

# Adult Nature Study Workshops and Saturday Programs: Fall 2021

ALL INDOOR PROGRAMS REQUIRE MASKS.



## Carnivorous Plants with Stewart McPherson

October 2, 2021, 2:00 p.m., ZOOM  
Members: FREE Non-Members: \$10.00

Travel to Dorset, England to talk carnivorous plants with an expert! Stewart McPherson is a geographer, explorer, naturalist with over 20 books published, and that's just the beginning! He founded Ark of Life <http://arkoflife.net> to conserve species of carnivorous plants on the brink of extinction.



## Sequoia National Park with Tom Alena

October 30, 2021, 3:00 p.m., ZOOM  
Members: FREE Non-Members: \$10.00

Travel with Tom on his recent adventure visiting the LARGEST LIVING THINGS ON EARTH, the Giant Sequoias. Tom will discuss the history of the Park and illustrate what conservationists are doing to preserve these living



## Stories in Trunks & Branches: Witness Trees

October 9, 2021, 2:00 p.m., A. B. Ceder Room  
Members: \$10.00 Non-Members: \$20.00

David K. Leff discusses the oldest and largest living things among us. Trees play a significant role in our collective and individual memories. From the Charter Oak creation tale of Connecticut to penknife carvings in the smooth, smoke-gray bark of beeches, explore the intriguing stories that trees tell at the confluence of nature and culture.



## Raven: Bird, Myth, Legend with Mary Beth Kaeser & Gerri Griswold

November 13, 2021, 2:00 p.m., A. B. Ceder Room  
Members: \$10.00 Non-Members: \$20.00

Mary Beth Kaeser <https://www.horizonwings.org/>, her lovely imprinted Raven, Maven, and Gerri Griswold team up for a program devoted to the most intelligent bird brain in the world. SPACE IS LIMITED!



## Fall Mushroom Foray with Mushroom Marlene

October 16, 2021, 10:00 a.m., A. B. Ceder Room  
Members: \$15.00 Non-Members: \$30.00

Mycologist Marlene Sniecinski leads you on a lovely foray to collect and identify edible mushrooms. A presentation and tasting follow the walk! **FORAGING ON WMF PROPERTY IS FORBIDDEN WITHOUT PERMISSION!**



## Bogged Down: The Fascinating Life of Tollund Man

with Ole Neilson, Silkeborg Museum  
November 20, 2021, 12:00 p.m., ZOOM  
Members: FREE Non-Members: \$10.00

Who exactly is Tollund Man? Travel virtually to Denmark to learn all about this Pre-Roman Iron Age superstar: where he was discovered, his reconstruction, last meal, and how, where, and why he met his fate.



## The Inborn Brilliance of Spiders

October 23, 2021, 2:00 p.m., ZOOM  
Members: FREE Non-Members: \$10.00

Dr. Richard Bradley leads us into the world of the ubiquitous spider. As intermediate-level predators, they are among the most important components of the food chain. Bradley will highlight these remarkable predators as fascinating examples of behavior and adaptation.



## Nature Connection Workshop for Grown-Ups

November 23, 2021, 1:00 p.m., Museum  
Members: \$15.00 Non-Members: \$30.00

Want more from your time outside? Adults get so little free time to truly connect with Nature. This workshop will help you go deeper, feel more comfortable and give you some things to practice on your own, all to help you develop a deep relationship with the natural landscape.



## Spooky Halloween Walk with Gerri & Bradley

October 30, 2021, 10:00 a.m., A. B. Ceder Room  
Members: FREE Non-members: \$5.00

Celebrate Halloween by dressing up yourself and your furry friend (ALL DOGS ON LEADS!) for a 3 mile stroll. Spooky treats for everybody after the walk!



## Beaver Fever Talk & Walk with Gerri Griswold

December 18, 2021, 6:00 a.m., A. B. Ceder Room  
Members: FREE Non-Members: \$10.00

Gather in the Museum for coffee and muffins in front of our spectacular Beaver Lodge. Learn a bit about North America's largest rodent, then venture out for a walk to beaver hot spots on our property!

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_____ Stories in Trunks & Branches: Witness Trees...	Member: \$10.00	Non-Member: \$20.00
_____ Fall Mushroom Foray.....	Member: \$15.00	Non-Member: \$30.00
_____ Inborn brilliance of Spiders.....	Member: FREE	Non-Member: \$10.00
_____ Spooky Halloween Dog Walk.....	Member: FREE	Non-Member: \$5.00
_____ Sequoia National Park.....	Member: FREE	Non-Member: \$10.00
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_____ Beaver Fever.....	Member: FREE	Non-Member: \$10.00

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