

Nature and History Programs February 2017



Jefferson County
Open Space
enriching life

Hiwan Museum Volunteer Open House

Wednesday, February 1 10am–2pm
Hiwan Heritage Museum Adults Only

Do you like to share your love of history with others? Stop by the Hiwan Museum to learn about opportunities including museum receptionist, tour guide, and school program history educator positions.

Winter Junior Rangers

Saturday, February 4 11:30am–2pm
Pine Valley Ranch Ages 6–10 w/ Adult

We'll begin with hot dogs and cocoa around the fire and then we'll head out for a wintry adventure. Bundle up and join us for a fun afternoon learning about winter ecology, ice fishing, and safety demos by park rangers.

Preschool Nature Nuts:

High Flying Hawks

Wednesday, February 8 OR Thursday, February 9
10:15–11am OR 11:15am–12pm

Lookout Mountain Nature Center Ages 3–5 with Adult

Look up in the sky...it's a hawk! But what kind? Which ones soar effortlessly through the air and which ones must constantly flap their wings? Come learn about those hawks high above Jefferson County.

The Monthly Naturalist

Friday, February 10 8:30–11:30am
Lair o' the Bear Adults Only

Join our monthly hike with a naturalist to learn about the unique habitats, birds, and other roaming critters special to Jefferson County Open Space.

Jeffco Open Space Nature Journal Club: Intro to Watercolor

Saturday, February 11 10am–2pm
Lookout Mountain Nature Center All Ages

Watercolors are easy to hike and travel with which makes them a great tool for adding color to your journal pages. Explore the basics of this medium including materials, techniques and color mixing. The first half of the class will be spent exploring watercolors indoors. For the second part, we will head outdoors to practice using watercolors in our nature journals.

Jeffco Land Stewardship Series:

Coyote County

Wednesday, February 15 6–7pm
Jefferson County Open Space All Ages
700 Jefferson County Parkway

Whether you are concerned or curious about coyotes, you'll want to attend this talk highlighting recent findings on coyote biology, ecology, and behavior as it impacts Jefferson County residents.



Coyotes and Their Odd Behaviors

Sunday, February 19 9–11am
Crown Hill All Ages

What do coyotes eat during this time of year? How do you correctly haze a coyote? Hint: It's all in the how! Check our website for more programs like this in different parks.

Registration opens one month in advance of program. Visit LMNC.eventbrite.com for more information and registration.