When registering for programs at PEEC, please keep the following in mind:

- Call in advance to register for programs. Some programs have limited seating or require a minimum number of participants.
  - Programs with limited equipment or seating require pre-registration in order to guarantee a spot.
  - Please arrive 10 – 15 minutes prior to the start time of a program.
- Ecozone days are the only time we encourage walk-ins throughout the program.
- Dress for the weather! Programs will run rain or shine, with the exception of heavy rain/thunderstorms.

Cancellation Policy for Public Programs:

- Cancellations received 14+ days prior to event date: Payments or deposits will be refunded.
- Cancellations received with less than 14 days’ notice: Payment or deposit will be forfeited.

Overnight Workshops & Programs:

- $100 nonrefundable deposit required per cabin upon registration
Cross Country Skiing  Bridge the Gap: Free Admission  Saturday, January 18th 9am-12pm
Enjoy the winter woods with beginner ski lessons. Learn the basics of cross country skiing and practice on our campus. **Skis, poles & boots provided - register w/shoe size to guarantee a spot.** Wacky Science Adventures will be an alternative program in the event of no snow only on January 18th date. *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

**Intro to Snowshoeing**  Bridge the Gap: Free Admission  Sunday, January 19th 10am-12pm
$10 adult/ $5 child  Learn the basics of snowshoeing and enjoy a winter walk through the woods. No experience necessary – we provide the equipment and teach you everything you need to know. **Register early to reserve a pair of snowshoes & guarantee a spot.** Winter Ecology Hike will be an alternative program in the event of no snow only on January 19th date. *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

**Eagle Watch**  Sunday, January 19th 9am-3pm
$20  Join us on a trip north in search of eagles and other rare wintering birds. Visit the Mongaup Reservoir, the Delaware River, & the Delaware Highlands Conservancy to look for winter residents and nesting pairs. Bring a lunch, camera & warm clothes.
**Call to reserve a seat in the van – Maximum of 18 spaces.**

**PEEC into the Kitchen**  Saturday, January 25th 1pm-3pm
$10  PEEC in the Kitchen is a new cooking class series that will offer participants a peek into the PEEC Dining Hall’s Kitchen for a fun and creative cooking experience with Chef Erin Taylor. Participants will learn basic kitchen skills, tips and tricks of the trade, and make easy, delicious, family friendly meals to satisfy the gourmet culinarian, pickiest eaters, or even strictest dietary concerns. Each class will include an informational hands-on cooking demonstration, recipes for participants to take with them, and a family style meal of the items prepared in class.

**Wacky Science Adventures**  Sunday, January 26th 1pm-3pm
$5  Put on your lab coats and prepare to conduct some crazy experiments! We’ll get to create your very own slime, oobleck, and attempt to launch a rocket into space. **All ages welcome.**

TO REGISTER FOR A PROGRAM:
Call PEEC at 570.828.2319
- or -
Email at peec@peec.org

“**There’s nothing wrong with having a tree as your friend.”**
- Bob Ross

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DIY Birdfeeders
$5
Spend the morning putting together your own unique and custom bird feeder from a variety of recycled materials just in time for spring. We’ll provide everything you need, but you are welcome to bring your own supplies. Great craft for children!

Attention All Artisans!
PEEC is looking for crafters, photographers, artists, and local businesses interested in selling their wares at our festivals. Our Earth Day & Harvest Festivals are an opportunity to show off your skills and sell your products at a large event.

Save the date!
Saturday February 22nd
Vegan Board Game Dinner

Come for a program and stay for the night! Call for availability and cabin rental details.
President’s Day Family Camp Weekend
President’s Day Weekend: February 14th - 17th
Adults $225 / 10% off ages 11-13 / 25% off ages 7-10 / 50% off ages 4-6 / Free ages 3 & under
Bring your friends and family to experience PEEC in the wintertime. Cross country skiing, animal tracking, nature hikes, campfire and more! Price includes three nights of lodging and meals from Friday dinner through Monday lunch. Join us for a wonderful winter weekend! Commuter and day rates available – call for details.

Ecozone Discovery Room!
February 18th – 21st
$2 per person / Free for any teacher with a school ID
Climb into a bald eagle’s nest, crawl into a bat cave, explore a beaver lodge, and dig in a fossil pit! Explore this indoor discovery room and enjoy hands-on exhibits on natural history, sustainability and the local environment. No registration required.

Vegan Board Game Dinner
Saturday, February 22nd
$25 / $15 for children 10 and under
5pm Games Start  6pm Dinner Served
PEEC is pleased to announce our 2nd annual Vegan Board Game Dinner! Play board games and unleash your competitive spirit as you enjoy a fantastic meal with all plant-based ingredients. Not a vegan? Not a problem! Start the New Year off right with healthy, fresh, scratch-made, mouthwatering deliciousness! Bring the whole family for a fun and exciting evening. Payment required at registration. Call early to reserve your seats.

Ecozone Discovery Room!
Sunday, February 23rd
$2 per person
1pm-4pm
Climb into a bald eagle’s nest, crawl into a bat cave, explore a beaver lodge, and dig in a fossil pit! Explore this indoor discovery room and enjoy hands-on exhibits on natural history, sustainability and the local environment. No registration required.

Winter Ecology Hike
Saturday, February 29th
$5
1pm-3pm
Learn how different plants and animals survive the winter. Join us on a hike and experience PEEC in the wintertime. All ages welcome.

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Have a skill set you’re looking to promote? PEEC is looking for photographers, handicrafters, and plant & animal experts to lead public programs at our facility.

What are you interested in?
PEEC has it all...
- Hiking
- Photography
- Birding
- Canoeing
- Scouts
- Family Getaways
- Fishing
- Quilting/Knitting
- Volunteering
- Community Dinners
- Family Camp Weekends
- and more!

“We need to respect the oceans and take care of them as if our lives depended on it. Because they do.”
-Sylvia Earle
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**Sugar Shack Scramble**  
$15  
Join us for a hike through the woods out to the “Two Saps” Sugar Shack and enjoy hot cocoa and pancakes with fresh maple syrup! **Sign up for a 9am or 9:30am start time. Spaces are limited!**

**Ecozone Discovery Room!**  
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**Salamanders, Frogs, and More!**  
$5  
Amphibians are stirring in the woods! Join us as we explore nearby breeding pools for salamanders, frogs, and egg masses. We’ll provide nets and collection jars for gentle, up-close study. **Wear boots and clothes that can get muddy or wet.**

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**“No one cares how much you know, until they know how much you care”**  
- Theodore Roosevelt

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Call today and find out how to help!
Woodcock Walk
Free
Saturday, March 21\textsuperscript{st}
6:30pm-8pm
Join us for a walk to see the mysterious woodcock and its spectacular springtime mating display. \textit{Bring a flashlight for better searching! Ages 10+ please.}

Ecozone Discovery Room!
$2 per person
Sunday, March 22\textsuperscript{nd}
1pm-4pm
Climb into a bald eagle’s nest, crawl into a bat cave, explore a beaver lodge, and dig in a fossil pit! Explore this indoor discovery room and enjoy hands-on exhibits on natural history, sustainability and the local environment. \textit{No registration required.}

BSA Scouts Badge Festival
$25 Full Day
Saturday, March 28\textsuperscript{th}
9:30am-4pm
Bears will work on completing the Bear Necessities while Webelos will work on their Castaway badge. Scouts will work towards their Backpacker merit badge. \textit{Payment is required at registration. Space is limited - call early! Overnight accommodations with meals are available for $43/person.}

Bridge the Gap: Intro to Tent Camping
Free
Sunday, March 29\textsuperscript{th}
10am-12pm
Learn everything you need to know about camping right here. From basic shelters, to common knots, and even how to build a fire from scratch. It’ll be great practice for any future family vacations. \textit{*Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*}

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Sunday, March 29\textsuperscript{th}
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Save the Date!
Saturday, April 27\textsuperscript{th}
Earth Day Festival!

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PEEC is looking for crafters, photographers, artists, and local businesses interested in selling their wares at our festivals. Our Earth Day & Harvest Festivals are an opportunity to show off your skills and sell your products at a large event.
Girl Scout Badge Festival
Saturday, April 4th
$25 Full Day
9:30am-4pm
Brownies will work on their Senses and Outdoor Art badges. Juniors will fulfill the Animal Habitat badge. Cadettes and Seniors will participate in our GS Ranger program. Overnight options are available for all age levels, ask for more information! Payment is required at registration. Space is limited - call early! Overnight accommodations with meals are available for $43/person.

Bridge the Gap: Bike the McDade
Sunday, April 5th
Free
1pm-4pm
Join us for a bike ride along the McDade Trail! We will provide all equipment and transportation. Please bring a water bottle and wear sturdy footwear. We will have extra water and snacks available. *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.* Call for details.

Bridge the Gap: Spring Peeper Search
Sunday, April 5th
Free
7:30pm-9pm
These tiny tree frogs have thawed out and are active again in our forested wetlands. Listen to the impressive choir made by these vocal amphibians as we carefully catch, study, and release them. Bring a flashlight for better searching! *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

Salamanders, Frogs, and More!
Saturday, April 18th
$5
10am-12pm
Amphibians are stirring in the woods! Join us as we explore nearby breeding pools for salamanders, frogs, and egg masses. We’ll provide nets and collection jars for gentle, up-close study. Wear boots and clothes that can get muddy or wet.

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Saturday, April 18th
$2 per person
1pm-4pm
Climb into a bald eagle’s nest, crawl into a bat cave, explore a beaver lodge, and dig in a fossil pit! Explore this indoor discovery room and enjoy hands-on exhibits on natural history, sustainability and the local environment. No registration required.

Pocono Knitting Retreat
April 23rd-26th
$280 Full Workshop- Call us for day rates
In this workshop, led by Patti Shreiner, enjoy a nice relaxing weekend with your fellow knitters. Come prepared to start some new projects guided by our leader. Includes lodging and meals!

Earth Day Festival
Saturday, April 25th
$5 per car
11am-4pm
Help us celebrate the Earth! There will be hands-on learning stations, interpretive hikes, conservation exhibits, crafts, food, music, and much more! Pre-registration is NOT required.

Come for a program and stay for the night! Call for availability and cabin rental details.

“What would our lives be like if our days and nights were as immersed in nature as they are in technology?”
-Richard Louv
Birds and Brews  
$215 / Call for commuter & day rates  
Spring migration has begun! Join us for a wonderful weekend of bird watching and beer tasting. Enjoy guided hikes that teach how to identify birds by sight, sound and habitat. Program is geared towards beginners and experts alike. Saturday night we’ll provide transportation to one of our local breweries and the 1<sup>st</sup> round is on us! **Includes two nights of lodging and meals from Friday dinner through Sunday lunch.**

Run, Hike, Crawl: PEEC 5k  
$25 Early Bird/$30/$35 Race Day  
Saturday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Registration starts at 8am / Race starts at 10am  
Take a journey through the woods of the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area. Our 5k runs through our main campus and a variety of different woodland habitats on two of our gorgeous trail loops. Top 3 participants for male and female in each age group receive awards. **Early Bird Registration by April 2<sup>nd</sup> guarantees participants a t-shirt. Call for more details – Maximum of 100 spaces!**

Ecozone Discovery Room!  
$2 per person  
Saturday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>  
1pm-4pm  
Climb into a bald eagle’s nest, crawl into a bat cave, explore a beaver lodge, and dig in a fossil pit! Explore this indoor discovery room and enjoy hands-on exhibits on natural history, sustainability and the local environment. **No registration required.**

Plant Sale!  
Free admission  
May 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>  
9am-4pm  
Choose from a variety of native and deer resistant flowers and grasses to beautify your yard at our annual plant sale! Sun loving and shade loving plants will be available. Remaining plants will be sold through the following week so stop by to check them out! **PEEC Members will be able to join us for a pre-sale on May 8<sup>th</sup> from 5 – 7pm.**

Edible & Medicinal Plant Walk  
$5  
Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup>  
10am-12pm  
Nature provides food & natural remedies for us in the form of many plants. Join us on a hike focused on wild edible & medicinal plants. **No collecting will be done in the Park.**

Memorial Day Family Camp Weekend  
Memorial Day Weekend: May 22<sup>nd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>  
Adults $225 / 10% off ages 11-13/ 25% off ages 7-10 / 50% off ages 4-6 / Free ages 3 & under  
Bring your family and friends to experience the best of what PEEC has to offer. Interpretive hikes, animal presentations, canoeing, campfire and more! **Includes three nights of lodging and meals from Friday dinner through Monday lunch.**

Bridge the Gap: Pond Paddle  
Free  
Saturday, May 30<sup>th</sup>  
10am-12pm  
Join us for a paddle around our ponds! Beginners are welcome – we teach you everything you need to know! Dress appropriately – you may get wet. **Call in advance to reserve a boat.** *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

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**REGARDING PEEC’S PUBLIC PROGRAMS:**  
Although several of the programs can accommodate walk-ins...  
It’s always better to call and register.
Edible & Medicinal Plant Walk  
Saturday, June 6th  
10am-12pm  
$5  
Nature provides food & natural remedies for us in the form of many plants. Join us on a hike focused on wild edible & medicinal plants. **No collecting will be done in the Park.**

Frog Frolic  
Saturday, June 13th  
10am-12pm  
$5  
Spend the afternoon with us at our ponds and streams! Learn about some of our frog friends as we gently catch and release these hopping amphibians. **Wear boots and plan on getting wet and muddy.**

Bridge the Gap: Pond Paddle  
Saturday, June 13th  
1pm-3pm  
Free  
Join us for a paddle around our ponds! Beginners are welcome – we teach you everything you need to know! Dress appropriately – you may get wet. **Call in advance to reserve a boat.** **Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.**

Bridge the Gap: River Paddle  
Sunday, June 14th  
9am-3pm  
$10  
Join us for a paddle down the Delaware! Bring a lunch, a water bottle, and don’t forget to dress for the weather. We will provide extra water and snacks. Choose between a canoe or kayak. **Preregistration is required and begins at 8:30am on May 14th.** **Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.**

Bug Exploration  
Saturday, June 20th  
10am-12pm  
$5  
Bugs are everywhere! Come join us as we go discover some insects on our trails and learn about what makes them so unique. Don’t worry; they’re not as scary as they look!

Geology Hike  
Saturday, June 20th  
1pm-3pm  
Free for PEEC Members / $5 for Non-PEEC members  
Take a hike on the Fossil Trail with Paul Kovalski, aka Dr. Dinosaur, as we discuss the geology of our area and what makes our park unique.

Guided Interpretive Hike  
Saturday, June 27th  
1pm-3pm  
Free for PEEC Members/ $5 for Non-PEEC Members  
Take a hike with one of our knowledgeable staff and learn a little bit more about our forests. We never know what exactly we’ll find out there, so don’t be afraid to ask plenty of questions along the way.

Bridge the Gap: Pond Paddle  
Sunday, June 28th  
10am-12pm  
Free  
Join us for a paddle around our ponds! Beginners are welcome – we teach you everything you need to know! Dress appropriately – you may get wet. **Call in advance to reserve a boat.** **Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.**

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Save the Date!  
Saturday, July 25th  
Farm to Table Dinner
July 4th Family Camp Weekend
Adults $195 / 10% off ages 11-13/ 25% off ages 7-10 / 50% off ages 4-6 / Free ages 3 & under
Bring your friends and family to experience the best of what PEEC has to offer. Nature hikes, animal presentations, swimming, canoeing, fireworks, campfire and more! Price includes two nights lodging and meals from Friday dinner through Sunday lunch.

Bridge the Gap Edible & Medicinal Plant Walk
Saturday, July 11th
Free
Nature provides food & natural remedies for us in the form of many plants. Join us on a hike focused on wild edible & medicinal plants. No collecting will be done within the Park. *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

Waterfall Tour
Sunday, July 12th
$10
The Delaware Water Gap has quite a few waterfalls within the park that all flow into the Delaware River. Join us for the morning as we check out some of the larger and well known falls in the park. Spaces are limited so call early!

Bug Exploration
Saturday, July 18th
$5
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Bridge the Gap: River Paddle
Sunday, July 19th
$10
Join us for this paddle down the Delaware! Bring a lunch, water bottle, and don’t forget to dress for the weather. We will provide extra water and snacks. Choose between a canoe or kayak. Preregistration is required and begins at 8:30am on June 19th. *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*
Bridge the Gap: Pond Paddle  
Free  
Saturday, July 25th  
1pm-3pm  
Come join us for a free paddle on our ponds! Beginners are welcome—we will teach you everything you need to know! Dress appropriately—you may get wet. Spaces are limited; call to reserve a canoe or kayak! *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

Farm to Table Dinner  
$25/person  
Saturday, July 25th  
6pm-8pm  
Welcome the coming of summer with PEEC’s 4th Farm to Table Dinner. This dinner features local produce perfect for the season! Bring your friends & family to enjoy this refreshing evening. Payment is required at registration. Sold out in 2019 - call early to reserve your seat!

Intro to Tent Camping  
$5  
Sunday, July 26th  
10am-12pm  
Learn everything you need to know about camping right here. From basic shelters, to common knots, and even how to build a fire from scratch. It’ll be great practice for any future family vacations.

Wilderness Walkabout  
Free for PEEC Members/ $5 for Non-PEEC Members  
Sunday, July 26th  
1pm-3pm  
Get out and explore PEEC! Join Paul Kovalski, aka Dr. Dinosaur, as we hike one of our trails and discuss the natural history of our park.

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Hiking  
Photography  
Birding  
Canoeing  
Scouts  
Family Getaways  
Fishing  
Quilting/Knitting  
Volunteering  
Community Dinners  
Family Camp Weekends  
and more!

“Landscape photography is the supreme test of the photographer - and often the supreme disappointment.”  
- Ansel Adams

Looking for a way to support PEEC?  
Become a Friend of PEEC and enjoy discounts on our programs. There are many levels from which to choose!  
Call for details.
Bridge the Gap: Guided Interpretive Hike
Free
Saturday, August 1st
1pm-3pm
Take a hike with one of our knowledgeable staff and learn a little bit more about our forests. We never know what exactly we’ll find out there, so don’t be afraid to ask plenty of questions along the way. *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

Bridge the Gap: Evening Pond Paddle
Free
Saturday, August 1st
6pm-8pm
Come join us for a free paddle on our ponds! Beginners are welcome—we will teach you everything you need to know! Dress appropriately—you may get wet. Spaces are limited; call to reserve a canoe or kayak! *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

Bug Exploration
$5
Sunday, August 2nd
10am-12pm
Bugs are everywhere! Come join us as we go discover some insects on our trails and learn about what makes them so unique. Don’t worry; they’re not as scary as they look!

Pocono Quilt Camp
$630 Full Workshop-Call us for day rates
Quilters of all skill levels are welcome to a week of fabric fun. In this workshop, led by Patti Shreiner, enjoy a nice relaxing weekend with your fellow knitters. Come prepared to start some new projects guided by our leader. Includes lodging and meals!

Bridge the Gap: Edible & Medicinal Plant Walk
Free
Saturday, August 8th
10am-12pm
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“Keep close to Nature’s heart... and break clear away, once in awhile, and climb a mountain or spend a week in the woods. Wash your spirit clean”.
- John Muir

Become an Ecozone Volunteer!
During training, you’ll learn about bears, beavers, fossils, bald eagles, watersheds, and more! Join our team and give back to the community as you teach in our fun, hands-on discovery room.

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Frog Frolic
Sunday, August 9th
$5
10am-12pm
Spend the afternoon with us at our ponds and streams! Learn about some of our frog friends as we gently catch and release these hopping amphibians. **Wear boots and plan on getting wet and muddy.**

Ecozone Discovery Room!
Sunday, August 9th
$2 per person
1pm-4pm
Climb into a bald eagle’s nest, crawl into a bat cave, explore a beaver lodge, and dig in a fossil pit! Explore this indoor discovery room and enjoy hands-on exhibits on natural history, sustainability and the local environment. **No registration required.**

Bridge the Gap: Fishing for Beginners
Saturday, August 15th
Free
1pm-3pm
There are plenty of fish waiting to be caught in our ponds! Spend the afternoon learning some of the basics for fishing with a rod and reel and see how many you can get. Strictly catch and release! Call ahead to reserve your spot. *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

Bridge the Gap: Pond Paddle
Sunday, August 16th
Free
10am-12pm
Join us for a paddle around our ponds! Beginners are welcome – we teach you everything you need to know! Dress appropriately – you may get wet. **Call in advance to reserve a boat.** *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

Bridge the Gap: Overnight Experience
Saturday, August 22nd - Sunday, August 23rd
$10/person
11:15am Sat. arrival at PEEC
Spend the day canoeing/kayaking on the Delaware River and then camp overnight in one of the sites along the river. Make sure to bring your own water bottle, sun screen. Meals and tent supplies will be provided by us. Registration starts on July 22nd at 8:30am. **Call in advance to reserve a boat and tent.** *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

Nature at Night
Saturday, August 29th
$5
8pm-9:30pm
A pleasant summer evening is the perfect time to head outside. Take a walk in the woods to listen for owls, look at stars, and enjoy the music of the night. Enjoy fun activities that test your night vision. **We recommend you bring a flashlight!**

Waterfall Tour
Sunday, August 30th
$10
9am-12pm
The Delaware Water Gap has quite a few waterfalls within the park that all flow into the Delaware River. Join us for the morning as we check out some of the larger and well known falls in the park. **Spaces are limited so call early!**

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**“Unless we practice conservation, those who come after us will have to pay the price of misery, degradation, and failure for the progress and prosperity of our day.”**
- Gifford Pinchot
Labor Day Family Camp Weekend  
**September 4 th – 7 th**
Adults $225 / 10% off ages 11-13/ 25% off ages 7-10 / 50% off ages 4-6 / Free ages 3 & under
Bring your friends & family to experience the best of what PEEC has to offer. Interpretive hikes, animal presentations, canoeing, campfire and more! Includes three nights lodging & meals from Friday dinner through Monday lunch.

Volunteer Day – Pike County Day of Caring  
**Saturday, September 12 th**
Free
Lend a hand and help us out with some seasonal projects. This is the perfect day to become involved with our volunteer program! Preregistration required. Lunch will be provided.

Ecozone Discovery Room!  
**Saturday, September 12 th**
$2 per person
1pm-4pm
Climb into a bald eagle’s nest, crawl into a bat cave, explore a beaver lodge, and dig in a fossil pit! Explore this indoor discovery room and enjoy hands-on exhibits on natural history, sustainability and the local environment. No registration required.

Bridge the Gap: Introduction to Orienteering  
**Sunday, September 13 th**
Free
10am-12pm
Come learn how to use a map & compass on our orienteering course. We’ll show you the basics before you set out to try and find all the points. Space is limited – call early! *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

Geology Hike  
**Sunday, September 13 th**
Free for PEEC Members / $5 for Non-PEEC Members
1pm-3pm
Take a hike on the Fossil Trail with Paul Kovalski, aka Dr. Dinosaur, as we discuss the geology of our area and what makes our park unique.

Bridge the Gap: River Paddle  
**Saturday, September 19 th**
$10
9am-3pm
Join us for a paddle down the Delaware! Bring a lunch and a water bottle and dress for the weather. We will provide extra water and snacks. Choose between a canoe or kayak. Preregistration is required and begins at 8:30am on August 19 th. *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*

Intro to Tent Camping  
**Sunday, September 20 th**
$5
1pm-3pm
Learn everything you need to know about camping right here, from basic shelters, to common knots, and even how to build a fire from scratch. It’ll be great practice for any future family vacations.

Owl Prowl  
**Sunday, September 20 th**
$5
7pm-8:30pm
Pennsylvania is home to a number of different species of owls. There are a handful of different species that live around PEEC. Let’s explore and see who we can find!

Fall Flights: Birds & Brews  
**September 25 th – 27 th**
$215 / Call for commuter & day rates
Come out for a wonderful weekend of bird watching and beer tasting. Enjoy guided hikes that teach how to identify birds by sight, sound, and habitat. Program is geared towards beginners and experts alike. Saturday night we’ll provide transportation to one of our local breweries and the 1 st round is on us! Includes two nights of lodging and meals from Friday dinner through Sunday lunch.

**SAVE THE DATE!**
**Saturday, October 10 th**
**Harvest Festival**
Fall Photography

$550 Full Workshop / Commuter rates available

Would you like to learn how to take spectacular images of the Poconos fall foliage? Would you like to learn how to capture flowing waterfalls? Would you like to learn how to make your digital captures burst off the page? Then this workshop is for you! International award-winning professional photographer and instructor David Blecman will show you how to compose, create, and process stunning images of the Poconos fall foliage. Learn proper camera settings, proper composing techniques, proper white balance settings, best focusing techniques, and amazing post-processing techniques to help your images explode with fascination and beauty. **Includes lodging and meals.**

Harvest Family Camp Weekend

Adults $225 / 10% off ages 11-13/ 25% off ages 7-10 / 50% off ages 4-6 / Free ages 3 & under

Bring your friends and family to experience PEEC in the splendor of autumn. Animal presentations, canoeing & kayaking, nature hikes, crafts, campfire and more! **Price includes three nights of lodging and meals from Friday dinner through Monday lunch.**

Harvest Festival

$5 per car

Celebrate Fall at PEEC’s 10th annual Harvest Festival! Enjoy animal presenters, arts & crafts, hands-on activities, conservation exhibits, live music, local food, old-timey activities, & more! Bring your family & friends to this great event!

Bridge the Gap: Bike the McDade

Free

Join us for a bike ride along the McDade Trail! We will provide all equipment and transportation. Please bring a water bottle and wear sturdy footwear. We will have extra water and snacks available. Please register as soon as possible as space is limited. **Call for details.** *Lead support is provided by the William Penn Foundation.*
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Signs of Fall Hike
$5
Sunday, October 25th
10am-12pm
Take a hike with us and discover the science behind the wonderful season of fall. We’ll discuss changing animal behavior, why leaves change color, and why it’s the best season to be out and about!

Animal Tracking
$5
Sunday, October 25th
1pm-3pm
Animals leave behind clues that give us glimpses into their lives. Explore our natural areas for tracks, trails, scat, territory marks, chew marks, and other signs animals leave as they travel through the fields and forests of the Poconos.

Girl Scout Badge Festival
$25 Full Day
Saturday, October 31st
9:30am-4pm
Brownies will work on their Hiker and Letterbox badges. Juniors will participate in Camper badge work. Cadettes will work on the Primitive Camper badge and Seniors on their Adventurer badge. Overnight options are available for all ages, ask for more information! Payment is required at registration. Space is limited - call early! Overnight accommodations with meals are available for $43/person.

Save the Date!
Saturday, November 21st
Game Dinner

What are you interested in?
PEEC has it all...
- Hiking
- Photography
- Birding
- Canoeing
- Scouts
- Family Camp
- Quilting/Knitting
- Festivals
- Community Dinners
- Summer Camp
- & more!

“Those who dwell among the beauties and mysteries of the earth are never alone or weary of life.”
- Rachel Carson
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1pm-3pm  
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BSA Scout Badge Festival  
Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup>  
$25 Full Day  
9:30am-4pm  
Bears and Webelos will participate in our Scout Ranger program. Scouts will work on the Nature merit badge (pre-req 4.a.2, 4.d.1-collect 10 insects/spiders). Payment is required at registration. Space is limited - call early! Overnight accommodations with meals are available for $43/person.

Fire Building  
Sunday, November 8<sup>th</sup>  
$5  
10am-12pm  
Learn some primitive and modern fire making skills. Try your hand at a flint & steel and more! Ages 10+ please.

Beginner Conservation Photography  
Sunday, November 8<sup>th</sup>  
$5  
1pm-3pm  
Learn some beginner techniques on how to frame a picture, and we’ll take you out to practice those skills on our campus. Great for children and those starting from scratch. Participants will need a camera for pictures, even a phone camera will do!

Flying Needles – Fiber Arts UFOs  
November 12<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>  
$280 Full Workshop-Call us for day rates  
Join other crafters with Patti Shreiner while finishing your knitting, crocheting, quilting, or other fiber art works-in-progress (WIPs). Or, start a new project if you are short on Un-Finished Objects (UFOs). Includes lodging and meals!

Signs of Fall Hike  
Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup>  
$5  
1pm-3pm  
Take a hike with us and discover the science behind the wonderful season of fall. We’ll discuss changing animal behavior, why leaves change color, and why it’s the best season to be out and about!

Ecozone Discovery Room!  
Saturday, November 21<sup>st</sup>  
$2 per person  
1pm-4pm  
Climb into a bald eagle’s nest, crawl into a bat cave, explore a beaver lodge, and dig in a fossil pit! Explore this indoor discovery room and enjoy hands-on exhibits on natural history, sustainability and the local environment. No registration required.

Game Dinner  
Saturday, November 21<sup>st</sup>  
$35/person  
6pm-8pm  
Enjoy the bounty of the season at PEEC’s 10<sup>th</sup> annual game dinner! This dinner features local game and seasonal harvests. Bring your friends & family to enjoy this cozy evening. *Recommended ages 14+.* Call early to guarantee a seat. Early reception at 5pm in our Main Building.

Vacation Nature Camp: Tour De Park  
Monday, November 30<sup>th</sup>  
$40 per Child  
9am-4pm  
Fall is the perfect time for a field trip to see all of our favorite waterfalls and hiking trails. We’ll spend a day visiting Grey Towers and other fun places around the park!

Attention All Artisans!  
PEEC is looking for crafters, photographers, artists, and local businesses interested in selling their wares at our festivals. Our Earth Day & Harvest Festival are an opportunity to show off your skills and sell your products at a large event.
DIY Birdfeeders
Saturday, December 5th
$5
10am-12pm
Spend the morning putting together your own unique and custom bird feeder from a variety of recycled materials. The local birds will appreciate it through the cold winter months. We’ll provide everything you need, but you are welcome to bring your own supplies. Great craft for children.

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Winter Ecology Hike
Sunday, December 6th
$5
10am-12pm
Learn how different plants and animals survive the winter. Join us on a hike and experience PEEC in the wintertime. All ages welcome.

Holiday Bows and Boughs
Sunday, December 6th
$20 per wreath
1pm-4pm
Create your own holiday decorations using natural materials! We provide evergreen boughs and materials for you to make wreaths, swags, and table decor. Come join us as we introduce making swags from hangers. You can also bring your own supplies and decorations – we’ll bring the music, drinks, and snacks! Preregistration is required for this program.

Wacky Science Adventures
Saturday, December 12th
$5
1pm-3pm
Put on your lab coats and prepare to conduct some crazy experiments! We’ll get to create your very own slime, oobleck, and attempt to launch a rocket into space. All ages welcome.

Vacation Nature Camp: Snow Survival
Monday, December 28th
$40 per Child
9am-4pm
Animals survive, can your camper? Join us and learn the secrets to winter shelters and fire building.

Vacation Nature Camp: Science and Spells
Tuesday, December 29th
$40 per Child
9am-4pm
Spend a day concocting new creations and performing weird experiments! Bottle rockets and wands are camp classics!

Thank you for a great year of programming! We hope to see you again next year!