

**EVENTS** 

March 2019

## Saturday, March 2nd

#### **Guided Nature Hike:**

10:00am at Pineywoods Boardwalk Trailhead

Join Rangers for a guided hike on the Pineywoods Nature Trail Boardwalk. The hike will take about one hour, is low intensity, and is 1 mile long. Stroller and wheelchair accessible. Bring a water bottle and bug spray.

#### <u>Life of a Honey Bee:</u>

1:00pm in the Park Store Interpretive Center

Come to the park store to watch live bees working inside our glass observation hive and learn about the life cycle, care, and importance of Honey Bees and native pollinators.

### Saturday, March 9th

#### Fire is Living History:

9:00am at Sunset Marina, the Park Store

Learn about primitive fire starting methods such as the bow-drill and flint and steel. Rangers will cover fire safety, fire as a survival tool, and demonstrate various primitive methods.

#### Nature Craft-ivities:

1:00pm in the Park Store Nature Center

Join us for a fun and educational program to learn about nature and then create a craft to take home! Starts promptly at 1:00pm so arrive early.

#### SPRING BREAK!

#### Tuesday - Friday; March 12th-15th

Please see the flyer next to this one for details on activities during Spring Break.



### ASTRONOMY DAY: Saturday, March 16th

#### Phases of the Moon:

3:00pm outside Sunset Marina, the park store

Learn about the phases of the moon in this brief, interactive program which will be held inside the classroom at the park store. Program usually lasts about 15 minutes.

# <u>Create your own Planisphere</u>

**3:45pm** outside Sunset Marina, the park store

Create your own map of the night sky that will show you the constellations visible on any day and time. This program takes about 20 minutes and will be held inside the classroom at the park store.

# The Birth, Life, and Death of a Star:

4:30pm outside Sunset Marina, the park store

Learn about how a star is born, how it lives, and what happens when stars die in this interactive activity. We will also take a look at the sun through a special telescope. Meet at the park store.

#### Star Stories:

8:00pm on the peninsula near activity center

Take a tour of the night sky to learn about the stars. Rangers will show you some of the most popular constellations and share the mythology behind them. There may be an opportunity to view any visible planets or nebulae through a telescope. Bring a blanket or chair.

#### Saturday, March 23rd

#### Mindfulness Hike:

10:00am at Pineywoods Boardwalk Trailhead

Join Rangers for a guided mindfulness and meditation hike on the Pineywoods Nature Trail Boardwalk. The hike will take a little over one hour, is low intensity, and is 1 mile long. This hike will focus on meditation and experiencing the moment and is designed for adults.

<sup>\*</sup>Free reservations required for Archery, Kayaking and Stand-up-Paddleboard classes. To make your reservation please contact the park store at 936.365.2201 x2060. No reservations required for other activities. For details or changes visit our official event calendar at: www.tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston or www.facebook.com/LakeLivingstonSP. Regular park admission fees of \$5 per adult (ages 13 and up) apply; no additional charge for most activities.



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#### **SPRING BREAK!**



#### Tuesday, March 12

#### Archery in the Park:

9:00 - 10:30am; 1:30 - 4:00pm at the Archery Range

Learn the basics of Olympic/NASP style archery from Rangers in a safe environment! There will be two beginner archery sessions, one at 9:00am and one at 1:30pm. You may only register for one session. \*requires a free reservation, limited to ages 10-17, see bottom of flyer for details.



# Wednesday, March 13

#### Fishing with a Ranger:

8:30 - 10:00am on the fishing pier

Join Park Rangers for a morning of fishing. Rod and Reels, advice on casting and fishing techniques, and limited amounts of bait will be provided. Children are welcome.

#### **Backyard Bass:**

**2:00pm** outside Sunset Marina, the park store

Learn how to use a spincast reel in this interactive fishing game for kids of all ages. Use lures without hooks to "catch" and identify plastic fish. Meet outside the park store by the pier.



# Thursday, March 14



\*Please note all three activities this day require a reservation. See bottom of flyer for details.

Stand up Paddle boarding 101

9:00 - 10:30am at the Rental Launch

Learn all about paddle boarding through an informative class and hands-on experience on the lake in this interactive program. The paddle board requires a one hour rental from the Park Store, for \$10. \*requires a free reservation

# Kayak with a Ranger

Noon- 1:30pm at the Shelter Boat Ramp

Learn all about kayaking and take a guided tour of one of the park's coves. Single and double kayaks available, children welcome (must have one adult per child). \*requires a free reservation

# Kayak with a Ranger

2:30 – 4:00pm at the Shelter Boat Ramp

Learn all about kayaking and take a guided tour of one of the park's coves. Single and double kayaks available, children welcome (must have one adult per child). \*requires a free reservation



## Friday, March 15

# Medicinal and Edible Plants Hike/Workshop:

1:00pm at Pineywoods Boardwalk Trailhead

Join Rangers for a guided hike featuring edible and medicinal plants on the Pineywoods Nature Trail Boardwalk. The hike will take about an hour and a half, is low intensity, and is 1 mile long. Stroller and wheelchair accessible. Bring a water bottle and bug spray. Appropriate for kids 12+.

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