



Borrow - A - Bike

The Nature Center has casual cruising bikes! Stop in to test them out through our Borrow-a-Bike program!

Availability is on a first-come first-serve basis. Bikes cannot be reserved in advance.

An adult must be with any child, age 14 and under, who is borrowing equipment and must present a valid driver's license. Children 17 and under must wear helmets while riding bicycles per New Jersey State Law.



Join Friends of the Parks



The goal for Friends of the Parks is to assist the continued growth of the park system, its programs, and to encourage visitors to get involved in all the natural, cultural, and recreational opportunities our parks have to offer.

We rely on interested and enthusiastic people who want to support and promote the Atlantic County Parks. Meetings are usually the first Wednesday of every month 6:30PM at the Warren E. Fox Nature Center in the Estell Manor Park.

To find out more please contact Julie Akers at julieakers56@gmail.com

Save Trees. Reduce Costs.



Log on to www.aclink.org/Parks And sign up for our electronic brochures, flyers, and other notifications.

Bike. Hike. Paddle. Play. Visit Atlantic County Parks today!



Atlantic County Executive
Dennis Levinson

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Atlantic County Parks

Winter Programs

2019 - 2020



Atlantic County Division of Parks
Atlantic County/Estell Manor
109 State Highway 50 (South)
Mays Landing, NJ 08330



Registration: for the following programs is taken on a first-come, first-served basis, and made by calling **The Nature Center** staff at **(609) 625-1897** between 8AM - 4PM 7 days a week.

Cancellations: The Division of Parks and Recreation reserves the right to cancel a program if the weather, or other unforeseen circumstance, makes it impossible to carry out a program.

Suggestions for additions to the current programs are always welcome.

THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS WILL BE HELD AT THE NATURE CENTER IN THE ESTELL MANOR PARK



Little Learners' Craft Class

Fridays, December 20th & January 17th
10 AM and 1 PM

Open to 3-5 year old preschoolers accompanied by an adult. Transform everyday objects into works of art. Time permitting, children will have the opportunity to "show and tell". Specify morning or afternoon session when registering.

Card Making Class

Saturdays, November 23rd & December 21st
10 AM - 12 PM

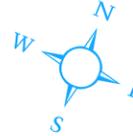
Come make six handmade cards – 2 each of 3 designs. Lori will provide all the pre-cut materials, supplies, tools and instruction to help you create your handmade cards! No experience necessary. Open to anyone 15 years of age and older. All levels of stampers are welcome! **Fee: \$18 (payable at registration).** Register by contacting Lori Pinto at lori@lollypoppaper.com



Nature Center Office: (609) 625-1897
Veterans Cemetery Office: (609) 909-5859
Park System Reservation Office at Lake Lenape
(pavillion/gazebo rental, camping, boating)
(609) 625-8219
Atlantic County Website: www.aclink.org

Public Orienteering

Saturdays, December 7th, January 4th,
February 1st, & March 7th
11 AM - 3 PM



Learn to navigate the park with a map and compass! Are your children learning to read a map in school? Are you interested in learning to use a compass? Put on your hiking boots, pack a trail lunch and head to the Estell Manor Park for a three mile orienteering course through the woods. We provide the instructions, maps and a loaner compass. A basic course for the beginner and an intermediate course for the experienced or more adventurous are offered. Please specify course when registering.

Children under 13 must have an adult with them. Standard tick precautions are recommended.

Program is free, but you must register in advance.

Please call the Nature Center during office hours (609) 625-1897 or email pleis_kathleen@aclink.org

Magic Show!

Sunday, December 15th
3:30 PM – 4:30 PM

Show begins promptly at 3:30

Program will be held at:
Lake Lenape Park Catering Hall
753 Park Road, Mays Landing 08330



Come join Ken the Magician for quality entertainment appropriate for any age! This magic and comedy show will feature plenty of audience participation! Ken uses his 35 years of experience to deliver a professional and entertaining show that will leave everyone spellbound!

Show is free, but registration is required. Please contact the Nature Center office at **(609) 625-1897** or email pleis_kathleen@aclink.org

Zumba

Tuesdays, November 19th & December 17th
5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Get ready to party yourself into shape! These energizing, easy-to-follow, Latin dance moves will burn calories and get you into shape!



Letters from Santa

Start date: November 23rd
Cutoff date: December 14th

Does your child believe in Santa? Imagine the look on their face when he/she opens a personalized letter from SANTA! All you need to do is have your child write a letter to Santa with the following information included: child's first and last name, child's complete address, boy or girl, age, grade in school, the names of any siblings, best friends, and/or pets, a gift the child would like to ask Santa for and one that they will definitely be receiving, list a big accomplishment they had this year (example: an 'A' in school), and be sure to also include in the letter the name of a parent or guardian with their contact number or email.

Please come to the Nature Center during office hours (8am-4pm, 7 days a week) starting November 23rd to drop off the letter in our "Mailbox to the North Pole." If you are unable to stop in you can mail it to The Nature Center at 109 Route 50 South, Mays Landing, NJ 08330 or email the letter to pleis_kathleen@aclink.org

All letters MUST be received no later than December 14th.

If you have any questions please call the Nature Center staff at (609) 625-1897.

