY	SEX	ACTIVITY NAME	LOCATION	DATES	FEE

IF YOU ARE PAYING BY CREDIT CARD - FILL OUT THIS INFORMATION				
NAME ON CARD:		Credit Card Billing Address:	U VISA	
EXPIRATION: CSC #*: *3 digit security code	on back of card			

PLEASE PROCEED TO THE NEXT PAGE. SIGNATURE ON WAIVER IS REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE IN BOONE COUNTY PARKS & RECREATION PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES.

REGISTRATION WILL NOT BE PROCESSED UNLESS WAIVER IS SIGNED.

Boone County Parks & Recreation Permission & Waiver

WAIVER OF LIABILITY

PLEASE READ AND SIGN THE WAIVER STATEMENT BELOW

(This waiver must be signed by all participating adults 18 years old and over, and/or by a parent or guardian for each participant under age 18)

As a participant in this Boone County Parks program, I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of injury and I waive and relinquish all claims I or my children may have as a result of participation in this program against Boone County, the Boone County Parks Department, and its officials (either elected or appointed), commissioners, officers, agents, employees, & volunteers. I further agree to indemnify, hold harmless and defend Boone County, the Boone County Parks Department, and its officials (either elected or appointed), commissioners, officers, agents, employees, and volunteers from and against any and all claims, suits or cause of actions, including reasonable attorney's fees, sustained or caused by myself or my child arising out of, in connection with, or in any way associated with the activities of this program.

I give my child/children permission to participate in this program, and on the child's behalf as parent and/or legal guardian I hereby waive, release and forever discharge any and all claims against the County of Boone, the Boone County Parks Department, and its officials (either elected or appointed), commissioners, officers, agents, employed, and volunteers for damages and/or injuries which may arise from my child's participation in this program. Please list the participating child/children's name (s):

I, the undersigned, understand and acknowledge that participation in a recreational activity can be hazardous and I realize that no one should enter into a recreation activity unless the participant is medically able. I/We assume all risk associated with this activity including, but not limited to: falls, contact with other participants or equipment, effects of weather, equipment failure, and condition of playing area. I fully understand that it is my responsibility to ascertain if this specific activity contains other elements of risk that could prove to be harmful to a participant.

Having read this waiver and in consideration of acceptance of entry into the program, I and anyone entitled to act on my behalf waive and release Boone County, Boone County Parks Department, it's co-sponsors, their representatives and successors from all and against any and all claims, suits, or cause of actions, including reasonable attorney's fees, sustained or caused by myself or my child arising out of, in connection with, or in any way associated with the activities of this program.

SIGNATURE _____

Participant or Legal Parent/Guardian

_____ DATE _____

DATE

PHOTO RELEASE

I give my permission to the Boone County Parks Department to take my picture or my child's picture to use on all future advertising for Park's programs. I also hereby consent to the use of my or my child's photograph or cinematic image without compensation.

SIGNATURE _____

Participant or Legal Parent/Guardian