

DATE	LOCATION	TOPIC	INSTRUCTORS
MARCH 07  (2 core courses)	OHIO RIVER ISLANDS NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE VISITORS CENTER (ORINWR)	8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. WILDLIFE HABITAT IMPROVEMENT – program & field trip  1:00 – 4:00 - NAMES AND CLASSIFICATION	Emily Grafton, Kittie Clark and Harriet Collins  Jason White
MARCH 5 (1.5 hour elective)	ORINWR VISITORS CENTER	5:30 to 6:00 p.m. Woodcock Night at the refuge. Observe and Listen for these remarkable aerial wonders	Pat Collins
MARCH 27 & 28 (2-hour elective); 7 to 10 hours volunteer hours)	NORTH BEND STATE PARK <b>INVASIVE SPECIES REMOVAL PROJECT</b>  Optional event	Friday, March 27, Check in 3:00 pm till 5:00 pm. Potluck dinner in cabin. 7:30 pm – program on invasive species and overview of removal strategies  Invasive species removal – Saturday am  LICHEN FIELD TRIP 1:00 till 4:00 5:30 till 6:30 pot luck dinner Sunday a.m. – noon - Invasive species removal	DNR Amie Cimarolli Emily Grafton  Mack Franz – DNR biologist
APRIL 25 (2 core classes)	BURKHART FARM adjacent to North Bend State Park	9:00a.m. – 12:00p.m. WILDFLOWERS  1:00 – 4:00 AQUATIC HABITATS /Stream Monitoring	Cynthia Burkhart  Jason White
MAY 15 – 17  (1 core class & elective hours)  OPTIONAL	BABCOCK STATE PARK	All day Saturday: Terrestrial Habitats along NEW RIVER – SANDSTONE FALLS, BROOKS FALLS,  Friday and Sunday morning TBA	Kevin Campbell and one other Native Plant Society botanist (TBA)
MAY 23	ORINWR VISITORS CENTER	8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. – BIRDS  1:00 – 4:30 - Nature Art/Nature Journaling	Michael Schram  Lavana Lemely
JUNE 6 (1 core class and one elect.)	BROUGHTON PARK	PHOTOGRAPHING NATURE (hands-on) And outside  WETLANDS – Inside & field trip	Brian Schroeder  Emily Grafton
JUNE 7 – 13 OPTIONAL	CAMP GALILEE IN TERRA ALTA, WV	BROOKS BIRD CLUB FORAY – An awesome field experience with multiple excursions with incredible naturalists	Brooks Bird Club.org
JUNE 12 – 14 Optional; however elective hours may be earned	CANAAN VALLEY STATE PARK	Master Naturalist Annual Conference Multiple workshops/speakers	Check online: Mnofwv.org

JULY 11 (2 elective classes)	ORINWR Visitors Center	9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. MUSHROOMS 1:00 – 4:30 – NATURE PRINTING	Sam Norris Rose Sullivan
AUGUST 15 (2 core classes)	NORTH BEND STATE PARK	8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m TREES, SHRUBS & WOODY VINES 1:00 – 4:30 NATURE INTERPRETATION 8:00 – Moth Night - optional	John Fichtner Ken Zebo Emily Grafton
SEPTEMBER 12 (2 core classes)	ORINWR Visitors Center	8:30 – 12:00 - INSECTS & other Invertebrates 1:00 – 4:30 ICTHYOLOGY/FISH	Laura Miller Jason White
OCTOBER 10	NORTH BEND SP	8:30 – 12:00 MAMMALS 1:00 – 4:30 GEOLOGY	Sue Olcott Claudette Simard
NOVEMBER 14 (2 core courses)	ORINWR Visitors Center	8:30 – 12:00 REPTILES & AMPHIBIANS 1:00 – 4:30 - ECOLOGY	Jim Fregonara TBA