

West Virginia Master Naturalists

Kanawha Valley Chapter

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Calendar of Events

Date	Class	Location
June 4, 2015, 6:30 p.m.	Orientation All interested students should attend this session to learn more about the program.	University of Charleston* Pharmacy Building, room 111
June 26, 2015 6:30 p.m.	Amphibians Class Work Core Class, 1.5 credit hours Tom Pauley, Instructor Ellen Keefer, Coordinator	WVU Extension Offices† 10 th Floor Conference Room
June 27, 2015, 9:00 a.m.	Amphibians Field Work Core Class, 1.5 credit hours Tom Pauley, Instructor Ellen Keefer, Coordinator	Kanawha State Forest Pool Area
July 10, 2015, 6:00 p.m.	Reptiles Class Work Core Class, 1.5 credit hours Larry Cartmill, Instructor Ellen Keefer, Coordinator	WVU Extension Offices 10 th Floor Conference Room
July 11, 2015, 9:00 a.m.	Reptiles Field Work Core Class, 1.5 credit hours Larry Cartmill, Instructor Ellen Keefer, Coordinator	Kanawha State Forest† Pool Area
July 17, 2015, 6:00 p.m.	Trees, Shrubs & Woody Vines Class Work Core Class, 4 credit hours Rob Bailey, Instructor Russ Jones, Coordinator	WVU Extension Offices 10 th Floor Conference Room
July 18, 2015, 9:00 a.m.	Trees, Shrubs & Woody Vines Field Work Core Class, 4 credit hours Rob Bailey, Instructor Russ Jones, Coordinator	Kanawha State Forest Pool Area
July 24, 2015, 6:30 p.m.	Wildflowers Class Work Core Class, 4 credit hours Mark Watson, Instructor Ellen Keefer, Coordinator	University of Charleston Pharmacy Building, room 111

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July 25, 2015, 9:00 a.m.	Wildflowers Field Work Core Class, 4 credit hours Mark Watson, Instructor Ellen Keefer, Coordinator	Kanawha State Forest Pool Area
August 8, 2015, 10:00 a.m.	Edible Mushrooms Elective Class, 2 credit hours Bob Maslowski, Instructor Becky Linger, Coordinator	Private Farm (Directions will be given to registered class members. Contact Becky Linger for details)
August 14, 2015, 6:30 p.m.	Insects Class Work Core Course, 4 credit hours Laura Miller, Instructor Debby Edmonds, Coordinator	WVU Extension Offices 10 th Floor Conference Room
August 15, 2015, 9:00 a.m.	Insects Field Work Core Course, 4 credit hours Laura Miller, Instructor Debby Edmonds, Coordinator	Kanawha State Forest
August 19, 2015, 6:00 p.m.	Freshwater Mussels Class Work Elective Class, 4 credit hours Doug Wood, Instructor Becky Linger, Coordinator	WVU Extension Offices 10 th Floor Conference Room
August 20, 2015, 6:00 p.m.	Freshwater Mussels, Field Work Elective Class, 4 credit hours Doug Wood, Instructor Becky Linger, Coordinator	Coonskin Park
August 26, 2015, 6:00 p.m.	Terrestrial Habitats, Class Work Core Class, 3 credit hours Doug Wood, Instructor Becky Linger, Coordinator	WVU Extension Offices 10 th Floor Conference Room
August 27, 2015, 6:00 p.m.	Terrestrial Habitats, Field Work Core Class, 3 credit hours Doug Wood, Instructor Becky Linger, Coordinator	Ward Hollow Wildlife Habitat Directions to come
September 1, 2015, 6:30 p.m.	Recording and Preserving Core Class, 4 credit hours John Porter, Instructor Gary Smith, Coordinator Names, Classification & Identification Core Class, 1 credit hour John Porter, Instructor Gary Smith, Coordinator	WVU Extension Offices 10 th Floor Conference Room

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September 19, 2015, 9:00 a.m.	Mammals Core Class, 3 credit hours Sheldon Owen, Instructor Kelsey Gilbert, Coordinator	University of Charleston Pharmacy Building, room 111
October 2, 2015, 6:30 p.m.	Wetlands Habitat Class Work Core Class, 4 credit hours Nick Murray, Instructor Gary Smith, Coordinator	WVU Extension Offices 10 th Floor Conference Room
October 3, 2015, 9:00 a.m.	Wetlands Habitat Field Work Core Class, 4 credit hours Nick Murray, Instructor Gary Smith, Coordinator	TBA
October 14, 2015, 6:00 p.m.	Lichens Class Work Elective Class, 3 credit hours Doug Wood, Instructor Becky Linger, Coordinator	WVU Extension Offices 10 th Floor Conference Room
October 15, 2015, 6:00 p.m.	Lichens Field Work Elective Class, 3 credit hours Doug Wood, Instructor Becky Linger, Coordinator	TBA
October 30, 2015, 6:30 p.m.	Owl Pellet Dissection Elective Class, 2 credit hours Barb Koster, Instructor Becky Linger, Coordinator	University of Charleston Pharmacy Building, room 111
November 6, 2015, 6:00 p.m.	Rocks and Minerals Class Work Elective Class, Credit hrs TK Claudette Simard, Instructor Russ Jones, Coordinator	WVU Extension Offices 10 th Floor Conference Room
November 7, 2015, 9:00 a.m.	Rocks and Minerals Field Work Elective Class, Credit hrs TK Claudette Simard, Instructor Russ Jones, Coordinator	Kanawha State Forest

Directions

***University of Charleston**

The address is 2300 MacCorkle Ave. SE, Charleston, WV 25304 (304-357-4998)

From I-79 South/I-77 South

Follow I-77 South towards Charleston. Keep left to follow I-64/I-77 east toward Charleston/Beckley. Take the 35th Street Bridge Exit (Exit 98). Turn right at MacCorkle Ave SE/WV-61. The University is approximately one mile on your right. Turn right at the entrance to the University of Charleston. Turn right on Cherokee Ave. Turn left on 25th St. The Pharmacy Building is on your right. The parking lot is ahead of you.

From I-64 West

Take the MacCorkle Avenue exit (Exit 95). Merge right onto MacCorkle Avenue SE/WV-61. The University is approximately 3.8 miles on the right. Turn right at the entrance to the University of Charleston. Turn right on Cherokee Ave. Turn left on 25th St. The Pharmacy Building is on your right. The parking lot is ahead of you.

From I-64 East

Follow I-64 East toward Charleston. Keep right to follow I-64/I-77 east toward Charleston/Beckley. Take the 35th Street Bridge Exit (Exit 98). Turn right at MacCorkle Ave SE/WV-61. The University is approximately one mile on your right. Turn right at the entrance to the University of Charleston. Turn right on Cherokee Ave. Turn left on 25th St. The Pharmacy Building is on your right. The parking lot is ahead of you.

From US-119 North

Take US-119 North toward Charleston. Continue straight on US-119/WV-214 and go past ramps to I-64/I-77. Turn right at MacCorkle Avenue SE. The University is approximately 2.6 miles on your left. Turn left at the entrance to the University of Charleston. Turn right on Cherokee Ave. Turn left on 25th St. The Pharmacy Building is on your right. The parking lot is ahead of you.

†WVU Extension Offices

**We are meeting at the WVU Extension offices, located in the Kanawha City area of Charleston. The driving directions are listed below for your convenience. We usually meet on the 10th floor, you must sign in at the guard desk upon entering the building.

The address is 4700 MacCorkle Avenue S.E. Chas. WV 25304 (304-720-9573)

From I-79 South/I-77 South

Follow I-77 South towards Charleston. Keep left to follow I-64/I-77 east toward Charleston/Beckley. Take the 35th Street Bridge Exit (Exit 98). Turn left at MacCorkle Ave SE/WV-61. Turn left at 47th Street SE (approx 1.1 mile). Parking lot will be on your right.

WVU Extension Office (cont'd.)

From I-64 West

Take the MacCorkle Avenue exit (Exit 95). Merge right onto MacCorkle Avenue SE/WV-61. The office will be approximately 1.3 miles ahead on the right.

From I-64 East

Follow I-64 East toward Charleston. Keep right to follow I-64/I-77 east toward Charleston/Beckley. Take the 35th Street Bridge Exit (Exit 98). Turn left at MacCorkle Ave SE/WV-61. The office will be on your left approximately 1.1 miles ahead.

From US-119 North

Take US-119 North toward Charleston. Continue straight on US-119/WV-214 and go past ramps to I-64/I-77. Turn right at MacCorkle Avenue SE. The office will be approximately 4.3 miles ahead on the left.

‡Kanawha State Forest, Pool Area

From I-64 East or West

Take Exit 58A, drive south on US 119. Turn left onto Oakwood Rd. at the second stop light, (following the brown and white routing signs)go 3/4 mile and take a left before George Washington High School continuing on Oakwood Road, turn right onto Bridge Rd., and right onto Connell Rd. At the bottom of Connell, make a sharp left onto Kanawha Forest Drive, follow to the forest entrance. The Pool Area is approximately 1.5 miles on your left.

From I-79 South/I-77 South

Follow I-77 South towards Charleston. Keep right to follow I-64 East towards Huntington. Take Exit 58A, drive south on US 119. Turn left onto Oakwood Rd. at the second stop light, (following the brown and white routing signs)go 3/4 mile and take a left before George Washington High School continuing on Oakwood Road, turn right onto Bridge Rd., and right onto Connell Rd. At the bottom of Connell, make a sharp left onto Kanawha Forest Drive, follow to the forest entrance. The Pool Area is approximately 1.5 miles on your left.