



## 2026 Events and Programming

***\*\*Programs and Events subject to change***

<b>January</b>	<p><i>Nature Activity Kit: Winter Birds</i></p> <p><i>January 5 from 4 to 6pm, Ottawa County History Mystery Trail Kickoff Event, Shores &amp; Islands Ohio Port Clinton Welcome Center. Learn how to participate in the History Mystery Trail and earn a free, commemorate patch honoring America 250. Enjoy primitive crafts, historical snacks, presentations, live cello music, and raffles.</i></p> <p><i>January 24 from 1 to 3pm, Hot Cocoa Walk, Elmore. Snowflake cutting craft, snowflake scavenger</i></p>
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	<p>hunt, storytime in the log cabin  “Snowflake Bentley” at 2pm, hot  cocoa station</p>
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<b>February</b>	<p><i>Nature Activity Kit: Snow Moon</i></p> <p><i>Thursday, February 19 from 10-11am, A ‘Snowy Day’ Storytime, Shores &amp; Islands. Coloring page, snow craft, storytime, and nature exploration.</i></p>
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<b>March</b>	<p><i>Nature Activity Kit: Bald Eagles</i></p> <p><i>Thursday, March 5 from 10-11am, ‘The Mitten Storytime.’ Coloring page, mitten yarn craft, storytime, nature exploration.</i></p> <p><i>Wednesday, March 11 from 6-7pm, Volunteer Orientation, Genoa Branch Library Meeting Room</i></p>
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<b>April</b>	<p><i>Nature Activity Kit: Seeds/Planting</i></p> <p><i>Wednesday, April 22 from 5-6:30pm, Earth Day Bike Ride on the North Coast Inland Trail</i></p>
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	<p><i>Friday, April 24 – Sunday, April 26,</i>  Catawba Island Boat Show,  Catawba Island Club</p>
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<b>May</b>	<p><i>Nature Activity Kit: Frog Calls</i></p> <p><i>May 2 from 10am-2pm, Ottawa County Community Day, Oak Harbor</i></p>
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<b>June</b>	<p><i>Nature Activity Kit:</i></p> <p><i>June 24, from 10am-Noon, Bike Safety Camp, Genoa</i></p> <p><i>TBD, 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Portage River Festival, Elmore</i></p>
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<b>July</b>	<p><i>Nature Activity Kit:</i></p> <p><i>July 29, from 10am-Noon, Bike Safety Camp, Hopfinger Zimmerman Memorial Park</i></p>
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<b>August</b>	<p><i>Nature Activity Kit:</i></p> <p><i>Thursday, August 6 from 11am-3pm, Island Green Week on Put-in-Bay</i></p> <p><i>TBD, Marblehead Lions Perch</i></p>
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	Festival, James Park
<b>September</b>	<i>Nature Activity Kit:</i>  <i>September 1 – November 30,</i> Outdoor Hiking Challenge, Countywide
<b>October</b>	<i>Nature Activity Kit:</i>  <i>Saturday, October 10 – Sunday,</i> <i>October 11, 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Oak</i> Harbor Apple Festival  <i>October 22, Sunset Pumpkin Walk,</i> Meadowbrook Marsh
<b>November</b>	<i>Nature Activity Kit</i>