

# March Events at a Glance



Fernald  
Preserve

## Woodcock Walk Friday, March 6, 6–8 p.m.

“Peent, peent, peent,” goes the American Woodcock. Join us on a 2-mile hike to watch these amazing birds perform their beautiful sky dance. (Preregistration required.)

## Salamander Meander Thursdays, March 5 and 12, 7:30–9:30 p.m.

Mole salamanders are on the move to the vernal pools this time of year. Come out to learn about these secretive critters and see their habitat on a short 1-mile hike. This hike covers unpaved and uneven trails, so sturdy footwear is a must. (Preregistration required.)

## Cincinnati Astronomical Society: Spring Skies Friday, March 13, 7:30–10:30 p.m.

Join the Cincinnati Astronomical Society for a trip around the spring skies. Afterwards, if the skies are clear, enjoy some time outside with telescopes.

## Flying Squirrel Sit Fridays, March 20 and 27, 8–10 p.m.

The southern flying squirrel is a secretive species you might not see if you aren’t intentionally looking. Join us for a short presentation followed by a 1-mile hike to sit and wait for these amazing critters. This hike covers unpaved and sometimes uneven trails, so sturdy footwear is a must. (Preregistration required.)

## Monthly Bird Walk: Lodge Pond Saturday, March 28, 8–11 a.m.

Join us on a 2-mile hike around Lodge Pond to see what birds we can find. This hike covers uneven unpaved trails, so sturdy footwear is a must. This hike meets at Lodge Pond.

## Self Guided Tour: Rare Birds March 1–31, Weapons to Wetlands Trail

Either as a destination or layover, the Fernald Preserve has played host to over 250 species of birds, making it an attractive birding location. Some birds may seem a little out of place! Walk along our Weapons to Wetlands Trail (¼-mile paved trail) to learn about the site’s odd visitors and what makes their appearance on-site so special.

# VISIT Fernald Preserve

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[www.energy.gov/lm/fernalld-preserve-visitors-center](http://www.energy.gov/lm/fernalld-preserve-visitors-center)

All programs begin in the visitors center, unless stated otherwise. To preregister, please email [fernalld@lm.doe.gov](mailto:fernalld@lm.doe.gov) or call (513) 648-3330 and leave your name, contact number, and the date of your request.

In the event of inclement weather, please call our weather line at: (513) 738-2101.

