

October 2023 Events at the Enchanted Forest Sanctuary

Nature Songs with Laura Covel and Becky Bolt

Sun., Oct. 8th 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Join Laura Covel and Becky Bolt on the porch for music, puppets, songs about plants and animals and a fun rhythm jam! For kids of all ages! Registration required, please call 321-264-5185 to sign up. NO SAME DAY SIGN UPS.

Garden Workday

Sat. Oct. 9th 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Grab your hat, sunblock, and water and come help maintain the butterfly garden at the Sanctuary with the Sea Rocket Chapter of the Florida Native Plant Society! Registration required, please call 321-264-5185 to sign up.

Nature Storytime

Wed., Oct. 11th 10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Geared toward ages 5 and under. Enjoy a half hour story time at the Enchanted Forest Sanctuary! Theme: Nifty Nocturnals! Join us to learn about nocturnal animals in our forest through fun activities and crafts. Registration required, please call 321-264-5185 to sign up. NO SAME DAY SIGN UPS.

Coming Soon!

Creepy Crawly Critter Night!

Sat., Oct. 14th 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Grab your costume and join us for a night filled with critters! There will be games, crafts, education booths, animal talks, live animals, and a glow trail. Registration is required. *Spots limited* For information on registration call 321-264-5185.

Sanctuary School

Wed., Oct. 18th 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

Geared towards ages 6 through 12.

Theme: Notable Nocturnals! Enjoy learning about our nocturnal critters through fun activities and crafts! Registration required, please call 321-264-5185 to sign up. NO SAME DAY SIGN UPS.

Native Plant Sale

Sat., Oct. 21st at 9 a.m.

Come and support the Sea Rocket Chapter of the Florida Native Plant Society's native plant sale. Find an assortment of native plants to beautify your yard and support wildlife!

Prehistoric Lunch

Sun., Oct. 22nd, 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Join Archaeologist Elaine Williams and the Friends of the Enchanted Forest Sanctuary Inc. for a presentation and a taste of what the local peoples ate. Registration required. Call 321-264-5185 for more information.

Rhymes and Reasons to Appreciate Spiders

Sun., Oct. 29th 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Join Dee Fairbanks-Simpson and the Friends of the Enchanted Forest Inc. for an interactive Florida spider id and learning session. Registration required.

To register visit: <https://www.meetup.com/space-coast-audubon-meetup/events/295942805/?isFirstPublish=true>

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Tai Chi at the Forest

Every Sat. in Oct. 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Join instructor Kate Perez for a beginner level class on the porch! Loose-fitting clothing and a water bottle are recommended. Registration required no later than the day before class, please call 321-264-5185. SPACE LIMITED. NO SAME DAY SIGN UPS.

Yoga in Nature

Every Sun. in Oct. 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Join local yoga instructors for a traditional class for all levels on the porch! Wear loose-fitting clothing and do not eat anything an hour before class. Bring water and a mat. Registration required no later than the day before class, please call 321-264-5185. SPACE LIMITED. NO SAME DAY SIGN UPS.

Guided Hikes

Openings Sat./Sun. in Oct. at 10:00 a.m.

Enjoy a 45-minute guided hike. Please bring a hat, water, and walking shoes. Days are limited to staff availability. Registration required no later than the day before the hike, please call 321-264-5185 to sign up. NO SAME DAY SIGN UPS.

The Enchanted Forest Sanctuary was created and managed under Brevard County's Environmentally Endangered Lands Program referendum. The referendum was established by voters in 1990 to protect and preserve the rich biological diversity of Brevard County for future generations. The Enchanted Forest Sanctuary operates in partnership with the Friends of the Enchanted Forest to provide hands on educational experiences for all visitors. Admission to the sanctuary and education center is free and open to the public Tuesday through Sunday from 9 am to 5 pm. Come out to visit soon!