



BEREA COLLEGE

FORESTRY OUTREACH CENTER

at the Pinnacles: Homelands of Shawnee and Cherokee Peoples

Tues.-Sat. 10am-4pm, Sun. 12-4pm
Trails open dawn to dusk, daily
2047 Big Hill Rd. Berea, KY 40403
859-756-3315

<https://forestryoutreach.berea.edu>

OCTOBER EVENTS

All events at the FOC/Pinnacles unless otherwise noted. Free and open to all. Outdoor activities weather-dependent

- Nature Walk/Hike at the Pinnacles: Saturdays, at 1:00pm, meet at FOC
NO GROUP HIKE OCTOBER 5TH

Berea Tree Week: Oct. 12-20th events listed to the right

Star Parties

with BC Astronomy Students

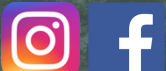
- **October 23rd and October 30th Time TBD, see website for updates**

Nature R&R

- **October 17th, 5:00-7:00pm** at the Pinnacles lower forest
- **October 18th, 4:00-5:00pm** at Brushy Fork bridge
RSVP on Eventbrite

Family Activities

October 27th: Fall Into Reading Arachne & Arachnids Activity with MCPL, Berea Parks and Rec. and Winterberry Studio
Discovery Drawers available each day we are open & returned by 3:30 pm



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Citizen Science Project: Biodiversity of the Berea College Forest



Seek app by iNaturalist, great I.D. tool for kids and families

OCTOBER 2024

FRIENDS OF THE FOREST NEWSLETTER

BEREA TREE WEEK, OCT. 12-20TH 2024

We are excited to celebrate another year of Tree Week, a celebration of trees and all of the things they do for us. Thanks to the **Urban Forest Initiative** in Lexington, there will be events all around the state to help folks learn about and cherish trees together. Below are events for kids, College students, and the community. We hope to see you!



BEREA 2024 TREE WEEK

EVENTS OCTOBER 12TH-20TH
FREE & OPEN TO ALL

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<p style="text-align: center; text-decoration: underline;">12TH -- SATURDAY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free Yoga at the Pinnacles through Madison County Public Library 10:00am • Tree I.D. Hike at the Pinnacles Forestry Outreach Center 1:00pm 	<p style="text-align: center; text-decoration: underline;">13TH -- SUNDAY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family Activity: Tree Prints Forestry Outreach Center 1:00-2:00pm • Fairy Door Making with Natural Materials Madison County Public Library Berea Branch, 2:00-3:00pm 	<p style="text-align: center; text-decoration: underline;">14TH -- MONDAY</p> <p>Tree Planting on Berea College Campus 10:40-11:50am</p>
<p style="text-align: center; text-decoration: underline;">15TH -- TUESDAY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tree Planting on Berea College Campus - Elizabeth Rogers open labor meeting, 4:00-5:00pm • Nature-Inspired Art and Painting in Brushy Fork Doris Ulmann Galleries 5:15pm-7:30pm 	<p style="text-align: center; text-decoration: underline;">16TH -- WEDNESDAY</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Berea College Mountain Day at the Pinnacles 10:00am-2:00pm • Mulch Madness! The Pinnacles 2:00pm 	<p style="text-align: center; text-decoration: underline;">17TH -- THURSDAY</p> <p>Nature R&R at the Pinnacles, lower forest 5:00-7:00pm</p>
<p style="text-align: center; text-decoration: underline;">18TH -- FRIDAY</p> <p>Intro to Nature R&R at Brushy Fork *students meet at Alumni Patio 4:00-5:00pm</p>	<p style="text-align: center; text-decoration: underline;">19TH -- SATURDAY</p> <p>Tree I.D. Hike at the Pinnacles Forestry Outreach Center 1:00pm</p>	<p style="text-align: center; text-decoration: underline;">20TH -- SUNDAY</p> <p>Family Activity: Tree I.D. Walk Forestry Outreach Center 2:00-3:00pm</p>

Learn event details on the Forestry Outreach Center Facebook and website:
forestryoutreach.berea.edu

WATCH FOR NEW FRUIT TREES AND SIGNAGE IN THE ECOVILLAGE THANKS TO GROW

APPALACHIA'S BEREA KIDS EAT PROGRAM

October 23rd

STAR PARTIES

October 30th

Times TBD, check our website or Facebook for updates

Come learn about the night sky above us from BC Astronomy students! They are looking forward to sharing what they have learned with you all.

There will be the opportunity for stargazing if the weather permits. Feel free to bring your own telescope to set up!

Save the date for the next star party, November 6th!

NATURE R&R / FOREST BATHING

Nature Relaxation and Restoration/Forest Bathing is a 2 hour, slow-paced, restorative forest experience.

Please bring a portable chair or something to sit on, dress for the weather and wear walking shoes.

We hope you'll join us!

weather dependent, RSVP for updates



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at the Pinnacles lower forest

🌸 **October 18th**, Intro to Nature
R&R, 4:00-5:00 pm
at Brushy Fork, meet at the
bridge

Please RSVP for a FREE spot and find directions on
Eventbrite!

Did you know there's a map of every tree on Berea's campus?

Learn about our urban forest and all of the amazing benefits it brings with the QR code or on the "Forest Ecosystem" tab on our website!



FALL INTO READING: ARACHNE & ARACHNIDS

October 27th, 2:00-3:00pm

Join us along with the Madison County Public Library, Berea Parks and Recreation, and Winterberry Studio for a "Fall Into Reading" event! Fall into Reading is a program for kids in grades K-5 with Berea Parks & Rec. You must call 859-986-9402 and register your child with them to get a book tracker and be eligible for the book reading prizes.

Enjoy a pop-up library with fall themed books, add to a tapestry of colorful fabrics and natural materials, hear the story of the Greek myth of Arcahne, and learn about our creepy crawly spider friends in the forest!

FARM & FOREST FESTIVAL NOV. 2ND 2024

Draft Barn Open House: 10:00am-12:00pm
140 Short Line Pike Berea, KY 40403

Festivities & Demos: 12:00-3:00pm
The Pinnacles, 2047 Big Hill Rd.