



Become a Part of the Magic

Each October, **The Wilderness Center's Enchanted Forest** transforms our trails into a magical nighttime adventure celebrating Ohio's nocturnal wildlife through storytelling, music, and imagination.

Welcoming **400–500 guests each evening**, families journey along pumpkin-lit trails where woodland characters—including Mouse, Lightning Bug, Coyote, Flying Squirrel, Star-nosed Mole, and a brand-new character for 2026—bring the forest to life through songs, stories, and educational encounters.

More than a family tradition, Enchanted Forest inspires curiosity, builds connections with nature, and supports The Wilderness Center's year-round conservation and environmental education efforts.

Your Support Goes Beyond One Weekend

Enchanted Forest is one of The Wilderness Center's largest annual fundraisers. Proceeds from this event help support year-round conservation, environmental education, and community engagement across our region.

Conservation Education

Inspiring future conservationists through engaging biology and ecology experiences.

Connection to Nature

Building curiosity, confidence, and appreciation for the outdoors.

Wildlife Awareness

Teaching families to safely enjoy and respect Ohio's wildlife.

Family Experiences

Creating lasting memories through storytelling, music, and adventure.



1,000+ Guests



100+ Volunteers



7,800+ email subscribers



74,000+ monthly social media



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Friendly Bat Partner

\$500

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in-kind donation*

Recognition Includes:

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Logo in TWC quarterly newsletter*
Name on onsite signage & print collateral
2 Family 4-Packs



Flying Squirrel Partner

\$1,000

*monetary or
in-kind donation*

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3 Family 4-Packs



Night Owl Partner

\$2,500

*monetary or
in-kind donation*

Recognition Includes:

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Character Stage Sponsorship
Top billing on promotional materials
3 Family 4-Packs



Character Presenter

\$3,500

*presenting
sponsorship*