

### Nature Walk

Take in an easy walk through our retired farmlands observing the seasonal changes in our shrubs, wetland, mature meadow, creek and pond edges, and the mixed hardwood forest. Suitable for all ages.

**SAT Aug. 4 ~ 9-10 AM Eshelman ~ FREE**

### Fantastic Forest Fun

A day in the woods for KIDS only! It's a one day sampler of everything the woods has to offer... from moss to mammals, bugs to birds, salamanders to sow bugs... walk in the woods, romp in the meadow, lunch at the pavilion. Have a great day exploring & take home your own decorated t-shirt, For ages 6 & up. Fee includes a white cotton t-shirt for each kid to decorate. Bring a bag lunch & snack. Beverages are provided. Group rates (20+) are available.

**THURS July 12 ~ 10 AM-3 PM Lillibridge**

**Please register by July 10**

**Non-Members \$25/PNC Members \$20**



### **Let's Make ~ Soap**

Come & make your own soap using native plants. These

native plants have wonderful healing qualities. You will leave with your head full of knowledge & a bag full of materials to help you make soap at home. You will also take home a sample of soap, a container of base soap, a jar of jewelweed juice, & a jar of birch leaf oil.

**SAT July 21 ~ 10:30 AM -2:30 PM Lillibridge**

**Please register by July 19**

**Non-Members \$40/PNC Members \$35**

### Remarkable Raptors



Join our wildlife rehabilitation specialist, Mark Baker, to learn about these elusive & beautiful creatures. It's a fascinating up-close look at raptors. There will be a live bird display & a chance to ask questions.

**SAT July 21 ~ 7-9 PM Lillibridge**

**Please register by July 19**

**Non-Members \$10/PNC Members \$5**

### Sala'Meander



Fall is the best time for a salamander hunt. Join us as we search for these fascinating creatures. Lillibridge has fifteen species of amphibians and reptiles that call the habitat of the old growth forest home. Come prepared to roll some logs and turn over some leaves.

**SAT Aug 11 ~ 10:30 AM -12:30 PM Lillibridge**

**Please register by Aug 9**

**Non-Members \$10/PNC Members \$5**



### **HOW TO REGISTER**

Space is limited, pre-registration is required for all fee-based programs.

Register by calling the Nature Center at

716-933-0187 or writing

naturalist@pfeiffernaturecenter.org.

Office: 14 South Main St Portville NY

Lillibridge: 1974 Lillibridge Rd Portville NY

Eshelman: 1420 Yubadam Rd Portville NY



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There are several independent activities to enjoy at Pfeiffer Nature Center. Lillibridge has a self-guided trail that explores many facets of the forest. It is also home to the Lillibridge Trails, a multi-stage geocache with five waypoints loaded with fun activities for the entire family.

We offer monthly guided nature walks on both properties with our Naturalist. Our year-round programs appeal to all ages, interests, time slots, and talents. Nibble a topic for an hour or spend an entire day in an intensive hands-on workshop.

### Beneficial Bees

Join Tony Buford as he shares about bees. Come learn how bees are beneficial to humans & how they make honey. You might even get a chance to get an up-close look at a few honey bees. This is kid friendly event!



**SAT Apr. 28 ~ 10:30 AM—12:30 PM Lillibridge**  
**Please register by Apr. 26**

**Non-Members \$10/PNC Members \$5**

### Bountiful Butterflies

Join Pfeiffer Nature Center as we host John MacRoy & his butterflies. Come to view an educational slideshow about butterflies & have a chance to see butterflies from around the world close up. This is a kid friendly event geared toward grades K-8.

**SAT May 19 ~ 10:30 AM—12:30 PM Lillibridge**  
**Please register by May 17**

**Non-Members \$10/PNC Members \$5**

### Cattaraugus County Bird Club Walk

Now that the migrant birds are back and breeding is getting underway, it's a great time to explore bird watching. Come out and enjoy the sights and sounds discovered in this exciting sport! Bring binoculars and a field guide if you have them. All walks are held at our Eshelman Property. Public Welcome/Free

**SAT May 5 ~ 8-11 AM**  
**SAT May 12 ~ 8-11 AM**  
**SAT May 19 ~ 8-11 AM**  
**SAT May 26 ~ 8-11 AM**



### Woods Walk & Trail Run



Get out and celebrate National Trails Day. Follow rolling hills, woodlands, meandering streams near meadows & grasslands & wonderful vistas on trail selections that range from easy to more difficult. You can run, walk or stroll lazily along with our naturalist on a guided nature hike.

**SAT June 2 ~ 8 AM—? Eshelman ~ Cost varies**  
**Early registration ends May 17**  
**Online registration ends June 1**

### Nature Walk

Enjoy a leisurely walk through a rare old growth forest with large specimens of Eastern Hemlock, White Pine, American Beech, and Red Oak and observe the seasonal changes in this majestic forest. Suitable for all ages.

**SAT July 7 ~ 9-10 AM Lillibridge ~ FREE**

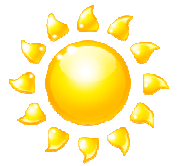
### Historic Cabin Tour

Enjoy a relaxful evening & celebrate NYS Museum week with us at our cabin. Learn a bit of history & share our view. Our cabin, listed on the National Historic Registry, is a great place to step back in time to learn about the American Chestnut tree & the history of Pfeiffer Nature Center.

**TUE June 5 ~ 7 PM -8:30 PM Lillibridge**  
**PNC Volunteers Free/Public \$5**  
**Please register by May 31**

### Make & Take ~ Sun Printing

Hand painted silk scarves are a sign of high fashion & you can learn how to use the sun to create your very own. Come learn how the sun effects this special paint as we use objects from nature to decorate a silk scarf. You will also learn about other dying methods. We will supply the dyes & a silk scarf to decorate.



**SAT June 16 ~ 10:30 AM—12:30 PM Lillibridge**  
**Please register by June 12**  
**Non-Members \$15/PNC Members \$10**

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