Oxley Nature Center, March 2020

Call 918-596-9054 for information or to register (please register 48 hours in advance)

7 March "Saturday Morning Birding" Ages: All Saturday, 8:00-9:45 a.m. Free, Registration not required

Join us for birding at Oxley. All skill levels are welcome. Bring binoculars if you have them.

9 March "Full Worm Super Moon Walk" Ages: All Monday, 7:00-8:30 p.m. (Moon rises at 7:37 p.m.) \$3 for members, \$5 for non-members

This is the last full moon of the winter season. Soon earthworms will be making their way to the surface of the soil. Join us to search for other hints of spring under this night sky.

9 March "Natural Babies! Exploring Plant Pigments" Ages: 1-5 + caregiver Monday, 10:00-11:30 a.m.

Registration is required Free for Members, Non-members \$5 per session.

Spring is coming, and flowers and other plants are showing their colors. We will explore, gather some natural materials, and create a colorful banner by releasing plant pigments with rock onto cloth! You can hang your creation to welcome spring!

14 March "Junior Naturalists" Ages: 8-12 years
Saturday, 10:00-12:30 p.m.
Registration is required Free for Members, Non-members \$5 per session.
Meet at the Fawn Grove at Oxley.

Come join the us at Oxley Nature Center for a morning of adventure and nature connection! This month, we will wander the trails in search of all things spring: blossoming trees, stirring insects, nesting birds, and so much more. Bring a sack lunch and be prepared for mud and snow.

28 March "Botany Walk" Ages: All Saturday, 10:30-noon Free, Registration not required

Change is in the air! Some of the first things to bloom are trees. What else can we find hidden as buds and new growth? Join us for the botany walk at Oxley to find out!

April 2020

Oxley Nature Center and Redbud Valley Nature Preserve are closed: Sunday, April 12, for Easter.

4 April "Saturday Morning Birding" Ages: All Saturday, 8:00-9:45 a.m. Free, Registration not required

Join us for birding at Oxley. All skill levels are welcome. Bring binoculars if you have them.

7 April "Full Pink Super Moon Walk" Ages: All Tuesday, 7:00-8:30 p.m. (Moon rises at 7:36 p.m.) \$3 for members, \$5 for non-members

The pink moon of April is when the wild phlox blooms. Will we see it scattered along the trails or smell its sweet perfume? Will we lose our color vision, but improve our sense of hearing and smell? Let's find out!

11 April "Junior Naturalists" Ages: All Saturday, 10:00-12:30 p.m. Free, Free for Members, Non-members \$5 per session.

Come join the Junior Naturalists at Oxley Nature Center for a morning of adventure and nature connection! We will explore plant life cycles and learn more about the differences between wildflowers and grasses. We will be making tiny fairy gardens out on the trail. Bring a sack lunch and be prepared for mud and rain.

13 April "Natural Babies: "Frogs Are Our Friends" Ages: 1-5 + caregiver Monday, 10:00-11:30 a.m.

Registration is required Free for Members, Non-members \$5 per session.

What lives in the pond? As winter ends and the weather warms we hear the songs of frogs calling. Can we find them in the water or on the edge of the shore? Let's hop to the pond and explore!

18 April "Butterfly Walk" Ages: All Saturday, 10:00-12:30 p.m. Free, Registration not required

Join us for our first butterfly walk of the season. What early butterflies are flying? Bring a hat and binoculars if you have them. No experience is necessary

25 April "Botany Walk" Ages: All Saturday, 10:30-noon Free, Registration not required

We are on the other side of winter and headed toward spring. Will we find some fresh green growth under leaves and on tree branches? Let's find out!