

SHREVE MIGRATION SENSATION

MARCH 9, 2024

Clinton Township Building - 135 E. McConkey St.

Registration & Maps starts at 7:30

Pick up spotting maps & get latest information on spotting sites.

SPOTTING BOARD HERE!!

All registrants get their names submitted in drawing for the rare opportunity to visit Big Spring which is closed to the public. A special thanks to ODNR for this possibility.

Breakfast 7:00 - 10:30

Home-cooked Breakfast made by Orchard Lane School.

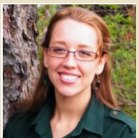


Speakers

12:00 - 4:00



12:00 pm Aaron Brown, Duck ID, ODNR - Wayne County Wildlife Officer



1:00 pm Jamey Emmert, ODNR, A 20-year media relations and wildlife conservation education professional with Ohio Division of Wildlife and is a contributor to Wild Ohio magazine.



2:00 pm Greg Miller on Doing a Big Year and his experience consulting for the film "The Big Year" which is based on the 2004 non-fiction book The Big Year: A Tale of Man, Nature and Fowl Obsession by Mark Obmascik. The book follows three men, one of whom is Greg Miller, on a quest for a Big Year which is a competition among birders to see who can spot and identify the greatest number of bird species in North America (north of Mexico) in a calendar year.



3:00 pm Laura Kearns is a Wildlife Biologist with the Ohio Division of Wildlife, where she oversees projects with wetland and forest birds, in addition to several raptor species. Her research interests include predator-prey interactions, urban ecology, and avian conservation and management.

Spotting Sites = pick up map at Registration

Experienced Spotters at each location 8:00 - 12:00

Maps available at Registration!

New! The Wilderness Center will be at the newly built Observation Deck at Funk Bottoms to guide beginner birders



THE WILDERNESS CENTER

HeBrews, The Gathering Place (E. McConkey)

10:00 - 1:00

See Live Raptors

Up Close & Personal



More Children Activities - Pick up map at Retistration



Dip Netting for Marsh Creatures

10:00 - 12:00 Dip Netting

Dip Netteing for Marsh Creators. Join the staff from the Bug Zoo on Willow Road for hands on exploration. Discover creatures swimming in the marsh this time of year! Thanks to United Titanium!!



10:00 - 3:00

Pick up a Scavenger Hunt or Passport and head out to designated locations. This year ODNR has donated a plush river otter to all children who participate.

Wayne County
Public Library
— OHIO —
SHREVE BRANCH



10:00 - 11:00 & 12:00 - 2:00
Activities for children at the Library provided by The Wilderness Center

Brown's Bog Tour - Pick up map at Registration

9:00 - 12:00 Discover Brown's Lake Bog

Tours provided by The Nature Conservancy during this time, but the public can visit all day. Brown's Lake Bog is a dedicated Ohio state nature preserve owned by The Nature Conservancy. It is one of the few remaining kettle peatlands in the United States. It has a kettle lake, kame, and a floating sphagnum moss mat.

