



Fall 2016 Schedule



Stumpy Basin
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Capturing the Moment

When dressed in its dramatic cloak of fall colors, Cuyahoga Valley has an irresistible allure. Whether you are shooting with your smartphone or a long lens, autumn is ideal for landscape photography. Different spots are best at different times of day.

When conditions are right, morning fog pools thickly in the lowlands. Indigo Lake appears to smoke against dawn's fiery sky. The Cuyahoga River meanders quietly under the ghostly shroud. Station Road Bridge in Brecksville and Stumpy Basin south of Boston provide lovely views. At Beaver Marsh, dark shapes of bobbing waterfowl often dot the misty open water.

Daylight offers additional charms. At Hale Farm & Village, farm animals strut amid a backdrop of historic buildings and the painted valley wall. Monarchs and other butterflies float across the late-flowering meadows of Kendall Hills. They alight on bright yellow goldenrod, purple ironweed and

asters, and pink plumes of Joe Pye weed. At Oak Hill, Sylvan Pond mirrors the colorful tree line in its placid water. Red and orange leaves lie scattered on the shale walls of Blue Hen Falls and swirl in its plunge pool.

By late afternoon, Brandywine Falls steals the show. Water cascades 60 feet down into a scenic gorge. The feathery dark green needles of hemlock mix with a rich spectrum of autumnal hues. Farther south, Ledges Overlook is the premier spot for catching the sunset over the valley.

If you want to sharpen your skills, Cuyahoga Valley Photographic Society presents fall lectures, a workshop, and a members' show. See page 6 and the calendar for details. National Parks: Sights and Sounds on November 4 features spectacular panoramic images set to music. This special concert with the Akron Symphony Orchestra celebrates 100 years of the National Park Service. Let the Cuyahoga Valley be your muse this season.

Page 4 Train Rides

Explore the valley by rail. Try a day pass, the popular Bike Aboard! service, or a special event.

Page 5 Food & Farms

Enjoy the fall harvest. Shop at a Countryside Farmers' Market, dine with Chef Larkin, or visit a valley farm.

Page 6 Music & Arts

Live creatively. Come for concerts, theatre, art shows, and photo talks.

Plan Your Visit



National Park Service
U.S. Department of the Interior
Cuyahoga Valley National Park

Mailing Address

15610 Vaughn Road
Brecksville, OH 44141

Boston Store Visitor Center

1550 Boston Mills Road
Peninsula, OH 44264

Canal Exploration Center

7104 Canal Road
Valley View, OH 44125

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The National Park Service cares for the special places saved by the American people so that all may experience our heritage.

EXPERIENCE YOUR AMERICA™

Welcome

Please join us at Cuyahoga Valley National Park (CVNP) this fall. You can observe nature, exercise outdoors, ride our scenic railroad, visit a farm, enjoy local food, attend a concert, connect with history, and help with service projects.

FIRST STOP! Boston Store Visitor Center is where your adventure begins. Stop here to plan your park visit and pick up additional publications. There is a short park video available upon request. Daily, 9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Canal Exploration Center is the park's newest attraction, located on America's Byway. Find out how the Ohio & Erie Canal helped shape the nation. September and October: Wednesdays through Sundays, 10 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. November: Saturdays and Sundays, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. On select weekend dates through October 30, lock demonstrations repeat from 11:30 a.m. through 2:30 p.m. as crowds gather.

Hunt House on Bolanz Road offers child-friendly nature exhibits, a rest area along the Towpath Trail, and information about nearby attractions. September and October: Saturdays and Sundays, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Closed in November.

Trail Mix stores are operated by the Conservancy for Cuyahoga Valley National Park. They sell food, clothing, and souvenirs, and provide visitor information. September and October: daily, 9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. (Peninsula) and daily, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. (Boston). November: daily, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. (Peninsula only).



Canal Exploration Center
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Special Needs?

Are you or a loved one apprehensive about participating in park activities because of a mental or physical condition? Ranger Arrye Rosser, the park's accessibility coordinator, can help you plan a great visit. Contact her at 440-546-5992 or cuva_access@nps.gov. If you need a sign-language interpreter or assistive listening device, please allow two weeks. Page 3 lists ranger-led hikes where devices are available upon demand. Exhibits at Canal Exploration Center are audio described.

Lodging, Camping, and Reservable Sites

Want to stay overnight? The Conservancy for Cuyahoga Valley National Park offers several options: historic Stanford House, Cuyahoga Valley Environmental Education Center, and five primitive campsites. For more information visit forcvnp.org/lodging.


Day groups may reserve the Ledges and Octagon picnic shelters by visiting recreation.gov. Bookings are taken up to a year in advance.

To reserve outdoor locations for weddings, running and cycling races, and community events, contact 440-546-5991 or cuva_info@nps.gov. For indoor space rentals, call 330-657-2909 ext. 130 or visit forcvnp.org/lodging.

Questions? Call 330-657-2752. Email cuva_info@nps.gov. Click Plan Your Visit at nps.gov/cuva.

I Like to Hike, Learn & Volunteer

Ranger-led Hikes

We offer hiking series for a variety of skill levels and interests. Use the summaries below to decide what's right for you. Program details are on the calendar pages. The symbol  means assistive listening devices are available upon demand.

Early Evening Hikes are a midweek chance to get your legs moving. Trails vary. Moderate pace. Wednesdays, twice monthly in September and October. 

Full Moon Hikes let you to experience the national park at night without a flashlight. Leisurely pace. September 16, October 16, and November 14.

Off the Beaten Path allows you to explore the lesser known places and stories of CVNP. Hikes take place both on and off trail. Moderate pace. September 10, October 15, and November 19.

Hiking the Hills challenges you to hike some of the park's more difficult trails. Hikes are fast paced on hilly, unpaved trails. Select Sundays throughout the fall.

Cuyahoga Valley InSTITUTE

The Cuyahoga Valley Institute is a series of adult education programs that provide meaningful, immersive



opportunities to learn in nature. Come deepen your understanding of the history, wildlife, and geography of Cuyahoga Valley National Park. See the calendar for details. Learn more and register at forcvnp.org/cvi

Saturday, October 22
Writing Wild: A Nature Writers Conference

Canalway Questing continues through November 15. For details visit ohioandriecanalway.com.

Want to make a difference? To learn about CVNP's diverse seasonal and long-term volunteer opportunities, visit nps.gov/cuva and click Volunteer. New opportunities, including internships, are posted year round. Minimum age varies. For more information, registration, and locations, call the volunteer office at 330-657-2299.

Volunteer Orientation

Saturday, October 29

Do you want to volunteer at your national park? Attend an orientation for an overview of the park and our current volunteer opportunities. 10 a.m. - noon. Register at nps.gov/cuva. Click Volunteer and then Training and Enrichment.

Days of Service

Individuals and groups are invited to lend a hand. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Register at nps.gov/cuva. Click Volunteer and then Volunteer Opportunities.

Saturday, September 24
National Public Lands Day

Saturday, October 22
Make a Difference Day

Habitat Restoration

Join park staff for native planting or invasive plant removal.

Wednesdays, September 7 through October 26

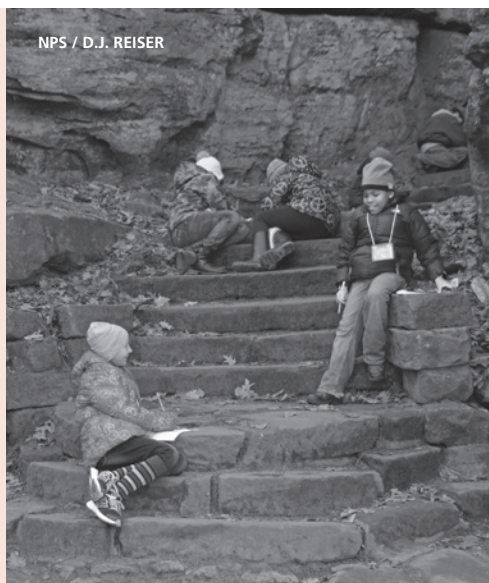
Thursdays, September 8 and October 13

Invasive Plant Removal
1 - 4 p.m.

Thursdays, September 1 through October 27

Native Seed Collection
1 - 4 p.m.

See page 4 for **Hike Aboard!** See the calendar for **Bird Watching** on September 3 and 17, October 8, and November 5. **Fall Camp-In** is September 24 - 25. **Introduction to Backpacking** is September 23 and October 1 - 2. Registration is required for both overnight programs.



Just for Kids!

Join us this fall for a series of free Junior Ranger programs. A parent or guardian is required to attend programs with participating children. Locations are given upon registration. To register call 330-657-2796 ext. 100.

Junior Ranger

Saturdays, September 17, October 22, and November 12
Ages 7 - 12.

Junior Ranger, Jr.

Saturdays, September 10, October 8, and November 5
Ages 4 - 6.



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I Like Train Rides

Climb aboard for adventures in the national park and Ohio & Erie Canalway. To purchase Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad tickets, call 800-468-4070 or visit cvsr.com. If someone in your party uses a wheelchair, call extension 1 to request seats in the car with a lift.

Hike Aboard!

Sundays, September 25 and November 6, and Saturday, October 8

Join a ranger for a one-way train ride followed by a challenging hike back to our cars. Trails are unpaved and hilly. Fee: \$3 per hiker, paid upon boarding. See calendar pages for details.

Veterans Day Train

Friday, November 11

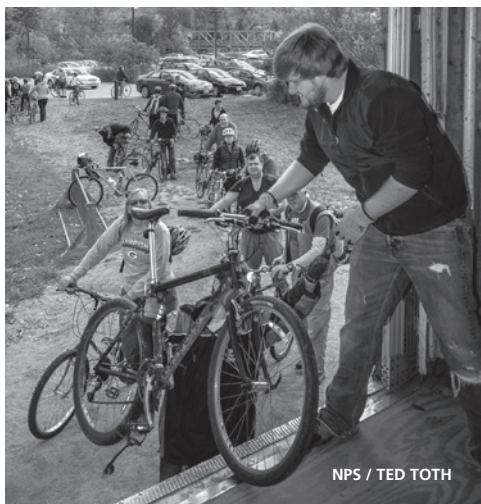
We can never thank our veterans, active duty military, and first responders enough for their service. We invite them and their families to take a beautiful ride for free. Visit cvsr.com for times and locations.

The Polar Express™

Saturday, November 12 through Tuesday, December 20

Wear pajamas to hear a reading of *The Polar Express™* as we journey to the North Pole. Online ticket sales begin October 3 at 9 a.m. Become a CVSR member for early access.

See page 5 for **Ales on Rails** and **Grape Escape**. See the calendar for **Experience the Underground Railroad** on November 4 - 5.



National Park Scenic Day Pass

*Wednesdays through Sundays in September and October
Saturdays and Sundays in November*

Travel through Cuyahoga Valley National Park in the comfort of our climate-controlled train cars. The day pass allows you to get on and off at any station. Spend a few hours exploring the park and nearby attractions. Visit cvsr.com for recommended itineraries to match your interests, fitness level, and schedule. Please arrive 30 minutes before the departure time. Day pass fee (coach): \$15 adults, \$10 children ages 3 - 12. Includes the *Voices of the Valley* audio tour. Information about Bike Aboard! service is below.

Station	South	North	South	North	South	North
Rockside	9:00	12:20	12:55	4:15	4:35	7:30
Canal Exploration Center	9:05	12:15	1:00	4:10	4:40	7:25
Brecksville	9:20	12:00	1:15	3:55	4:55	7:15
Boston Mill	9:35	11:45	1:30	3:40	5:05	7:05
Peninsula	9:45	11:40	1:45	3:35	5:15	7:00
Indigo Lake	10:05	11:20	2:00	3:15	5:30	6:45
Botzum	10:15	11:10	2:10	3:05	5:40	6:35
Big Bend	10:25	11:00	2:20	2:55	5:50	6:25
Akron Northside	10:35	10:50	2:30	2:45	6:00	6:15

Bike Aboard!

Bike the Trail, Ride the Rail!

Cycle the Towpath Trail in one direction and hop on the train in the other. The train can be flagged down at boarding stations. Please arrive 20 minutes before the departure time. Pay your fare when you board. One-way fee: \$3 per person ages 3 and older. The special one-way price is also available to distance hikers and runners. No guaranteed seats. See the train schedule above. The last day of the 2016 season is October 30. **Note the added service at Big Bend during the challenging Towpath Trail detour along Hickory Street in Akron.**

Towpath Mileage Between Boarding Stations

Rockside Station - Canal Exploration Center	1.75 miles
Canal Exploration Center - Brecksville	4.5 miles
Brecksville - Boston Mill	4.25 miles
Boston Mill - Peninsula	2.5 miles
Peninsula - Indigo Lake	4 miles
Indigo Lake - Botzum	3 miles
Botzum - Big Bend	3.5 miles
Big Bend - Akron Northside	3 miles



Countryside Initiative Farms

In honor of the NPS Centennial Celebration, October is Farm Month. Visit cvcountryside.org for 100 things to see and do at the 11 active Countryside Initiative farms within the national park.

Countryside Farmers' Markets

Local farmers, food entrepreneurs, and artists bring their wares to these unique, producer-only markets. Music and food demonstrations add spice. No pets, please. SNAP EBT and debit cards are accepted at the information booth. To learn more, visit cvcountryside.org.

Thursdays, September 1 through September 29

Shop for healthy eats and other treats in a funky Akron neighborhood. Highland Square, 4 - 7 p.m.

Saturdays, September 3 through October 29

Browse goodies from over 60 vendors. Howe Meadow, 9 a.m. - noon. The market hosts **Crafty Mart** on October 15.

Saturdays, November 12 and 19
Old Trail School, 9 a.m. - noon.

Countryside U

Countryside offers unique educational programming for all ages. Whether you're a chef, farmer, gardener, foodie, or home cook—we have a class for you! For a schedule and registration, visit cvcountryside.org.

Tuesdays, September 20, October 18, and November 15

Countryside Local Food Swaps
Gather with cooks, bakers, brewers,

growers, and DIY-ers to trade homemade items. Bartering is done silent auction-style. Free registration is required. A new location each month. 7 p.m. For rules and other information, visit cvcountryside.org.

Visit The Spicy Lamb Farm

For details and directions to this Countryside Initiative farm, visit thespicylamb.com. See the calendar for program descriptions.

Saturday, September 24

Fall Farm Festival

Saturday and Sunday, October 15 and 16
Cuyahoga Valley Sheep Dog Trials

Saturday, November 5

Pumpkin Chunkin'

Hale Farm & Village

Saturdays and Sundays in September and October

This outdoor living history museum features life and crafts from the mid-1800s. Enjoy farm animals, pastures, gardens, and historic houses with interpreters in period costume. See the calendar for events on select weekends. Fee: \$10 adults, \$5 children ages 3 - 12, WRHS members and active military free. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. For details call 330-666-3711 or visit halefarm.org.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

Saturdays and Sundays, September 3 through November 6

Enjoy a four-course breakfast or lunch while you travel the rails through CVNP. Catered by Creekside Restaurant. Fee (breakfast/lunch): \$30/32 adult, \$25/27 children ages 12 and under. Rockside Station, 9 a.m. and Akron Northside Station, 12:55 p.m. For tickets, visit cvsr.com.

"Ales on Rails" Beer-Tasting Train

Saturdays, September 10, October 8 and 22, and November 5

This fun trip includes a five-sample

tasting of beers and appetizers as you watch the sun set. Commemorative glass included. See calendar for times, locations, and themes. Reservations required. Ages 21 and older. Fee: \$50 - \$94. 7 - 9 p.m. To register call 800-468-4070 or visit cvsr.com.

Akron Farm & Flea

Saturday, September 11

Countryside is proud to partner with Crafty Mart to co-manage Akron Farm & Flea in 2016! Join us downtown for a mix of great local food and hand-crafted goodness. These events are generously supported by The Knight Foundation. Outside of Urban Eats Cafe, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

"Grape Escape" Wine-Tasting Train

*Saturdays, September 17 and October 15
Sunday, November 6*

Sample five wines and hors d'oeuvres and enjoy the view. Commemorative glass included. See calendar for times, locations, and themes. Reservations required. Ages 21 and older. Fee: \$60 - \$96. To register call 800-468-4070 or visit cvsr.com.

Dinner in the Valley

*Wednesdays, September 28 and October 19,
Monday, November 7, and
Friday, November 18*

Enjoy a meal featuring local foods, crafted by the Conservancy's Chef Larkin, in a gorgeous park setting. See calendar for locations, descriptions, and fees. 6 p.m. Reservations required; call 330-657-2909 ext. 100 or visit forcvnp.org/div.



I Like Music & Arts

Cuyahoga Valley Heritage Concerts

Presented by the National Park Service and the Conservancy for Cuyahoga Valley National Park, Cuyahoga Valley Heritage Concerts celebrate our valley's cultural legacy. This series is made possible thanks to the generous support of Cascade Auto Group and Cable 9.

Single concert admission: \$20 adults, \$15 Conservancy members, \$5 children ages 3 - 12. General seating. Advance sales available until 3 p.m. on the Friday before that weekend's show. Create your own subscription series and enjoy any three regularly-priced Heritage Series concerts for one low price! Three-concert series: \$50 adults, \$35 Conservancy members, \$15 children ages 3 - 12. No cash refunds, but tickets may be exchanged up to 10 days before the concert. Advance sales available by calling 330-657-2909, option 4, or purchasing online at forcvnp.org/events. On concert days, call the Cultural Arts Hotline at 440-546-5998 after 2 p.m. for current ticket availability and severe weather cancellations.

See calendar pages for descriptions. Happy Days Lodge, 7 p.m. doors open (unless otherwise noted), 8 p.m. concert begins.

Tuesday, September 20
Joe Filisko and Eric Noden

Wednesday, September 28
The Railsplitters
(plus Dinner in the Valley option)



Wednesday, October 12
Frank Vignola and Vinny Raniolo

Thursday, October 27
Dom Flemons

Wednesday, November 9
Molsky's Mountain Drifters

Friday, November 18
The Revelers
(plus Dinner in the Valley option)

Art @ M.D. Garage

Art @ M.D. Garage is a series of free art exhibitions coordinated by Crooked River Gang volunteers. The M.D. Garage is a 1940s gas station located in the village of Boston. 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Most artwork is available for purchase.

Saturdays and Sundays in September
Fields and Farms

Saturdays and Sundays in October
(except October 8 and 9)
Out and About in the Valley

Wingenstock Concerts

Enjoy fall concerts in the Big Red Barn at this Countryside Initiative farm. Fee: \$15. Canal Corners Farm & Market, 7 p.m.. For details visit [Facebook/wingenstock](https://www.facebook.com/wingenstock).

Saturday, September 17
The Juke Hounds

Saturday, October 8
Up 'Til 4

The Lantern Theatre

Saturdays and Sundays,
September 3 - 4 and 24 - 25;
Fridays and Saturdays,
October 21 - 22 and 28 - 29

Bring the family for staged readings and seasonal activities in the Big Red Barn at this Countryside Initiative farm. See calendar for descriptions. Fee: \$12 adults, \$8 children ages 12 and under. Fridays and Saturdays, 7 p.m., Sundays, 2 p.m. For details and



Cuyahoga Valley Photographic Society

Thursday, September 15,
October 20, and November 17
Part of the Conservancy, the Photo Society sponsors monthly presentations by locally and nationally recognized photographers as well as workshops, photo walks, and an annual contest. See calendar pages for descriptions. Free. Happy Days Lodge, 7 - 9 p.m. For more information contact the Photo Society at info@cvps.org or the Conservancy at 330-657-2909.

reservations, call 216-401-5131 or visit lanterntheatreohio.com.

Cuyahoga Valley House Concerts

Sundays, September 25, October 16,
November 20

For nearly two decades, violinist/fiddler Ed Caner has performed as a sideman for over 50 major acts. He also founded his own band, Hey Mavis. For our series, Ed invites different guest musicians to perform with him each month. Admission: \$10, \$8 Conservancy members. Advance sales available by calling 330-657-2909, option 4, or purchasing online at forcvnp.org/events. Hines Hill Conference Center, 7 p.m. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Seating is limited. The facility is not wheelchair accessible.

Solo at Sarah's Vineyard

Wednesdays, November 2, 9, 16, 23, and 30
Enjoy the sounds of local musicians in our 1840s post-and-beam tasting room. The series at this Countryside Initiative farm continues through spring. Sarah's Vineyard, 7 - 10 p.m. For more information, call 330-929-8057 or visit sarahsvineyardwinery.com. Free.

September Calendar

Thursday, September 1

Habitat Restoration

1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Countryside Farmers' Market at Highland Square

4 - 7 p.m. See page 5.

Saturday, September 3

Migrating Songbirds

Discover migrating songbirds within the lowland forests along the Cuyahoga River. This 2.5-mile walk along the firm, flat Towpath Trail is wheelchair accessible. Red Lock Trailhead, 8 - 10 a.m.

Countryside Farmers' Market at Howe Meadow

9 a.m. - noon. See page 5.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Made in Ohio Arts & Crafts Festival

This two-day juried festival features Ohio artisans, local food and all that Hale Farm & Village has to offer. Fee: \$5. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. See page 5.

Lock Demonstrations

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

The Lantern Theatre: BROWNS RULES, The Show that Beat Pittsburgh

7 p.m. See page 6.

Sunday, September 4

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Made in Ohio Art & Craft Festival

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. See September 3.

Lock Demonstrations

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

The Lantern Theatre: BROWNS RULES, The Show that Beat Pittsburgh

2 p.m. See page 6.

Wednesday, September 7

Habitat Restoration

1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.



Early Evening Hike

Explore 2.75 miles on the unpaved, rolling Tree Farm Trail. Horseshoe Pond, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. See page 3.

Thursday, September 8

Habitat Restoration

1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Countryside Farmers' Market at Highland Square

4 - 7 p.m. See page 5.



Saturday, September 10

Off the Beaten Path:

Behind the Farm and Food Scene

On this 2 mile hike we'll explore trails behind Howe Meadow and connecting to Hale Farm & Village. The hike ends at the Countryside Farmers' Market. Howe Meadow, 8:30 - 10 a.m.

Countryside Farmers' Market at Howe Meadow

9 a.m. - noon. See page 5.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Lock Demonstrations

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Junior Ranger Jr.: Nature's Canvas

The changing of the seasons can often be a time of viewing nature's beauty. Come use your creativity to connect with the park in a unique way through observations, clay, painting, story and other forms of art. Ages 4 - 6. 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. See page 3.

"Ales on Rails" Beer-Tasting Train: Lager Heads Brewing Co.

Rockside Station, 7 - 9 p.m. See page 5.

Sunday, September 11

Hiking the Hills

7 miles on the Buckeye Trail. NPS Park Headquarters, 9 a.m. - noon. See page 3.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Akron Farm & Flea

10 a.m. - 2 p.m. See page 5.

Lock Demonstrations

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Wednesday, September 14

Habitat Restoration

1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

September Calendar

Thursday, September 15

Habitat Restoration
1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Countryside Farmers' Market at Highland Square
4 - 7 p.m. See page 5.



Photo Society: Steve Perry; Secrets to Stunning Wildlife Photography
Are you ready to take your wildlife photos to the next level? Then join award-winning nature photographer Steve Perry as he presents countless tips and tricks that will help you get those incredible wildlife shots you've always wanted. From the most effective techniques for capturing dramatic images to gear recommendations for every budget, this is a presentation you won't want to miss. 7 - 9 p.m. See page 6.

Friday, September 16

Full Moon Hike
3.5-mile hike on the Towpath Trail between Boston and Jaite. Boston Store Visitor Center, 7 - 9 p.m. See page 3.

Saturday, September 17

Fall Bird Census
CVNP's diversity of habitats attracts many migrating songbirds, making the fall census exciting. All are welcome. Walking conditions vary by location. NPS Park Headquarters, 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Countryside Farmers' Market at Howe Meadow
9 a.m. - noon. See page 5.

Rangers at the Market
Join a ranger to learn about common fruits or vegetables found at the Countryside Farmers' Market. Do you know what fruit kept the first Boston squatters alive? What root vegetable helped shape America as a nation, bringing thousands of immigrants? Learn a new recipe or try something new. Howe Meadow, 9 a.m. - noon.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga
9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Lock Demonstrations
11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Junior Ranger: Leave It to Beavers
Take a closer look at the life of a beaver. Discover how these animals can change a habitat to create a new one. We'll take a walk to search for signs of beaver activity. Ages 7 - 12. 1 - 3 p.m. See page 3.

Wingenstock Concert: The Juke Hounds
7 p.m. See page 6.

"Grape Escape" Wine-Tasting Train: Napa Valley Wines
Rocksides Station, 7 - 9 p.m. See page 5.



Sunday, September 18

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga
9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Canal Day
Join rangers and volunteers to celebrate all things canal. Volunteers demonstrate and lead activities from the mid-1800s such as spinning wool, playing children's games, and cooking dinner. Make a craft, push a lock gate, or enjoy the sights, sounds and smells of life along the canal in 1853. Canal Exploration Center, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Tuesday, September 20

Countryside Local Food Swap
7 p.m. See page 5.

Heritage Concert: Joe Filisko and Eric Noden
Joe Filisko and Eric Noden present the early blues and roots styles of 1920s and 1930s performers Sonny Terry, Daddy Stovepipe, Fred McDowell, and Gwen Foster. They also draw on the spirit of American music to influence their own original tunes. The blend of Noden's unusual acoustic guitar style and Filisko's ability to make his harmonica cry, flutter, or sing takes audiences back decades while still maintaining a contemporary sound. 8 p.m. See page 6.



Wednesday, September 21

Habitat Restoration
1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Early Evening Hike
Join a ranger for a 3-mile hike on the hilly, unpaved Boston Run Trail. Happy Days Lodge (main parking lot), 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. See page 3.

September Calendar

Thursday, September 22

Habitat Restoration

1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Countryside Farmers' Market at Highland Square

4 - 7 p.m. See page 5.

Civil War Lecture Series: A History of the Underground Railroad

Free. G.A.R. Hall, 7 p.m. For more information, call 330-657-2528 or visit peninsulahistory.org.

Friday, September 23

Fall Introduction to Backpacking

Learn about backpacking or new tips for the gear you have. Required for overnight trip on October 1 - 2. To register, call 330-657-2753 ext. 352. Boston Store Visitor Center, 6:30 - 9 p.m.

Saturday, September 24

Countryside Farmers' Market at Howe Meadow

9 a.m. - noon. See page 5.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Day of Service:

National Public Lands Day

The nation's largest, single-day volunteer effort for public lands was created to encourage shared stewardship of these valued, irreplaceable places. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. See page 3.

Fall Farm Festival

Enjoy honey tasting and demonstrations

of sheep herding and shearing, wool spinning, and cooking. Fee: \$10 adults, \$5 children. The Spicy Lamb Farm, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. See page 5.

Music on the Porches

Enjoy music throughout the village and special programs sponsored by the Peninsula Foundation. Bring a chair and sit a spell. 11 a.m. - 11 p.m. For details visit explorepenninsula.com.

Lock Demonstrations

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Fall Camp-in

Cooler temperatures and fall colors make for an ideal time to camp. Learn basic camping skills, enjoy ranger programs, and spend a night under the stars. Location provided upon registration. For details and registration, call 330-657-2752 ext. 352.

The Lantern Theatre: *Jane Eyre*

7 p.m. See page 6.

Sunday, September 25

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Lock Demonstrations

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Hike Aboard!

Hike 5.4 rugged miles on the Buckeye Trail. Fee: \$3 (paid upon boarding). See page 4. Boston Store Visitor Center, 11:20 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.

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The Lantern Theatre: *Jane Eyre*

2 p.m. See page 6.

Cuyahoga Valley House Concert

7 p.m. See page 6.

Wednesday, September 28

Habitat Restoration

1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Heritage Concert: The Railsplitters

The Railsplitters offer a fresh, modern take on bluegrass. The band pushes the genre forward with an adventurous spirit, promoting its tradition while breaking boundaries with their innovative sound and wonderful vocal harmonies. They write hip, lyrical, and catchy music for the open road and the open dance floor. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. for concert-only option. See page 6.

Extend your evening with an optional

Dinner in the Valley. Fee: \$65, \$57 members, \$23 children ages 5 - 12 includes dinner, specialty beverage, dessert, and concert ticket. (Dinner only: \$48/\$45/\$20.) Dinner will be served at 6 p.m. Reservations taken through September 23. See page 5.

Thursday, September 29

Habitat Restoration

1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Countryside Farmers' Market at Highland Square

4 - 7 p.m. See page 5.



October Calendar



Rangers at the Market
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Saturday, October 1

Countryside Farmers' Market at Howe Meadow
9 a.m. - noon. See page 5.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga
9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Fall Introduction to Backpacking
Overnight trip. See September 23.

Harvest Festival
Celebrate the fall bounty amid the sights, smells, and tastes of the Cuyahoga Valley. Enjoy demonstrations of early American food, craft, and trade. Fee: \$10 adults, \$5 children ages 3 - 12. Hale Farm & Village, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Lock Demonstrations
11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Sunday, October 2

Hiking the Hills
7 miles on the Buckeye Trail. Station Road Bridge Trailhead, 9 a.m. - noon. See page 3.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga
9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Harvest Festival
10 a.m. - 5 p.m. See October 1.

Lock Demonstrations
11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Tuesday, October 4

Fall Running Series
Join the Conservancy and Western Reserve Racing for a 3 - 6 mile run with a surprise twist. Pine Hollow Trailhead, 6 p.m. For details call 330-657-2909 or visit forcvnp.org.

Wednesday, October 5

Habitat Restoration
1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Thursday, October 6

Habitat Restoration
1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Friday, October 7

Family Weekend
Explore your national park with your family! Join us for a three-day weekend retreat of hiking and learning. Fee: \$55 per adult ages 18 and up, \$35 per youth (includes programming, meals, snacks, and lodging). Pre-registration required. Cuyahoga Valley Environmental Education Center, Friday 6 p.m. to Saturday 7 p.m. For more information and to register, call 330-657-2796 ext. 100 or visit forcvnp.org/education.

Saturday, October 8

Hike Aboard: Hike. Eat. Ride.
Hike 7.5 miles from Peninsula to Howe Meadow, just in time for the Countryside Farmers' Market. After eating, catch the train back. Fee: \$3 (paid upon boarding). Peninsula Depot, 7 a.m. - 1 p.m. See page 4.

Bird Watching: On the Wing
Search for migrating birds at Beaver Marsh. This 2-mile walk on the firm, flat Towpath Trail is wheelchair accessible. Ira Trailhead. 8 - 10 a.m.



Countryside Farmers' Market at Howe Meadow
9 a.m. - noon. See page 5.

Rangers at the Market
9 a.m. - noon. See September 17.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga
9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Harvest Festival
10 a.m. - 5 p.m. See October 1.

Lock Demonstrations
11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Junior Ranger, Jr.: Marvelous Moon
Fall is a great time to get out and observe the largest "night light" glowing in our evening sky. Explore the moon through activities, stories and a hike to experience the national park at night. Ages 4 - 6. 6 - 8 p.m. See page 3.

Wingenstock Concert: Up 'Til 4
7 p.m. See page 6.

"Ales on Rails" Beer-Tasting Train: Oktoberfest
Rocksides Station, 7 - 9 p.m. See page 5.

Sunday, October 9

Towpath Marathon
Run or watch this unique specialty race through the national park. Full marathon, half marathon, and 10K options. Fee for runners. 8 a.m. Finishes at Boston Store Visitor Center. For more information contact Kathy Cole at 216-520-1825 or kcole@canalwaypartners.com, or visit towpathtrilogy.com.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga
9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Harvest Festival
10 a.m. - 5 p.m. See October 1.

Lock Demonstrations
11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Tuesday, October 11

Fall Running Series
Howe Meadow, 6 p.m. See October 4.

October Calendar

Wednesday, October 12

Habitat Restoration

1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Early Evening Hike

Explore towering rock formations. Join a ranger for a 2.2-mile hike on the unpaved, hilly Ledges Trail. Ledges Shelter, 7 - 8:30 p.m. See page 3.

Heritage Concert:

Frank Vignola and Vinny Raniolo

The stunning virtuosity and musical talent of Frank Vignola has made him the guitarist of choice for many top musicians, including Ringo Starr, Madonna, Wynton Marsalis, and guitar legend Les Paul, who named Vignola to his "Five Most Admired Guitarists" list. Together with Vinny Raniolo, he plays a show that goes beyond high energy. 8 p.m. See page 6.

Thursday, October 13

Habitat Restoration

1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Saturday, October 15

Cuyahoga Valley Sheep Dog Herding Trails

The Spicy Lamb Farm hosts Open, Ranch, and Pro-Novice trail classes this weekend. Spectator fee: \$10 adults, \$5 children. Lunch is an additional fee (registration required). Bring your own lawn chair and dress for the farm. Begins at 8:30 a.m. See page 5.

Countryside Farmers' Market at Howe Meadow featuring Crafty Mart

9 a.m. - noon. See page 5.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

National Fossil Day

Join a fossil-hunting expedition for young and old, exploring the rocks of Furnace Run. Wear shoes that can get wet. Everett Covered Bridge, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Lock Demonstrations

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Fossils Drop-in

Drop by to learn about Ohio Fossils. Hunt House, 1 - 3 p.m.

Ghost Walk

Like precious heirlooms passed down from one generation to the next, stories spark our imagination, often painting pictures of bygone days. On this 1-mile lantern hike, our costumed characters bring Ohio's past to life with tales of love and despair, joy and grief, and kindness and horror. Hikes depart every 30 minutes. Kendall Lake Shelter, 6 - 8 p.m.

"Grape Escape" Wine-Tasting Train: Fall Wines

Rockside Station, 7 - 9 p.m. See page 5.

Sunday, October 16

Cuyahoga Valley Sheep Dog Herding Trails

8:30 a.m. See October 15.

Hiking the Hills

6 miles on the Buckeye and Deer Run trails. Ira Trailhead, 9 a.m. - noon. See page 3.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Lock Demonstrations

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Full Moon Hike

1.5-mile moonlit hike on the flat, unpaved Oak Hill Trail. Oak Hill Trailhead, 7 - 9 p.m. See page 3.

Cuyahoga Valley House Concert

7 p.m. See page 6.

Tuesday, October 18

Countryside Local Food Swap

7 p.m. See page 5.

Fall Running Series

Oak Hill Trailhead, 6 p.m. See October 4.

Wednesday, October 19

Habitat Restoration

1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Dinner in the Valley:

Dinner of the Western Reserve

Chef Larkin Rogers creates a meal using her extensive knowledge of the foods of this era. This dinner is presented in partnership with Hale Farm & Village, a property of the Western Reserve Historical Society. Fee: \$50 adults, \$48 Conservancy and WRHS members, \$20 children ages 5 - 12. Reservations taken through October 14. See page 5.

Thursday, October 20

Habitat Restoration

1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Photo Society: Tim Cooper; Mastering Landscape Photography

Join Tim Cooper as he guides you through the most important considerations for creating meaningful landscape images. 7 - 9 p.m. See page 6.

In addition, a four-day workshop begins.

Landscape and Lightroom: Capture and Process with Tim Cooper

features classroom and field sessions. Fee: \$460, \$395 CVPS members. For details visit cvps.org. To register call 330-657-2909 or visit forcvnp.org.

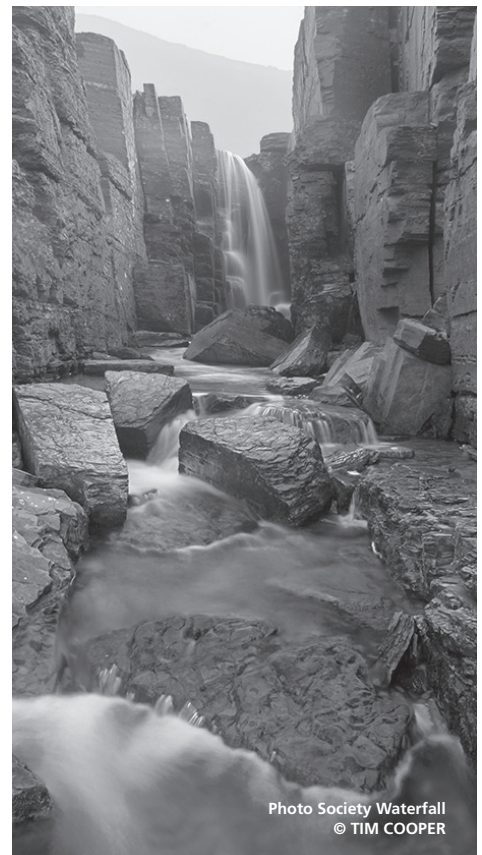


Photo Society Waterfall
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October Calendar

Friday, October 21

The Lantern Tours 2016

Tour the 1905 Wisconsin-style dairy barn and enjoy music, cider, hot cocoa, and a bonfire. 7 p.m. See page 6.

Saturday, October 22

Countryside Farmers' Market at Howe Meadow

9 a.m. - noon. See page 5.



Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Cuyahoga Valley Institute: Writing Wild

A one-day conference designed to hone the skills of people interested in producing literary writing about the environment and the natural world. The event includes two workshops/craft talks, followed by lunch and outdoor activities. Cosponsored by Literary Cleveland and the Conservancy for Cuyahoga Valley National Park. Fee: \$45. Cuyahoga Valley Environmental Education Center. 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. See page 3.

Optional **small workshop sessions** in which individual manuscripts will receive focused attention and critique. Fee: \$65. 2 - 3:30 p.m.

Day of Service: Make a Difference Day

For over 20 years, millions of volunteers throughout the United States have come together for a day of giving back. Be part of one of the largest national days of community service. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. See page 3.

Lock Demonstrations

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Junior Ranger: Animals After Dark

Owls, bats, and spiders! Junior Rangers take a night hike and play games based on nocturnal animals. Learn about how night dwellers survive and thrive. Ages 7 - 12. 6 - 8 p.m. See page 3.

The Lantern Tours 2016

7 p.m. See October 21.

"Ales on Rails" Beer-Tasting Train: Hard Cider

Akron Northside Station, 7 - 9 p.m. See page 5.

Sunday, October 23

Off the Beaten Path: Terra Vista

Carpool to this 2-mile hike at hilly Terra Vista. Canal Exploration Center, 9 - 11 a.m. See page 3.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Lock Demonstrations

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

Monday, October 24

Fall Running Series

Kendall Lake Shelter, 6 p.m. See October 4.

Wednesday, October 26

Habitat Restoration

1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Fall Running Series

Ledges Trailhead, 6 p.m. See October 4.

Early Evening Hike

Hike 1.5 miles on the flat, unpaved Oak Hill Trail. Oak Hill Trailhead, 6 - 7:30 p.m. See page 3.

Thursday, October 27

Habitat Restoration

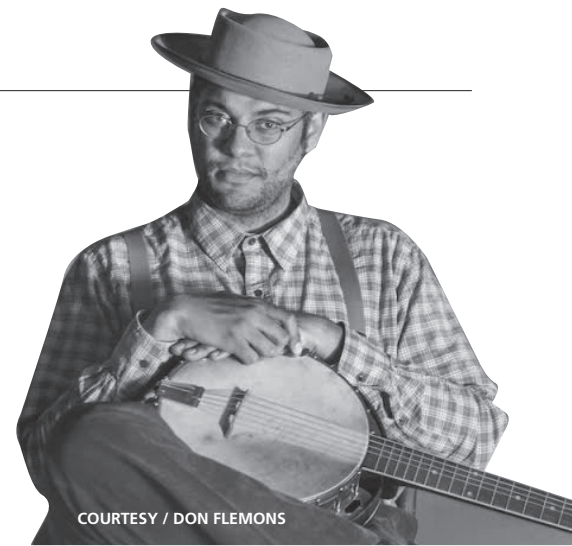
1 - 4 p.m. See page 3.

Civil War Lecture Series: The Battle of Chickamauga

7 p.m. See September 22.

Heritage Concert: Dom Flemons

The "American Songster" uses showmanship and humor to present old-timey folk music with innovation



and flair. A former member of the Carolina Chocolate Drops, Flemons sings and plays banjo, guitar, harmonica, fife, bones, bass drum, snare drum, and quills. 8 p.m. See page 6.

Friday, October 28

The Lantern Theatre:

A Cold, Creepy Reading of *The Legend of Sleepy Hollow*

7 p.m., See page 6.

Saturday, October 29

Countryside Farmers' Market at Howe Meadow

9 a.m. - noon. See page 5.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Volunteer Orientation

10 a.m. - noon. See page 3.

Lock Demonstrations

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.

The Lantern Theatre:

A Cold, Creepy Reading of *The Legend of Sleepy Hollow*

7 p.m., See page 6.

Sunday, October 30

Hiking the Hills

7 miles on the Wetmore Trail. Wetmore Trailhead, 9 a.m. - noon. See page 3.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Lock Demonstrations

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. See page 2.



Wednesday, November 2

Solo at Sarah's Vineyard
7 - 10 p.m. See page 6.

Friday, November 4

Experience the Underground Railroad

Place yourself in the role of a runaway slave on this experiential program that explores the triumphs and dangerous realities of the Underground Railroad. Along a 2-mile lantern hike, you'll encounter characters that bring the past to life. Aboard the train, you'll discover your fate. For ages 14 and over. Fee: \$15. Howe Meadow, 7, 7:30, 8, and 8:30 p.m. To register call 800-468-4070 or visit cvsr.com.

National Parks: Sights and Sounds

Cuyahoga Valley National Park continues its Centennial observance through an exciting partnership with Akron Symphony Orchestra. The concert is a celebration of the 100th anniversary of the National Park Service. It features panoramic images from dozens of US national parks and a special photographic tribute to the history, heritage and beauty of the Cuyahoga Valley National Park. E.J. Thomas Hall, 7:30 p.m. Visit akronsymphony.org for ticket information.



Saturday, November 5

Enchanting Rarities

Join a 1.5-mile search for unusual late fall thicket birds along the flat, unpaved Buckeye Trail near Jaitte. NPS Park Headquarters, 9 - 11 a.m.

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga

9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Pumpkin Chunkin'

Bring a pumpkin to throw to the flock as a treat. Admission is one pumpkin per person. The Spicy Lamb Farm, 2 - 4 p.m.

"Ales on Rails" Beer-Tasting Train: Holiday Brews

Rockside Station, 2 - 4 p.m. See page 5.

Junior Ranger, Jr.: Creatures of the Night

Explore some of the park's nocturnal animals through hands-on activities, and then hike to find where they may be hiding. Ages 4 - 6. 5 - 7 p.m. See page 3.

Experience the Underground Railroad

Howe Meadow. 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, and 8 p.m. See November 4.

Sunday, November 6

Breakfast and Lunch Along the Cuyahoga
9 a.m. and 12:55 p.m. See page 5.

Hike Aboard!

Hike 4 miles on the challenging Valley Trail. Fee: \$3 (paid upon boarding). Boston Store Visitor Center, 9:20 - 11:40 a.m. See page 4.

"Grape Escape" Wine-Tasting Train: Winter Wines

Rockside Station, 2 - 4 p.m. See page 5.

Monday, November 7

Dinner in the Valley: Sweet and Savory Pies

Learn to make delicious and successful pies using seasonal ingredients. Chef Larkin Rogers provides a demonstration to start the evening. Fee: \$48, \$45 members, \$20 children ages 5 - 12. Cuyahoga Valley Environmental Education Center. Reservations taken through November 2. See page 5.

Wednesday, November 9

Solo at Sarah's Vineyard
7 - 10 p.m. See page 6.

Heritage Concert:

Molsky's Mountain Drifters

Molsky's Mountain Drifters embrace an incredible power of history and tradition. An old-time band that seeks creative new possibilities, the Mountain Drifters feature some of the most highly respected players in the world. Grammy-nominated fiddler Bruce Molsky has performed and recorded with such luminaries as Mark Knopfler, Joan Osborne, Julie Fowlis, and Scottish legend Aly Bain. 8 p.m. See page 6.

November Calendar

Friday, November 11

Veterans Day Train

See page 4.

Girl Scout Cadette Weekend

Join other Cadettes in exploration and fun activities! Complete the Animal Helpers, Woodworker, and Field Day badges. Fee: \$95 per scout, \$50 per chaperone (includes programming, meals, snacks, and lodging). Pre-registration required. Cuyahoga Valley Environmental Education Center, Friday 5:30 p.m. to Sunday 1 p.m. For more information and to register, call 330-657-2796 ext. 100 or visit forcvnp.org/education.

Saturday, November 12

Countryside Farmers' Market at Old Trail School

9 a.m. - noon. See page 5

Junior Ranger, Jr.: Creatures of the Night

Explore some of the park's nocturnal animals through hands-on activities and then hike to find where they may be hiding. Ages 4 - 6. 5 - 7 p.m. See page 3.

A Fugitive's Path to Escape on the Underground Railroad

Hale Farm & Village, staggered tours, 5:40 - 10 p.m. For details call 330-666-3711 or visit halefarm.org.

Monday, November 14

Full Moon Hike

2.25-mile round-trip walk to the Beaver Marsh along the Towpath Trail. Hunt House, 7 - 9 p.m. See page 3.

Tuesday, November 15

Countryside Local Food Swap

7 p.m. See page 5.

Wednesday, November 16

Solo at Sarah's Vineyard

7 - 10 p.m. See page 6.

Thursday, November 17

Photo Society: Annual Photo Contest Awards

Join CVPS members for an enjoyable evening reviewing all the entries for the 2016 annual photo contest. Judging results will be announced, including the



Tim Thomas "Best of Show" award. All contest entries will be exhibited on cvps.org. 7 - 9 p.m. See page 6.

Friday, November 18

Heritage Concert: The Revelers

The Revelers' brand of Louisiana music is a masterful mix of Cajun, zydeco, and '50s inflected rock. The show features all new compositions that capture the spirit and drive of their stylistic origins. This top-flight group of musicians is ready, willing, and able to rock the house with their infectious grooves and upbeat atmosphere. 8 p.m. See page 6.

Extend your evening with an optional **Dinner in the Valley**. Fee: \$65, \$57 members, \$23 children ages 5 - 12 includes dinner, specialty beverage, dessert, and concert ticket. (Dinner only: \$48/\$45/\$20.) Dinner will be served at 6 p.m. Reservations taken through November 11. See page 5.

Saturday, November 19

Off the Beaten Path: Unexpected Views

Hike on- and off-trail to unexpected views provided by roads and reclamation on this moderate 2-mile hike. Boston Store Visitor Center, 9 - 10:30 a.m.. See page 3.

Countryside Farmers' Market at Old Trail School

9 a.m. - noon. See page 5.

Thanksgiving Dinner with Abraham Lincoln

Enjoy a classic Thanksgiving feast with President Lincoln. Hale Farm & Village, 3:30 - 6 p.m. For registration and pricing, call 330-666-3711 or visit halefarm.org.

Sunday, November 20

Hiking the Hills

7 miles on the Buckeye and Valley trails. Pine Lane Trailhead, 9 a.m. - noon. See page 3.

Cuyahoga Valley House Concert

7 p.m. See page 6.

Wednesday, November 23

Solo at Sarah's Vineyard

7 - 10 p.m. See page 6.

Friday, November 25

Black Friday Hike

Avoid the crowds and congestion and come where the best deal is. Join a ranger for 7.5 miles on the hilly Buckeye and Valley trails. NPS Park Headquarters, 8:30 a.m. - noon.

Sunday, November 27

Hiking the Hills

7 miles on Perkins, Riding Run, and Furnace Run Connector trails. Everett Covered Bridge, 9 a.m. - noon. See page 3.

Wednesday, November 30

Solo at Sarah's Vineyard

7 - 10 p.m. See page 6.



Program Locations



Akron Northside Station - 27 Ridge Street, off Howard Street, Akron 44304

Big Bend Station / Sand Run Metro Park - 1337 Merriman Road, Akron 44313

Big Red Barn - see Canal Corners Farm & Market

Boston Mill Station - intersection of Boston Mills and Riverview roads, Peninsula 44264

Boston Store Visitor Center - 1550 Boston Mills Road, east of Riverview Road, Peninsula 44264

Botzum Trailhead / Station - 2928 Riverview Road, south of Bath Road, Akron 44313

Brandywine Falls Trailhead - 8176 Brandywine Road, south of Highland Road, north of Twinsburg Road, Sagamore Hills 44067

Brecksville Station - at Station Road Bridge Trailhead, Brecksville 44141

Canal Corners Farm & Market - 7243 Canal Road, at intersection with Tinkers Creek Road, Valley View 44125

Canal Exploration Center / Station - 7104 Canal Road, at the Hillside Road intersection, Valley View 44125

Cuyahoga Valley Environmental Education Center - 3675 Oak Hill Road, south of Major Road, Peninsula 44264

E.J. Thomas Hall - 198 Hill Street, Akron 44325

Everett Covered Bridge - 2370 Everett Road, 1/2 mile west of Riverview Road, Peninsula 44264

G.A.R. Hall - 1785 Main Street (SR 303), at the Riverview Road intersection, Peninsula 44264

Greenfield Berry Farm - 2485 Major Road, at Oak Hill Road intersection, Peninsula 44264

Hale Farm & Village - 2686 Oak Hill Road, north of Ira Road, Bath 44210

Happy Days Lodge - 500 West Streetsboro Road (SR 303), 1 mile west of SR 8, Peninsula 44264

Highland Square Market - Conger Avenue and West Market Street, Akron 44303

Hines Hill Conference Center - 1403 West Hines Hill Road, Peninsula 44264

Horseshoe Pond - 2075 Major Road, 1 mile west of Riverview Road, Peninsula 44264

Howe Meadow - 4040 Riverview Road, 4 miles south of SR 303, Peninsula 44264

Hunt House - 2045 Bolanz Road, between Riverview and Akron Peninsula roads, Peninsula 44264

Indigo Lake Trailhead / Station - 4300 Riverview Road, south of Bolanz Road, Peninsula 44264

Ira Trailhead - 3801 Riverview Road, north of Ira Road, Peninsula 44264

Kendall Lake Shelter - 1000 Truxell Road, 2 miles west of Akron Cleveland Road, Peninsula 44264

Ledges Shelter / Trailhead - 405 Truxell Road, 1 mile west of Akron Cleveland Road, Peninsula 44264

M.D. Garage - adjacent to Boston Store Visitor Center

NPS Park Headquarters - 15610 Vaughn Road, at the Riverview Road intersection, Brecksville 44141

Oak Hill Trailhead - 3901 Oak Hill Road, 1.3 miles south of Major Road, Peninsula 44264

Octagon Shelter - 499 Truxell Road, 1.5 miles west of Akron Cleveland Road, Peninsula 44264

Old Trail School - 2315 Ira Road, Bath 44210

Peninsula Depot - 1630 Mill Street, off Akron Peninsula Road, north of SR 303, Peninsula 44264

Pine Hollow Trailhead - 5465 Quick Road, 1 mile east of Akron Peninsula Road and SR 8, Peninsula 44264

Pine Lane Trailhead - 1281 Pine Lane, off SR 303 between Akron Peninsula Road and SR 8, Peninsula 44264

Red Lock Trailhead - 1175 Highland Road, across from the Brandywine Ski Resort, Sagamore Hills 44067

Rockside Station - 7900 Old Rockside Road, off Canal Road, one block north of Rockside Road, Independence 44131

Sarah's Vineyard - 1204 West Steels Corners Road, across from Blossom Music Center, Cuyahoga Falls 44223

The Spicy Lamb Farm - 6560 Akron Peninsula Road, accessible only from Boston Mills Road, Peninsula 44264

Station Road Bridge Trailhead - intersection of Riverview Road and Chippewa Creek Drive, 1/8 mile south of SR 82, Brecksville 44141

Stanford House / Trailhead - 6093 Stanford Road, off Boston Mills Road, Peninsula 44264

Trail Mix Boston - 1565 Boston Mills Road, across from the visitor center, Peninsula 44264

Trail Mix Peninsula - 1600 West Mill Street, adjacent to Peninsula Depot, Peninsula 44264

Urban Eats Café - 51 East Market Street, Akron 44308

Wetmore Trailhead - 4653 Wetmore Road, 2 miles east of Akron Peninsula Road, Peninsula 44264

Most park facilities and the Towpath Trail are wheelchair accessible. For specific information on program accessibility, call 330-657-2752 or see page 2.

About Us

Cuyahoga Valley National Park (CVNP) encompasses 33,000 acres along the Cuyahoga River between Cleveland and Akron, Ohio. Managed by the National Park Service, it combines cultural, historical, recreational, and natural activities in one setting.

CVNP is part of the **Ohio & Erie Canalway**, a National Heritage Area. Congress designated the Canalway to help preserve and celebrate the rails, trails, landscapes, towns, and sites that grew up along the first 110 miles of the canal that helped Ohio and our nation grow. For more information and a listing of partner events, visit ohioanderiecanalway.com.

We have three primary non-profit partners.

Conservancy for Cuyahoga Valley National Park introduces children to nature, offers music and art in the valley, supports volunteers, and fundraises for park projects and trail upkeep. Learn more at conservancyforcvnp.org.

Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad has been providing excursion rail service through the valley for over 40 years. For details visit cvsr.com.

Countryside manages thriving farmers' markets, offers educational experiences, and has reestablished working family farms in CVNP through the Countryside Initiative program. To learn more visit cvcountryside.org.



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Receive the Schedule of Events

The free *Schedule of Events* is published quarterly by the National Park Service. It is available online at nps.gov/cuva and at Boston Store Visitor Center. Become a member of the Conservancy for Cuyahoga Valley National Park, the park's friends group, to receive the *Schedule of Events* by mail. To join, visit conservancyforcvnp.org and click Help Your Park.

For a large-type version of this schedule, contact 440-546-5991 or cuva_info@nps.gov.

