



Clean Water Begins Here

Adopt a Stream Calendar of Events

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| <p>June 1, 2013 9 am-noon</p> | <p>"Water Quality Monitoring 101"- Adopt a Stream Volunteer Training</p> <p>Volunteers who are interested and have signed up for the Smith Creek Adopt a Stream Program will receive special training on how to use the water quality testing kits, stream identification, and what to look for when walking streams. The session will also briefly talk about buffers, plants, and indicators of water quality.</p> | <p>Miller Park behind Town Hall 301 S. Brooks St.</p> |
| <p>June 6, 2013 10 am – 11 am</p> | <p>Smith Creek Watershed Quarterly Stakeholder Meeting</p> <p>Quarterly meeting for both professionals and public on Smith Creek Watershed Restoration Project</p> | <p>Town Hall 301 S. Brooks St. Ground Floor Training Room</p> |
| <p>July 13, 2013 9 am- noon</p> | <p>"Streams, Buffers and Floodplains 101"</p> <p>Come learn about local streams, some flora, fauna, stream indicators of good and poor quality, importance of buffers, and benefits of floodplain connectivity.</p> | <p>Miller Park at Town Hall 301 S. Brooks St.</p> |
| <p>Aug 3, 2013 9 am- noon</p> | <p>"Reptiles & Amphibians"</p> <p><u>NC Museum of Science</u></p> <p><i>Ages 4 and up, maximum of 20 participants</i></p> | <p>Town Hall 301 S. Brooks St. Ground Floor Training Room</p> |

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| | <p>Check out the distinguishing characteristics of these two fascinating animal groups. Many living examples will be on hand.</p> <p>Stream walk afterwards in Miller Park</p> | |
| <p>Sept 5, 2013 10 am – 11 am</p> | <p>Smith Creek Watershed Quarterly Stakeholder Meeting</p> <p>Quarterly meeting for both professionals and public on Smith Creek Watershed Restoration Project</p> | <p>Town Hall 301 S. Brooks St. Ground Floor Training Room</p> |
| <p>Sept 7, 2013 9 am- noon</p> | <p>"Snakes"</p> <p><u>NC Museum of Science</u></p> <p><i>Ages 6–12, maximum of 20 participants</i></p> <p>Learn all about these slithery sensations up-close. Examine a number of living non-venomous snakes and discover how to study snakes safely.</p> <p>Stream walk afterwards in Miller Park</p> | <p>Town Hall 301 S. Brooks St. Ground Floor Training Room</p> |
| <p>Sept 22, 2013 10 am- 11 am</p> | <p>Good Neighbor Day Education Booth</p> | <p>Holding Park 133 W. Owen Ave.</p> |
| <p>Oct 5, 2013 9 am- noon</p> | <p>"Birds of a Feather"</p> <p><u>NC Museum of Science</u></p> <p><i>Ages 4 and up, maximum of 20 participants</i></p> <p>Discover the diversity of lifestyles in the bird world by investigating the characteristics and adaptations of these animals. Please note that this program does not include live animals.</p> <p>Stream Walk Afterwards in Miller Park</p> | <p>Town Hall 301 S. Brooks St. Ground Floor Training Room</p> |
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| <p>Nov 2, 2013 9 am - noon</p> | <p>"Wading Through Wetlands"</p> <p><u>NC Museum of Science</u></p> <p><i>Ages 6-12, maximum of 20 participants</i></p> <p>Few places are as important to our ecological health as wetlands. Discover why these fragile areas need our protection, and meet the animals that live there.</p> <p>We will be checking out the constructed wetland behind Town Hall. Please bring appropriate footwear that you don't mind getting wet</p> | <p>Town Hall 301 S. Brooks St. Ground Floor Training Room</p> |
| <p>Nov, 2013 date TBD</p> | <p>Backyard Stream Repair Workshop</p> | <p>Town Hall/Miller Park 301 S. Brooks St. Ground Floor Training Room</p> |
| <p>Dec 5, 2013 10 am- 11 am</p> | <p>Smith Creek Watershed Quarterly Stakeholder Meeting</p> <p>Quarterly meeting for both professionals and public on Smith Creek Watershed Restoration Project</p> | <p>Town Hall 301 S. Brooks St. Ground Floor Training Room</p> |
| <p>Dec 7, 2013 9 am-11 am</p> | <p>"Animal Tracks & Signs "</p> <p><u>NC Museum of Science</u></p> <p><i>Ages 4 and up, maximum of 20 participants</i></p> <p>Learn how to use your senses to uncover the different clues left behind by animals. Meet some of the live animals you might encounter in your own backyard.</p> <p>We will be checking out signs for tracks at Smith Creek afterwards. Wear appropriate clothing and footwear. Hot beverages and snacks to be supplied.</p> | <p>Smith Creek Soccer Center 690 Heritage Lake Road</p> |

<http://www.wakeforestnc.gov/watershed-education.aspx>

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