



SEPTEMBER 2017

Month at a glance

■ **ASHLAND** ■ **ABBOTT'S** ■ **COVERDALE** ■ **DEEC**

Visit DelNature.org/Locations for directions to sites

PRESCHOOL

Kids must be accompanied by an adult, free of cost.

Wed, 9/13 | 10 am – 11 am | Age 2-5

Le Petit Yogi

Led by Courtney Loughney
Meets at Coverdale
Mem \$10 | Non-mem \$15 | F17136CF

Fri, 9/22 | 9:30 am – 11 am | Age 2-5

Using Cool Tools: Hammers and Nails

Led by Judy Montgomery
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$9 | Non-mem \$14 | F17036AS

Knee-high Naturalists

Age 2 – 5 | \$4 Mem, \$7 Non-mem
Abbott's Mill Nature Center
Wednesdays, 10 am – 11:30 am

9/6	Back to School	F17331AM
9/13	An Apple a Day	F17332AM
9/20	Nature's ABC's	F17333AM
9/27	Nature's 123's	F17334AM

Full schedule, descriptions, register:
DelNature.org/Preschool

Green by Nature Preschool

Age 2 – 5 | \$6 Mem, \$10 Non-mem
Locations alternate
Tuesdays, 9:30 am – 11 am

9/5	Farm Art Adventures Coverdale	F17131CF
9/12	Magical Monarchs Ashland	F17030AS
9/19	The Grouchy Ladybug DEEC	F17230DC
9/26	Fluttering Butterflies..., Bees Coverdale	F17132CF

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FAMILY FUN

Enjoy hands-on nature experiences together. Kids must be accompanied by an adult.

Sat, 9/2 | 6:30 pm – 8 pm

Back to School Party and Marshmallow Roast

Led by Ashland staff
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$5 | Non-mem \$7 | F17067AS

Sat, 9/9 | 11 am – 1 pm

Pollinator Power

Led by Rob Wiest & Sheila Vincent
Meets at Coverdale
Mem FREE | Non-mem \$10
F17166CF

Sun, 9/10 | 1 pm – 3 pm

Free Family Nature Walks: Marvelous Monarchs

Led by Dawn Coughlan
Registration required.
Meets at Bucktoe
FREE for everyone | V17660BK

Sun, 9/10 | 3 pm – 5 pm | Age 6+

Chores and Dinner

Led by Ashley Harrell
Meets at Coverdale
Mem \$12 | Non-mem \$16
F17160CF

Sat, 9/9 | 11 am – 12 pm

Family Yoga at Abbott's Series

Led by Free Spirited Found. staff
Meets at Abbott's Mill
Mem \$5 | Non-mem \$10
U17361AM

Sat, 9/16 | 10:30 am – 12:30 am

Moth and Butterfly Art

Led by Judy Montgomery
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$9 | Non-mem \$14
F17068AS

Sat, 9/16 | 3 pm – 5 pm | Age 10+

Archery for Families

Led by Rob Yacucci
All equipment provided.
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$10 | Non-mem \$15
F17063AS

Sun, 9/17 | 1:30 pm – 3 pm

Lenape Fun and Games

Led by Alison Altergott
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$9 | Non-mem \$14
F17035AS

Fri, 9/22 | 6 pm – 7:30 pm

Autumn Equinox Hike and Campfire

Led by Courtney McKinley
& Sheila Vincent
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$6 | Non-mem \$10
F17061AS

Sat, 9/23 | 10 am – 12 pm

Brunch With Ainsworth Abbott

Led by Steve Childers
Meets at Abbott's Mill
Mem \$10 | Non-mem \$20 |
F17360AM

Sat, 9/23 – Sun, 9/24 | 5 pm – 10 am

Family Campout at Bucktoe

Led by Rob Yacucci
Meets at Bucktoe
Mem \$40/household
Non-mem \$55/household
F17076BK

Sun, 9/24 | 1 pm – 4 pm

Grains, Bread, and Butter

Led by Mary Boeni
Meets at Coverdale
Mem \$14 | Non-mem \$19
F17164CF

Sun, 9/24 | 8 am – 5 pm | Age 8+

Tuckahoe Creek by Canoe

Led by Abbott's Mill & Pickering
Creek Audubon Center staff
Van transportation provided.
Meets at Abbott's Mill
Mem \$15 | Non-mem \$20
F17362AM

Sat, 9/30 | 10 am – Noon

Vitamin N: Nature Play for Families

Led by Courtney McKinley
& Michele Jones
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$3 | Non-mem \$5 | F17074AS

Sat, 9/30 | 3 pm – 5 pm | Age 10+

Archery for Families

Led by Rob Yacucci
All equipment provided.
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$10 | Non-mem \$15
F17064AS

MORE PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS AND KIDS

See opposite side of page

**Register and get full descriptions:
302.239.2334 or DelNature.org/Programs**

JUST FOR KIDS

Kids discover nature with our safety-certified instructors.

Last Sundays 9/24 – 12/17
9 am – 12 pm | Age 9-12

Young Naturalist Club

Led by Jeff Haas
Meets at Ashland
Members only \$60 | F17050AS

Thu, 9/21 | 8:30 am – 5 pm
Age 5-12

Day Camp: Marshy Adventures

Led by DEEC staff
Meets at DEEC
Mem \$55 | Non-mem \$75 |
F17291DC

ALL AGES

Adults or adults with kids welcome. Parents must accompany kids.

Sat, 9/2 | 9:30 am – 12:30 pm | Age 13+

Canoeing the Christina River and Marsh

Led by Ed Rohrbach
Meets at DEEC
Mem \$15 | Non-mem \$20
F17264DC

Sat, 9/16 | 9 am – 12 pm

30th Annual Delaware Coastal Cleanup at Slaughter Beach

Led by Town of Slaughter Beach & Abbott's Mill staff
Meets at Slaughter Beach Volunteer Fire Pavilion, 357 Bay Ave, Slaughter Beach, DE
FREE for everyone | Just show up!

Marsh & Monarchs Celebration

Sat, Sep 23, Noon – 4 pm | FREE - just show up

DuPont Environmental Education Center

DelNature.org/Monarchs

Catch butterflies & other creatures | Canoeing the marsh
Free giveaways such as milkweed | Zuumba in nature
Tag live butterflies for research



ADULTS

Sat, 9/9 | 4 pm – 9 pm | Age 18+

Dragon Run Canoeing

Led by Brian Winslow
Van transportation provided.
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$30 | Non-mem \$45 | F17001AS

Tue, 9/12 | 6:30 pm – 8 pm | Age 21+

Basic Bike Maintenance 1 with Lifecycle

Led by Lifecycle staff
Campfire with s'mores and beer.
Meets at Abbott's Mill
Mem \$20 | Non-mem \$20 | F17350AM

Thu, 9/14 | 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm | Age 18+

Folk Remedies and Tinctures

Led by Hazel Shinholt & Nora Childers
Meets at Abbott's Mill
Mem \$5 | Non-mem \$10 | F17307AM

Wed, 9/13 | 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm | Age 21+

Mead: From Bee to Beverage

Led by Jim White
Mead is an alcoholic beverage created from honey.
Meets at Liquid Alchemy Beverages, 28 Brookside Drive, Wilmington, DE
Mem \$20 | Non-mem \$30 | F17209DC

Fri, 9/15 | 8:30 am – 3 pm | Age 18+

Serpentine Barrens Hike

Led by Joe Sebastiani & Janet Ebert
Hike and Herr's Potato Chip Factory tour.
Van transportation provided.
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$20 | Non-mem \$30 | F17016AS

Sat, 9/16 | 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm | Age 18+

Peterson Refuge Plant Walk

Led by Janet Ebert
Meets at DEEC
Mem \$10 | Non-mem \$15 | F17200DC



Thu, 9/21 | 6:30 pm – 9 pm | Age 21+

Cookbook Club: Six Seasons by Joshua McFadden

Led by Michele Wales
Meets at Coverdale
Mem \$60 | Non-mem \$70 | F17109CF

Sat, 9/23 | 9 am – 1:30 pm | Age 21+

Brandywine Trail: Sampling of Local Flavor

Led by Courtney McKinley
2-mile hike. Van transport from Ashland.
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$30 | Non-mem \$45 | F17011AS

Tue, 9/26 | 6:30 pm – 8 pm | Age 21+

Basic Bike Maintenance 2 with Lifecycle

Led by Lifecycle staff
Includes campfire with s'mores and beer.
Meets at Abbott's Mill
Mem \$20 | Non-mem \$20 | F17351AM

Fri, 9/29 | 5:30 pm – 7 pm | Age 18+

Yappy Hour

Led by Courtney McKinley
Friendly, leashed dogs are welcome.
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$10 | Non-mem \$15 | F17009AS

Sat, 9/30 | 7:30 am – 5 pm | Age 18+

PSEG Wetlands Restoration Tour

Led by Jeff Pantazes & Hank Davis
Meets at Ashland
Mem \$25 | Non-mem \$37 | F17015AS

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