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ENJOY, LEARN ABOUT, AND CARE FOR NATURE

UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES IN HOUSTON

Bagby Park MOVIE NIGHT **Jun. 20, 7 – 9 p.m.**, enjoy a movie, *To Wong Foo, Thanks for Everything! Julie Newmar*, in the park, 415 Gray St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> **enjoy, media, park, Houston**

BAYOU CITY OUTDOORS **Jun. 18, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.**, learn about the activities of Bayou City Outdoors, Becks Prime, 1001 E Memorial Loop Dr., https://bcoadventures.com/events-calendar/#espresso_calendar **learn, meeting, Houston**

A WALK IN THE WOODS **Jun. 14, 9:30 – 11 a.m.**, enjoy group outing to walk 3 – 4 miles on trails in Terry Hershey Park, meet at Anthills Parking Lot – 1001 S Dairy Ashford Rd., <https://bcoadventures.com/events-calendar/> **enjoy, walk, park, Houston**

Buffalo Bayou INVASIVE PLANT ERADICATION UNIT POP-UP **Jun. 14, 9 - 11 a.m. (2nd Sat. through Aug.)**, learn about common invasive species in our area, the importance of native species, and what we can do to sustain the, plus make native seed “bombs” to help spread native species at home or in the park The Water Works, 105 Sabine St., www.buffalobayou.org **learn, care, garden, park, Houston**

STRAWBERRY FULL MOON HIKE Jun. 10, 8 – 9:30 p.m., join group outing to hike about 3 - 4 miles on trails in Memorial Park, meet at Eastern Glades, 7575 North Picnic Ln., https://bcoadventures.com/events-calendar/#espresso_calendar enjoy, walk, park, Houston

Houston Botanic Garden BOTANICAMP: WOW WILDLIFE! Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, kids 5 – 11 learn all about the major groups of animals that call the Houston Botanic Garden home and how to protect their habitat, 8505 N. Bayou Dr., <http://hbg.org/programs> learn, enjoy, kids, animals, garden, Houston

Memorial Park HEALTH & WELLNESS CLASSES Jun. 11, 6 p.m., Jun. 12, 9 a.m., and Jun. 14, 8 a.m., free fitness classes in the park, (6/11): sound bowl meditation, (6/12): Mat Pilates & (6/14): Yoga, Clay Family Eastern Glades, 6502 Memorial Dr., <https://www.facebook.com/MemorialPark/> enjoy, park, Houston

Exploration Green MOONLIT MOTH MANIA Jun. 14, 7:30 – 9 p.m., learn how to observe these fascinating insects & record new species that come out at night, family-friendly 16205 Diana Ln., <https://www.explorationgreen.org/> care, enjoy, learn, animals, kids, park, Houston

Children's Museum of Houston PARTY ALL SUMMER LONG ongoing thru Aug. 6, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m., celebration of the museum's 45th anniversary, different theme each week, high-energy fun, jaw-dropping activities, and exhibits that will have you dancing through decades of imagination and discovery 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> enjoy, kids, Houston

Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary AVIAN ACADEMY Jun. 11, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m., workshop for formal and informal educators, includes: Flying WILD curriculum, introduction to birding, and a melding of art and science, activities appropriate/adaptable for K-12 grades, 440 Wilchester Blvd., www.houstonaudubon.org learn, enjoy, bird, class, kids, Houston

Houston Museum of Natural Science [COCKRELL BUTTERFLY CENTER MEMBER FREE DAY](#) **Jun. 23**, members enjoy butterfly center for free, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org [enjoy](#), [animals](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

Houston Botanic Garden [INDOOR PLANTS](#) **Jun. 21, 10 a.m.**, learn: How to choose the right plants for your space, Light requirements, Soil choice, Proper watering, fertilizing, and maintenance of your indoor plants, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events> [learn](#), [class](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

Emancipation Park [SHEILA JACKSON LEE EXHIBIT](#) **ongoing thru Aug. 31, hours vary daily**, learn about the life and contribution of the late congresswoman Sheila Jackson Lee, 3018 Emancipation Ave., <https://epconservancy.org/calendar/> [enjoy](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

[BIRDING 101](#) **Jun. 14, 11 a.m.**, learn the basics of bird identification with an understanding of the field marks that birders use to recognize different species, Park Place Regional Library, 8145 Park Pl Blvd., www.houstonaudubon.org [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [class](#), [bird](#), [Houston](#)

[DISCOVER NATURE CAMP](#) **Jun. 9 – Jun. 12, 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, kids entering 1st & 2nd grade enjoy nature walks, bird watching, fishing, gardening, dip netting, geocaching, games, crafts, stories & more, Environmental Institute of Houston, UH-Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://www.uhcl.edu/environmental-institute/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [fish](#), [bird](#), [walk](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center [PAINTING WITH PLANTS](#) **Jun. 21, 3 – 5 p.m.**, learn about natural pigments from plants & create watercolor style artwork to take home, ages 16+, 4501 Woodway Dr., <https://houstonarboretum.org/events/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [class](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

Children's Museum of Houston [EASTARTS WORKSHOP](#) Jun. 12, 5:30 & 6:45 p.m., Ju. 13 & Jun. 21, 10 & 11 a.m. and 12:30 & 1:45 p.m., learn about culture, explore art techniques, and express your creativity, story time for your child, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary [BIRD FRIENDLY KIDS CAMP](#) Jun. 16 – Jun. 20 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 9 a.m. - noon, kids 6 – 10 learn about our native ecology with nature exploration, crafts, and games while learning how to help our feathered friends thrive in their own neighborhoods, 440 Wilchester Blvd., <https://houstonaudubon.org/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [care](#), [kids](#), [bird](#), [Houston](#)

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center [ANIMAL TALES](#) Jun. 16 & Jun. 23, 9:30 & 10:30 a.m. (Mon. thru Aug. 4), for kids 18 mo. – 3 with parent, read nature-themed story, meet live animals & self-guided hike, 6/16 Topic – Leon the Chameleon, 6/23 Topic: Slimy Snails, 4501 Woodway Dr, www.houstonarboretum.org [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [animals](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Children's Museum of Houston [MINDFEST CHALLENGE](#) Jun. 12, 5 – 7:30 p.m., victory lap for winning experiment from earlier in June, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

[IN THE WEEDS WALKING TOUR](#) Jun. 21, 9 – 10:30 a.m., explore native plants and the insects that pollinate them along Buffalo Bayou with natural historian guide, meet at Lost Lake, 3422 Allen Pkwy., <https://buffalobayou.org/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [walk](#), [animals](#), [garden](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

[PERMACULTURE DESIGN CERTIFICATION INTENSIVE](#) Jun. 14 – Jun. 18, Jun. 20, Jun. 22, and Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m., explore various aspects of permaculture, including traditional ecological knowledge, indigenous science, design, water management, soil health, climate

considerations, design of vegetables, herbs, and medicinal plants, forest gardening, community building, eco-villages, natural building techniques, and alternative economics, 2811 Hayes Rd., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/education/> **learn, care, garden, Houston**

Buffalo Bayou CISTERN EXPERIENTIAL TOURS Jun. 21, 1 p.m., introduction followed by an opportunity to explore the Cistern independently, in Spanish & English, 105 Sabine St., <https://buffalobayou.org/calendar/> **enjoy, park, Houston**

REI BACKPACKING BASICS Jun. 13, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m., learn to select a pack that fits correctly, to adjust the fit to you, and how to pack to balance the load, 7538 Westheimer, see classes & events at www.rei.com **learn, class, walk, camp, Houston**

Buffalo Bayou UNDERGROUND SOUNDS Jun. 19 – Jun. 22, 6 – 8 p.m., live musical performances in the Cistern, 105 Sabine St., www.buffalobayou.org **enjoy, park, Houston**

REI CAMPING BASICS Jun. 14, 3 – 4:30 p.m., learn gear/equipment, fun activities, and how to stay warm, dry & comfortable, 17717 Tomball Pkwy., see classes & events at www.rei.com **learn, class, camp, Houston**

SAND VOLLEYBALL Jul. 18, 6:30 – 9 p.m., enjoy outdoor sand volleyball at Wakefield Crowbar plus happy hour, dogs allowed on leash, except in adjacent dog park, 954 Wakefield Dr., https://bcoadventures.com/events-calendar/#espresso_calendar **enjoy, animals, Houston**

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS Jun. 12, 10 a.m. - noon, learn emergency planning, evacuation routes, disaster kits, and available community resources, Spanish interpretation available, Fonteno Senior Education Center, 6600 Bissonnet St., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, class, Houston**

Market Square Park **LIMITLESS STRENGTH** Jun. 10 & Jun. 17, 7 p.m., high-energy, one-hour class featuring Dynamic Strength Training and HIIT Cardio designed to build strength and endurance in the park, 301 Milam St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> **enjoy, park, Houston**

CELEBRATING JUNETEENTH: AFRICAN AMERICAN TRADITIONS FROM THE GARDEN Jun. 14, 10 a.m. - noon, learn about herbs that enslaved African Americans used in connection to the land, 1911 West 34th St., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/> **learn, class, garden, Houston**

BLACKWOOD SKY FARM TOURS Jun. 12 & Jun. 19, 8 a.m. – noon and Jun. 13 & Jun. 20, 12 – 2 p.m., tour Houston's only rooftop organic farm, Post HTX, 401 Franklin St. <https://blackwoodland.org/calendar/> **enjoy, farmers, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science **SUMMER SCOUT CLASSES** Jun. 9 - Jun. 13 & Jun. 16 – Jun. 20, 10 a.m., variety of in-person classes for boy & girl scouts, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org **learn, enjoy, class, kids, Houston**

CITY WALK – EAST RIVER Jun. 22, 5 p.m., join group outing to walk 7 miles around old industrial Houston, including Japhet Creek Park, starting from 65 Hirsch Rd., <https://www.meetup.com/city-walks-houston/events/> **enjoy, walk, water, park, Houston**

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS Jun. 13, 4 - 6 p.m., learn emergency planning, evacuation routes, disaster kits, and available community resources, Spanish interpretation available, Steve Radack Community Center, 18650 Clay Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, class, Houston**

BIKE BRAYS & KEEGAN'S BAYOUS Jun. 10, 7 p.m., join group 11 mile bike ride on paved trails along Brays Keegan's Bayous, meet at Lee LeClear Tennis Center, 9506 S. Gessner Rd., <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> **enjoy, cycle, water, Houston**

HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS Jun. 12, 10:30 a.m., learn what you need to prepare for a hurricane, Burnett Bayland Community Center, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, class, Houston**

NIGHT HIKE TERRY HERSHEY Jun. 10, 7 p.m., join group hike 5 mi. in Terry Hershey Park, meet Rustling Pines neighborhood, 300 Wycliffe St., <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> **enjoy, walk, park, Houston**

COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM Jun. 10, 6:15 – 8:45 p.m., Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) program educates volunteers about disaster preparedness for the hazards that may occur where they live, learn readiness, people helping people, rescuer safety, and doing the greatest good for the greatest number, Burnett Bayland Community Center, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, Houston**

Houston Zoo CAMP ZOOFARI Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, Jun. 16 – Jun. 20 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 8:45 a.m. – 4:15 p.m. (ongoing thru week of Jul. 28), day camp for kids 6 – 12, dynamic classroom where each day offers unique opportunities for campers to connect with our animals and the dedicated individuals working to save them, camp inspires and shapes the wildlife-saving identities of our campers, fosters a deep appreciation for nature, and maintains a commitment to conservation,

different themes for different age groups, 6200 Hermann Park Dr., <https://www.houstonzoo.org/make-memories/kids-families/camp-zoofari/> **enjoy, learn, kids, animals, Houston**

Houston Zoo ZOO CREW EXPLORERS ongoing thru Jun. 27, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., teens learn about all the different career possibilities and how each of our staff members are active in saving wildlife, plus learn and practice their interpretation skills to share our animal saving messages with Zoo guests, 6200 Hermann Park Dr., <https://www.houstonzoo.org/make-memories/kids-families/camp-zoofari/> **learn, enjoy, care, kids, animals, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science 3D FILMS ongoing, free entry for members on 6/30, wide variety of films being screened, see www.hmns.org for current show times/offerings, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org, Currently showing: Africa: The Serengeti, Butterfly Journey, Cities of the Future, Call of the Dolphins, Dinosaurs of Antarctica, Dinosaur Discoveries, Mummies: Secrets of the Pharaohs, Secrets of the Sea 3D, Sharks 3D & T. Rex **enjoy, learn, media, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science LITTLE LEARNER LAB Jun. 9 - Jun. 13, 8:30 a.m., explore your favorite dinosaurs in this two-hour class, learn about our favorite prehistoric creatures through songs, books, and crafts, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org **learn, enjoy, class, kids, animals, Houston**

ART IN THE PARK Jun. 10 & Jun. 17 and Jun. 12 & Jun. 19, 10 a.m. – noon, kid-friendly art classes in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., <https://evelynspark.org/events> **enjoy, kids, park, Houston**

STEAM 4 KIDS SUMMER CAMP Jun. 16 – Jun. 19 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 26, 1 – 3 p.m. (Mon. – Thurs. thru Aug. 7), kids 5 – 13 build, fly, print, explore and code their summer away, Burnett Bayland

Community Center, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Buffalo Bayou SOUND HEALING MEDITATION Jun. 14/Jun. 15 & Jun. 21/Jun. 22, 10 a.m. and Jun. 11 & Jun. 18, 6 p.m., meditation class, The Water Works, 105 Sabine St., www.buffalobayou.org [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

GARDEN VOLUNTEERING daily thru Jun. 30, 8 – 10 a.m., volunteers assist with the maintenance and beautification of this local garden, NAM Community Garden, 5927 Louetta Rd., https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar [care](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

CREATE YOUR OWN BUG Jun. 21, 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., kids decorate their own unique bug using craft materials, Steve Radack Community Center, 18650 Clay Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [animals](#), [Houston](#)

LITTER CLEAN-UP Jun. 21, 10 a.m. – noon, volunteers remove litter from Blackhawk Park, 9401 Fuqua St., <https://texanbynature.org/events/> [care](#), [pollution](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

CITY WALK – FOUNTAINS OF HERMANN PARK Jun. 15, 2 - 5 p.m., join group outing to walk 7 miles to view fountains in Hermann Park & the Texas Medical Center, meet at 1500 Hermann Dr., <https://www.meetup.com/city-walks-houston/events/> [enjoy](#), [walk](#), [water](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

STEAM 4 KIDS SUMMER CAMP Jun. 16 – Jun. 19 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 26, 1 – 3 p.m. (Mon. – Thurs. thru Aug. 7), kids 5 – 13 build, fly, print, explore and code their summer away, Freed Center, 6818 Shadyvilla Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Houston Aquarium SEA SAFARI CAMP Jun. 9 – Jun. 13 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 6/9: kids 6 – 10 investigate Animal Athletics, 6/23: kids 7 – 12 explore Home Sweet Habitat, 410 Bagby St., <https://www.aquariumrestaurants.com/downtownaquariumhouston/default.asp> **enjoy, learn, kids, animals, fish, garden, Houston**

ROSES SEMINAR Jun. 17, 1 p.m., learn expert tips on caring for roses in the heat, as well as how to best fertilize roses based on their particular varietal, plus the top roses for growing in Houston along with guidance on growing container roses, Freed Center, 6818 Shadyvilla Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, class, garden, Houston**

Market Square Park GAME ON ongoing, 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. (daily), enjoy variety of games in the park, 301 Milam St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> **enjoy, kids, park, Houston**

STEAM 4 KIDS SUMMER CAMP Jun. 16 – Jun. 19 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 26, 1 – 3 p.m. (Mon. – Thurs. thru Aug. 7), kids 5 – 13 build, fly, print, explore and code their summer away, Steve Radack Community Center, 18650 Clay Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, enjoy, kids, Houston**

Buffalo Bayou BAT CRUISE Jun. 13 & Jun. 20 and Jun. 14 & Jun. 21, 7:35 p.m., 90-minute, guided tour from downtown to Waugh Drive Bridge and back to watch the emergence of the 250,000+ Mexican free-tailed bats that live under the bridge, learn about about the bats' eating patterns, behavior and contributions to the bayou's ecosystem, from Allen's Landing, 1001 Commerce St., www.buffalobayou.org **enjoy, learn, boat, animals, park, Houston**

LEGO ROBOTICS Jun. 17, noon, kids 5th through 8th grade learn basic blocks of coding and command programs to manipulate their LEGO robots, Burnett Bayland Community Center, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, class, kids, Houston**

AGENTS OF DISCOVERY MISSION ongoing thru Jul. 31, explore the greenspace right where you are, during this mission, players will learn why trees are so important and be able to identify native species in your area, upon completion of the mission, fill out the survey link to receive limited-edition HPB swag, good for all ages, but especially grades 3 - 6, <https://houstonparksboard.org/events/enjoy, learn, kids, walk, tree, park, Houston>

CONTAINER GARDENING Jun. 11, 10:30 a.m. - noon, explore how gardening enhances mood, reduces stress, and fosters a sense of community, container gardening as well as in-ground beds will be covered topics, Tracy Gee Community Center, 3599 Westcenter Dr., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn, class, garden, Houston](#)

Houston Museum of Natural Science BIRDS OF AMERICA ongoing, enjoy exhibit Audubon's drawings of birds of America, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org [enjoy, bird, Houston](#)

A FEW PERENNIALS Jun. 20, 12:30 - 2 p.m., learn about a variety of perennial flowers, shrubs and grasses that thrive in the Houston area and how to incorporate them into your garden for lasting beauty and low maintenance, Tracy Gee Community Center, 3599 Westcenter Dr., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn, class, garden, Houston](#)

Emancipation Park SHEILA JACKSON MUSICAL TRIBUTE Jun. 14, 4 – 9 p.m., variety of musical performances to honor the late congresswoman Sheila Jackson Lee, 3018 Emancipation Ave., <https://epconservancy.org/calendar/> [enjoy, park, Houston](#)

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS Jun. 17, 10 a.m. - noon, learn emergency planning, evacuation routes, disaster kits, and available community resources, Spanish interpretation available, Thomas A. Glazier Senior Education Center, 16600 Pine Forest Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn, class, Houston](#)

Emancipation Park [A VOICE WITHIN](#) **Jun. 17, 7 – 9 p.m.**, enjoy a new song cycle comprised of 12 songs that share stories of Black Houstonians, in the park, 3018 Emancipation Ave., <https://epconservancy.org/calendar/> [enjoy](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

[BENEFITS OF GARDENING](#) **Jun. 18, 10 a.m.**, explore how gardening enhances mood, reduces stress, and fosters a sense of community, Thomas A. Glazier Senior Education Center, 16600 Pine Forest Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [class](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

[PAPER BAG KITES CRAFT](#) **Jun. 10, 11 a.m.**, design colorful kites to soar in the breeze, materials provided, Burnett Bayland Community Center, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [recycle](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

[ASTRONOMY ADVENTURE](#) **Jun. 13, 1 p.m.**, uncover yearly astronomical events taking place right above our heads, learn about meteor showers, and other phenomena without a telescope, Burnett Bayland Community Center, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [class](#), [kids](#), [star](#), [Houston](#)

[ELEPHANT TOOTHPASTE](#) **Jun. 20, noon**, hands-on science experiment amaze with the colors, textures and bubbling eruptions, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

[TREE-RIFIC VOLUNTEERS](#) **Jun. 14, 9 - 11 a.m.**, volunteers mulch, weed and nurture trees around your community center, 15200 Memorial Dr., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [care](#), [tree](#), [Houston](#)

Nature Discovery Center [DISCOVERY ROOM](#) **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21, 10 a.m. – noon**, see our Ambassador Animals, read a book, touch and examine some of our natural history specimens, pick

up a scavenger hunt, check out a backpack, and more, 7112 Newcastle St,
<http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> **enjoy, kids, Houston**

COMMUNITY GARDEN **Jun. 16 & Jun. 23, 9 a.m.**, participate in the planning, weeding, watering, and other weekly garden tasks, garden features raised beds and is wheelchair accessible so people of all levels of physical ability can participate, take local, fresh, and organic harvest home, Thomas A. Glazier Senior Education Center, 16600 Pine Forest Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **care, enjoy, garden, Houston**

Nature Discovery Center SUMMER CAMP **Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, Jun. 16 – Jun. 20 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.**, hands-on activities, games, art projects, & more for kids 5 - 10, most activities outdoors, weather permitting, (week of 6/9): Fungi & Flowers, (week of 6/16 & 6/23): Animal Adventures, 7112 Newcastle, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> **enjoy, learn, class, animals, garden, kids, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science EXTREME ANIMALS ALIVE! **ongoing**, exhibit is a graphic novel aiming to reveal the strange and wonderful specializations animals exhibit to give them a leg up on the competition or evade predators, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org **learn, animals, Houston**

Discovery Green JUNETEENTH **Jun. 14, 7 - 10 p.m.**, children's music artist, Uncle Jumbo, performs song and dance-a-long performances in the park, followed by film, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> **enjoy, kids, park, Houston**

Memorial Park BREWERY BINGO Jun. 11, 6 – 8 p.m., fundraiser for the park, enjoy bingo in the park, <https://www.memorialparkconservancy.org/visit/memorial-park-events/> **care, enjoy, park, Houston**

RIMAS DEL BOSQUE Jun. 10, 11 a.m., niños descubrirán el mundo de los árboles y su importancia a través de cuentos con rimas divertidas y actividades interactivas, Burnett Bayland Community Center, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, learn, tree, kids, Houston**

POLLINATOR BIOBLITZ Jun. 16 – Jun. 21, volunteers photographically document species of plants/animals in observance of National Pollinator Week, using iNaturalist app, information collected contributes to science, <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> **care, enjoy, animals, photo, garden, Houston**

NATURE BY THE BOOK Jun. 13, 5 p.m., book discussion, location sent to participants <https://www.meetup.com/outdoor-afro-houston/events/> **enjoy, learn, meeting, Houston**

NATURE STATION Jun. 14, 10 a.m. - noon, learn about and examine the local natural resources that can be found in parks or your own backyard, from feathers to leaves to nature games and activities, all ages, Tracy Gee Community Center, 3599 Westcenter Dr., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, enjoy, garden, animals, bird, kids, Houston**

Emancipation Park JUNETEENTH FAMILY FUN DAY Jun. 19, 12 - 7 p.m., event features: Small Vendor Market featuring small local businesses, Food Trucks, Music, Giveaways & Juneteenth Art Installations, Performances, The Sheila Jackson Lee Exhibition. Movie Screening: Juneteenth Faith & Freedom at 4 p.m., “The Project” a spoken word & musical tribute at noon, pool open & Splash Pads, in the park, 3018 Emancipation Ave., <https://epconservancy.org/calendar/> **enjoy, kids, park, Houston**

SUNSET BINGO AT LEVY PARK Jun. 13, 6 p.m., benefit for the park, enjoy bingo & music, food/drink available for purchase, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> **care, enjoy, park, Houston**

K9 DEMONSTRATION Jun. 17, 12:30 – 2:30 p.m., see firsthand the incredible skills of these highly trained dogs and learn how their handlers work with them daily to maintain safety, Steve Radack Community Center, 18650 Clay Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, learn, animals, Houston**

NATURE STATION Jun. 14, 2 - 4 p.m., learn about and examine the local natural resources that can be found in parks or your own backyard, from feathers to leaves to nature games & activities, the themes and content we bring will vary with the season, Steve Radack Community Center, 18650 Clay Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, enjoy, garden, tree, animals, Houston**

Sheldon Lake State Park THROUGH THE RINGER Jun. 22, 10:30 a.m., experience the possible life of a tree through a board game style program, 14140 Garrett Rd, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/sheldon-lake/park_events **enjoy, learn, park, tree, Houston**

Sheldon Lake State Park FROG PHILHARMONIC Jun. 14, 11 a.m., learn the common calls of frogs that can be heard throughout the park, 14140 Garrett Rd, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/sheldon-lake/park_events **learn, enjoy, animals, kids, park, Houston**

AGENTS OF DISCOVERY MISSION ongoing thru Jul. 31, visit any park near you to enjoy time outdoors and learn more about the benefits of spending time in greenspace and nature, during this mission, players will learn about sun safety, why seasons change, and seasonal native species in your area, upon completion of the mission, fill out the survey link to receive limited-edition HPB swag,

good for all ages, but especially grades 3 - 6, <https://houstonparksboard.org/events/> **enjoy, learn, kids, walk, tree, park, Houston**

Houston Botanic Garden [POLLINATOR PROWL](#) **Jun. 14, 5 p.m.**, learn all you want to know and more with an informative presentation and a pollinator walk through the garden, then finish by designing and creating a pollinator mud dish to take home, family-friendly, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events> **learn, enjoy, class, walk, animals, kids, garden, Houston**

Sheldon Lake State Park [ART IN THE PARK](#) **Jun. 15, 2 p.m.**, create park-inspired Father's Day art, 14140 Garrett Rd, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/sheldon-lake/park_events **enjoy, park, kids, Houston**

[SCIENCE NIGHT](#) **Jun. 17, 4:30 – 6 p.m.**, unique set of science activities, themed games and entertainment for kids of all ages, Tracy Gee Community Center, 3599 Westcenter Dr., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, enjoy, kids, Houston**

Houston Botanic Garden [JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION](#) **Jun. 21, 3 p.m.**, community sound bath, support local black artists and vendors with BLCK Market, and learn about the history of this important holiday, 8505 N. Bayou Dr., <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> **enjoy, learn, kids, garden, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science [MIGHT ROARS & DINOSAUR LORE](#) **Jun. 18, 6:30 p.m.**, learn the story of Tyrannosaurus rex--from its official discovery in 1905 to the many remarkable fossil finds across North America, begin with T. rex and its close relatives in North America, Europe, and

Asia, and culminate with a spotlight on the Museum's own extraordinary specimen, affectionately known as Wyrex, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org [learn](#), [lecture](#), [animals](#), [Houston](#)

Nature Discovery Center [MESS MAKERS](#) Jun. 22, 10 – 11:45 a.m., kids explore and create with messy things like mud, flowers, paint, and shaving cream, ages 3 – 7, accompanied by adult, 7112 Newcastle, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [class](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

[PHOTO WORKSHOP IN THE PARK](#) Jun. 14, 10 a.m., enhance your photography skills in a workshop in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., <https://evelynspark.org/events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [photo](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

[ORIGAMI IN THE PARK](#) Jun. 14, 11 a.m. - noon, make origami, different theme each month, in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., suitable for kids, <https://evelynspark.org/events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

[EAT THIS! SUMMER CAMP](#) Jun. 16 – Jun. 20, Jun. 23 – Jun. 27 & Jul. 7 – Jul. 11, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., weekly camp for kids K – 5th grade, kids explore health, science & nutrition through fun hands-on adventures, Hope Farms, 10401 Scott St., <https://hopefarmshtx.org/classes/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

[BIRDING CAMP](#) Jun. 16 – Jun. 20, 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., kids ages 7 – 13 sharpen their observation skills, learn to identify local species by sight and sound, and discover the importance of bird conservation through hands-on activities and guided bird walks, participants gain confidence in using binoculars, field guides, and other birding tools, Environmental Institute of Houston, UH-Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://www.uhcl.edu/environmental-institute/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [bird](#), [walk](#), [Houston](#)

AIRPORT DAY Jun. 15, 5:30 – 7:30 a.m., volunteers see students off at Bush Intercontinental airport as they leave on 2-week outdoor adventures, <https://thewoodsproject.org/calendar/> care, kids, Houston

JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION Jun. 19, 2 – 4 p.m., storytelling, community & culture, including food tastings, in the garden, family-friendly, Beauty's Community Garden, 3201 Airline, [Facebook.com/beautys-community-garden](https://www.facebook.com/beautys-community-garden) enjoy, kids, garden, Houston

Houston Museum of Natural Science **CARNIVOROUS PLANTS** Jun. 12, 6:30 p.m., discover the unique adaptations and survival strategies of carnivorous plants, learn about various types of carnivorous plants, along with their ecosystems and care requirements, take home your very own carnivorous plant to nurture and enjoy, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org learn, enjoy, class garden, Houston

Market Square Park **GET DOWN, DOWNTOWN!** Jun. 11, 6 - 8:30 p.m., enjoy dance lessons in the park, 301 Milam St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> enjoy, park, Houston

AIRPORT DAY Jun. 16, 6 – 8 a.m., volunteers see students off at Hobby airport as they leave on 2-week outdoor adventures, <https://thewoodsproject.org/calendar/> care, kids, Houston

FATHER'S DAY KIDS CRAFT Jun. 11, 10 a.m., kids make keepsake tote bag, Buchanan's, 611 East 11th St., <https://bucharansplants.com/events/> enjoy, kids, garden, Houston

Houston Aquarium **WORKING ON THE WILD SIDE** Jun. 14, 9 a.m., program for kids 12 – 17 interested in working with animals, includes guided tour, squid dissection, stingray food prep. & feeding, scavenger hunt & games, shark voyage train ride, lunch, t-shirt & more, 410 Bagby St.,

<https://www.aquariumrestaurants.com/downtownaquariumhouston/default.asp> **learn, enjoy, kids, fish, Houston**

Trebley Park TRIVIA NIGHT Jun. 10, 6 - 8 p.m., trivia night in the park, Topic: MARVEL, 1515 Fannin St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> **enjoy, park, Houston**

ALIEF VOTES YOUTH CONFERENCE Jun. 14, 11 a.m. – 2:30 p.m., learn about the enriching history of Alief, connect with local leaders, and learn about civic participation through interactive, engaging, and inclusive speakers and activities, plus breakout discussions on various policy topics—health care, voter engagement, immigration, and more, Alief Neighborhood Center, 11903 Bellaire Blvd., https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdzb7v0kyqfkW_DECGv1qzdSm_euAkqe7DhUyFDWwkVCVUB6A/viewform **learn, meeting, Houston**

BIKE BRAYS BAYOU Jun. 17, 7 p.m., join group 11-mile bike ride on paved trails along Brays Bayou, meet at Chick Fil A, 6840 W Sam Houston Pkwy., <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> **enjoy, cycle, water, park, Houston**

INDOOR TROPICAL GARDENING Jun. 14, 10 a.m., speaker discusses various plants that do well both indoors and can thrive outdoors in the Houston climate, Buchanan's, 611 East 11th St., <https://bucharansplants.com/events/> **learn, care, class, garden, Houston**

ADAPTATION MOVIE SCREENING Jun. 9, 7:15 p.m., screening of film adaptation, Buchanan's, 611 East 11th St., <https://bucharansplants.com/events/> **enjoy, media, garden, Houston**

Sheldon Lake State Park [TEACHER WORKSHOP](#) **Jun. 16**, six hour training that introduces attendees to the Texas Wildlife Association, in-class and outdoor lessons and activities, and how to incorporate natural resources into classrooms or programming, 14140 Garrett Rd, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/sheldon-lake/park_events [learn](#), [animals](#), [kids](#), [garden](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

[COFFEE POP-UP](#) **Jun. 12, Jun. 13, Jun. 19, Jun. 21 & Jun. 22, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.**, enjoy a coffee while you stroll among the plants, Buchanan's, 611 East 11th St., <https://bucharansplants.com/events/> [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

Nature Discovery Center [PARK WORK DAY](#) **Jun. 12 & Jun. 19, 9 – 10:30 a.m.**, volunteers assist with a variety of park maintenance tasks and special projects like removing invasive species, growing out & planting natives, watering recently planted plants, maintaining trails, and more, 7112 Newcastle, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> [care](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

Children's Museum of Houston [PICNIC SCIENCE](#) **ongoing thru Jul. 31, 3 – 7 p.m.**, series of ongoing activities *held outside at the The W.T. & Louise J. Moran Foundation picnic tables* near the EcoStation, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

[PEACE CAMP](#) **Jun. 9 – Jun. 13 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27**, kids learn concepts of peace, equality, and justice at the appropriate age level, develop self-esteem and critical thinking skills, respect for the environment and each other, (6/9): kids 6 – 6th grade, Unity Church of Houston, 2020 Unity Dr., (6/23): grades 6 - 12, Bay Area Unitarian Universalist, 17503 El Camino Real, https://hpjc.org/peace-camp/?link_id=3&can_id=503046b507bd5ba632c9a072ea6e9894 [learn](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Houston Museum of Natural Science [FABERGE: EGGS & TIMELESS TREASURES](#) ongoing, exhibit of the work of Carl Faberge & his workmasters, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org **enjoy, Houston**

[COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM](#) **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18, 5 – 8 p.m.**, Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) program educates volunteers about disaster preparedness for the hazards that may occur where they live, learn readiness, people helping people, rescuer safety, and doing the greatest good for the greatest number, Freed Community Center, 6818 Shadyvilla Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, Houston**

[RIMAS DEL BOSQUE](#) **Jun. 21, 11 a.m.**, niños descubrirán el mundo de los árboles y su importancia a través de cuentos con rimas divertidas y actividades interactivas, Freed Community Center, 6818 Shadyvilla Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, learn, tree, kids, Houston**

Sheldon Lake State Park [OUTDOOR SKILLS DAY CAMP](#) **Jun. 18 – Jun. 20, 9 a.m. - noon**, learn camping basics, archery and fishing in the park, for kids ages 8 – 12, 14140 Garrett Rd, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/sheldon-lake/park_events **learn, enjoy, fish, camp, kids, park, Houston**

[YOGA IN THE PARK](#) **Jun. 16 & Jun. 23, 9 a.m.**, enjoy yoga class in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., <https://evelynspark.org/events> **enjoy, park, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science [SUNDIAL CELEBRATION: SUMMER SOLSTICE](#) **Jun. 21, 1 p.m.**, join museum astronomers for a summer solstice celebration & learn about the solstice, www.hmns.org **learn, star, Houston**

STORY TIME & CRAFT Jun. 21, 10 a.m., kids enjoy a story about dragonflies & creating their own beaded dragonfly, Buchanan's, 611 East 11th St., <https://buchanansplants.com/events/> enjoy, animals, kids, garden, Houston

SOLAR CO-OP ongoing thru Jul. 2, join this solar co-op to leverage a volume purchase to get a discount on your panels, register with no obligation, open to property owners in Harris, Fort Bend, Waller, Montgomery, Liberty, Chambers, Galveston, and Brazoria Counties, <https://switchtogether.com/en/solar/harriscounty/home> care, energy, pollution, Houston

BUBBLES & BOARD GAMES Jun. 12 & Jun. 19 and Jun. 16 & Jun. 23, 11 a.m., kids enjoy bubbles & board games in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., suitable for kids, prizes awarded, <https://evelynspark.org/events> enjoy, kids, park, Houston

Houston Botanic Garden **BOTANICAMP: ARBOR MANIA** Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, kids 5 – 11 explore the diversity, science, and wonder of trees through hands-on activities, investigations, games, and crafts, 8505 N. Bayou Dr., <http://hbg.org/programs> learn, enjoy, kids, tree, garden, Houston

Houston Museum of Natural Science **MIND OVER MATTER** Jun. 4 & Jun. 12, 6:30 p.m., (6/12): Yoga class, (6/19); Pilates class, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org enjoy, Houston

Space Center Houston **MISSION CONTROL SPACE U** Jun. 9 – Jun. 13 & Jun. 30 – Jul. 2 8 a.m. - 4 p.m., challenging multi-day program promotes teamwork, problem solving, communication and engineering solutions to space related situations, for youth 15 – 18, 1601 E. NASA Pkwy., <https://spacecenter.org/membership/member-events/> learn, kids, star, Houston

DANZ JAMZ IN THE PARK Jun. 14 & Jun. 21, 8 a.m., enjoy cardio energy dance class in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., suitable for kids, prizes awarded, <https://evelynspark.org/events> **enjoy, park, Houston**

LIGHTS OUT TEXAS! ongoing thru Jun. 15, 11 p.m. – 6 a.m., to aid migrating birds that are threatened by light pollution, Texans turn out lights from 11 p.m. to 6 a.m. during the spring migration period, <https://houstonaudubon.org/conservation/bfc/lights-out.html> **care, bird, pollution, Houston**

BILINGUAL ZUMBA PARTY Jun. 21, 11 a.m., session blends Latin-inspired dance moves with dynamic cardio, Finca Tres Robles, 5715 Canal St., <https://smallplaces.org/events/> **enjoy, farmers, Houston**

TRANSITION ON TAP Jun. 12, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m., networking event devoted to fostering conversations and connections among the climate and energy transition ecosystem in Houston and beyond, Greentown Labs, 4200 San Jacinto St., <https://greentownlabs.com/event/june-transition-on-tap/> **learn, meeting, energy, pollution, Houston**

BUDDING NATURALIST CAMP Jun. 23 – Jun. 26, 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., camp for rising 3rd-5th graders, offering a diverse range of activities such as nature walks, bird watching, fishing, dip-netting, gardening, geocaching, flower pressing, and games, Environmental Institute of Houston, UH-Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://www.uhcl.edu/environmental-institute/> **enjoy, learn, kids, fish, bird, walk, garden, Houston**

VOLUNTEER DAY Jun. 14, 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., volunteers assist with farm tasks, Finca Tres Robles, 5715 Canal St., <https://smallplaces.org/events/> **care, enjoy, farmers, Houston**

MANANA PARA MAYORES/SENIOR MORNING Jun. 18, 9 - 11 a.m., seniors enjoy coffee, bread, fruit, and good company while enjoying the view of what's growing in the field, games and activities available, Finca Tres Robles, 5715 Canal St., <https://smallplaces.org/events/> enjoy, farmers, Houston

AIRPORT DAY Jun. 17, 5 – 7 a.m., volunteers see students off at Hobby airport as they leave on 2-week outdoor adventures, <https://thewoodsproject.org/calendar/> care, kids, Houston

CIRCLE TIME Jun. 13 & Jun. 20, 11 a.m., deeply immersive, full body experience utilizes healing instruments such as crystal bowls, koshi chimes, rain sticks and even incorporates aromatherapy to take your body, mind and senses on a healing journey to a blissful state, Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., <https://evelynspark.org/events> enjoy, park, Houston

Houston Aquarium ZOOLOGIST FOR A DAY Jun. 21, 9 a.m., kids 6 – 12 learn what it takes to be a zoologist, includes guided tour (including behind the scenes), tiger training demonstration, animal food preparation & feeding, scavenger hunt & games, animal enrichment design, lunch, t-shirt & more, 410 Bagby St., <https://www.aquariumrestaurants.com/downtownaquariumhouston/default.asp> learn, enjoy, kids, animals, Houston

CYCLIST SOCIAL Jun. 18, 6 p.m., cyclist get-together, the bike-curious also welcome, Phoenix, 1915 Westheimer Rd., www.bikehouston.org enjoy, meeting, cycle, Houston

AIRPORT DAY Jun. 21, 7 - 9 a.m., volunteers see students off at Hobby airport as they leave on 2-week outdoor adventures, <https://thewoodsproject.org/calendar/> care, kids, Houston

Houston Aquarium [LATIN BEATS](#) Jun. 13 & Jun. 20, 7 - 10 p.m. (Fri. thru Aug. 15), enjoy Latin dancing at the aquarium, free salsa lessons, 410 Bagby St., <https://www.aquariumrestaurants.com/downtownaquariumhouston/default.asp> enjoy, fish, Houston

[GARDEN VOLUNTEERING](#) Jun. 11, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers assist in planting, cultivation and harvesting, Jean Fefer Teaching Garden, 1911 W. 34th St., https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar care, enjoy, garden, Houston

Levy Park [STORYBOOK OPERA](#) Jun. 21, 11 a.m., opera singer presents an engaging and enjoyable introduction to opera for students Pre-K – 2 featuring singing storytellers for 30 minutes of captivating fun, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> enjoy, kids, park, Houston

Houston Botanic Garden [BOTANICAMP: FARMS & FIELDS](#) Jun. 16 – Jun. 20, kids 5 – 11 explore everything from soil to seed and discover the magic of growing plants, 8505 N. Bayou Dr., <http://hbg.org/programs> learn, enjoy, kids, garden, Houston

[WONDERPOPS POP-UP](#) Jun. 21, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m., enjoy natural artisan ice pops while you stroll among the plants, Buchanan's, 611 East 11th St., <https://buchanansplants.com/events/> enjoy, garden, Houston

Houston Museum of Natural Science [SUMMER CAMP](#) Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, Jun. 16 – Jun. 20 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 10 a.m., variety of topics for kids ages 6 - 12, check schedule for details, some camps virtual, start times for virtual camps may vary, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., <http://www.hmns.org> learn, enjoy, media, kids, Houston

TAI CHI IN THE PARK Jun. 10 & Jun. 17, 9 a.m., enjoy 30-minute Tai Chi class in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., suitable for kids, prizes awarded, <https://evelynspark.org/events> **enjoy, park, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science **DEATH BY NATURAL CAUSES** ongoing, exhibit of venomous & poisonous animals, toxic elements & minerals and more, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org **learn, animals, Houston**

DANCE!! IN LEVY PARK Jun. 14 & Jun. 28, 1 p.m., enjoy dance-focused program for kids of all ages in the park, kids learn about the human body while exploring creative movement, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> **enjoy, learn, kids, class, park, Houston**

Trebley Park **FLOW & BREATH** Jun. 11 & Jun. 18, 6:30 p.m., and Jun. 14 & Jun. 21, 10 a.m., breathe and flow through calming movements at Trebley Park—relax, recharge, and connect mind and body in nature's embrace in the park, 1515 Fannin St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> **enjoy, park, Houston**

BENEFIT BINGO Jun. 11 & Jun. 18, 6 - 8 p.m., fundraiser for the park at Betsey's, Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., suitable for kids, prizes awarded, <https://evelynspark.org/events> **care, enjoy, kids, park, Houston**

Discovery Green **ATLAS** ongoing, enjoy interactive public art installation featuring 24 handcrafted and hand-painted ethereal glowing moths on a monumental scale in the park, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> **enjoy, animals, park, Houston**

GROWING URBAN FARMERS COURSE ongoing, contemplating a career change, seeking a healthier lifestyle for your family, or wanting to contribute to your community by growing healthy food

using climate friendly regenerative farming practices? Join this course at Hope Farms, 10401 Scott St., <https://www.facebook.com/HopeFarmsHTX/> **learn, care, farmers, class, Houston**

Houston Zoo **GALAPAGOS ISLANDS** **ongoing**, new exhibit showcasing wildlife of the legendary island chain, exhibit immerses guests in an environment evoking the archipelago's unique landscapes and oceanic habitats, includes more California sea lions, Galápagos tortoises, & a colony of Humboldt penguins, 6200 Hermann Park Dr., www.houstonzoo.org **enjoy, animals, Houston**

CAMP PAWSOME **Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, Jun. 16 – Jun. 20 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.**, kids learn about animal science and welfare through lessons and guest speakers, includes hands-on activities, outdoor adventures, and up-close encounters with shelter animals and Wildlife Center ambassadors, 6/9 & 6/23: 3 – 6 grade, 6/16: 6 – 8th grade, Houston Humane Society Animal Shelter at 14700 Almeda Rd., <https://www.houstonhumane.org/education/camp-pawsome> **learn, enjoy, kids, animals, Houston**

Houston Aquarium **WORLD RAINFOREST DAY** **Jun. 22**, learn all about rainforests, the animals that live there, their importance & how you can save them thru activities such as crafts, games, animal appearances, keeper chats, & more, 410 Bagby St., <https://www.aquariumrestaurants.com/downtownaquariumhouston/default.asp> **enjoy, learn, care, kids, animals, Houston**

POLLINATOR GARDEN **Jun. 21, 10 a.m. - noon**, learn how to transform your yard into a sanctuary for pollinators, Magnolia Multi-Service Center, 7037 Capitol St., <https://www.bayoupreservation.org/event> **learn, care, garden, animals, class, Houston**

Houston Zoo JURASSIC GIANTS ongoing thru Sep. 1, enjoy prehistoric adventure featuring 6x more Dinosaurs, with 60 NEW dinosaurs, 6200 Hermann Park Dr., www.houstonzoo.org **enjoy, learn, animals, kids, Houston**

Exploration Green TREE WATERING VOLUNTEERS ongoing, volunteers needed to water trees until new irrigation system is installed, water on your own scheduled, contact Susan Parker (egcvol2@gmail.com) to volunteer, 1801 Neptune Ln., Clear Lake, <https://www.facebook.com/ExplorationGreen/> **care, tree, park, Houston**

SOUND MEDITATION IN LEVY PARK Jun. 3 & Jun. 17, 7 p.m., enjoy a sound bath in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> **enjoy, class, park, Houston**

Texas Wildlife Rehabilitation Center BUILDING MATERIALS DRIVE ongoing, Wildlife Rehabilitation Department needs building materials for outdoor enclosures to acclimate our animals to living outdoors before release, bring materials to 10801 Hammerly Blvd., <http://www.twrcwildlifecenter.org/> **care, animals, Houston**

Market Square Park RELAX & RESTORE Jun. 9, Jun. 16 & Jun. 23, 7 p.m., unwind and recharge with gentle exercises, deep stretching, and mindful movement to restore balance and reduce stress in the park, 301 Milam St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> **enjoy, park, Houston**

FREE LEAD TESTING ongoing, enrollment open for the voluntary Lead Testing in School and Child Care Program, a free statewide program to test for lead in drinking water at public schools (K-12) and regulated childcare facilities, trains participants to collect samples, tests their drinking water for lead, and helps them take action to reduce lead in drinking water,

<https://www.tceq.texas.gov/drinkingwater/lead-testing-school-and-child-care-drinking-water/voluntary-lead-testing-program> **learn, care, pollution, kids, Houston**

SUNSET/NIGHT HIKE MEMORIAL PARK & FIRESIDE CHAT/SNACK **Jun. 14, 7 p.m.**, join group 5 mi. hike in Memorial Park at sunset/night, followed chat/snack by firepit at 9:40 p.m., meet at running center, 7575 N. Picnic Ln., <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> **enjoy, walk, park, Houston**

GREAT PARK ADVENTURE **Jun. 12, 2 p.m.**, learn about Bayou Preservation Association's Watershed Explorer Kits, an engaging, and interactive experience designed specifically for children, Jacinto City Library, 921 Akron St., <https://www.bayoupreservation.org/event> **learn, water, kids, Houston**

Children's Museum of Houston **ANIMAL PARTY** **Jun. 12, 11 a.m. – 6 p.m.**, hands-on encounters with fascinating reptiles, engaging story-time sessions, and an unforgettable live show, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> **enjoy, learn, animals, kids, Houston**

CENTRAL CITY CO-OP MARKET VOLUNTEERS **ongoing**, Central City Co-Op is looking for volunteers to help us in the store, 420 E. 20th St., <http://www.centralcityco-op.com/> OR <https://calendly.com/centralcityco-op/come-volunteer-at-the-co-op> **care, farmers, Houston**

Market Square Park **FAMILY FITNESS** **Jun. 15 & Jun. 22, 11:30 a.m.**, fun and inclusive class that combines movement, games and play to strengthen family bonds and promote well-being in the park, 301 Milam St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> **enjoy, park, Houston**

Space Center Houston **SPACE U** **Jun. 16 – Jun. 20 & Jun. 30 – Jul. 2, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.**, challenging multi-day program promotes teamwork, problem solving, communication and engineering solutions to

space related situations, for kids 11 – 14, 1601 E. NASA Pkwy.,
<https://spacecenter.org/membership/member-events/> **learn, kids, star, Houston**

NIGHT HIKE **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18, 7 p.m.**, join group hike along Buffalo Bayou, meet at Water Works, 105 Sabine St., <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> **enjoy, walk, park, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science **NINE NATIVES** **Jun. 9, 9 – 11:30 a.m.**, volunteers tend native plant garden at the museum, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> OR <https://www.coastalprairieconservancy.org/event-calendar> **care, enjoy, garden, Houston**

Midtown Park **713WALKS & THE HUEMON SHELTER PROJECT** **Jun. 14, 8 a.m.**, walking events exploring the HueMan:Shelter project- a series of captivating public art projects, 2811 Travis St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> **enjoy, walk, park, Houston**

Houston Botanic Garden **CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS** **ongoing**, the garden needs volunteers to help their small staff, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://pages.wordfly.com/houstonbotanicgarden/pages/Volunteer-Interest-Form/> **care, enjoy, walk, garden, tree, Houston**

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center **DISCOVERY DAYS** **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.**, interpretive hike on trails, close-up look at wildlife & habitats, and adventure play, kids 5 - 12, 6/17 Topic: Nature's Recyclers, 6/10 Topic: Creature Features, 4501 Woodway Dr, www.houstonarboretum.org **enjoy, learn, walk, animals, kids, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science [WEEKDAY LABS](#) dates vary, times vary, topics cover physical sciences, history, biology, & earth science, dissection, contact museum for details, some offered virtually, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [animals](#), [Houston](#)

Children's Museum of Houston [LET'S PLAY PARTY](#) Jun. 14, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m., opening of Let's Play: The Musical, full day of playful, toy-themed fun from DJ-led games to hands-on activities and giant games in the museum, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Houston Museum of Natural Science [MEET & EAT EXTREME ANIMAL ENCOUNTERS](#) Jun. 21, 8:30 a.m., breakfast, an exclusive tour with Museum docents, and special early access to the exhibit - a graphic novel aiming to reveal the strange and wonderful specializations animals exhibit to give them a leg up on the competition or evade predators, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org [learn](#), [animals](#), [Houston](#)

[SING! MOVE! PLAY!](#) Jun. 14 & Jun. 28, 11 a.m., kids enjoy action-packed workshops filled with singing, rhythmic movement, and creative play in the park, led by Houston Grand Opera, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

Memorial Park [A CENTURY OF STORIES](#) ongoing, signs throughout the park tell its 100-year history, enter at Clay Family Eastern Glades, 7575 North Picnic Ln., <http://www.hermannpark.org/calendar/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [walk](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center [LITTLE EXPLORERS](#) Jun. 12 & Jun. 19, 11 a.m. (Thurs. thru Aug. 7), for kids 2 – 4 enjoy a morning full of hands-on nature activities, 6/19 Topic – Day at the Beach, 6/12 Topic – P is for Prairie, 4501 Woodway Dr, www.houstonarboretum.org [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [animals](#), [garden](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

SALLY'S NIGHT Jun. 21, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., documentary about Dr. Sally K. Ride, first American woman in space, plus new mural & interactive activities, Space Center Houston, 1601 E NASA Pkwy., <https://spacecenter.org/events/> **learn, enjoy, star, Houston**

Trebley Park **LIMITLESS STRENGTH** Jun. 12 & Jun. 19, 6:30 p.m., high-energy, one-hour class featuring Dynamic Strength Training and HIIT Cardio designed to build strength and endurance in the park, 1515 Fannin St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> **enjoy, park, Houston**

BREATH(E): TOWARD CLIMATE & SOCIAL JUSTICE ongoing, exhibition considers art practices that address the climate crisis and its inevitable intersection with issues of equity and social justice, Rice University - Moody Center for the Arts, 6100 Main St., <https://moody.rice.edu/exhibitions/breathe> **learn, Houston**

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center **SUMMER CAMP ALL GROWN UP** Jun. 19, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m., summer camp for adults, hands-on activities, crafts, outdoor exploration plus snack & beer, ages 21+, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://houstonarboretum.org/learn/> **enjoy, learn, Houston**

Children's Museum of Houston **KIDS LABS** ongoing thru Sep. 5, 11 a.m. – 2:30 p.m., chemistry labs for kids, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> **learn, enjoy, kids, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science **KING TUT'S TOMB DISCOVERY EXPERIENCE** ongoing, enjoy exhibit that duplicates experience of initial discovery of King Tut's tomb in 1922, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org **enjoy, Houston**

Children's Museum of Houston **BABY YOGA** Jun. 10 & Jun. 17, 10 a.m. (Tues. in Jun.), learn exercises that benefit your little one's early development, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> **learn, class, kids, Houston**

Buffalo Bayou WELLNESS WALK Jun. 11 & Jun. 18, 6:30 – 8 p.m., walk with discussion of mental/physical health & benefits of time in nature, meet at The Water Works, 105 Sabine St., www.buffalobayou.org **enjoy, learn, walk, park, Houston**

Children's Museum of Houston MAKER CREW WORKSHOPS Jun. 17 – Jun. 19, 9:15 – 11:15 a.m., kids embark on a maker project of their very own devising, learning how to generate ideas, research, develop, plan, design, prototype, troubleshoot, and finally fabricate a finished project, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> **learn, enjoy, kids, Houston**

Children's Museum of Houston LET'S PLAY: THE MUSICAL Jun. 14 – Aug. 10, 11:30 a.m. – 6 p.m., when the kids are away, the toys come to life in this playful tale in the museum, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> **enjoy, kids, Houston**

SUMMER GARDENING & WATER-WISE TECHNIQUES Jun. 11, 4:30 – 6 p.m., class covers planning your planting around the heat, and sustainable watering techniques such as mulching, irrigation methods, and rain barrels, plus monthly do's and don'ts, summer planting, and maintenance tasks, 6500a Chimney Rock Rd., <http://urbanharvest.org/> **learn, care, class, garden, Houston**

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center SUMMER CAMPS Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, Jun. 16 – Jun. 20 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 9 a.m. – noon or 9 a.m. – 3 p.m., fun-filled week-long camps for kids 4 – 12 to explore the natural world through active indoor/outdoor hands-on activities, week of 6/23: Forest Rangers, week of 6/9: Marvelous Mammals, week of 6/16: Nature Callin', 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://houstonarboretum.org> **enjoy, learn, animals, garden, fish, bird, tree, kids, Houston**

ALL ABOUT MELONS Jun. 18, 9:30 – 11 a.m. & Jun. 25, 4:30 – 6 p.m., learn the most successful ways to grow a variety of melons, the history of a melons, and the best melons to grow for the Houston area, includes the most common mistakes when planting, and pest and insect management

& melon sampling, (6/18): 3316 De Soto St., (6/25): 6500a Chimney Rock Rd., www.urbanharvest.org
[learn](#), [class](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

Children's Museum of Houston [FATHER'S DAY FUN FEST](#) **Jun. 15, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.**, story-time, fun lawn games and a challenge that'll get you up and moving in the museum, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

ONGOING OPPORTUNITIES IN HOUSTON

[SOLAR ENERGY SYSTEM WORKSHOP](#) **last Fri., 2 – 4 p.m.**, free workshop teaches basics of solar system installation & operation, covers types of solar arrays, costs, labor, permitting, energy savings & reliability, TXRX, 205 Roberts, <https://houstonrenewableenergy.org/event-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 27** [learn](#), [class](#), [energy](#), [pollution](#), [Houston](#)

[NORTHEAST HOUSTON FARMERS' MARKET](#) **1st & 3rd Sat., 9 a.m. - noon**, local products, LBJ Hospital Community Farm, 5656 Kelley St., mobile market at 5425 Troost St., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** [care](#), [farmers](#), [Houston](#)

Kickerillo-Mischer Preserve [NATURE CENTER WITHOUT WALLS](#) **varies, 9 - 11 a.m.**, learn about nature topics & current events/activities, 20215 Chasewood Park Dr., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> Next Opportunity **TBD** [learn](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

Mandell Park COMPOST WORKDAYS Sat., 10 a.m. – noon, care for compost pile in the park, Mandell & Richmond Ave., <https://www.facebook.com/MandellPark> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, enjoy, garden, recycle, park, Houston

Sims Bayou Urban Nature Center MAINTENANCE MONDAY 3rd Mon., 7 – 10 a.m., (Sep. thru May), volunteers tend to gardens, weed, prune, maintain trails, repair infrastructure, & more, 3997 River Dr., <http://houstonaudubon.org> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, bird, garden, walk, Houston

MONTROSE FARMERS' MARKET Sun., 8 a.m. – 1 p.m., fresh produce, locally-produced foods, 600 Hyde Park Blvd., Next Opportunities **Jun. 15 & Jun. 22** care, farmers, Houston

Midtown Park CHILDREN'S STORY TIME 3rd Sat., 10:30 a.m., guest reader of kids' books from Houston Mobile Library, 2811 Travis St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** enjoy, kids, park, Houston

CO-HOUSING HOUSTON MEETING 1st Weds., 6 p.m., group promoting co-housing in Houston, open to those interested in or curious about co-housing, online, <https://www.cohousinghouston.com/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 2** learn, media, meeting, Houston

MEMORIAL VILLAGES FARMERS' MARKET Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., farmers' market, music, kids' activities, food demonstrations, lectures & more, 1st Congregational Church, 10840 Beinhorn Rd., <http://www.mvfarmersmarket.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, farmers, kids, Houston

Bagby Park ADULT RECESS 3rd Weds., 6 - 8 p.m., happy hour and oversized lawn games, nostalgic board games, interactive games, and an activity cart, 415 Gray St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, park, Houston

CENTRAL CITY CO-OP MARKET Tues. – Sat., 8 a.m. – 5 p.m., Sun., 8 a.m. – 3 p.m., open market of organic & local fresh produce, also have community supported agriculture shares, pick-up on Weds., 420 E. 20th St., <http://www.centralcityco-op.com/> **care, farmers, Houston**

HOUSTON PARKS ACTIVITIES ongoing, variety of dates/times, many activities offered by the Houston Parks Dept. for people of all ages in various city parks, from sports to tutoring to hands-on stewardship projects and more, <https://www.calendarwiz.com/calendars/calendar.php> **enjoy, learn, park, Houston**

HOUSTON FARMERS' MARKET daily, 5:30 a.m. - 6 p.m., produce, baked goods, meat & more, 2520 Airline Dr. <https://thehoustonsfarmersmarket.com/> **care, farmers, Houston**

Sims Bayou Urban Nature Center **FAMILY FIRST FRIDAY** 1st Fri., 9:30 – 11:30 a.m., (Sep. thru May), kids 3 – 6, with parent/guardian, learn about the natural world through instruction, educational games, crafts, & outdoor adventures 3997 River Dr., <http://houstonaudubon.org> Next Opportunity **TBD** **learn, enjoy, class, bird, kids, Houston**

MILBY PARK CLEAN-UP 4th Fri., 9 – 11 a.m., volunteers clean up litter & plant trees in the riparian restoration area, 2001 Central St., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, pollution, garden, tree, park, Houston**

Market Square Park **SWEAT & STRETCH** Weds., 6:30 p.m., fun, high energy, self-paced, HIIT influenced, free body weight workout followed by a full body stretch in the park, 301 Milam St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> Next Opportunities **TBD** **enjoy, park, Houston**

ALIEF COMMUNITY GARDEN FARMERS' MARKET 2nd Sat., 10 a.m. – noon, farm fresh produce, 8409 ½ Dairy View, <https://imdhouston.org/about/programs-projects/farmers-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** care, farmers, Houston

BIKE TOURS daily, Bayou City Bike Tours offers guided rides for groups along Heights Blvd. & Buffalo Bayou, 1824 Spring St., <http://www.bayoucitybiketours.com/book-a-tour/> enjoy, cycle, Houston

Mandell Park **WORK DAY** last Sat., 8 a.m. – noon, volunteers perform needed tasks in park, could include trimming trees, weeding, cleaning, planting & other tasks, Mandell & Richmond Ave., <https://www.facebook.com/MandellPark/events> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, tree, garden, pollution, park, Houston

DRUM JAM AT LEVY PARK one Sun./month, 3:30 p.m., enjoy drum concert in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, enjoy, class, kids, park, Houston

BRAESWOOD FARMERS' MARKET Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., fresh produce, prepared foods, & more, 5501 Beechnut, <http://www.braeswoodfarmersmarket.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, farmers, Houston

WELLNESS WALK LEVY PARK 1st & 3rd Mon., noon, enjoy a walk in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, enjoy, class, kids, park, Houston

Children's Museum of Houston **GARDENING** 1st & 3rd Fri., 7 - 10 a.m., volunteers clean up weeds, thinning areas, planting, and more in the gardens, 1500 Binz St., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 20** enjoy, learn, kids, Houston

Trebley Park **BEATS & FLOW** Sat., 10 a.m., enjoy yoga class in the park, 1515 Fannin St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> Next Opportunities **TBD** enjoy, park, Houston

FARMERS' MARKET Sat., 9 a.m. – noon, Hope Farms farmers' market, fresh produce, local vendors, kids' activities, classes, gardening tips & more, 10401 Scott St., <https://www.facebook.com/HopeFarmsHTX/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, farmers, kids, Houston

HOUSTON RENEWABLE ENERGY GROUP MEETING usually 2nd Tues., 7 p.m., monthly meeting of group promoting renewable energy in Houston, open to the public, United Way, 50 Waugh Dr., <http://houstonrenewableenergy.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10 (moved online)** learn, meeting, energy, Houston

TANGO CLASS AT LEVY PARK Thurs., 7 p.m., enjoy tango class in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunities **TBD** learn, enjoy, class, kids, park, Houston

TREE FARM WORKDAY 3rd Thurs., 8:30 – 11 a.m., volunteers propagate & care for trees, including potting seedlings, weeding pots & planting seeds, benefit Houston parks, Clinton Park Tree Farm, 158 Mississippi St., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 19** care, garden, tree, park, Houston

Nature Discovery Center **NATURE STORY TIME** **Weds., 4 – 5 p.m.**, pre-schoolers & caregivers enjoy stories, puppets, specimens, songs & more, all activities outdoors, 7112 Newcastle St, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18** **enjoy, kids, Houston**

RIVER OAKS FARMERS' MARKET **3rd Sun., 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.**, 20 curated vendors, all local businesses, fresh produce, baked goods, handmade condiments & more, 4444 Westheimer Rd. <https://ynfma.org/calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** **care, farmers, Houston**

BODY BARRE AT LEVY PARK **Weds., 6 p.m.**, body barre class in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, learn, media, class, park, Houston**

Discovery Green **RECYCLING SATURDAYS** **most Sat., 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.**, recycle sorted paper, plastic, glass, & aluminum at the park, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **care, recycle, park, Houston**

Levy Park **YOUNG AUDIENCES** **certain Sat., 1 p.m.**, kids enjoy live art experiences in the park, duration 1 – 1.5 hours, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** **enjoy, kids, park, Houston**

REDEMPTION SQUARE FARMERS MARKET **4th Sat., 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.**, fresh produce/local vendors, 250 Assay St., <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 28** **care, farmers, Houston**

Hermann Park **BAYOU SAVANNAH WORK DAY** **certain Sat.s, 9 a.m. - noon**, volunteers work on pocket prairie, near 6520 Almeda, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, garden, park, Houston**

Levy Park SLOW FLOW YOGA alternate Fri., 8 a.m. & Weds., 7 p.m., all levels yoga flow, build strength & mobility, set to music, class ends with a sound bath, in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 20 and Jun. 11 & Jun. 18** enjoy, class, park, Houston

Discovery Green TAI CHI Sat., 10:15 – 11:15 a.m., learn tai chi from expert instructor, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, class, park, Houston

BIKE STUFF SWAP MEET 2nd Sat., 10 a.m. – 3 p.m., sale/swap for all things bike, Houston Bike Museum, 5512 Crawford St., <https://www.facebook.com/groups/htxbike/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** care, cycle, Houston

Levy Park TAI CHI Fri., 9 - 10 a.m., tai chi class in the park open to all ages/skill levels, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 13 & Jun. 20** enjoy, class, park, Houston

KICKERILLO MISCHER BIRD SURVEY 1st Mon., 8 - 10 a.m., join group for bird survey, 20215 Chasewood Park Dr., www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **Jul. 7** care, enjoy, walk, bird, Houston

BOLLYWOOD IN LEVY PARK Sat., 10 a.m., Bollywood-style dance class in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** enjoy, media, park, Houston

BIKE RIDES various days/times, join group rides, various locations, organized by Bike Barn stores, <http://bikebarn.com/articles/upcoming-rides-pg66.htm> enjoy, cycle, Houston

VEGAN SOCIETY OF PEACE MONTHLY MEETING 2nd Sat., 6 – 9 p.m., potluck, presentations, food demons, product samples, door prizes & more, HCC, 3100 Main St., <http://www.vegansocietyofpeace.org/vegan2ndsaturdays> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** **learn meeting, animals, Houston**

Discovery Green **SCREEN ON THE GREEN** **varies**, family-friendly movie in the park, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14, 7 – 10 p.m.** **enjoy, media, kids, park, Houston**

MOVIE IN LEVY PARK **usually last Fri., start time varies**, family movie in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, media, kids, park, Houston**

KEEP 5 ALIVE 2nd Sat., 9 – 11 a.m., volunteers pick up trash & clean flower beds in Fifth Ward Civic Club, corner of Market & Lockwood, <http://www.houstonbeautiful.org/news--events.html> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, pollution, garden, Houston**

Space Center Houston **MEMBER MORNING** 2nd Sat., 8 a.m., members enter early, 1601 E. NASA Pkwy., <https://spacecenter.org/membership/member-events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** **enjoy, Houston**

OLIVEWOOD CEMETERY CLEAN-UP 1st & 3rd Sat., 9 – 11 a.m., volunteers remove brush & do landscaping at historic cemetery, 1300 Court St., <http://www.descendantsofolivewood.org/category/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** **care, garden, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science **PLANETARIUM SHOWS** **ongoing, times vary**, free entry for members on Jun. 16, wide variety of shows, Burke Baker Planetarium, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., see

www.hmns.org for offerings & times, Currently showing: Are We Alone?, Black Holes, Cosmic Collisions, Dark Side of the Moon, Death of the Dinosaurs, Deep Space Live, Expedition Reef, Experience the Aurora, Forward to the Moon, Passport to the Universe, Solar Superstorms, Starry Night Express, & The Great Planet Adventures, www.hmns.org [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [media](#) [Houston](#)

EPA AIR, CLIMATE, ENERGY WEBINAR SERIES 3rd Tues., 2 p.m., EPA shares current research & activities related to air pollution, associated health/environmental risks & reducing air pollution, <https://www.epa.gov/air-research/air-climate-energy-research-webinar-series> Next Opportunity **Aug. 19**, Topic: Changing Chemistry of the Environment [learn](#), [media](#), [class](#), [pollution](#), [Houston](#)

PLANT PROPAGATION WORKDAYS 2nd & 4th Thurs., 9 a.m. – noon, volunteers seed pots, bump up trays to 1-gallon containers, separate seedlings & weed pots of native plants, HPARD Greenhouse, 6501 Memorial Dr., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 12** [care](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

Hermann Park CHILDREN'S STORY HOUR most Fri., 10 - 11 a.m., little ones listen to story in McGovern Centennial Garden, 6100 Hermann Park Dr., <http://www.hermannpark.org/calendar/> Next Opportunity **TBD** [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

EPA WATER RESEARCH WEBINAR SERIES last Weds., 2 p.m., EPA shares current research & activities related to integrity of water systems in U.S., <https://www.epa.gov/water-research/water-research-webinar-series> Next Opportunity **Jun. 25**, Topic: Risk-Based Framework for Fit-for-Purpose Water Reuse: State of the Science **learn, media, class, water, Houston**

CANOEING/KAYAKING/SUP/SURFING daily, rentals, guided tours & lessons available, variety of locations, Bayou City Adventures, 1520 Silver St., <http://bayoucityadventures.org/> **enjoy, boat, Houston**

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center **TRAILS & WILDSCAPES** 3rd Sat., 9 a.m. – noon, volunteers maintain trails in the arboretum, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** **care, enjoy, garden, walk, Houston**

Hermann Park **PEDAL BOATS** daily, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m., rent pedal boats to use on pond in Hermann Park, 6100 Hermann Park Dr., <http://www.hermannpark.org/calendar/> **enjoy, boat, park, Houston**

SCIENCE AT LEVY PARK last Sun., 2 p.m., kids learn natural science in the park, taught by Houston Museum of Natural Science, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **learn, enjoy, media, class, kids, park, Houston**

Midtown Park **BEATS & EATS** 4th Fri., 6 - 9 p.m., live music & food in the park, 2811 Travis St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, park, Houston**

ELECTRONICS RECYCLING 1st Sat., 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., Kingwood Metro Park & Ride, 3210 W. Lake Houston Pkwy., https://www.houstontx.gov/solidwaste/electronics_recycling.html Next opportunity **Jul. 5** **care, recycle, Houston**

ZUMBA IN LEVY PARK Sun., 9 a.m. & Mon., 6:30 p.m., Zumba class in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 16 & Jun. 23 and Jun. 15 & Jun. 22** enjoy, learn, class, park, Houston

Memorial Park GREENHOUSE VOLUNTEER DAYS dates/times vary, volunteers work in park greenhouse to care for native plants, 6501 Memorial Dr., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> OR <https://memorialparkconservancy.volunteerhub.com/vv2/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, garden, park, Houston

Houston Museum of Natural Science MEMBER EVENT 2nd Sat., 8 – 10 a.m., the museum opens one hour early for members on the second Saturday, family programming, tours & crafts, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org, Next Opportunities **Jun. 14**, Topic: T. Rex Week enjoy, kids, Houston

Memorial Park NATIVE PLANT NURSERY dates/times vary, volunteers work in park greenhouse or tree nursery to care for native plants/trees, 6501 Memorial Dr. (Maintenance Yard), https://memorialparkconservancy.volunteerhub.com/?format=1&filter=%7B%7D#_=_ Next Opportunity **TBD** care, tree, garden, park, Houston

Bagby Park CHALK ON THE BLOCK 1st Sat., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., artists create art on the sidewalks near the park, 415 Gray St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, park, Houston

Houston Museum of Natural Science FREE TUESDAYS Tues., 5 - 8 p.m., free admission to permanent exhibits, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17** learn, Houston

Bagby Park GET FIT 2nd & 4th Sat., 9:30 – 11:30 a.m., high intensity interval training for first hour, followed by yoga for second hour, 415 Gray St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** enjoy, park, Houston

YAPPY HOUR Tues., 6 p.m., get tips for urban pet living & get your questions answered by an expert in Levy Park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, enjoy, animals, park, Houston

Bagby Park HEROES AGAIN BOOT CAMP Mon., 6:30 – 7:30 p.m., program with Fitmix Yoga & Latin Fitness Studio to offer a safe space for fitness & mental health, 415 Gray St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, park, Houston

MID-MAIN BLOCK PARTY 1st Thurs., 6 - 10 p.m., music, prepared food, produce & more, benefits local non-profits, 3606 Main St., <http://www.midmainhouston.com/firstthursday/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 3** care, farmers, Houston

Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary GUIDED NIGHT HIKE usually monthly on Fri., 7 – 8:30 p.m. (Oct. – Mar.), enjoy guided night hike of the sanctuary to observe nocturnal creatures, kids 6+ welcome, 440 Wilchester Blvd., www.houstonaudubon.org Next opportunity **TBD** enjoy, walk, kids, animals, bird, Houston

HEARTHSTONE GARDEN CLUB MEETING 3rd Tues., 6:30 – 9 p.m., members of garden club meet, 7615 Ameswood Rd. & online, <https://hearthstonegardenclub.com/index.php/activities/> OR <https://www.facebook.com/groups/hearthstonegardenclubtx> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, enjoy, meeting, garden, Houston

Sheldon Lake State Park **BIRD SURVEY** 1st Sun., 8 a.m., (Sep. – May), bird survey in the park, 14140 Garrett Rd., <https://houstonaudubon.org/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 6** care, enjoy, park, bird, Houston

KIDS BINGO NIGHT AT LEVY PARK Thurs., 4:30 p.m., kids enjoy bingo in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 12 & Jun. 19** enjoy, kids, park, Houston

MARKET ON THE BAYOU Mon., 4 - 8 p.m., art, prepared food, produce & hand-made crafts, Raven Tower, 310 North St., https://www.facebook.com/mondaymarketonthebayou/?ref=page_internal Next Opportunity **TBD** care, farmers, Houston

Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary **GUIDED TOUR** usually 1st Sat., 9:30 - 11 a.m. (except summer), enjoy guided tour of the sanctuary, including visit to the historic log cabin & interpretive hike through the forest, 440 Wilchester Blvd., www.houstonaudubon.org Next opportunity **TBD** enjoy, walk, Houston

Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary **COMMUNITY WORK DAY** usually 3rd Sat., 9 a.m. – noon (except summer), maintain bird sanctuary, children 5+ welcome, 440 Wilchester Blvd., register with www.houstonaudubon.org OR <https://volunteersignup.org/3BQXD> Next opportunity **Jun. 21** care, kids, Houston

Baldwin Park **SOUND BATH MEDITATIONS** 2nd Weds., 6 - 7 p.m., free class in the park, sound bath meditation using sound as a tool to cultivate & support deep relaxation, 1701 Elgin St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 11** enjoy, class, park, Houston

Memorial Park **EASTERN GLADES CONSERVATION HORTICULTURE** **dates/times vary**, volunteers maintain gardens in the park, including pruning, weeding, planting & removing invasive species, E. Memorial Loop Dr. (Eastern Glades Parking Lot), https://memorialparkconservancy.volunteerhub.com/?format=1&filter=%7B%7D#_=_ Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, garden, park, Houston**

Hermann Park **MEMBERS RIDE FREE** **2nd Sat., 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.**, members enjoy free ride on Hermann Park Railroad, 6100 Hermann Park Dr., <http://www.hermannpark.org/calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** **enjoy, kids, park, Houston**

BIRD SURVEY **usually 3rd Sat./month, 7:30 - 9:30 a.m. (except summer)**, join group for birding, Woodland Park, 212 Parkview, <https://www.friendsofwoodlandpark.org/> OR www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, walk, bird, park, Houston**

Nature Discovery Center **OUTDOOR EXPLORERS** **Thurs., 4:30 - 6 p.m.**, kids 5 – 12 (max 10 kids enjoy lessons, outdoor investigations, crafts, animals encounters & more, 7112 Newcastle St, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, learn, kids, animals, garden, tree, Houston**

MOBILE MARKET **4th Weds., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, the Famers' Market comes to you, Baker Ripley East Aldine, Aldine Mail Rte., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, enjoy, farmers, Houston**

LET'S DO THIS, HOUSTON BIKE RIDES **date/times vary**, organized ticketed group rides with a variety of themes, <https://www.letsdothishouston.com/calendar> **enjoy, cycle, Houston**

PHOTO WORKSHOP AT PARK usually 1st Sat., 10 a.m., learn photography in Levy Park with Houston Center for Photography experts, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **learn, enjoy, media, class, photo, park, Houston**

LADIES RIDE last Sun., 8 – 11 a.m., join outing for a supported ladies ride, meet at The Hive, 4486 W 12th St., brunch afterward optional, <https://www.facebook.com/groups/htxbike/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 29** **enjoy, cycle, Houston**

Sheldon Lake State Park PRAIRIE RESTORATION Tues., 9 a.m. – noon, ongoing restoration of native prairie, 14140 Garrett Rd, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17** **enjoy, park, garden, Houston**

Midtown Park YAPPY HOUR occasionally, 4:30 – 6:30 p.m., treats for your dog, giveaways, contests & prizes in the park, 2811 Travis St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 27** **enjoy, animals, park, Houston**

PLANT PROPAGATION most Weds./Thurs., 8 – 11 a.m., volunteers propagate plants in wetland nursery at Exploration Green or plant plants in the park, corner of Seakale & Bay Area Blvd., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> OR <https://www.explorationgreen.org/calendar> or <https://txmn.org/gbmh/events/> OR <https://www.facebook.com/ExplorationGreen/events> Next Opportunities **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18 and Jun. 12 & Jun. 19, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.** **care, garden, park, Houston**

Buffalo Bayou HISTORY BOAT TOUR usually one Sat./month, 10 – 11:30a.m., guided historical tour along Buffalo Bayou, leaving from Allen's Landing, 1001 Commerce St., www.buffalobayou.org Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **enjoy, boat, park, Houston**

Buffalo Bayou **VOLUNTEER DAY** usually 3rd or 4th Sat., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers help maintain the park, meet at Water Works, 105 Sabine St., www.buffalobayou.org Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** care, park, water, Houston

Buffalo Bayou **BOAT RIDES** certain Weds./Sat., time varies seasonally 45-minute boat rides along Buffalo Bayou, from Allen's Landing, 1001 Commerce St., www.buffalobayou.org Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.** enjoy, boat, park, Houston

MOBILE MARKET 4th Thurs., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, Baker Ripley Gulfton, 6500 Rookin St., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 26** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

GARDEN LECTURE 2nd Thurs., 7 - 8 p.m., lecture on a gardening topic, Delores Fenwick Nature Center, Pearland, <https://pearlandrecycles.com/calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 12 (moved online)** Topic: TBD learn, media, lecture, media, garden, Houston

Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary **SANCTUARY STEWARDS** Sat./Sun., 7 a.m. – 7 p.m., volunteers answer questions, monitor sanctuary to keep an eye out for issues, enforce sanctuary rules & more, educational materials provided to volunteers, shifts are 3 hours, 440 Wilchester Blvd, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next opportunities **Jun. 14/Jun. 15 & Jun. 21/Jun. 22** care, enjoy, Houston

Midtown Park **THROWBACK THURSDAY WORKOUT** 3rd Thurs., 6:30 – 7:30 p.m., enjoy fun, retro music-inspired workout while enjoying hits from the 80s, '90s, & early 2000s in the park, 2811 Travis St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, class, park, Houston

VOLUNTEER IN SCHOOL GARDEN 2nd Sat., 9 a.m. – noon, volunteers work in the Grassroom at Kolter Elementary School, consisting of Pocket Prairies, Pollinator Gardens, raised beds & orchards, 9710 Runnymede Dr., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** care, enjoy, garden, kids, Houston

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Office GREEN THUMB LECTURE (Jan – Oct.): 2nd Mon., 10 p.m., Genoa Friendship Gardens, 1210 Genoa Redbluff Rd. & online, 3rd Tues., 11 a.m., online, <https://harris.agrilife.org/events/> OR <https://hcmga.tamu.edu/events/> OR <https://txmg.org/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17, 11 a.m. (moved online)** Topic: Cover Crops and Living Mulches learn, media, lecture, garden, Houston

Exploration Green TREE NURSERY 2nd & last Sat., 8 a.m. – noon, volunteers repot, prune & stake trees, 1801 Neptune Ln., Clear Lake, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> & <https://www.explorationgreen.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** care, tree, park, Houston

MOBILE MARKET 2nd Weds., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, Plaza Santa Clara, 5616 Lawndale St., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary HOME SCHOOL NATURE DAYS occasional Thurs., 9:30 a.m. - noon (during school year), educational activities for children ages 3+, includes activities, games, and crafts around the sanctuary, come and go anytime from 9:30 AM to noon, 440 Wilchester Blvd., www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, enjoy, kids, animals, garden, Houston

MEYERLAND FARMERS' MARKET Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., farmers sell their produce, Pilgrim Lutheran Church, 8601 Chimney Rock, <https://www.facebook.com/meyerlandfm/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, farmers, Houston

Kickerillo-Mischer Preserve **NATURE EXPLORERS CLUB** 3rd Weds., 9:30 - 11 a.m. (Sep. – Dec.), discover intricacies of nature through exploration, observation & journaling, ages 9 - 12, 20215 Chasewood Park Dr., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, learn, class, kids, park, Houston

MOBILE MARKET 2nd Thurs., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, HOPE Clinic, 13930 Bellaire Blvd., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 12** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

Buffalo Bayou **WALKING TOUR** usually 3rd Sat., time varies, guided tour by naturalist, meet at Water Works, 105 Sabine St., www.buffalobayou.org Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** enjoy, park, water, walk, Houston

Exploration Green **STEWARDSHIP SATURDAY** 3rd Sat., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers engage in various stewardship activities ranging from planting (trees, grasses, forbs, and wetland vegetation), removing invasive plant species, and collecting and removing litter and debris from the park space, 16205 Diana Ln., <https://www.explorationgreen.org/calendar> OR <https://www.facebook.com/ExplorationGreen/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** care, garden, pollution, park, Houston

FAMILY STORY TIME IN LEVY PARK Tues., 10 a.m., kids enjoy stories in the park, followed by activity or craft, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17** enjoy, kids, animals, park, Houston

Exploration Green STEWARDSHIP FRIDAY Fri., 8 a.m. - noon, volunteers help maintain all of our 200 acres as we remove tallow and woody invasives, 16205 Diana Ln., <https://www.explorationgreen.org/calendar> Next Opportunities **TBD** care, garden, tree, park, Houston

Nature Discovery Center YOGA IN THE PARK Sat., 8:30 a.m., free yoga class (donations accepted) in a beautiful natural setting, 7112 Newcastle St, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, learn, park, Houston

MOBILE MARKET usually 2nd Sat., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, Project Row Houses, 2310 Elgin, <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Office OPEN GARDEN DAY (Mar. – Oct.): 3rd Mon., 8:30 - 11 a.m., enjoy touring Genoa Friendship Garden, 1202 Genoa Red Bluff Rd., <https://hcmga.tamu.edu/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 16** enjoy, walk, garden, Houston

Buffalo Bayou BOOKS ON THE BAYOU 1st Sat., 9 & 10 a.m., story time event for infants, toddlers, & preschoolers (best for 6 months – 4 years) & their parents/caregivers, includes silly stories, rhymes, & songs, with a chance to check out books at Houston Public Library's Mobile Express, 9 a.m. in English, 10 a.m. in Spanish, Barbara Fish Daniel Nature Play Area in Buffalo Bayou Park, 105 Sabine St., www.buffalobayou.org Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, kids, park, Houston

Discovery Green GREEN FLEA BY NIGHT usually 3rd Sat., 6 – 10 p.m., flea market, artful kitsch, vintage items, recycled/repurposed, collectibles & more, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/flea> OR <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> Next Opportunities **Jun. 21** care, recycle, park, Houston

Houston Federated Garden Clubs MONTHLY MEETING 2nd Fri., 10 a.m., general meeting, speaker at each meeting, Faith Lutheran Church, 4600 Bellaire Blvd., <https://www.houstonfederationgardenclubs.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, meeting, garden, Houston

MOBILE MARKET 2nd Weds., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, Wesley Community Center, 1410 Lee St., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

CITIZEN'S CLIMATE LOBBY MEETING 2nd Sat., 11 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., organization that advocates for carbon fee & dividend to address climate change, currently meeting online, https://citizensclimatelobby.org/chapters/TX_Houston_Central/ Next Opportunity **Jun. 14 (moved online)** learn, media, meeting, energy, pollution, Houston

HISTORIC HOUSTON SALVAGE WAREHOUSE open by appointment, purchase materials reclaimed from historic homes, 1200 National St., (832) 409-5503, <http://www.historichouston.org/> care, recycle, Houston

BIRD WALK usually 3rd Fri., 8 a.m., meet at cabin, Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary, 440 Wilchester Blvd., 713-464-4900 or <http://www.houstonaudubon.org> Next Opportunity **Jun. 20** enjoy, bird, Houston

MOBILE MARKET 4th Sat., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, Trinity United Methodist Church, 2600 Holman, <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

Discovery Green CONCERT IN THE PARK occasionally, 7 p.m., concert in the park to start your weekend early, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, media, park, Houston

HERSHE GARDEN WORKDAY 4th Sat., 9 a.m. – noon, volunteers work in Hershe Garden, 4516 Hershe St., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 28** care, enjoy, garden, Houston

SIERRA CLUB Monthly Meeting usually 3rd Weds., 6:30 – 8:30 p.m., Bay Area Community Ctr, 5002 E. NASA Pkwy, Seabrook, <http://www.meetup.com/Houston-Sierra-Club-Outings/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD (moved online)** Topic: TBD care, learn, media, Houston

ENERGY CORRIDOR FARMERS' MARKET 2nd & 4th Thurs., 3:30 – 6:30 p.m., locally-grown, farm-fresh produce for sale, 1520 Eldridge Pkwy., <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 12** care, farmers, Houston

ECO-LOGY Tues., 3 – 4 p.m., **EXPLORATION** Mon. 5 – 6 a.m., **VEGAN WORLD** Tues., 8 – 9 p.m., KPFT, Next opportunities Jun. 10 & Jun. 17 and Jun. 16 & Jun. 23 **learn, care, media, Houston**

MOBILE MARKET 1st & 3rd Tues., 1 – 4 p.m. (during school year), the Famers' Market comes to you, Third Ward Multiservice Center, 2900 Holman, <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, enjoy, farmers, Houston**

Children's Museum of Houston **FREE FAMILY NIGHT** 2nd Thurs., 5 - 8 p.m., member event, activities, music, & more in the museum, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 12**, Topic: Video Storytelling **enjoy, kids, Houston**

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center **BIRD COUNT** usually 2nd Sat., 8 – 10 a.m., meet in front of center to document birds in arboretum, 4501 Woodway Dr, <http://houstonarboretum.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** **care, bird, Houston**

Discovery Green **CONSCIOUS BREATHING & SOUND MEDITATION YOGA EN ESPANOL** Mon., 6:30 – 7:30 p.m., prácticas de Yoga, Respiración y Meditación de Sonido, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 9, Jun. 16 & Jun. 23** **enjoy, class, park, Houston**

MOBILE MARKET 4th Sat., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, New Hope Housing Rittenhouse, 577 W. Rittenhouse St., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, enjoy, farmers, Houston**

Wildlife Center VOLUNTEER TRAINING twice monthly on Sat., 10 – 11:30 a.m., (except Nov./Dec./Jan.) 7007 Katy Rd, 713 861-9453, <http://www.wildlifecenteroftexas.org/> Next opportunity TBD **learn, care, animals, Houston, class**

Discovery Green PURE BARRE Weds., 6:30 p.m. (thru Jun. 25), full-body workout focused on core strength, joint stability, and muscle toning with isolation, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18** **enjoy, class, park, Houston**

SMITH STREET FARMERS' MARKET 1st Weds., 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., exciting and diverse selection of local vendors providing handmade goods, locally sourced produce, grass-fed meat, cold-pressed juice, baked goods, jams, and specialty products, The ACRE at Allen Center, <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, farmers, Houston**

Discovery Green HATHA YOGA some Sat., 9 - 10 a.m., practice yoga for enhanced awareness & a strong, healthy body, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **enjoy, class, park, Houston**

SIERRA CLUB Monthly Meeting 2nd Thurs., 7 – 10 p.m., United Way, 50 Waugh Dr., <http://www.meetup.com/Houston-Sierra-Club-Outings/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 12**, Topic: Beloved Anoles of the Southern U.S. **care, learn, meeting, energy, Houston**

Discovery Green INTERVAL TRAINING Weds., 6:30 – 7:30 p.m., interval training, burn calories while gaining strength & endurance, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, class, park, Houston**

MOBILE MARKET 4th Thurs., 2 – 4 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, Burbank Middle School, 315 Berry Rd., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** [care, enjoy, farmers, Houston](#)

Houston Galveston Area Council PARKS & NATURAL AREAS Meeting usually 2nd Mon., 2 – 4 p.m., discussion of parks/natural areas in 13-county region, 3555 Timmons Ln., justin.bower@h-gac.com Next Opportunity **Jun. 9** [learn, media, meeting, park, Houston](#)

MCKINNEY STREET FARMERS' MARKET 1st & 3rd Weds., 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., exciting and diverse selection of local vendors providing handmade goods, locally sourced produce, grass-fed meat, cold-pressed juice, baked goods, jams, and specialty products, Central Plaza at Houston Center, 1200 McKinney St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **Jun. 18** [care, farmers, Houston](#)

TABLE TENNIS IN LEVY PARK Mon., 1 p.m., enjoy table tennis matches in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** [enjoy, park, Houston](#)

MOBILE MARKET 4th Tues., 3 – 6 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, Avenue Center, 3517 Irvington Blvd., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 24** [care, enjoy, farmers, Houston](#)

NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY Monthly Meeting 2nd Mon., 6:45 p.m., University of Houston –Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://seeds.org/chapters/clearlake/> Next opportunity **Jun. 9 (hybrid)**, Topic: Teaching About Monarchs in Low-tech Spaces [learn, meeting, media, lecture, garden, Houston](#)

RICE U. BIRD WALK some Tues., 7:30 a.m., volunteers count birds at Rice University, meet at Intramural Field 6, 6100 Main St., www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17** care, bird, Houston

Houston Galveston Area Council ORGANICS RECOVERY ROUNDTABLE quarterly, meeting promotes recovery of food waste & other organic materials, 3555 Timmons Ln., erin.livingston@h-gac.com, Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, care, meeting, garden, Houston

MOBILE MARKET 2nd Tues., 9 a.m. - noon, the Famers' Market comes to you, Clark Park, 9710 Clark Rd., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** care, enjoy, park, farmers, Houston

BAYOU RIDE 1st Sun., 8 – 11 a.m., Bike Houston offers guided educational ride, start at Market Square Park, 301 Milam St., moderate pace with stops, www.bikehouston.org Next Opportunity **Jul. 6** enjoy, cycle, water, Houston

PLANT IT FORWARD FARM STAND Sun., 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. & Sat., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., farm-fresh produce for sale from local Plant it Forward farms, Sun: 12581 Dunlap, Sat: University of St. Thomas, 1318 Sul Ross St., http://plantitforward.farm/purchaseourproduce/#_farmstand Next Opportunities **Jun. 14/Jun. 15 & Jun. 21/Jun. 22** care, farmers, Houston

Houston Galveston Area Council LIVABLE HOUSTON INITIATIVE 4th Weds., 12 - 1:30 p.m., discuss vision of desired future for Houston residents & how to achieve, 3555 Timmons Ln., justin.bower@h-gac.com Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, meeting, park, Houston

LOCAL ECONOMY ACTION GROUP Meeting 2nd Weds., 6:30 p.m., seedbed for approaches to sustainable businesses, Start Houston, 1121 Delano St., Next Opportunity **Jun. 11** care, meeting, learn, Houston

COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY RECYCLING COALITION usually 2nd Thurs., 1 – 2 p.m., webinar shares information among those working on waste reduction on college campuses, <http://curc3r.org/webinars/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 12**, Topic: Engaging Custodial Teams learn, media, pollution, recycle, Houston

MOBILE MARKET 1st & 3rd Thurs., 2 - 4 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, Blackshear Elementary School, 2900 Holman St., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, park, farmers, Houston

BAT CHAT 1st & 3rd Fri., 30 min. before sunset, Waugh Street Bridge Allen Pkwy & Waugh, <https://www.houstontx.gov/parks/bats.html> Next Opportunity **Jun. 20** learn, enjoy, animals, Houston

MOBILE MARKET 2nd Weds., 2 – 5 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, Wesley Community Center, 1410 Lee St., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

TRANSITION HOUSTON Monthly Meeting usually 1st Tues., 7 – 9 p.m., Group supports transition from oil dependency to local resilience, Haven's Center, 1827 W. Alabama, <https://www.facebook.com/groups/TransitionHouston> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, meeting, Houston

Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary **TUESDAY TRAIL CREW** Tues., 9 a.m. – noon, trail maintenance, 440 Wilchester Blvd., www.houstonaudubon.org Next opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17** [care](#), [walk](#), [Houston](#)

TEXAS MASTER NATURALIST TUESDAY usually 2nd Tues., 12 - 1 p.m., webinar, covers different advanced topic each month, <https://txmn.tamu.edu/tmntuesdays/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10**, Topic: Shell by Shell: Community-based Oyster Gardening for Ecosystem Restoration [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [animals](#), [fish](#), [tree](#), [garden](#), [bird](#), [Houston](#)

Humane Society Houston **VOLUNTEER INTEREST MEETING & ORIENTATION** usually 1st & 2nd Tues., 6 p.m., learn to care for animals in center, 10801 Hammerly Blvd., <https://www.houstonhumane.org/> Next Opportunities **Jul. 1** (meeting) & **Jun. 10** (orientation) [care](#), [learn](#), [class animals](#), [Houston](#)

YOUTH BIRDING CLUB 3rd Sat., 9 – 11 a.m., youth explore campus & birds that live there with experienced birder/birding educator, Environmental Institute of Houston, UH-Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://www.uhcl.edu/environmental-institute/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** [enjoy](#), [bird](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Houston Audubon **ARCHBISHOP FIORENZA PARK BIRD SURVEY** usually 4th Mon., 7:30 a.m., join group to survey birds, 13551 Westpark, www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **Jun. 23** [care](#), [enjoy](#), [walk](#), [park](#), [bird](#), [Houston](#)

YOUTH BIRDING CLUB 4th Sat., 11:30 a.m., kids 7 - 13 explore birds/birding, GTBC, 8909 Jackrabbit Rd., <https://www.explorationgreen.org/calendar-of-events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 28** [enjoy](#), [bird](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary **NATIVES NURSERY VOLUNTEERS** most Weds./Fri., 8 – 11 a.m., separate seedlings, re-pot plants, 440 Wilchester Blvd., www.houstonaudubon.org & <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next opportunities **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18 and Jun. 13 & Jun. 20** care, garden, Houston

CITIZENS' TRANSPORTATION COALITION Meeting 3rd Thurs., 5:30 p.m., group focusing on public transportation, Rudyard's Pub, 2010 Waugh, <https://www.facebook.com/CTCHouston/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 19** learn, meeting, pollution, Houston

HOUSTON CRITICAL MASS Cycling Event last Fri., 7 p.m., meet other cyclists at Guadalupe Plaza Park, 2311 Runnels St., ride around Houston, to make Houston more bike-friendly. <http://houstoncriticalmass.com/> Next opportunity **Jun. 27** care, enjoy, cycle, Houston

Houston Botanic Garden **GUIDED TOURS** by reservation, private guided tours of the garden, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> enjoy, learn, walk, garden, Houston

Houston Botanic Garden **NATIVE AREAS GARDENING** Weds. – Sat., 9 a.m. – noon, volunteers work in native plant gardens, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 11 – Jun. 14 & Jun. 18 – Jun. 21** care, enjoy, garden, Houston

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Office **MASTER GARDENER LECTURE** 1st Tues., noon, lectures on a variety of horticultural topics, Trini Mendenhall Community Center, 1414 Wirt Rd., fun & education for adults/kids, <https://hcmga.tamu.edu/lecture-series/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 1**, Topic: TBD learn, enjoy, garden, kids, Houston

EPA TOOLS & RESOURCES WEBINAR SERIES 3rd Weds., 2 p.m., EPA shares resources & information that are practical & can be applied, <https://www.epa.gov/research-states/epa-tools-and-resources-webinar-series> Next Opportunity **Jun. 18**, Topic: EPA's Flood Cleanup Resources: Promoting Community Resilience through Risk Communication **learn, media, meeting, pollution, Houston**

GARDEN VOLUNTEERS Sat., 8 – 10 a.m., volunteers work in community garden, start time changes seasonally, 3201 Airline, [Facebook.com/beautys-community-garden](https://www.facebook.com/beautys-community-garden) OR <https://app.vomo.org/project/beautys-community-garden> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **care, garden, Houston**

HOUSTON PARKS & RECREATION **varies**, wide variety of activities at Houston parks, <https://www.houstontx.gov/parks/> **enjoy, park, kids, Houston**

Nature Discovery Center **CURIOUS KIDS** Tues., 10 – 11:15 a.m. (during school year), pre-K science program, 7112 Newcastle St, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17** **learn, enjoy, class, kids, Houston**

PRELUDE MUSIC SERIES AT LEVY PARK **monthly, usually 4 p.m.**, enjoy music for families in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, media, kids, park, Houston**

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center **ROVING NATURALIST** Sat., 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., naturalist available to educate/answer questions, 4501 Woodway Dr., www.houstonarboretum.org Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **learn, walk, Houston**

RICE VILLAGE FARMERS MARKET 1st & 3rd Sun., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., fresh produce, prepared foods & more, Kelvin Dr. & Amherst St., <https://rice-village.com/happenings/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** care, farmers, Houston,

ACRES HOMES FARMERS' MARKET 1st & 3rd Sat., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., fresh produce from area farms, cooking class on the 3rd Sat. (register at: <https://www.facebook.com/beautyscommunitygarden/>), 2500 S Victory Dr., <https://www.facebook.com/events/501745514426431/501745521093097/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

Discovery Green **YOGA FLOW & SOUND MEDITATION** Tues., 6:30 – 7:30 a.m., Strengthen your body, relax your mind & find your center with this dynamic flow yoga sequence & sound healing, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17** enjoy, class, park, Houston

FLORAL FRIDAYS Fri., 11 a.m., online program on horticulture, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 13 & Jun. 20** learn, media, garden, lecture, Houston

SENIOR BIRDING BUS TRIPS usually monthly, day varies, normally 8 or 9 a.m., bus transport from Memorial City Mall, snack & guide, reservations required, bring your own lunch, 303 Memorial City Way, www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **Jun. 17**, Location: Sea Center Texas enjoy, learn, walk, bird, Houston

Houston Audubon **HOUSTON BOTANIC GARDEN BIRD SURVEY** usually 2nd Mon., 8 a.m., join group to survey birds, 8505 N. Bayou Dr., www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **Jul. 14** care, enjoy, walk, park, bird, Houston

NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY Monthly Meeting 3rd Thurs., 6:45 – 9:30 p.m., Houston Arboretum & Nature Center, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://www.npsot.org/calendar/> Next opportunity **Jun. 19** (hybrid), Topic: TBD [learn](#), [media](#), [meeting](#), [lecture](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

NATIVE PLANT GARDEN VOLUNTEERS monthly, volunteers maintain native plant gardens at the Houston Zoo, 6200 Hermann Park Dr., contact sallyhilliard2@gmail.com to sign up, <https://www.npsot.org/calendar/> Next opportunity **TBD** [care](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [animals](#), [Houston](#)

CHALLENGES & TREATMENT SOLUTIONS FOR SMALL WATER SYSTEMS last Tues., 1 p.m., monthly webinar by EPA to communicate with drinking water systems professionals, <https://www.epa.gov/water-research/small-drinking-water-systems-webinar-series> Next Opportunity **Jun. 24**, Topic: Technical Assistance for PFAS and Lead [learn](#), [lecture](#), [media](#), [water](#), [Houston](#)

GREATER EAST END FARMERS' MARKET Sun., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., 2700 block of Navigation, across from Ninfa's, eastendhouston.com/market Next Opportunities **Jun. 15 & Jun. 22** [care](#), [farmers](#), [Houston](#)

ORGANIC HORTICULTURE BENEFITS ALLIANCE MEETING 4th Weds., 5 - 7 p.m., members of the Organic Horticulture Benefits Alliance meet virtually to discuss current events, San Jacinto Environmental Supply, 2221 W. 34th St., <https://www.ohbaonline.org/register> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD [learn](#), [meeting](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

City of Houston **MATTRESS RECYCLING** 2240 Central Street or 5565 Kirkpatrick. **Weds. - Sun. 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.** (Daylight Savings Time) & **9 a.m. - 6 p.m.** (Non-Daylight Savings Time) [care](#), [recycle](#), [Houston](#)

Nature Discovery Center [TREE I.D.WALK](#) **1st Sat., 10 – 11 a.m.** guided tree walks in park to learn to identify trees, 7112 Newcastle St, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD**
learn, enjoy, walk, tree. park, Houston

Houston Audubon [GLENBROOK PARK BIRD SURVEY](#) **usually 2nd Mon., TBD**, join group to survey birds in a park adjacent to the Houston Botanic Garden, 8201 N Bayou Dr., www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, enjoy, walk, park, bird, Houston**

[TEXAS PARKS & WILDLIFE on PBS](#) **Sat. 3 p.m.**, <https://www.pbs.org/show/texas-parks-and-wildlife/> Next opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **learn, Houston, park, animals, media**

[HOUSTON COMMUNITY TOOLBANK WAREHOUSE TOUR](#) **3rd Thurs., 9 – 10 a.m.**, toolbank lends tools to nonprofits, community groups & corporate volunteers doing charitable work, 1215 Gazin St., <http://www.houstontoolbank.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 19** **care, Houston**

[BROMELIAD SOCIETY MEETING](#) **3rd Tues., 6:30 – 8:45 p.m.**, bromeliad society meets, speaker each month, Judson Robinson Jr. Community Center, 2020 Hermann Dr., <https://bromeliadsocietyhouston.org/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** **learn, care, garden, meeting, Houston**

Houston Audubon [BIRDING CLASS & FIELD TRIP](#) **usually one Sat./month & a prior weekday**, birding class at the Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary, 440 Wilchester Blvd., followed by birding trips in/outside Houston for ages 12+, see calendar at www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **Class: TBD Topic: TBD (moved online), Trip: TBD, Location: TBD** **enjoy, learn, media, bird, Houston**

VOLUNTEER TUESDAYS **Tues., 9 – 11 a.m.**, volunteer in demonstration habitat, Environmental Institute of Houston, UH-Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://www.npsot.org/calendar/> OR <https://txmn.org/gbmn/events/> OR <https://www.uhcl.edu/environmental-institute> Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17** **care, garden, Houston**

Houston Audubon MEMBER FIELD TRIP **usually 4th Sat.**, birding trips in/outside Houston for ages 12+, members of Houston Audubon, see calendar at www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **TBD**, Location: TBD **enjoy, bird, Houston**

EASTERN GLADES BIRD SURVEY **usually 1st Mon., 8 a.m.**, join group for bird survey in Eastern Glades portion of Memorial Park, meet at Fitness Center on Arnott St., <https://www.memorialparkconservancy.org/visit/#eventcalendar> OR <https://houstonaudubon.org/programs/calendar.html> Next Opportunity **Jul. 7** **care, enjoy, walk, bird, park, Houston**

WHITE OAK BAYOU BOARD MEETING **2nd Tues. (except November), 7 – 8 p.m.**, monthly board meeting of the White Oak Bayou Association, location varies, to attend, call them at 765-426-1743, <http://whiteoakbayou.org> Next Opportunity **TBD** **learn, meeting, water, Houston**

FINCA FARM STAND **Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, fresh produce from Finca Tres Robles, 257 N. Greenwood St., <https://www.fincatresrobles.org/farm-stand> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, farmers, Houston**

NATURE PHOTO ASSOC Meeting **usually 1st Weds., 7 p.m., (Sep. – May)** meet at library, Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary, 440 Wilchester Blvd., 713-464-4900, <http://www.houstonaudubon.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, learn, media, meeting, photo, bird, Houston**

TRASH BASH last Tues./month, 8:30 – 11 a.m., volunteers remove trash from ER & Ann Taylor Park, 1850 Reed Rd., <https://www.facebook.com/natureheritagesociety> Next Opportunity **Jun. 24** care, enjoy, pollution, park, Houston

Houston Zoo MEMBER MORNINGS 1st Sat., 8 a.m., members get in one hour early, 6200 Hermann Park Dr., www.houstonzoo.org Next Opportunities **Jul. 5** enjoy, animals, Houston

PALM CENTER FARMERS MARKET 2nd & 4th Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., buy locally grown produce, 9314 Cullen Blvd., <https://www.facebook.com/PalmCenterMarket/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** care, enjoy, garden, farmers, Houston

Bagby Park TEACH YOU TUESDAY 1st Tues., 5:30 – 7:30 p.m., learn a different skill each month in the park, 415 Gray St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **Jul. 1** learn, enjoy, class, park, Houston

WESTBURY COMMUNITY GARDEN WORK DAY usually 4th Sat., time varies, volunteers tend the garden, 12581 Dunlap, <http://westburycommunitygarden.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 28** care, garden, Houston

WESTBURY COMMUNITY GARDEN BOARD MEETING 3rd Tues., 6:30 – 7:30 p.m., monthly board meeting open to all garden members, Platou Community Center, 11655 Chimney Rock, <http://westburycommunitygarden.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, care, garden, meeting, Houston

POST HOUSTON FARMERS' MARKET 1st & 3rd Sun., 2 – 6 p.m., market highlights seasonal organic produce and showcases the cultural diversity of Houston's food scene, providing visitors with a free community food lesson, spotlighting other local makers and organizations making a difference toward the city's green future, and offering Houstonians the opportunity to harvest their own fresh, organic produce, Blackwood Skyfarm, 401 Franklin St., <https://blackwoodland.org/calendar/list/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** care, farmers, Houston

Nature Discovery Center [MONDAY MORNING GARDENING](#) some Mon., 9 a.m. – noon, learn about native plant gardening & assist center, 7112 Newcastle St, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** [learn, care, garden, Houston](#)

Exploration Green [BIRD SURVEY](#) 2nd Tues., 7 - 10 a.m., volunteers count birds in the park, 16250 Diana Ln., Clear Lake, <https://www.explorationgreen.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** [care, enjoy, bird, park, Houston](#)

[MASTER NATURALIST Monthly Meeting](#) 1st Thurs., 6:30 – 9 p.m., guest speaker at each meeting, Cherie Flores Garden Pavilion, 1500 Hermann Dr., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next opportunity **Jul. 3**, Topic: TBD [learn, lecture, meeting, Houston](#)

Hermann Park [BIRD SURVEY](#) usually 2nd Mon., 7:30 – 10:30 a.m. Call Jim or Harlan at 713-932-1639, www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **Jul. 14** [care, bird, Houston](#)

Houston Galveston Area Council [PEDESTRIAN & BICYCLE Subcommittee Meeting](#) 3rd Thurs., bimonthly, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m., 3555 Timmons Lane, Call 713-993-2497, Next opportunity **TBD** [learn, cycle, meeting, Houston](#)

[URBAN HARVEST FARMERS MARKET](#) Sat., 8 a.m. – noon, St. John's School, 3401 Westheimer, www.urbanharvest.org Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** [care, farmers, Houston](#)

[FOOD POLICY WORKGROUP Monthly Meeting](#) 2nd Weds., 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., Bring your own lunch, Upper Kirby Building, 3015 Richmond Ave, RSVP jay.crossley@houstontomorrow.org, Next Opportunity **Jun. 11** [learn, meeting, Houston](#)

HOUSTON URBAN GARDENERS Meeting 2nd Mon., 6 - 7:30 pm, Westbury Community Garden, 12581 Dunlap, <http://www.houstonurbangardeners.org/> Next opportunity **Jun. 9** care, learn, meeting, garden, Houston

Bagby Park BRUNCH & BOOKS 1st Thurs., 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., book of the month series with guest speaker in the park, 415 Gray St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, enjoy, park, Houston

Houston Botanic Garden STORY TIME & GARDEN STROLL 3rd Fri., 10:30 a.m., kids book reading in the garden, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 20** enjoy, kids, garden, Houston

MOBILE MARKET 1st & 3rd Weds., 2 – 4 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, Lantrip Elementary School, 100 Telephone Rd., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

ZUMBA CLASS 3rd Tues., 6:30 p.m., enjoy Zumba class at rooftop organic farm, Post HTX, 401 Franklin St. <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, farmers, Houston

Houston Hemerocallis Society MONTHLY MEETING 4th Thurs., 7:30 p.m. (Jan. – Apr., Sep. & Oct.), social, club business, presentation & daylily raffle, Hermann Park, Cherie Flores Garden Pavilion, McGovern Centennial Gardens, 1500 Hermann Dr., <http://www.ofts.com/hhs/> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, enjoy, garden, Houston

Levy Park JAPAN JUNCTION 1st Wed., 4:30 p.m., kids enjoy expanding their cultural horizons thru Japanese storytelling & crafts in the park, duration 1 – 1.5 hours, 3801 Eastside,

<http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Story: TBD, Craft: TBD **enjoy, kids, park, Houston**

MOBILE MARKET 3rd Thurs., 2 – 4 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, Mason Park, 541 S 75th St., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 19** **care, enjoy, farmers, Houston**

Midtown Park **ZUMBA** Tues., 6:30 p.m., Zumba class in the park, 2811 Travis St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17** **enjoy, park, Houston**

MOBILE MARKET 1st Thurs., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., the Famers' Market comes to you, UT Physicians – Greens, 550 Greens Pkwy., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, enjoy, farmers, Houston**

BRAYS BAYOU ASSOCIATION MEETING 3rd Mon., 7:30 – 8:30 p.m., monthly meeting of the association, speaker at each meeting, The Gathering Place, 5310 S. Willow Dr., Contact bobx206@gmail.com Next Opportunity **Jun. 16** **learn, meeting, water, Houston**

Nature Discovery Center **BELLAIRE GARDEN CLUB Meeting** 1st Thurs., 7 p.m. (Mar. – May & Sep. – Nov.), 7112 Newcastle St, Bellaire, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> Next opportunity **TBD** **learn, enjoy, kids, Houston**

Midtown Park **SAMBA** 2nd Tues., 7 - 9 p.m., Samba class in the park, 2811 Travis St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, class, park, Houston**

Lorraine Cherry Nature Preserve [BIRD SURVEYS](#) Tues., 8 a.m. (Sep. – May) & 1st Thurs., 5:30 p.m. (Sep. – Nov. & Feb. – May), volunteers survey birds in the preserve, 2400 W. 11th St., www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17 & Jul. 3** care, enjoy, bird, park, Houston

Buffalo Bayou [TAI CHI](#) Tues., 6 – 7 p.m., Tai Chi class in the park, The Water Works, 105 Sabine St., www.buffalobayou.org Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, class, park, Houston

Willow Waterhole Reserve [PRAIRIE DEMO GARDEN WORK DAY](#) Thurs., 8:30 – 10:30 a.m., volunteers maintain the garden which includes weeding, deadheading, separating grasses which have gotten large, collecting seeds, sowing seeds and planting new native finds, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 12 & Jun. 19** care, enjoy, garden, Houston

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center [NATURE HIKE](#) Sat., 10 & 11 a.m., family-friendly guided nature hike, some hikes in Spanish, 4501 Woodway Dr, www.houstonarboretum.org Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** enjoy, walk, kids, Houston

[HEIGHTS EPICUREAN MARKET](#) 1st Sat., 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., crafts, produce, & more, Grace United Methodist Church, 1245 Heights Blvd., <http://heightsepicurean.com/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 5** care, farmers, Houston

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center [HOME SCHOOL](#) some Mon., 1:30 – 2:30 p.m., different 3-week science unit each month, ages 5 - 12, 4501 Woodway Dr, www.houstonarboretum.org Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, enjoy, kids, Houston

ELECTRONICS RECYCLING 2nd Sat., 9 a.m. – 3 p.m., City of Houston & Compucycle offer recycling of electronics, Ellington Field/Clear Lake Neighborhood Recycling Center, 246 Loop Rd., https://www.houstontx.gov/solidwaste/electronics_recycling.html Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** care, recycle, Houston

Children's Museum of Houston **MEMBER FIRST SATURDAY** 1st Sat., 8:30 a.m., members have the museum, to themselves for 30 min., 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> Next Opportunity **Jul. 5** enjoy, kids, Houston

ELECTRONICS RECYCLING Fri., 8 a.m. – noon, Compucycle accepts drop-off of electronics for recycling, 8019 Kempwood, <https://compucycle.com/compucycle-drop-off-info/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 13 & Jun. 20** care, recycle, Houston

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center **BOY SCOUTING CLASSES** by reservation only, boy scouts learn about nature, 4501 Woodway Dr, www.houstonarboretum.org enjoy, learn, kids, Houston

Bagby Park **MOVIE NIGHT** 3rd Fri., 6 – 10 p.m., enjoy music, and games before showtime at 7:00p.m. - first 100 attendees receive complimentary Poplife Popping Co. popcorn or Twirl cotton candy, plus food truck for food/drinks for purchase, in the park, 415 Gray St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, media, park, Houston

CHILDREN'S MUSEUM GARDENING 1st & 3rd Fri., 7 – 11 a.m., volunteers clean up the weeds, thin areas, & plant, 1500 Binz St., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 20** care, garden, Houston

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center [YOGA ON THE LAWN](#) 3rd or 4th Sun., 9 a.m., class on lawn, Vinyasa flow accessible to all levels, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://houstonarboretum.org> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, learn, class, garden, Houston

BLODGETT URBAN GARDEN FARMERS MARKET Sat., 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., buy locally grown produced, learn about sustainable gardening techniques, & volunteer in the garden, 3216 Blodgett St., <https://blodgetturbangardens.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, enjoy, learn, garden, farmers, Houston

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center [GIRL SCOUTING CLASSES](#) monthly, times varies, girl scouts learn about nature, in person & outdoors, 4501 Woodway Dr, www.houstonarboretum.org Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, enjoy, class, kids, Houston

Willow Waterhole Reserve [BIRD COUNT](#) 3rd Sat., 8 – 11 a.m., volunteers count birds, www.houstonaudubon.org, Next opportunity **Jun. 21** care, bird, Houston

Midtown Park [FAMILY CAPOEIRA](#) 3rd Sat., 7 - 9 p.m., Capoeira (Afro-Brazilian martial art) class in the park, 2811 Travis St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** enjoy, class, kids, park, Houston

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center [GARDENING & LANDSCAPE VOLUNTEERS](#) usually Mon. - Weds., 8 – 11 a.m., volunteers assist staff with gardening & landscaping at the arboretum, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, garden, Houston

Discovery Green ZUMBA Weds., 6:30 – 7:30 a.m., enjoy Zumba class in Spanish & English, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18** enjoy, class, park, Houston

GULF OF AMERICA WEDNESDAY WEBINAR usually last Weds., 1 p.m., webinar from Gulf of America Alliance about resources & projects around the Gulf of Mexico, <https://gulfofamericaalliance.org/announcements/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, lecture, media, animals, Houston

ILLEGAL AMIGOS RIDE Tues., 7:30 p.m., join group ride, start location is George R. Brown Convention Center, 1001 Avenida de las Americas, <https://www.facebook.com/groups/htxbike/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17** enjoy, cycle, park, Houston

Hermann Park WHISTLESTOP PRAIRIE WORK DAY 2nd Fri., 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., volunteers work on pocket prairie at the Whistlestop Prairie next to the entrance to the Japanese Garden and the Obelisk, 6501 Memorial Dr., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 13** care, garden, park, Houston

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center TYKE HIKES some Mon.s, 9:30 & 10:30 a.m., (except summer), for kids 18 mo. – 3 with parent, includes links to book reading & video, craft or activity supplies & suggested stroller-friendly hike, supplies to be picked up at the center, sold as a monthly package, 4501 Woodway Dr, www.houstonarboretum.org Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, learn, walk, kids, Houston

OUTDOOR NATURE CLUB Meeting usually 1st Mon., 6:30 – 8 p.m., 713-664-5206, Bayland Community Center, 6400 Bissonnet, Speaker each month, <http://www.outdoornatureclub.org/> OR

<https://www.facebook.com/OrnithologyGroup> Next opportunity **TBD (moved online)** Topic: TBD
[learn, media, Houston, meeting, lecture, bird](#)

SMITH ST. FARMERS' MARKET **1st Weds., 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.**, selection of local vendors providing handmade goods, locally sourced produce, grass-fed meat, cold-pressed juice, baked goods, jams, and specialty products, The ACRE at Allen Center, 1241-1299 Smith St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **TBD** [care, farmers, Houston](#)

WESTCHASE FARMERS MARKET **Thurs., 3 – 6 p.m.**, Parking lot of St. Cyril's of Alexandria Church, 10503 Westheimer Rd., westchasedistrictfarmersmarket.com Next Opportunities **Jun. 12 & Jun. 19** [care, farmers, Houston](#)

CLUTCH CITY CRUISERS RIDE **Thurs., 7:45 p.m.**, join group ride, start location is Market Square Park, 301 Milam St., <https://www.facebook.com/groups/htxbike/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 12 & Jun. 19** [enjoy, cycle, park, Houston](#)

NATIVE PRAIRIES ASSOCIATION of TEXAS Meeting **usually 4th Weds., 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.**, Red Cross Building, 2700 Southwest Fwy., speaker each month, HNPAT@texasprairie.org, <https://texasprairie.org/events/> Next opportunity **Jun. 25, (hybrid)** Topic: TBD [learn, meeting, lecture, Houston](#)

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center **HATCHLINGS** **some Wed.s, Sat.s, Sun.s, 10 a.m., (except summer)**, for kids up to 24 mo. with parent, kids engage in outdoor nature play in this unique opportunity to interact, explore, and bond with their caregivers in the natural world, 4501 Woodway Dr, www.houstonarboretum.org Next Opportunity **TBD** [enjoy, kids, Houston](#)

Don Greene Park WORK DAY 3rd Sat., 9 a.m. – noon, volunteers work to restore new pocket park, 6009 Cypress St., www.facebook.com/friendsofdongreene OR <https://www.facebook.com/groups/TransitionHouston> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** **care, garden, park, Houston**

HOUSTON CANOE CLUB MEETING usually 2nd Weds., 7 p.m., meeting of canoeing enthusiasts, Bayland Community Center, 6400 Bissonnet St. https://thcc.clubexpress.com/content.aspx?page_id=0&club_id=496051 Next Opportunity **Jun. 11** **(hybrid) learn, meeting, media, boat, Houston**

SUNNYSIDE FARMERS MARKET 1st Thurs., 10:30 a.m. – 2 p.m., buy locally grown produce, 9314 Cullen Blvd., <http://www.gotexan.org/locateGOTEXAN/CertifiedFarmersMarkets/Houston.aspx> Next Opportunity **Jul. 3** **care, enjoy, garden, farmers, Houston**

Houston Zoo BRINGING THE ZOO TO YOU Weds., 11 a.m., online updates of what our furred, flippered, & feathered friends are up to and how zookeepers are caring for them, via Facebook Live, <https://www.facebook.com/houstonzoo> Next Opportunities **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18** **enjoy, media, animals, Houston**

Houston Arboretum & Nature Center BIRD WALK 2nd Sat., 8 - 10 a.m., (except summer), enjoy relaxed guided walk to look for/observe birds, 4501 Woodway Dr, www.houstonarboretum.org Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** **enjoy, walk, bird, Houston**

ELEANORA'S MARKET Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., farmers & artisans sell their wares, Cavatore Italian Restaurant, 2120 Ella Blvd., <http://eleanorasmarket.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **care, farmers, Houston**

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UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES OUTSIDE HOUSTON

Jesse Jones Park YOUNG AUDIENCES Jun. 13, Jun. 20 & Jun. 27, 9 & 10:15 a.m. (Note: no 10:15 a.m. event on 6/27), kids enjoy performance by (6/13): drum & strum (6/20): Birds & Magical Creatures (6/27): The Story of the Lone Star State in the park, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> enjoy, kids, bird, animals, park, outside

Mary Jo Peckham Park KIDS WATER SAFETY Jun. 13, 1 p.m., presentation of the American Red Cross Water Safety Program called Longfellow's Whale Tales which teaches children about safe behavior in and around the water, Katy, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> learn, class, kids, water, park, outside

Big Thicket National Preserve TRASH CLEAN-UP CANOE TRIP Jun. 12, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., volunteers clean up trash in the waters of the preserve, Kountze, <https://www.nps.gov/bith/planyourvisit/calendar.htm> care, pollution, boat, park, outside

Mary Jo Peckham Park HERB GARDENING Jun. 18, 10 a.m., learn to pair herbs, veggies, and flowers for optimal growth & walk away with the top five herbs to grow in Harris County, Katy, <https://hcp4.net/events/> learn, class, garden, outside

Jesse Jones Park SUMMER BREAK OUT Jun. 11, Jun. 12 & Jun. 23, 9 a.m., summer programs available for kids, (6/11) Topic: Embroidery, (6/12) Topic: Natural Dyes, (6/23) Topic: Timeless Toys & Games, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> enjoy, learn, kids, park, outside

John Paul Landing Park [HISTORY OF FISH PRINTS](#) Jun. 14, 2 – 4 p.m., discover the history of Gyotaku fish prints (technique of ink rubbing onto a fish), the way a fisher would record their catch before cameras existed, all ages, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [fish](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Galveston Island State Park [SUNSET WATERCOLOR](#) Jun. 26, 7:30 p.m., paint the sunset from the park's observation tower, Galveston, http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events [enjoy](#), [star](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

[DIY BEACH CLEAN-UP](#) ongoing, get help to organize your own beach clean-up, contact the Gulf Coast Bird Observatory at csilling@gcbo.org, <https://www.gcbo.org/> [care](#), [pollution](#), [beach](#), [outside](#)

Kleb Woods Nature Center [SENIOR BIRDING BUS TRIP](#) Jun. 20, 7 a.m. – 5 p.m., senior outing to view birds around the Houston area, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [bird](#), [outside](#)

Houston Museum of Natural Science [WEEKDAY LABS](#) dates vary, time varies, (during school year), topics cover physical sciences, history, biology, & earth science, some offered virtually, contact museum for details, www.hmns.org/sugarland [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [media](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

Mercer Botanic Gardens [TAI CHI](#) Jun. 18 and Jun. 14 & Jun. 21, 10 a.m., enjoy beginner Tai Chi class in the garden, (indoors on 6/18), 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal [enjoy](#), [class](#), [garden](#), [outside](#)

John Paul Landing Park [LIFE IN THE LAKE](#) Jun. 18, 9 – 10:30 a.m., enjoy the visual display put on by minnows, crawfish and dragonflies while learning how these species contribute to one of Harris County's most diverse ecosystems, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [fish](#), [animals](#), [water](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Gulf Coast Bird Observatory [NURSERY WORK DAYS](#) Jun. 16 & Jun. 23, 9 a.m. - noon, volunteers work in native plant nursery in Lake Jackson, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> [care](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [outside](#)

Mary Jo Peckham Park [NATURE STATION](#) Jun. 14, 10 a.m. - noon, learn about and examine the local natural resources that can be found in parks or your own backyard, from feathers to leaves to nature games & activities, the themes and content we bring will vary with the season, Katy, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [tree](#), [animals](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

[CONCERT IN THE PARK](#) Jun. 13, Jun. 20 & Jun. 27, 7 p.m., enjoy a concert in Southdown Park, Pearland, <https://www.pearlandtx.gov/residents/get-connected/city-calendar/> [enjoy](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

[FREE LEAD TESTING](#) **ongoing**, enrollment open for the voluntary Lead Testing in School and Child Care Program, a free statewide program to test for lead in drinking water at public schools (K-12) and regulated childcare facilities, trains participants to collect samples, tests their drinking water for lead, and helps them take action to reduce lead in drinking water, <https://www.tceq.texas.gov/drinkingwater/lead-testing-school-and-child-care-drinking-water/voluntary-lead-testing-program> [learn](#), [care](#), [pollution](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

Houston Museum of Natural Science [AUGMENTED REALITY](#) ongoing, travel back to age of dinosaurs using augmented reality, Sugar Land, <http://www.hmns.org> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [media](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

RAIN BARREL SALE ongoing, discounted rain barrels for sale, The Woodlands, <https://www.thewoodlandsgreen.org/> [care](#), [water](#), [garden](#), [outside](#)

Big Thicket National Preserve [GUIDED CANOE TRIP](#) Jun. 14, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., guided canoe tour of the preserve, Kountze, <https://www.nps.gov/bith/planyourvisit/calendar.htm> [enjoy](#), [boat](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Jesse Jones Park [WILDLIFE WONDERING](#) Jun. 14 & Jun. 21, 10 a.m., learn all about different wildlife in Jones Park, then take self-guided hike to look for wildlife, 6/14 Topic: Bearded Dragons, 6/21 Topic: Constrictors, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [animals](#), [walk](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Moody Gardens [4D THEATER](#) ongoing, environmental 4D films, see website for current offerings, Galveston, <https://www.moodygardens.com/attractions/events-calendar/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [media](#), [outside](#)

John Paul Landing Park [LET'S GO FISHING](#) Jun. 14, 9 a.m. – noon, learn how to bait your hook, how to properly and safely cast, and how to safely remove the hook from a fish, fishing equipment & bait available for those who don't have it, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [class](#), [fish](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

John Paul Landing Park **SATURDAY STROLL** Jun. 14, 8 – 9:30 a.m., interpretive walk led by Harris County Park Naturalists in which you will be witness to the seasonal phenomena within the park, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, learn, walk, kids, park, outside**

WATER QUALITY MONITORING ongoing, call for volunteers to assist in Water Quality Lab and record keeping at our Kemah Headquarters of Galveston Bay Foundation, contact waterquality@galvbay.org if interested **care, learn, water, pollution, outside**

Moody Gardens **DINOS ALIVE!** ongoing, new exhibit provides up-close and personal experience with some of the planet's most feared and amazing creatures, featuring over 20 life-like animatronic dinosaurs, Galveston, <https://www.moodygardens.com/attractions/events-calendar/> **enjoy, learn, animals, outside**

Jesse Jones Park **CONSERVATION CONNECTIONS** Jun. 11 & Jun. 18, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers assist staff with conservation tasks, ages 18+ or accompanied by an adult, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> **care, enjoy, park, outside**

Moody Gardens **PLANET EARTH: DEEP SEA ADVENTURES** ongoing, new exhibit about life at the bottom of the ocean, a habitat absent of light, learn how life forms have adapted to lightless environments, including refinements of senses, the evolution of unique body parts, and illumination using “biological flashlights”, Galveston, <https://www.moodygardens.com/attractions/events-calendar/> **enjoy, learn, animals, fish, outside**

PLASTIC FILM OUTREACH DAYS Jun. 13 & Jun. 14, 10 a.m. – noon, event educates on recyclable plastic films, (6/13): Alden Bridge Kroger, (6/14): Cochran's Crossing Kroger, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/> **care, learn, recycle, outside**

Galveston Island State Park [PRAIRIE ON FIRE: A HIKE OF NEW GROWTH](#) Jun. 22, 9 a.m., hike through the park's prairie lands, just after a prescribed burn has revitalized the area, witness the transformation of the landscape and its wildlife as it recovers and flourishes from the controlled burn, Galveston, http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [animals](#), [garden](#), [walk](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

[EXPLORING EDIBLE INSECTS](#) Jun. 11, 10 a.m., learn about different edible bugs, how they're prepared and more, staff will demonstrate how bugs are eaten as a food source in many cultures throughout the world, Hockley Community Center, Hockley, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [kids](#), [animals](#), [class](#), [outside](#)

[STEER & HEIFER MAJOR SHOW VALIDATION](#) Jun. 17, 4 – 7 p.m. & Jun. 18, 4 – 6 p.m., for Galveston County 4H participants showing steer/heifer at major shows, (6/17): Galveston County Fairgrounds, Hitchcock, (6/18): Santa Fe Ag Barn, Santa Fe, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/care>, [kids](#), [farmers](#), [animals](#), [outside](#)

Houston Museum of Natural Science [PALEO ACTIVITIES](#) Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, Jun. 16 – Jun. 20 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. (weekdays in Jun.), paleo crafts and activities to learn all about T. rex and other prehistoric animals, Sugar Land, <http://www.hmns.org> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

Galveston Island State Park [KAYAKING 101](#) Jun. 13, 5:30 p.m., learn the basics of kayaking, including safety, paddling tips, & environmental education given during active aquatic tour, Galveston, http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [boat](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

WOODEN COASTER CRAFT Jun. 18, 1 p.m., carve wood, learning basic carpentry skills with as you create a set of wooden coasters that look like watermelons, Hockley Community Center, Hockley, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> enjoy, tree, outside

Kleb Woods Nature Center BOOK CLUB Jun. 10, 1:30 – 2:30 p.m., naturalists explore a book with lively discussions, shared insight, and the joy of discovering new narratives, book topics will focus mainly on nature and history, Book: *The Book Thief*, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> learn, meeting, park, outside

George Ranch Historic Park FATHERS & FISHIN' Jun. 14, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., enjoy a morning of fishing, Richmond, <https://www.georgeranch.org/event-calendar/> enjoy, fish, park, outside

POLLINATOR BIOBLITZ Jun. 16 – Jun. 21, volunteers photographically document species of plants/animals in observance of National Pollinator Week, using iNaturalist app, information collected contributes to science, <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> care, enjoy, animals, photo, garden, outside

BIKE, BIRDS & A BIT OF NATURE Jun. 15, 9 a.m., join group 13 mile bike ride on hike and bike trails, bike lanes, some sidewalks, and through neighborhoods, meet at Brook Lake trail near Whole Foods, Sugar Land, <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> enjoy, cycle, bird, water, outside

GARDEN VOLUNTEERING Jun. 11 & Jun. 18, Jun. 13 & Jun. 20 and Jun. 16 & Jun. 23, 8 – 10 a.m., volunteers assist in helping maintain the garden, Helping Hands Community Garden, Magnolia, https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar care, enjoy, garden, outside

Galveston Island State Park NIGHT HIKE Jun. 12, 8 p.m., join a ranger on a walk through the darkness & learn how nocturnal animals are adapted to survive in the dark, Galveston, http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events **enjoy, learn, animals, walk, park, outside**

SANDCASTLE BUILDING LESSONS Jun. 14 & Jun. 21, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m., free, family-friendly event to help beachgoers create spectacular sandcastles with guidance from a pro, East Beach, Galveston, <https://www.galvestonparkboard.org/> **enjoy, class, kids, beach, outside**

RAINWATER HARVESTING WORKSHOP Jun. 14, 9 - 11 a.m., learn to install a rainwater harvesting system for the backyard of a family home, Recreation & Tennis Center, Missouri City, <https://www.missouricitygreen.org/upcoming-events.html> **learn, class, garden, water, outside**

CAMP/HIKE GUADALUPE RIVER Jun. 13 - Jun. 15, join group outing to camp/hike Guadalupe River State Park, plus swimming, tubing & mountain biking, Spring Branch, <https://www.meetup.com/hatsandmore/events/calendar/> **enjoy, walk, camp, swim, cycle, park, outside**

AQUATIC NURSERY DAYS Jun. 11 & Jun. 18, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers assist in managing our Aquatic Plant Nursery, ensuring our freshwater plants are healthy and ready to help rebuild Galveston Bay's wetlands, <https://www.volunteer.galvbay.org/?view=calendar> **care, garden, water, outside**

Galveston Island State Park BAY EXPLORATION Jun. 28, 10 – 11 a.m., guided hike to explore the marsh & bay ecosystems, on land & below the surface, meet at Nature Center, Galveston, http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events **enjoy, learn, walk, water, animals, kids, park, outside**

Jesse Jones Park [SUMMER BREAK OUT VOLUNTEERS](#) Jun. 11, Jun. 12 & Jun. 23, 8:30 a.m. - noon, volunteers help with set up, clean up and assist children with the activity for the day, (6/11) Topic: Embroidery, (6/12) Topic: Natural Dyes. (6/23) Topic: Timeless Toys & Games, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> [care](#), [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Jesse Jones Park [SCAVENGER HUNT](#) ongoing thru Aug. 31, 8 a.m. – 3 p.m., pick up a self-guided scavenger hunt at the nature center, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [walk](#), [garden](#), [bird](#), [animals](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

[MARINE DEBRIS SURVEY](#) Jun. 18, 9 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers remove debris & record it for community science, Texas City dike, Texas City, <https://www.volunteer.galvbay.org/?view=calendar> [care](#), [pollution](#), [water](#), [outside](#)

Galveston Island State Park [MORNING PADDLE TOUR](#) Jun. 15, 9 a.m. - noon, guided paddling tour for ages 13+, all gear provided, starts at Oak Bayou picnic area, Galveston, http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events [enjoy](#), [boat](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Houston Museum of Natural Science [SUMMER CAMP](#) Jun. 9 – Jun. 13 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 10 a.m., variety of topics for kids ages 6 - 12, check schedule for details, some camps virtual, start times for virtual camps may vary, Sugar Land, <http://www.hmns.org> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [media](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

Houston Museum of Natural Science [COLLECTION OF HISTORY, MYSTERY & WONDER](#) ongoing, exhibit about wunderkammern, collections made during the renaissance of variety of objects, Sugarland, www.hmns.org/sugarland [enjoy](#), [outside](#)

PLANTING VOLUNTEERS Jun. 18, 8 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., volunteers plant wetland plants in restoration, Huntsville, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> **care, enjoy, garden, outside**

Coastal Prairie Conservancy OPEN HOUSE DAY AT BLAZING STAR PRAIRIE Jun. 14, 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., tour the new preserve and natural burial grounds Blazing Star Prairie, learn more about the new Conservation Cemetery, Brookshire, <https://www.coastalprairieconservancy.org/event-calendar> **learn, enjoy, walk, garden, outside**

BUTTONED UP WATERMELON ART Jun. 11, 1 p.m., enjoy creating realistic watermelon designs using buttons, Hockley Community Center, Hockley, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, garden, outside**

Spring Creek Greenway & Nature Center BACKYARD BASS Jun. 10, 10 a.m., introductory level class all about casting; includes guided practice on how to cast a fishing line, 709 Riley Fuzzel Road, Spring, https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page_internal **learn, enjoy, class, fish, park, outside**

Galveston Island State Park TEXAS OUTDOOR FAMILY Jun. 13 & Jun. 14, learn joys of camping, all gear provided, includes learning leave no trace principles, kayaking, a night activity, wildlife observation, beach exploration, junior ranger journal & setting up/breaking camp, & more, Galveston, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/huntsville/park_events **enjoy, walk, kids, boat, camp, park, outside**

Coastal Prairie Conservancy PRAIRIE PHOTOGRAPHY Jun. 17 & Jun. 20, 9 – 11:30 a.m., esteemed nature photographer leads exploration of the Katy Prairie with cameras, walk about a mile looking for birds, butterflies, dragonflies, wildflowers, and critters on the prairie, Indiangrass Preserve,

Waller, <https://www.coastalprairieconservancy.org/events> **learn, enjoy, garden, bird, animals, walk, photo, outside**

VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT Jun. 15 & Jun. 22, 7 a.m. – 5 p.m., enjoy beach volleyball competition, East Beach, Galveston, <https://www.galvestonparkboard.org/> **enjoy, beach, outside**

Houston Museum of Natural Science SUMMER SPACE SERIES Jun. 21, 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., journey through our solar system, learn about the wonders of our universe, plus delve into the realm of current discoveries, ongoing missions, and a multitude of fascinating space-related topics & then create your own space craft to take home, Sugar Land, <http://www.hmns.org> **learn, enjoy, star, kids, outside**

MOTH NIGHT Jun. 17, 8:30 – 11 p.m., enjoy fun night of mothing on the prairie, plus photograph & record insects in community science project, location in Fort Bend county TBD, <https://txmn.org/coastal/events/> **care, enjoy, photo, animals, garden, outside**

BIOBLITZ BASH Jun. 21, 8 – 11 a.m., explore the display of biological wonders and look through the microscope to see butterflies and their host plants up close, experts on hand to help with iNaturalist observations and answer questions on local insects, plants, birds, mushrooms, and more, all ages, Rob Fleming Park, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/> **learn, enjoy, care, bird, animals, kids, garden, park, outside**

JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION Jun. 14, 1;30 – 4:30 p.m., Live DJ, Amazing Awards Trophy Presentation & car show, Stewart Beach, Galveston, <https://www.galvestonparkboard.org/> **enjoy, beach, outside**

SUCCESSFUL CONTAINER GARDENING Jun. 11, 9 – 11 a.m., learn how to have a successful container garden, covers environment planting, locations, plant categories, maintenance, benefits & more, Galveston County Agrilife Extension Office, La Marque, [https://txmg.org/galveston/events/learn, class, garden, outside](https://txmg.org/galveston/events/learn,class,garden,outside)

Galveston Island State Park SUNRISE FISHING Jun. 10, Jun. 12, Jun. 17, Jun. 24 & Jun. 26, 7:30 a.m., learn intermediate fishing skills needed to get to the catching part of fishing, limited loaner gear available, Galveston, http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events enjoy, learn, fish, park, outside

HABITAT AT HOME Jun. 13, 8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m., Habitat at Home series offers wildlife and habitat management recommendations suitable for properties of various sizes, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Services, Brookshire, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> learn, care, bird, animals, class, garden, park, outside

Moody Gardens SHARKS IN DEPTH ongoing, new exhibit explores shark facts versus fiction, anatomy, and behavior through a series of hands-on activities, Galveston, <https://www.moodygardens.com/attractions/events-calendar/> enjoy, learn, animals, outside

Woodland Park HEALTHY PARKS PLAN Jun. 19, 12 - 3 p.m., community workshop about the Healthy Parks Plan, Katy, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> learn, care, meeting, park, outside

Galveston Island State Park BEACH WALK Jun. 21, 10 a.m. & Jun. 28, 8 p.m., short guided hike to the beach by walking through the swales and dunes to learn about the unique, but harsh

ecosystem, Galveston, http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events **enjoy, learn, animals, garden, beach, park, outside**

AQUAPONICS Jun. 18, 6 p.m., learn how fish and plants can grow together, Pasadena Public Library, Pasadena, <https://txmg.org/hcmga/events/> **learn, care, garden, water, class, fish, outside**

BIOBLITZ Jun. 16 – Jun. 22, volunteers document species of plants/animals in The Woodlands, using iNaturalist app, information collected contributes to science, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/> **care, enjoy, animals, garden, outside**

PESTICIDE APPLICATOR LICENSE STUDY SESSION Jun. 10, 8 a.m. – 1 p.m., study event to prepare for pesticide license, Galveston County Extension Office, La Marque, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/> **learn, class, animals, pollution, garden, outside**

JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION Jun. 14, 5 – 11 p.m., live music, shopping vendors, food vendors, games, and activities, plus fireworks, Bicentennial Park, Baytown, <https://baytown.org/1011/Juneteenth-Celebration> **enjoy, park, outside**

GROW YOUR OWN: COMPOSTING Jun. 14, 9 – 10:30 a.m., learn how you can easily make your own compost using items from your kitchen, yard, and gardens, Bud O'Shieles Community Center, Rosenberg, <https://fortbend.agrilife.org/grow-your-own/grow-your-own-rsvp-form/> **learn, class, recycle, garden, outside**

Spring Creek Greenway & Nature Center CART TOUR Jun. 13, 8:30, 10 & 11:30 a.m., brief tour of the park on paved trail by cart, 709 Riley Fuzzel Road, Spring, <https://www.pct3.com/Explore/Parks> **enjoy, park, outside**

LEARNTOBOT ROBOTICS CAMP Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, Jun. 16 – Jun. 20 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. or 9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., kids ages 6–18 use genuine microcontrollers like Arduino and Raspberry Pi with sensors, motors, and more to build real-world robotics projects, multiple locations: Christ Church Methodist, Spring, Katy First United Methodist Church & Katy Elyson Community, <https://www.learntobot.com/scratchbasicswoodlandssummer> **learn, kids, class, outside**

Galveston Island State Park BEACH BIRTHDAY BONANZA Jun. 13, 10 a.m., 50th birthday celebration, food, fun, games, scavenger hunts & more, Galveston, http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events **enjoy, walk, kids, beach, park, outside**

BEACH HEROES PRESENTATION Jun. 10, 10 – 11:30 a.m., presentation on efforts to combat plastic pollution, Carbide Park, La Marque, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/> **learn, beach, pollution, lecture, outside**

SUNNY DAYZ CAMP Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, Jun. 16 - Jun. 20 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 7:30 a.m. – 6 p.m., kids enjoy different indoor & outdoor activities including games, crafts, snacks, visits to the park, field trips & more, Rob Fleming Park, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/> **enjoy, kids, park, outside**

Huntsville State Park EDUCATION VOLUNTEERS Jun. 12 & Jun. 14, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., volunteers staff educational booth in day use area, offer Gator Talk, Huntsville, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> **care, enjoy, learn, animals, outside**

Mercer Botanic Gardens RECORRIDO POR EL JARDIN Jun. 18, 9 a.m., Únase al personal de Mercer en un recorrido a pie de aproximadamente una milla por los jardines para ver los cambios estacionales y aprender consejos de jardinería de los profesionales, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd,

Humble, https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal **enjoy, learn, walk, garden, outside**

George Observatory [SUMMER SOLAR DAYS](#) **Jun. 12, 10 a.m. & 1 p.m.**, view live images of the Sun using solar telescopes, as well as recordings and video, enjoy a tour of the Research Dome and watch a Discovery Dome planetarium show, learn about eclipses, the solar magnetic cycle, and more in our Exhibit Area, Needville, www.hmns.org **learn, enjoy, star, outside**

John Paul Landing Park [A CLOSER LOOK AT NATURE: DRAGONFLIES](#) **Jun. 18, 2 p.m.**, school-aged kids enjoy nature program about damsel and dragonflies, some of the most ferocious carnivores of the park, learn how to tell them apart and even try our luck catching some, all ages, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, learn, kids, animals, walk, class, park, outside**

PAPER SHREDDING **Jun. 14, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, paper shredding offered at Stella Roberts Recycling Center, Pearland, <https://pearlandrecycles.com/calendar/> **care, recycle, outside**

John Paul Landing Park [NATURE'S WAYS STORY TIME](#) **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17, 10 a.m.**, program for kids 2 - 5, read a nature story, and do an activity or explore outside, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, learn, kids, bird, park, outside**

4H HORSE SHOW **Jun. 23 – Jun. 25**, kids participate in variety of riding lessons & horse show, Brazos county expo complex, Bryan, <https://d94-h.tamu.edu/calendar/> **learn, enjoy, class, kids, horse, outside**

Mercer Botanic Gardens [FOREST OF FANTASY](#) **Jun. 10, 6 p.m.**, live performance of music and dance about an imaginary forest where the animals, birds, and other creatures are behaving

strangely because all of the trees have been cut down and nature has turned topsy-turvy, ages 5+, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble,
https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal **enjoy, garden, kids, outside**

LIGHTS OUT TEXAS! ongoing thru Jun. 15, 11 p.m. – 6 a.m., to aid migrating birds that are threatened by light pollution, Texans turn out lights from 11 p.m. to 6 a.m. during the spring migration period, <https://houstonaudubon.org/conservation/bfc/lights-out.html> **care, bird, pollution, outside**

Seabourne Creek Nature Park PLANT WALK Jun. 14, 8:30 – 10:30 a.m., guided walk to learn about the plants that grow in the park, Seabourne Creek Park, Rosenberg, <http://txmn.org/coastal/> **enjoy, learn, walk, garden, park, outside**

Mercer Botanic Gardens TERRARIUM TIME Jun. 21, 10 – 11:30 a.m., bring a one-gallon glass container with lid and be ready to learn about terrarium set-up and care, soil, charcoal, shale, plant material, and decor provided, ages 10+, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble,
https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal **learn, enjoy, garden, kids, outside**

Armand Bayou Nature Center BAYOU SAFARI Jun. 14 & Jun. 28, 1 p.m., enjoy guided outing via electric vehicle with stops at the bison, farm area, prairie, animal exhibits & the bayou, followed by observing wildlife from the elevated boardwalk, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, www.abnc.org **enjoy, animals, bird, garden, water, outside**

SOLAR CO-OP ongoing thru Jul. 2, join this solar co-op to leverage a volume purchase to get a discount on your panels, register with no obligation, open to property owners in Harris, Fort Bend,

Waller, Montgomery, Liberty, Chambers, Galveston, and Brazoria Counties,
<https://switchtogether.com/en/solar/harriscounty/home> **care, energy, pollution, outside**

Mercer Botanic Gardens **FACE PAINTING** Jun. 21, 1 - 4 p.m., face painting for kids, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal **enjoy, garden, kids, outside**

RAISED GARDEN BED Jun. 18, 11 a.m., discover the benefits of raised garden beds on soil quality, drainage, and plant growth, class covers design, materials, and best practices for growing healthy plants, Richard & Meg Weekley Community Center, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, garden, class, outside**

John Paul Landing Park **SENIOR NATURE TRIP** Jun. 13, 7 a.m. – 4 p.m., explore the flora, fauna and history of our area, transportation provided from the park, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, learn, walk, bird, garden, park, outside**

BRAZOS BEND STATE PARK VOLUNTEER TRAINING Jun. 14, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m., training to volunteer in the park at the gift shop, nature center, for visitor programs & more, Needville <http://www.brazosbend.org/organization/training.shtml> **learn, care, class, park, outside**

Seabourne Creek Nature Park **NATURE WALK** Jun. 15, 8 a.m., guided mindful nature walks invite you to slow down and sense the world around you while practicing mindful movement, mindful breathing, sensory awareness, and nature meditation, led by Texas Master Naturalist, Seabourne Creek Park, Rosenberg, <http://txmn.org/coastal/> **enjoy, learn, walk, garden, animals, park, outside**

GARDENING IN CONTAINERS Jun. 14, 9 - 11 a.m., class covers: Why garden in containers?, What to consider and how to plan, Basic plant needs, Soil – what to use, how to build your own, Water –

when, where, how and how much, Fertilizer – how and how much, What to grow – how to decide, Planting “A Container in Six Easy Steps”, What you may expect to get for your effort, Montgomery County Agrilife Extension Office, Conroe, <https://mcmga.com/events/> **learn, class, garden, outside**

Kleb Woods Nature Center **VOLUNTEER PARTY** **Jun. 14, 8:30 – 10:30 a.m.**, volunteers connect with nature by working on various projects around the park such as invasive species removal or trail clearing, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **care, enjoy, garden, walk, park, outside**

Mercer Botanic Gardens **POLYNESIAN STORYTELLING** **Jun. 11, 1 p.m.**, members of The Hula Hut dress in colorful cultural costumes and play traditional Polynesian instruments in the exciting, hear-pumping performance, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal **enjoy, garden, outside**

Lake Houston Wilderness Park **ANIMAL ENCOUNTERS** **Jun. 15 & Jun. 22, 1:30 p.m.**, meet one of our ambassador animals from the nature center as they enjoy fresh air and sunshine & learn about the animals here at the park, New Caney, <https://www.houstontexas.gov/parks/lakehoustonpark.html> **enjoy, learn, animals, park, outside**

Blackwood Educational Land Institute **VOLUNTEER DAYS** **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18, 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**, volunteers engage in farm & garden activities, followed by homemade lunch, all ages & skill levels accepted, Hempstead, <https://blackwoodland.org> **care, enjoy, farmers, garden, kids, outside**

ROSES – BASICS ON GROWING THEM & LANDSCAPING WITH COMPANIONS **Jun. 12, 6:30 - 8 p.m.**, learn about why roses reign supreme as a flower, how to successfully grow roses, what roses

grow best in our hot humid ecoregion, and how to landscape flower beds that emphasize roses with various native plant and herb companions, Montgomery County Agrilife Extension Office, Conroe, <https://mcmga.com/events/> [learn](#), [class](#), [garden](#), [outside](#)

Brazos Bend State Park [SPECTACULAR SNAKES](#) **Jun. 21, 1 p.m.**, learn all about one of nature's most magnificent creatures, snakes, and meet a special guest up close and personal, 21901 FM 762 Rd, Needville, (fee to enter), https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park_events [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [animals](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

[LET'S GO FISHING](#) **Jun. 17, 9 a.m. - noon**, learn how to bait your hook, how to properly and safely cast, and how to safely remove the hook from a fish, fishing equipment & bait available for those who don't have it, Hockley Community Center, Hockley, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [class](#), [fish](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Galveston Bay Foundation [RAIN BARREL WORKSHOP](#) **Jun. 15, 1 - 3 p.m.**, pre-order a rain barrel, pick it up at this event & learn to install/use it in a hands-on demonstration at the event, learn how rain barrels work & how to use water conservation tools, Kemah, <https://galvbay.org/events> [care](#), [learn](#), [class](#), [water](#), [outside](#)

Lake Livingston State Park [ALLIGATOR TALK](#) **Jun. 15, Jun. 22 & Jun. 29, 3 p.m.**, see the baby American Alligators in the Nature Center & learn about what they eat, how big they can grow, where can you find them, and more, Livingston, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston/park_events [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [animals](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Lake Livingston State Park [TEXAS OUTDOOR FAMILY](#) **Jun. 20 – Jun. 21**, families/individuals learn joys of camping, all gear provided, includes Tent setup demonstration, Leave No Trace, Trail

Exploration, Fire building, Night activity, Fishing & Junior Ranger journal, Lake Livingston, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston/park_events **enjoy, learn, walk, fish, kids, camp, park, outside**

Lake Livingston State Park [CRITTERS OF EAST TEXAS](#) Jun. 12, Jun. 15, Jun. 19, Jun. 22 & Jun. 29, 3 p.m., rangers educate on local mammals & reptiles, using skulls & furs, Livingston, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston/park_events **learn, enjoy, animals, park, outside**

Lake Livingston State Park [NATURE HIKE](#) Jun. 12 & Jun. 19, 1 p.m., guided walk to learn about plants & wildlife in park, Livingston, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston/park_events **enjoy, learn, walk, park, outside**

[DISTRICT 9 LEADERSHIP LAB](#) Jun. 10 – Jun. 12, camp prepares senior age 4-Hers from the 18 counties in District 9 for leadership roles, Galveston, <https://d94-h.tamu.edu/calendar/> **learn, kids, outside**

[YOUTH GARDEN AWARDS](#) applications open, youth garden can apply for an award from The Woodlands Garden Club, <https://thewoodlandsgardenclub.org/2025-youth-garden-awards/> **care, kids, garden, outside**

Lake Livingston State Park [ALL ABOUT SNAKES](#) Jun. 21 & Jun. 28, 3 p.m., learn about snakes of East Texas, Livingston, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston/park_events **learn, class, animals, park, outside**

Atascosita Park [FUN IN THE SUN](#) Jun. 21, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m., visit different stations and draw with sidewalk chalk, enjoy a cool treat, go on a nature walk, compete in family-friendly yard games, and more, all ages, Atascosita, Spring, <https://www.pct3.com/Explore/Parks> **enjoy, kids, park, outside**

Lake Houston Wilderness Park [INCREDIBLE INSECTS](#) Jun. 14 & Jun. 21, 1:30 p.m., learn the difference between a bug and an insect and the other groups in between, plus learn their important role in maintaining a healthy ecosystem, New Caney,
<https://www.houstontx.gov/parks/lakehoustonpark.html> [learn](#), [animals](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

[MOONLIGHT PADDLE](#) Jun. 20, 9 – 10:30 p.m., enjoy guided nocturnal paddle on Lake Woodlands, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/> [enjoy](#), [boat](#), [outside](#)

Kleb Woods Nature Center [HISTORY DISCUSSION GROUP](#) Jun. 12, 9 - 11 a.m., meeting to discuss different book, article, or historical topic, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball,
<https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [meeting](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Houston Museum of Natural Science [CIAO BAMBINI](#) ongoing, free entry for members on Jun. 16, immersive and educational experience is designed to transport children and their families to the enchanting world of Italy, where history, art, and culture come to life, Sugar Land,
<http://www.hmns.org/calendar/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

Dennis Johnston Park [WOODWORKING FOR NATURE](#) Jun. 18, 5 & 6:30 p.m., make your own cane fishing pole using locally-harvested bamboo and river cane, ages 7+, Spring,
<https://www.pct3.com/Explore/Parks> [care](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [fish](#), [tree](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

John Paul Landing Park [AN EVENING UNDER THE STARS](#) Jun. 21, 8 – 10:30 p.m., view the night skies above Harris County through a variety of different types of telescopes, members of the Houston Astronomical Society will answer any questions, Cypress,
<https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [star](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

WETLANDS SUMMER CAMP Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, Jun. 16 – Jun. 20 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. or 8 a.m. – noon, variety of wetlands-focused summer camps for kids of different ages, full day at Wetlands Center, 1724 Market St., half day at Baytown Nature Center, 6213 Bayway Dr., (6/23 - Wetland Center): Reel It In, grades 4 – 6, (6/9 - Wetland Center): MOVE, grades 7 – 10, (6/9 – Nature Center): Time Travelers, grades 4 – 6, (6/16 – Wetland Center): Eggstraordinary, grades 1 – 3, (6/16 – Nature Center): Amazing Race, grades 7 – 10, Baytown, 281-420-7128, <https://secure.rec1.com/TX/baytown-tx/catalog/index/49ed08ed4b4f064d29ef7361451683fa?filter=c2VhcmNoPQ==> learn, enjoy, kids, water, animals, bird, outside

Moody Gardens BEACH daily, beach open at Moody Gardens, Galveston, <https://www.moodygardens.com/> enjoy, beach, outside

Brazos Bend State Park ALL ABOUT US Jun. 14/Jun. 15 & Jun. 21/Jun. 22, 10 a.m., take short guided walk to learn about the park's diverse ecosystem, 21901 FM 762 Rd, Needville, (fee to enter), https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park_events learn, enjoy, animals, walk, garden, park, outside

Moody Gardens SUMMER CAMP Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, Jun. 16 – Jun. 20 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. (final week Aug. 4), summer camps include attraction experiences with different program activities, ambassador animal presentations, games, crafts, and experiments, grades K – 8, Moody Gardens, Galveston, <https://www.moodygardens.com/> enjoy, beach, learn, animals, water, fish, kids, outside

Kleb Woods Nature Center [SNAKES & MORE](#) Jun. 21, 11 a.m., learn about venomous and nonvenomous snakes, along with other reptiles to keep a look out for when enjoying the great outdoors, Riki's Reptile Relocation educates participants in a family-friendly atmosphere, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [animals](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Armand Bayou Nature Center [SUMMER ECO-CAMP](#) Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, Jun. 16 – Jun. 20 & Jun. 23 – Jun. 27, 8:30 - 11:30 a.m. or 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m., kids camp for ages 4 – 13, active outdoors experiences & nature exploration, includes Fishing, Canoeing, Pond Exploration, Insect Collecting, Bird Watching, Hiking, Dip Netting, Arts and Crafts, Live Animal Presentations and Camp Games, different theme each week, (week of 6/23) Theme: Habitats are hip + Marvelous Mammals (full day only), (week of 6/9) Theme: Water Wizards + Prairie Rangers (full day only), (week of 6/16) Theme: Buzz & Flutter + Radical Reptiles (full day only), 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, www.abnc.org [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [walk](#), [animals](#), [fish](#), [boat](#), [bird](#), [water](#), [tree](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

[FREE RECYCLE WEEK](#) Jun. 18 – Jun. 21, 8 a.m. – 3 p.m., recycle paint & chemicals, electronics, tires, fluorescent bulbs & paper for shredding, Montgomery county, Spring, <https://hellowoodlands.com/calendar/> [care](#), [recycle](#), [outside](#)

Moody Gardens [3D THEATER](#) ongoing, environmental 3D films, see website for current offerings, Galveston, <https://www.moodygardens.com/attractions/events-calendar/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [media](#), [outside](#)

Gulf Coast Bird Observatory [SUMMER BIRD CAMP](#) Jun. 9 – Jun. 13, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., kids 8 – 11 learn birdwatching, bird identification, go on bird walks, watch bird banding & scientific demonstrations, make their own bird feeder to take home, visit bird rehabilitation site, take a field trip to the beach & more, Lake Jackson, <http://www.gcbo.org> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [bird](#), [beach](#), [walk](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

Dennis Johnston Park [SUMMER SOLSTICE SOIREE](#) Jun. 20, 10:30 a.m. - noon, make sun prints using items from nature, craft your own UV bead bracelets, and even try making your own solar-oven s'more, ages 7+, Spring, <https://www.pct3.com/Explore/Parks> enjoy, kids, star, park, outside

Brazos Bend State Park [ALLIGATORS: FROM EGG TO APEX](#) Jun. 14 & Jun. 28, 1 p.m. and Jun. 22, 2 p.m., learn about the epic lives of Brazos Bend's most popular resident - alligators, 21901 FM 762 Rd, Needville, (fee to enter), https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park_events learn, animals, park, outside

[VISIT DOW WOODS & SEA CENTER](#) Jun. 14, 10 a.m., Sierra Club outing for a two miles hike in the 338-acre Dow Woods Unit, San Bernard National Wildlife Refuge, lunch in Lake Jackson followed by visit to Sea Center, Richwood, carpool available from Starbucks, Meyerland Plaza, at 8:30 a.m., <http://www.meetup.com/Houston-Sierra-Club-Outings/events/> enjoy, walk, park, tree, fish, outside

[STEM PROGRAM](#) Jun. 10 – Jun. 12 & Jun. 17 – Jun. 19, 1 – 3 p.m. (Tues. – Thurs. thru Aug. 7), kids 5 – 13 explore science, technology, engineering, art, and math through fun, hands on activities, learn, create, and discover in an engaging and interactive environment, Hockley Community Center, Hockley, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> learn, class, kids, outside

Lake Livingston State Park [FISHING WITH A RANGER](#) Jun. 21, 8 p.m., rangers help bait hooks, rig tackle & teach basics of fishing, bait/tackle provided, limited supply of loaner poles, Livingston, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston/park_events enjoy, learn, kids, fish, park, outside

Lake Livingston State Park [FROG CALLS OF EAST TEXAS](#) Jun. 28, 1 p.m., audio/visual presentation on how to identify many of the keystone frog and toad species you will hear throughout east Texas, learn what times throughout the year you are most likely to hear each species as well as

various natural history facts regarding each species, Livingston, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston/park_events **learn, lecture, animals, park, outside**

YOUNG BIRDERS CLUB Jun. 14, 8:30 – 10:30 p.m., explore different bird species, their behaviors, and habitats, plus local field trips, location sent to registrants, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, enjoy, kids, bird, park, outside**

Lake Livingston State Park MAMMALS OF EAST TEXAS Jun. 21, 1 p.m., explore the diversity of local mammals by examining original and replica skulls and furs, Livingston, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston/park_events **learn, enjoy, animals, park, outside**

Brazos Bend State Park WILDCRAFT Jun. 14, Jun. 21 & Jun. 28, 11 a.m., kids learn about a creature & make a craft to take home, 6/14 & 6/28 Topic: Alligators, 6/21 Topic: Raccoons, 21901 FM 762 Rd, Needville, (fee to enter), https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park_events **enjoy, learn, kids, animals, bird, park, outside**

Dennis Johnston Park OUTDOOR WONDER WOMEN Jun. 21, 9 a.m. - noon, series of classes for adult women who want to become more proficient in outdoor skill set, Topic: hiking preparedness & landscape reading, Spring, <https://www.pct3.com/Explore/Parks> **learn, class, walk, park, outside**

Little Cypress Creek Preserve HIKE Jun. 14, 8 – 9:30 a.m., guided hike, learn about the history the preserve and importance of protecting it, Cypress, <https://www.bayoulandconservancy.org/event-calendar> **enjoy, learn, walk, park, outside**

Brazos Bend State Park THE BOWS THAT SHAPED TEXAS Jun. 15, 2 p.m., learn about how one nation (the Karankawa people of Coastal Texas) changed Texan culture and history forever with their

unique style of bow-making, 21901 FM 762 Rd, Needville, (fee to enter), https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park_events **learn, enjoy, park, outside**

Kleb Woods Nature Center **ESCAPE ROOM** **Jun. 13, 5, 5:45, 6:30 & 7:15 p.m.**, discover clues, solve puzzles, and answer riddles as your family resolves an ecological crisis, grades 3+, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, learn, care, kids, park, outside**

ONGOING OPPORTUNITIES OUTSIDE HOUSTON

MASTER GARDENER LUNCH & LEARN **2nd Weds., 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**, master gardeners present on variety of topics, Waller County Extension Office, Hempstead, <https://waller.agrilife.org/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 11** **learn, meeting, garden, outside**

MASTER GARDENER MEETING **1st Thurs., 9 - 11 a.m.**, master gardeners in Waller county meeting, Waller County Extension Office, Hempstead, <https://waller.agrilife.org/events/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 3**, Topic: TBD **learn, meeting, garden, outside a**

TEXAS CITY PRAIRIE PRESERVE WORK DAY **2nd Fri., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.**, volunteers remove invasive species, harvest native seeds, plant marsh grasses & tend butterfly garden, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> OR <https://houstonprairie.org/dpp-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 13** **care, enjoy, garden, outside**

COASTAL HERITAGE PRESERVE WORK DAY **1st & 3rd Thurs., 9 a.m. – noon**, volunteers restore native prairie ecosystem at Coastal Heritage Preserve, Galveston, <https://www.artistboat.org/coastal->

heritage-preserve/ OR <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 19**
care, enjoy, garden, outside

Fort Bend Master Gardeners [YOUTH ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE MEETING](#) 3rd Thurs., 9 - 11 a.m., youth activities committee meeting, open to members-only, Extension Conference Room, Rosenberg, <https://fbmg.org/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 19** learn, meeting, media, kids, garden, outside

Kleb Woods Nature Center [BLUEGRASS CONCERT](#) 4th Sat. 12 – 4 p.m., enjoy bluegrass music in nature, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 28**
enjoy, outside

Gulf Coast Bird Observatory [NURSERY/GARDEN WORK DAY](#) 2nd Thurs., 8:30 - 11 a.m., volunteers work in wetland nursery or native plant garden in Lake Jackson, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, garden, outside

[BAYTOWN FARMERS' MARKET](#) 3rd Sat., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. (6 – 10 p.m. in Jul./Aug.), farm fresh produce & crafts, plus music, Baytown Town Square, <https://www.baytown.org/954/The-Market-at-Town-Square> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** care, farmers, outside

[ADULT LEADERS PARENTS ASSOCIATION MEETING](#) usually 1st Mon., every other month, 6 p.m., adult leaders & parents of kids in 4H program meet, Waller County Extension Office, Hempstead, <https://waller.agrilife.org/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, meeting, farmers, kids, animals, outside

[PEACH STREET FARMERS' MARKET](#) Sat., 8 a.m. – noon, farm fresh produce, Peach St., Angleton, <http://psfmarket.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, farmers, outside

EPA AIR, CLIMATE, ENERGY WEBINAR SERIES 3rd Tues., 2 p.m., EPA shares current research & activities related to air pollution, associated health/environmental risks & reducing air pollution, <https://www.epa.gov/air-research/air-climate-energy-research-webinar-series> Next Opportunity **Aug. 19**, Topic: Changing Chemistry of the Environment [learn](#), [media](#), [class](#), [pollution](#), [outside](#)

COASTAL PRAIRIE VOLUNTEER DAY one Sat./month, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., volunteers assist in restoration work at Indiangrass Preserve, Waller, <https://www.coastalprairieconservancy.org/event-calendar> Next Opportunity **TBD** [care](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [outside](#)

George Observatory **SCOUTING at the OBSERVATORY** date varies, courses for scouts of all ages, Needville, www.hmns.org Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [star](#), [outside](#)

SEABROOK BIRD SURVEY 1st Sat., 9 a.m., join group for bird survey in Pine Gully Park, Seabrook, www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **Jul. 5** [care](#), [enjoy](#), [walk](#), [bird](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

COASTAL PRAIRIE MASTER NATURALIST Meeting usually 1st Thurs., 6:45 – 8 p.m., social/snacks followed by expert presentation & then chapter business, Rosenberg Civic Center, Rosenberg, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 3 (moved online)**, Topic: Unwanted Guests: Battling Invasive Plants & Pests in Texas Landscapes and Fields [learn](#), [media](#), [meeting](#), [animals](#), [garden](#), [outside](#)

HUNTSVILLE FARMERS' MARKET Sat., 8 a.m. – noon, farm fresh produce & prepared foods, Huntsville, <https://www.facebook.com/huntsvillefarmersmarket> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** [care](#), [farmers](#), [outside](#)

SURF, PADDLE, KAYAK SURFSIDE BEACH **daily**, rent surf or paddle boards & kayaks at Surfside Beach, <http://bayoucityadventures.org/> **enjoy, boat, beach, outside**

GRAND PARKWAY FARMERS' MARKET **Sat., 8 a.m. - noon**, farm-fresh produce for sale from local farmers, Church of the Holy Apostles, Katy, <http://www.farmersmarketongrandparkway.com/home.html> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **care, farmers, outside**

Jesse Jones Park WILDLIFE WEDNESDAYS **some Weds., 10 a.m.**, program for young kids to learn about animals, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, garden, park, outside**

Jesse Jones Park INVASIVES BEWARE **usually 3rd Sat., 9 a.m. - noon**, document & remove invasive plants & animals, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> OR <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> OR <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17, 7 – 9:30 a.m.** (Note date/time changes) **care, garden, animals, park, outside**

Jesse Jones Park FIRST FRIDAY FRIENDS **1st Fri., 1 p.m.**, seniors 55+ meet for educational program, walk & fun environmental activities, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next Opportunities **TBD** **enjoy, learn, walk, park, outside**

GALVESTON BAY PRAIRIE RESTORATION **Thurs. & Sat., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.**, volunteers restore native prairie in the EcoCenter sponsored by Reliant, near Beach City & Baytown, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> OR <https://www.volunteer.galvbay.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 12 & Jun. 26 and Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **care, garden, outside**

Jesse Jones Park **TADPOLES CLUB** some Thurs., 9 a.m. (during school year), interactive program for pre-school kids, animals, puppets, crafts, stories, short walks & more, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, garden, park, outside

MAIN STREET MARKET Sat., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., farm fresh produce, local artisans, chefs & more, Conroe, <https://hellowoodlands.com/calendar/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, farmers, outside

Fort Bend Master Gardeners **BOARD MEETING** usually 2nd Tues., 9 a.m. - noon, board of directors meeting, open to members-only, Extension Conference Room, Rosenberg, <https://fbmg.org/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** learn, meeting, garden, outside

Jesse Jones Park **GARDENS & GREENHOUSE MAINTENANCE** Weds., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers work in gardens/greenhouse at the park, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18** care, garden, park, outside

John Paul Landing Park **BIRD WALK** Thurs., 7:30 – 10:30 a.m., enjoy guided bird walk in the park, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> Next Opportunities **Jun. 12 & Jun. 19** enjoy, walk, bird, park, outside

Fort Bend Master Gardeners **MEMBER MEETING** usually 3rd Thurs., 10 a.m., master gardener meeting, open to members-only, Fort Bend County Fairgrounds, Rosenberg, <https://fbmg.org/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, media, meeting, garden, outside

ECOCENTER NURSERY WORKDAY Thurs./Sat., 8 – 11 a.m., volunteers work in EcoCenter native plant nursery, Mont Belvieu, <https://www.volunteer.galvbay.org/?view=calendar> Next Opportunities **Jun. 12 & Jun. 19 and Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, garden, outside

Jesse Jones Park BIRDING 1st Sat., 8 a.m., guided birding hike in the park, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> OR <https://houstonaudubon.org/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 5** enjoy, bird, walk, park, outside

BUCKET BRIGADE INTERPRETIVE BEACH TOURS Sat./Sun., 9 a.m. – 1:45 p.m. (during summer – thru Labor Day Weekend), free interpretive beach tours, for all ages, on the half hour, Stewart Beach, plus several other locations, Galveston, <https://www.galvestonparkboard.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14/Jun. 15 & Jun. 21/Jun. 22** learn, enjoy, beach, outside

JERSEY VILLAGE FARMERS' MARKET 1st & 3rd Sun., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., fresh produce, prepared foods, & more, Jersey Village, <https://www.jerseyvillagetx.com/page/parks.farmersmarket> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** care, farmers, Houston

OPEN GARDEN DAYS Thurs., 9 - 11 a.m., Discovery Garden open to the public, Carbide Park, La Marque, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 12 & Jun. 19** enjoy, garden, walk, park, outside

MARINE DEBRIS SURVEY 1st Sat., 10 a.m., clean East Beach & recording the type of trash collected, Galveston, contact mhuetter@seaturtles.org to participate, <https://seaturtles.org/events/category/gulf/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 5** care, learn, pollution, beach, outside

Jesse Jones Park FROG CLUB some Thurs., 2 p.m. (during school year), interactive 30-minute program for kids 6 & under, nature story & short hike, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, garden, park, outside

SIERRA CLUB Monthly Meeting 2nd Thurs., 7 – 10 p.m., virtual meeting,
<http://www.meetup.com/Houston-Sierra-Club-Outings/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD, (moved online)**
Topic: TBD **care, learn, media, outside**

NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY Monthly Meeting 3rd Thurs., 6:45 – 9:30 p.m., Houston Arboretum & Nature Center, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://www.npsot.org/calendar/> Next opportunity **Jun. 19 (hybrid)**, Topic: TBD **learn, media, meeting, lecture, garden, outside**

SEABOURNE VOLUNTEER DAYS certain Sat. & Weds., time varies, volunteers work in gardens, or greenhouse, Seabourne Creek Park, Rosenberg, <http://txmn.org/coastal/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 11, Jun. 18 & Jun. 21, 7:30 – 9:30 a.m.** **care, enjoy, garden, park, outside**

WOODLANDS WATERSHED PROJECT MEETING 1st Mon., 3:30 – 4:30 p.m., committee meeting, reviews, plans & actions water-related education & volunteer opportunities, online, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **learn, media, meeting, water, outside**

WG JONES POLLINATOR GARDEN & TREE NURSERY Tues., 8:30 a.m. - noon, volunteers engage in weeding, seeding, mulching, watering, & pruning in pollinator garden & tree nursery, WG Jones State Forest, Conroe, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17** **care, enjoy, garden, tree, outside**

SUP RENTALS daily (May – Oct.), rentals & guided stand-up paddle tours in various locations, <http://www.surfsuptx.com/event-calendar/> **enjoy, boat, outside**

WG JONES PROPAGATION STATION some Fri./Sun., 10 a.m. - noon, volunteers propagate plants & learn to identify native seedlings, WG Jones State Forest, Conroe, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> OR <https://npsot.org/calendar/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, garden, outside

CITIZEN'S CLIMATE LOBBY MEETING 2nd Sat., 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., organization that advocates for carbon fee & dividend to address climate change, Woodlands Community Presbyterian Church, The Woodlands, https://citizensclimatelobby.org/chapters/TX_The_Woodlands/ Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** learn, meeting, energy, pollution, outside

INVASIVES REMOVAL dates vary, 8 – 11 a.m., volunteers remove invasive air potato, The Woodlands, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, garden, tree, outside

KAYAKING & STAND UP PADDLEBOARDING normally Thurs. – Mon., 9 a.m. - sunset, kayaks and paddleboards for rent at Riva Row Boat House on Lake Woodlands, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/rivarowboathouse> Next Opportunities **Jun. 12 – Jun. 16 & Jun. 19 – Jun. 23** enjoy, boat, outside

EAGLE LAKE FARMERS' MARKET 3rd Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., farm-fresh produce available in downtown Eagle Lake, <https://www.facebook.com/cityeaglelake.tx> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** care, farmers, outside

BIRD WALK 3rd Sun., 8 a.m., (Sep. – May), Lake Houston Nature Club leads bird walk at East End Park, Kingwood, <https://pineywoodswildlifesociety.org/home/birding-field-trips/> OR <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, walk, bird, park, outside

LAKE CREEK PRESERVE GUIDED HIKE 3rd Sat., 10 a.m. 12:30 p.m., volunteers hike leaders & sweepers provide guided hikes at Lake Creek Preserve, Magnolia, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** care, enjoy, walk, outside

LAKE CREEK PRESERVE GUIDED HIKE 3rd Sat., 10 a.m., enjoy guided hikes on trails at Lake Creek Preserve, Magnolia, <https://www.bayoulandconservancy.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** enjoy, walk, outside

COASTAL NATIVES NURSERY VOLUNTEER WORK DAY 2nd Thurs., 8:30 a.m. - noon, volunteers propagate native coastal plants, training provided, High Island, www.houstonaudubon.org OR <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 12** care, garden, outside

Texas City Garden Club **MONTHLY MEETING** 2nd Weds., 10 - 11 a.m., meeting of the club, Nessler Center, Texas City, <https://txmg.org/galveston/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 11**, Topic: TBD learn, care, garden, meeting, outside

NURSERY WORK DAYS Fri., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., volunteers propagate plants, transplant seedlings and plants, and maintain the nursery through watering, weeding pots, fertilizing, and occasional special projects, Galveston, <https://seaturtles.org/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 13 & Jun. 20** care, garden, outside

CITIZEN'S CLIMATE LOBBY MEETING 2nd Sat., 11 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., organization that advocates for carbon fee & dividend to address climate change, currently meeting online, https://citizensclimatelobby.org/chapters/TX_Houston_Central/ Next Opportunity **Jun. 14 (moved online)** learn, media, meeting, energy, pollution, outside

Galveston Island State Park STEWARDSHIP DAYS Thurs./Mon., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers pot plants in the nursery, plant native plants, & remove invasives, Galveston, <https://txmn.org/gbm/next-opportunity> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, garden, park, outside**

League City Garden Club MONTHLY MEETING 2nd Weds., 10 - 11 a.m., meeting of the club, League City, <http://www.leaguecitygardenclub.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 11**, Topic: TBD **learn, care, garden, meeting, outside**

SATURDAYS at the GEORGE Sat., 9 & 10 p.m., stargazing at the George Observatory, Needville, www.hmns.org/observatory Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **enjoy, star. outside**

DEER PARK PRAIRIE PRESERVE WORK DAY 2nd Weds. & 4th Sat., 9 a.m. - noon, join Houston chapter of Native Prairies Assoc. of TX in work at preserve, seed collecting on Weds., 1222 E. Purdue Ln, Deer Park, HNPAT@TexasPrairie.org <https://texasprairie.org/events/> & <https://texasprairie.org/hnpat/> & <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> & <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 11** **care, enjoy, garden, outside**

GARDENERS BY THE BAY MEETING 1st Weds., 9:30 a.m., different gardening topic at each meeting, Webster Presbyterian Church, Webster, <https://gibt.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD **learn, meeting, garden, outside**

Jesse Jones Park TAI CHI in the PARK Weds., 9 a.m. beginner class taught by third degree black belt, low impact stretching, range of motion exercises, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next opportunities **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18** **enjoy, park, outside**

LAKE HOUSTON PARK NATIVE GARDENS Fri., 10 a.m. - noon, volunteers help with seeding in new nursery, seeding in the park, weeding in pollinator garden, & helping to create new pollinator habitat around the park, New Caney, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> OR <https://www.houstontx.gov/parks/lakehoustonpark.html> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, bird, walk, park, outside

Galveston Bay Area Master Naturalists MONTHLY MEETING 1st Thurs., 5 p.m., presentation, social & business meeting, Galveston County Agrilife Extension Office, La Marque, <https://txmn.org/gbmh/events/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 3**, Topic: TBD learn, media, animals, garden, lecture, outside

Dennis Johnston Park POLLINATOR GARDEN MAINTENANCE 1st Thurs., 9 – 10:30 a.m., volunteers weed, plant & mulch in the garden, Spring, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> OR <https://www.pct3.com/Explore/Parks> Next Opportunity **Jul. 3** care, enjoy, animals, park, outside

GNARANTS GROUP RIDE Mon., 6 – 8 p.m., enjoy group mountain bike ride, <http://ghorba.org/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 16 & Jun. 23** enjoy, cycle, outside

DEER PARK BIRD SURVEY 4th Sat., 7:30 – 9 a.m., Deer Park Prairie, 1222 E. Purdue Ln, Deer Park, 936-827-7973, <https://texasprairie.org/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, bird, park, outside

KAYAKING TOURS dates/times vary, variety of kayak tours for people of different ages/skill levels, in variety of locations, some include overnight camping, <https://www.meetup.com/environmentally/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 11** enjoy, boat, kids, outside

LAKE HOUSTON WILDERNESS SHOP VOLUNTEERS Sat., 11 a.m. - 3 p.m., volunteers needed to work on the park's shop, New Caney, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, park, outside

NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY Monthly Meeting 2nd Mon., 6:45 p.m., University of Houston –Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://www.npsot.org/calendar/> Next opportunity **Jun. 9 (hybrid)**, Topic: Hold the Phone! Tips for Photographing Native Plants and Wildlife with Your Smartphone learn, meeting, media, lecture, garden, outside

LAKE HOUSTON WILDERNESS PARK VOLUNTEER DAY Thurs., 9 – 11 a.m., volunteers remove invasives & maintain trails in the park, New Caney, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, garden, walk, park, outside

OUTREACH AT THE MUSEUM 2nd & 4th Sat., 10:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m., master naturalists offer fun outreach/craft activities at the Butterfly Garden at the Houston Museum of Natural Science, Sugar Land, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** enjoy, learn, care, garden, animals, outside

GARDEN WORKDAY 3rd Thurs., 9 - 11 a.m., master naturalists volunteer in gardens at the Houston Museum of Natural Science, Sugar Land, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 19** enjoy, learn, care, garden, animals, outside

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Office GREEN THUMB LECTURE (Jan – Oct.): 2nd Mon., 10 p.m., & 3rd Tues., 11 a.m., online, <https://harris.agrilife.org/events/> OR <https://hcmga.tamu.edu/events/> OR <https://txmg.org/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17, 11 a.m. (moved online)** Topic: Cover Crops and Living Mulches learn, media, lecture, garden, outside

BUTTERFLY GARDENING every other Thurs., 9 a.m. - noon, volunteers establish & maintain a butterfly/pollinator garden at Friends of Texas Wildlife, Magnolia, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/>
Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, garden, animals, outside

Deer Park Petal Pushers Garden Club **MONTHLY MEETING** 3rd Thurs., 7 p.m., general meeting, speaker at each meeting, Burgess Recreation Center, Deer Park
<https://www.houstonfederationgardenclubs.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, meeting, garden, outside

LAKE HOUSTON WILDERNESS PARK GARDEN VOLUNTEER DAYS Fri., 10 a.m. - noon, volunteers work in native plant garden in the park, New Caney, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/>
Next Opportunities **Jun. 13 & Jun. 20** care, enjoy, garden, park, outside

NECHES RIVER ADVENTURE Sat., 10 a.m. – noon (Mar. – Nov.), Riverfront Park, Beaumont, boat trip in Big Thicket National Preserve, Beaumont, currently available for charters only in Feb., 409-651-5326 for tickets, <https://www.nechesriveradventures.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** enjoy, boat, outside

KINGWOOD FARMERS MARKET Thurs., time varies, Town Center Park, 8 North Main St., Kingwood, <https://www.facebook.com/kingwoodfarmersmarket/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 12 & Jun. 19** care, farmers, outside

Jesse Jones Park **SECOND SUNDAY PICKERS** 2nd Sun., 2 – 4 p.m., concert in the park, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next opportunity **Jul. 13** enjoy, park, outside

POLLINATOR GARDEN WORKDAY Sat., 8:30 a.m. - noon, master naturalists volunteer in gardens at the Willow Fork Park, Katy, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21**
enjoy, learn, care, garden, animals, outside

EPA TOOLS & RESOURCES WEBINAR SERIES 3rd Weds., 2 p.m., EPA shares resources & information that are practical & can be applied, <https://www.epa.gov/research-states/epa-tools-and-resources-webinar-series> Next Opportunity **Jun. 18**, Topic: EPA's Flood Cleanup Resources: Promoting Community Resilience through Risk Communication learn, media, meeting, pollution, outside

TEXAS CITY DIKE BIRD SURVEY 3rd Thurs., 9 a.m., volunteers survey birds along Texas City Dike, meet at First Lady Pavilion, Texas City, www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **Jun. 19**
care, enjoy, bird, outside

Jesse Jones Park **SECOND SATURDAY SETTLERS** 2nd Sat., 10 a.m. - noon, learn about settler life in the park, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next opportunity **TBD** Topic: TBD learn, enjoy, garden, park, outside

GULF OF AMERICA WEDNESDAY WEBINAR usually last Weds., 1 p.m., webinar from Gulf of America Alliance about resources & projects around the Gulf of Mexico, <https://gulfofamericaalliance.org/announcements/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, lecture, media, animals, outside

LAKE HOUSTON WILDERNESS BIRD CENSUS 3rd Sun., 7 - 9 a.m., volunteers count/identify birds in the park & report via eBird, New Caney, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** care, enjoy, bird, walk, park, outside

ARTISAN MARKET 1st Sat., 9 a.m. - 1 p.m., locally made foods, flowers, art and crafts plus pet adoptions, music & food trucks, Grand Central Park, The Woodlands, <https://hellowoodlands.com/calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 5** enjoy, garden, animals, park, outside

LAKE HOUSTON ARCHERY VOLUNTEERS Sat., 3 p.m., volunteers needed to assist with archery in the park, New Caney, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, kids, park, outside

Jesse Jones Park VOLUNTEER Meeting usually 4th Mon., 7 p.m., programs on nature, open to all, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, meeting, park, outside

Attwater Prairie Chicken National Wildlife Refuge ATTWATER PRAIRIE CHICKEN VAN TOURS 1st Sat., 8 – 10 a.m., Eagle Lake, Call (979) 234-3021, ext. 221 or 223 Next opportunity **Jul. 5** enjoy, bird, outside

HUNTSVILLE AUDUBON SOCIETY MEETING 3rd Thurs. (except Jun. – Aug. & Dec.), Huntsville Service Center, Huntsville, <http://www.huntsvilleaudubon.org/index.html> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, meeting, bird, outside

GALVESTON ORNITHOLOGICAL SOCIETY TRIPS some months, group birding trips in the U.S. & outside the U.S., contact them to join & for details on trips, <https://galvestonbirders.org/category/upcoming-trips/> enjoy, bird, outside

Houston Museum of Natural Science MEMBER EVENT 2nd Sat., 8 - 10 a.m., special museum activity for members on the second Saturday, family programming, tours & crafts, Sugar Land, www.hmns.org/sugarland, Next Opportunity **Jun. 14**, Topic: T. Rex Week enjoy, kids, outside

EPA WATER RESEARCH WEBINAR SERIES usually last Weds., 2 p.m., EPA shares current research & activities related to integrity of water systems in U.S., <https://www.epa.gov/water-research/water-research-webinar-series> Next Opportunity **Jun. 25**, Topic: Risk-Based Framework for Fit-for-Purpose Water Reuse: State of the Science **learn, media, class, water, outside**

SEABOURNE CREEK BIRD WALK usually 1st Weds., 8 – 10:30 a.m. (Oct. – May), join group for birding walk in park, Seabourne Creek Park, Rosenberg, <http://txmn.org/coastal/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 2** **enjoy, walk, bird, park, outside**

WOODLANDS GARDEN CLUB MEETING 2nd Tues., 9 a.m., garden club meeting, for gardeners in the greater Woodlands area, Shenandoah Municipal Complex, Shenandoah, <http://www.thewoodlandsgardenclub.org/home.html> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD **learn, care, garden, meeting, outside**

Kleb Woods Nature Center BIRD WALK Weds., 7:30 – 10:30 a.m. & 1st Sat., 8 – 10 a.m., 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> Next opportunities **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18 & Jul. 5** **enjoy, outside, bird, walk**

HOMESCHOOL SCIENCE usually Tues. – Thurs., 9 - 11 a.m., classes for students in grades 1 – 8, different topics each month, Long Acres Ranch, Richmond, https://longacresranch.org/news_and_events/ Next Opportunities **TBD** **learn, class, kids, outside**

Seabourne Creek Nature Park INSECT HIKE 4th Thurs., 9 – 11 a.m., guided hike to look for insects & other arthropods in the park, Seabourne Creek Park, Rosenberg, <http://txmn.org/coastal/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 26** **enjoy, learn, walk, animals, park, outside**

Eddie V. Gray Wetlands Center [EPIC SERVICE CLUB](#) **Weds., 3:45 p.m. (during the school year)**, free service learning club for high school students interested in learning about & solving coastal environmental problems, 1724 Market St., Baytown, 281-420-7128, <https://www.facebook.com/baytownwetlands> Next Opportunity **TBD** [learn, enjoy, kids, outside](#)

Kleb Woods Nature Center [VOLUNTEER WORK CREW](#) **Tues., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.**, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> OR <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17** [care, enjoy, outside](#)

[HERITAGE GARDENERS MONTHLY MEETING](#) **1st Thurs., 10 a.m. (Sep. – May)**, general meeting of Heritage Gardeners Club, speaker at each meeting, The Marie Workman Center, Friendswood, & online, <https://www.facebook.com/FriendswoodHeritageGardeners> OR <https://txmg.org/galveston/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD [learn, media, meeting, garden, outside](#)

[KAYAK ADVENTURES](#) **usually Sat./Sun. & occasional Fri./holiday, times vary**, guided/interpretive kayak trips on Galveston Bay, kids 7+ may accompany parents, includes equipment, Galveston, <https://www.artistboat.org/public-kayak-registration/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 15, Jun. 21/Jun. 22 & Jun. 28/Jun 29, 10 a.m.** Location: Coastal Heritage Preserve [enjoy, boat, kids, outside](#)

[ARCHERY PRACTICE](#) **usually Tues., 2:30 p.m.**, archery practice for kids, Long Acres Ranch, Richmond, https://longacresranch.org/news_and_events/ Next Opportunity **TBD** [learn, enjoy, class, kids, outside](#)

Baytown Nature Center **BIRD SURVEY** 3rd Thurs., 8 a.m. – 9 a.m., (Jan. – May & Aug. – Dec.), 6213 Bayway Dr, call (281) 424-9198, www.houstonaudubon.org Next opportunity **TBD** care, bird, outside

Galveston Bay Area Master Naturalists Green Team **MONTHLY MEETING** 3rd Thurs., 6:30 p.m., team works to inform others about ways to reduce waste and live a more sustainable and environmentally friendly life, <https://txmn.org/gbm/next-opportunity> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, care, meeting, outside

Coastal Prairie Conservancy **STEWARDSHIP DAY** 2nd Sat., 9 – 11 a.m., volunteers manage invasive plants, plant native plants & restore prairie habitat, Indiangrass Preserve, Waller, <https://www.coastalprairieconservancy.org/event-calendar> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** care, enjoy, garden, outside

George Mitchell Nature Preserve **FOREST THERAPY** periodically, join a certified therapy guide to enjoy forest therapy, also known as forest bathing, The Woodlands, <https://www.bayoulandconservancy.org/forest-therapy> enjoy, walk, park, outside

UH Coastal Center **BIRD SURVEY** 4th Sat., 7 a.m., bird survey by volunteers, contact Debbie at rufous1@comcast.net to participate, www.houstonaudubon.org OR <https://txmn.org/gbm/next-opportunity> Next opportunity **Jun. 28** care, bird, outside

Baytown Nature Center **TYKE HIKES** some Fri., 10 a.m., weekly nature education for kids ages 3 – 5 accompanied by adult, 6213 Bayway Dr, call (281) 424-9198, <https://secure.rec1.com/TX/baytown-tx/catalog/index/49ed08ed4b4f064d29ef7361451683fa?filter=c2VhcmNoPQ==> Next opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD enjoy, learn, animals, fish, bird, garden, kids, outside

ENTOMOLOGY GROUP MEETING usually 4th Weds., 9:30 – 11 a.m., learn about bugs in this meeting, Extension Conference Room, Rosenberg, <https://fbmg.org/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD**
learn, meeting, animals, outside

Spring Creek Nature Trail BIRD WALK & SURVEY Mon. & 1st Sat., 7:30 a.m., guided 2-hour bird walk along Spring Creek, from George Mitchell Nature Preserve Trailhead, The Woodlands, , 9:30 a.m. <https://www.bayoulandconservancy.org/bird-walks> OR <https://houstonaudubon.org/programs/> OR https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page_internal Next Opportunities **Jun. 16 & Jun. 23 & Jul. 5** enjoy, walk, bird, water, park, outside

Kleb Woods Nature Center GARDEN VOLUNTEER GROUP Mon., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m. (Dec. thru Mar.), volunteers perform needed work removing invasive species & clearing overgrown areas, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, garden, outside

Galveston Bay Area Master Naturalists SCRAPBOOK MONTHLY MEETING 2nd Weds., 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., volunteers create scrapbook of Galveston Bay Area Master Naturalists' activities, League City, <https://txmn.org/gbmnevents/> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, outside

Baytown Nature Center NURTURE NATURE SERIES usually 1st Sat., 10 a.m. - noon, special programs celebrating the wonder of nature, 6213 Bayway Dr, 281-424-9198, <https://secure.rec1.com/TX/baytown-tx/catalog/index/49ed08ed4b4f064d29ef7361451683fa?filter=c2VhcmNoPQ==> Next opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, kids, outside

Baytown Nature Center **FULL MOON HIKE** one Sat./month., start time varies, enjoy 90 minutes guided hike by moonlight, for adults/older children, 6213 Bayway Dr, call (281) 424-9198, <https://secure.rec1.com/TX/baytown-tx/catalog/index/49ed08ed4b4f064d29ef7361451683fa?filter=c2VhcmNoPQ==> OR <https://baytown.org/1002/Calendar-of-Events> OR <https://baytown.org/1002/Calendar-of-Events> Next opportunity **Jul. 12, 9 p.m.** enjoy, walk, kids, outside

GROGAN'S MILL FARMERS MARKET Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., 2230 Buckthorn Pl, Spring, <http://www.thewoodlandtownship-tx.gov/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, farmers, outside

Moody Gardens **COLONEL PADDLEWHEEL BOAT CRUISES** occasionally, times vary, hour-long cruise of Galveston Bay aboard paddlewheel boat, <https://www.moodygardens.com/attractions/events-calendar/> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, boat, outside

Mercer Botanic Gardens **NATIVE & ENDANGERED SPECIES GARDENING** Tues./Thurs., 9 – 11 a.m., volunteer care for gardens, & learn more about horticulture and botany, Humble, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17 and Jun. 12 & Jun. 19** care, enjoy, learn, garden, outside

KAYAKING CLASSES dates & times vary, kayaking classes for kids & adults, variety of skill levels, variety of locations, some virtual, occasional kids cycling class, including some virtual, <https://www.meetup.com/environmentally/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** learn, enjoy, media, class, boat, cycle, kids, outside

Moody Gardens BIRD SURVEY 1st Fri., 7 a.m., volunteers count birds in the garden, <https://houstonaudubon.org/> OR <https://www.galvestonnaturetourism.org/winter-nature-program/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 13 & Jun. 20 (Note additional date)** **care, enjoy, bird, outside**

Eddie V. Gray Wetlands Center GATOR TALES Weds., 10 - 11 a.m. (summer/winter), fun/educational series for pre-school children & parents, 1724 Market St, Baytown, 281-420-7128, <https://secure.rec1.com/TX/baytown-tx/catalog/index/49ed08ed4b4f064d29ef7361451683fa?filter=c2VhcmNoPQ==> OR <https://www.facebook.com/baytownwetlands> Next Opportunities **Jun. 18**, Topic: Egg-citing Animals! & **Jun. 25**, Topic: Litter Hunt **learn, enjoy, kids, water, animals, outside**

SUGAR LAND FARMERS MARKET Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., Imperial Sugar Land, 198 Sugarland St, Sugar Land, <https://www.facebook.com/FarmersMarketAtImperial/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **care, farmers, outside**

CANOEING/KAYAKING/SUP/SURFING daily, rentals, guided tours & lessons available, variety of locations, Bayou City Adventures, 1520 Silver St., <http://bayoucityadventures.org/> **enjoy, boat, outside**

BOARDWALK AT TOWNE LAKES FARMERS MARKET 3rd Sat., 12:30 – 3:30 p.m., fresh produce/local vendors, Cypress, <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** **care, farmers, outside**

Jesse Jones Park BICYCLING Daily, trails open for cycling, children must be accompanied, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> **enjoy, cycle, garden, kids, outside**

HOUSTON RENEWABLE ENERGY GROUP MEETING usually 2nd Tues., 7 p.m., monthly meeting of group promoting renewable energy in Houston, United Way, 50 Waugh Dr.
<http://houstonrenewableenergy.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10 (moved online)** learn, meeting, energy, outside

BRIDGELAND FARMERS MARKET 2nd & 4th Sun., 12:30 – 3:30 p.m., parking lot adjacent to the Activity Center in Bridgeland, 16902 North Bridgeland Lake Pkwy, Cypress,
<https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 22** care, farmers, outside

Armand Bayou Nature Center **BIRD COUNT** usually 2nd Sat., 7 – 10 a.m., 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** care, bird, outside

HEARTWOOD MASTER NATURALIST Chapter Meeting 2nd Weds., 6 – 8 p.m., for members & prospective members, guest speaker at each meeting, hybrid meeting, Houston Advanced Research Center, The Woodlands, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next opportunity **Jun. 11**, Topic: Mycology learn, meeting, media, lecture, outside

Coastal Prairie Conservancy **WORK DAYS** Tues., Fri. & Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., at Indiangrass Preserve, Waller, remove invasives, mulch trails, restore habitat, remove brush,
<https://www.coastalprairieconservancy.org/event-calendar> OR <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> OR <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/month/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 10, Jun. 13 & Jun. 14 and Jun. 17, Jun. 20 & Jun. 21** care, garden, outside

BIKE RIDES various days/times, join group rides, various locations, organized by Bike Barn locations, <http://bikebarn.com/articles/upcoming-rides-pg66.htm> enjoy, cycle, outside

HARPER'S HORSEPEN BRANCH MAINTENANCE 3rd Sat., 9 a.m. - noon, volunteers hike along and maintain trails in the park, starts from Harper's Landing Park, The Woodlands, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** care, enjoy, garden, walk, pollution, park, outside

COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY RECYCLING COALITION usually 2nd Thurs., 12:30 – 2 p.m., webinar shares information among those working on waste reduction on college campuses, <http://curc3r.org/webinars/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 12**, Topic: Engaging Custodial Teams learn, media, recycle, outside

Sea Center Texas FISH HATCHERY TOURS Tues. - Fri., 9, 11 a.m. & 1 p.m., Sat., 10 a.m. & 2:30 p.m., reservations needed, 300 Medical Dr., Lake Jackson, <http://www.tpwd.state.tx.us/spdest/visitorcenters/seacenter/> Next opportunities **Jun. 10 - Jun. 13 & Jun. 14 and Jun. 17 - Jun. 20 & Jun. 21 (reservations required)** care, enjoy, kids, fish, outside

Sea Center Texas WETLAND EXHIBIT GUIDED TOURS by reservation, see wetlands animals & learn how to attract wildlife, 300 Medical Dr, Lake Jackson, <http://www.tpwd.state.tx.us/spdest/visitorcenters/seacenter/> Next opportunity **contact them.** care, enjoy, kids, animals, outside

Coastal Prairie Conservancy STEWARDSHIP DAYS Tues./Fri., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., volunteers manage invasive plants, plant native plants & restore prairie habitat, Indiangrass Preserve, Waller, <https://www.coastalprairieconservancy.org/event-calendar> Next Opportunities **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17 and Jun. 13 & Jun. 20** care, enjoy, garden, outside

Sea Center Texas [STORY TIME](#) **Sat. & 3rd Fri., check calendar**, 300 Medical Dr., Lake Jackson, <http://www.tpwd.state.tx.us/spdest/visitorcenters/seacenter/> Next opportunities **TBD** [care, enjoy, kids, fish, outside](#)

PEARLAND FARMERS MARKET **3rd Sat., 8 a.m. – noon**, Town Center, 11200 Broadway St., Pearland, <https://www.facebook.com/events/pearland-town-center/pearland-farmers-market/1794734627433677/> OR <https://www.pearlandtx.gov/residents/get-connected/city-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** [care, farmers, outside](#)

GARDEN LECTURE **2nd Thurs., 7 - 8 p.m.**, lecture on a gardening topic, Delores Fenwick Nature Center, Pearland, <https://pearlandrecycles.com/calendar/> OR <https://www.facebook.com/keeppearlandbeautiful> Next Opportunity **Jun. 12, (moved online)** Topic: Hydroponics for the Urban Gardener [learn, media, lecture, media, garden, outside](#)

Gulf Coast Bird Observatory **BIRD BANDING** **3rd Sat., 8 a.m. – noon**, 103 Hwy 332, Lake Jackson, www.gcbo.org Next opportunity **Jun. 21** [care, bird, outside](#)

Mercer Botanic Gardens [STORY TIME IN THE GARDEN](#) **some Mon., 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.**, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal OR <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> Next opportunity **TBD** [enjoy, kids, garden, outside](#)

Mercer Botanic Gardens **BIRD SURVEY** **4th Thurs., 8 a.m. (except summer)**, volunteers survey birds in the garden, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, www.houstonaudubon.org OR https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal Next Opportunity **Jun. 26** [care, enjoy, bird, garden, outside](#)

SIERRA CLUB Monthly Meeting usually 3rd Weds., 6:30 – 8:30 p.m., Bay Area Community Ctr, 5002 E. NASA Pkwy, Seabrook, <http://www.meetup.com/Houston-Sierra-Club-Outings/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD (moved online)** Topic: TBD **care, learn, media, outside**

TOMBALL FARMERS' MARKET Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., 205 W. Main, Tomball, <http://www.tomballfarmersmarket.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **care, farmers, outside**

Town Square ZUMBA Mon./Weds., 6 p.m., Zumba class in Town Square, Baytown, <https://baytown.org/1002/Calendar-of-Events> Next Opportunities **TBD** **enjoy, park, outside**

Mercer Arboretum & Botanic Garden GARDEN CLUB usually last Sat., 9 a.m. - noon, volunteers assist with horticulture tasks in the garden, ages 16+, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, <https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/> Next opportunity **Jun. 28** **care, enjoy, learn, garden, outside**

Mercer Arboretum & Botanic Garden LUNCH BUNCH some Weds., noon – 2 p.m., learn about a gardening topic, bring your own lunch, ages 16+, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, <https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/> Next opportunity **Jun. 11**, Topic: TBD **learn, enjoy, garden, outside**

Mercer Arboretum & Botanic Garden BLOSSOM BRIGADE: POLLINATOR GARDEN WORK Weds., 9 - 11 a.m., volunteers care for plants in and around the pollinator garden and Honeybee Corral in the garden, activities include planting, weeding, mulching, and other hands-on garden work, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next opportunities **Jun. 11 & Jun. 18** **care, enjoy, garden, animals, outside**

Sea Center Texas **YOUTH CATCH & RELEASE FISHING** **1st & 3rd Weds.**, ages 7 – 16, by reservation only for groups of 10 - 20, 300 Medical Dr, Lake Jackson, <http://www.tpwd.state.tx.us/spdest/visitorcenters/seacenter/> Next opportunity **TBD** enjoy, fish, kids, outside

HIGH ISLAND WORK DAY **2nd Sat., 8:30 a.m. – noon**, maintain bird sanctuary, lunch provided, 2088 5th St, High Island, www.houstonaudubon.org Next opportunity **Jun. 14** care, bird, outside

Mercer Botanic Gardens **MUSIC IN THE GARDEN** **some Tues., 10:30 a.m.**, kids enjoy music education in the garden, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal OR <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> Next opportunity **TBD** enjoy, kids, garden, outside

NASSAU BAY FARMERS' MARKET **Sat., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.**, 18045 Upper Bay Rd, Nassau Bay, <https://www.facebook.com/Nassau-Bay-Farmers-Market-217094481767170/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, farmers, outside

Armand Bayou Nature Center **GUIDED NIGHT HIKES** **some Sat., start time varies**, enjoy sights/sounds of prairie, forest & bayou in guided hike at night, see nocturnal creatures, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunities **TBD** enjoy, walk, outside

FULSHEAR FARMERS' MARKET **Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, farm fresh produce, meats, prepared foods & more, Fulshear, <http://fulshearfarmersmarket.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** care, farmers, outside

FRIENDSWOOD FARMERS' MARKET 1st Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., fresh produce, baked goods, handicrafts & more, Stevenson Park, Friendswood, <https://friendswoodmarket.com/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 5** care, farmers, outside

Armand Bayou Nature Center **ECO-SCHOOLERS** Weds. & Fri., 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. (during school year), class taught by center biologists for kids 7 – 12, course repeats each week on Weds. & Fri., all activities outdoors, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, class, kids, animals, outside

Armand Bayou Nature Center **PRAIRIE FRIDAY** Fri., 8:30 a.m. – noon, volunteer stewardship of center, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, registration required, <http://www.abnc.org> OR <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> OR <https://txmn.org/gbmh/events/> Next opportunities **Jun. 13 & Jun. 20** care, garden, outside

BRAZOSPORT DAYLILY CLUB 2nd Sun., 2:30 p.m., expert lecture at each meeting, day, Lake Jackson Civic Center, Lake Jackson, <https://www.facebook.com/brazosportdaylilysociety> Next opportunity **Jul. 13** learn, meeting, garden, outside

BIRD SURVEY 1st Mon., 7 a.m., volunteers count & identify birds, Galveston, <https://www.volunteer.galvbay.org/?view=calendar> Next Opportunity **Jul. 7** care, enjoy, bird, walk, outside

Armand Bayou Nature Center **PONTOON BOAT CRUISES** some Sat./Sun., 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. & sunset (time varies seasonally), 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, Fees & registration may be

required. <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunities **Jun. 14/Jun. 15 & Jun. 21/Jun. 22** enjoy, boat, outside

Armand Bayou Nature Center [ECO-KIDS](#) **Weds. & Fri., 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. (during school year),** drop-off program for kids 3 – 6, different nature topic each session, all activities outdoors, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <http://www.abnc.org>, Next opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, enjoy, class, kids, fish, animals, outside

Armand Bayou Nature Center [GUIDED KAYAK TOUR](#) normally **Sat., 7:50 – 11:30 a.m.,** 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, Fees & registration may be required, <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** enjoy, boat, outside

Armand Bayou Nature Center [BOY SCOUTING PROGRAMS](#) by reservation opportunity to earn various badges, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <http://www.abnc.org> learn, class, kids, walk, animals, outside

Armand Bayou Nature Center [STEWARDSHIP SATURDAY](#) **8 a.m. – noon, 1st & 3rd Sat.,** 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, registration required, <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunity **Jun. 21** care, outside

Armand Bayou Nature Center [ECO-TOTS](#) **Weds. & Fri., 9:30 – 11 a.m. (during school year + Jun.),** adult + kids 18 mo. – 3, different nature topic each session, includes story/songs/short hike/etc., all activities outdoors, in Spanish on Weds., 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunities **Jun. 11**, Topic: Splish Splash Water Explorations, **Jun. 13 &**

Jun. 18, Topic: Down in the Dirt and **Jun. 20 & Jun. 25**, Topic: Mockingbirds **learn, enjoy, class, kids, bird, garden, outside**

FARMERS' MARKET ON TAMINA **Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, local farmers & vendors/artisans, prepared foods, Magnolia, <http://www.farmersmarketontamina.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 21** **care, farmers, outside**

CYPRESS CREEK DAYLILY CLUB **4th Sun, 2 p.m. (Jan. – Apr., Sep.& Oct.)**, expert lecture at each meeting, Klein United Methodist Church, Spring, <https://cypresscreekdaylily.wixsite.com/ccdc> Next opportunity **TBD** **learn, meeting, garden, outside**

Armand Bayou Nature Center **ECO-TEENS** **Weds., 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. (during school year)**, drop off program for teens 14 - 18, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD **learn, class, kids, fish, animals, garden, outside**

JUNIOR MASTER GARDENER MEETING **1st & 3rd Sat., 9:30 a.m.**, kids learn about gardening through fun activities, Harvest Education Center, Freeport, <https://www.facebook.com/brazoriacountyextension> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21** **learn, enjoy, care, kids, garden, outside**

Brazos Bend State Park **BRAZOS RIVER PICKERS** **usually 2nd Sat., 5 – 7 p.m. (Oct. thru Apr.)**, bluegrass/old time music in the park, 21901 FM 762 Rd, Needville, (fee to enter), www.brazosbend.org OR https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park_events Next opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, park, outside**

Armand Bayou Nature Center [GIRL SCOUTING PROGRAMS](#) by reservation opportunity to earn various badges, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <http://www.abnc.org> [learn](#), [kids](#), [animals](#), [garden](#), [outside](#)

[BELLVILLE FARMERS' MARKET](#) **1st Sat., 9 a.m. – noon**, Chesley Park, Bellville, <https://www.bellvillefarmersmarket.com/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 5** [care](#), [farmers](#), [outside](#)

[OUTDOOR NATURE CLUB Meeting](#) **usually 1st Mon., 6:30 – 8 p.m.**, 713-664-5206, Bayland Community Center, 6400 Bissonnet, Speaker each month, <http://www.outdoornatureclub.org/> OR <https://www.facebook.com/OrnithologyGroup> Next opportunity **TBD (moved online)** Topic: TBD [learn](#), [media](#), [outside](#), [meeting](#), [lecture](#), [bird](#)

Brazos Bend State Park [BIRD WATCHING HIKES](#) **dates vary, 8 a.m.**, guided bird watching hike, 21901 FM 762 Rd, Needville, (fee to enter), www.brazosbend.org OR https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park_events Next opportunity **TBD** [enjoy](#), [bird](#), [walk](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

[CHALLENGES & TREATMENT SOLUTIONS FOR SMALL WATER SYSTEMS](#) **monthly, 1 p.m.**, monthly webinar by EPA to communicate with drinking water systems professionals, <https://www.epa.gov/water-research/small-drinking-water-systems-webinar-series> Next Opportunity **Jun. 24**, Topic: Technical Assistance for PFAS and Lead [learn](#), [lecture](#), [media](#), [water](#), [outside](#)

[HUMBLE FARMERS' MARKET](#) **2nd Sun.**, local produce/vendors, Humble, <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jul. 13** [care](#), [farmers](#), [outside](#)

[TEXAS MASTER NATURALIST TUESDAY](#) **2nd Tues., 12 - 1 p.m.**, webinar, covers different advanced topic each month, <https://txmn.tamu.edu/tmntuesdays/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10**, Topic:

Shell by Shell: Community-based Oyster Gardening for Ecosystem Restoration [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [animals](#), [fish](#), [tree](#), [garden](#), [bird](#), [outside](#)

MILLIKAN RESERVE FARMERS' MARKET 3rd Sun., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., 19851 FM2154, College Station, <https://marketonthegreen.splashthat.com/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** [care](#), [farmers](#), [outside](#)

BOLIVAR BEACH RAMBLE 1st Sat., explore Bolivar Flats Shorebird Sanctuary, www.houstonaudubon.org Next opportunity **Jul. 5** [enjoy](#), [bird](#), [walk](#), [outside](#)

LA CENTERRA FARMERS' MARKET 2nd & 4th Sun., 11 a.m. – 3 p.m., local vendors/artisans, produce, eggs, cheese & more, Katy, <https://www.facebook.com/events/lacenterra-at-cinco-ranch/farmers-market-at-lacenterra/254196965316911/> OR <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 22** [care](#), [farmers](#), [outside](#)

Armand Bayou Nature Center **ECO-ADVENTURERS** Weds., 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. (during school year), in depth study of environmental science topics for kids 11 – 14, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD [learn](#), [class](#), [kids](#), [animals](#), [outside](#)

Armand Bayou Nature Center **ECO-AFTERNOONS** usually one Weds./month, 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. (during school year), drop off program includes picnic, exploring, crafting, and more for kids 7 – 14, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD [learn](#), [class](#), [kids](#), [fish](#), [animals](#), [outside](#)

TAMARRON FARMERS' MARKET 2nd Sat., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. (Oct.), local vendors/artisans, produce, eggs, cheese & more, Shenandoah, <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **TBD** [care](#), [farmers](#), [outside](#)

SUGAR LAND GARDEN CLUB MEETING 3rd Tues., 9:30 a.m. (Sep. – Apr.), speaker each month, plus plant swap & refreshments, St. Basil Hall, Sugar Land, <http://sugarlandgardenclub.org> Next Opportunity **Sep. 16**, Topic: TBD **learn, meeting, garden, outside**

GALVESTON FARMERS' MARKET Sun., 9 a.m. – noon (1 p.m. Oct. – May), fresh produce, prepared foods & more, 3304 Market., Galveston, <http://www.galvestonsownfarmersmarket.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 15 & Jun. 22** **care, farmers, outside**

SUGAR LAND GARDEN FIELD TRIPS 4th Tues., (Sep. – Apr.), variety of field trips for members throughout the year, <http://sugarlandgardenclub.org/index.html> Next Opportunity **TBD** **learn, media, meeting, garden, outside**

SUGAR LAND GARDEN CLUB WORKSHOP 1st Tues., (Sep. – May), variety of workshops throughout the year, St. Basil Hall, Sugar Land, <http://sugarlandgardenclub.org/index.html> Next Opportunity **TBD** **learn, media, meeting, garden, outside**

WOODLANDS GARDEN CLUB FLOWER ARRANGING 3rd Tues., (Sep. – May), members of the Woodlands Garden Club assemble flower arrangements for delivery to hospices, <https://www.facebook.com/TheWoodlandsGardenClub/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, meeting, garden, outside**

FAIRFIELD PLAZA FARMERS' MARKET 3rd Sun., 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., local vendors/artisans, produce, eggs, cheese & more, Cypress, <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** **care, farmers, outside**

GALVESTON COUNTY AUDUBON MEETING & BIRDING FIELD TRIP usually 3rd Sat. & prior Weds., (except Dec.), time varies, meeting at Rosenberg Library, Rosenberg, trips to various

locations, galvestoncountyaudubongroup@gmail.com, www.houstonaudubon.org OR
<https://www.galvestonnaturetourism.org/winter-nature-program/> Next Opportunity Meeting: **TBD**
Topic: TBD, Trip: **TBD**, Trip Location: TBD **learn, meeting, enjoy, walk, bird, outside**

ENJOY, LEARN ABOUT, AND CARE FOR NATURE
UPCOMING ONLINE ONLY OPPORTUNITIES
FROM TEXAS ORGANIZATIONS

FRESHWATER INFLOWS FOR BAYS & ESTUARIES Jun. 9, 6:30 p.m., virtual event, learn about freshwater inflows into bays and estuaries, <https://www.meetup.com/houston-sierra-club-outings/events/> **learn, media, lecture, water, online**

GLOBAL SOLUTIONS & OUTREACH PROGRAM EMPLOYMENT SURVEY ongoing, online survey for those interested in employment in the Global Solutions and Outreach Programs initiative of the AIChE Climate Solutions Community, <https://www.climate-collaboration.com/questionnaire> **care, learn, media, energy, online**

ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATORS VIRTUAL EXCHANGE MEETINGS Jun. 13, 8:30 a.m. (every other Fri.), networking for environmental educators, online, sign up at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81906451252?pwd=R1g5TjZrcGRQNTIEYS9EV0xXZzZTZz09> **learn, media, meeting, kids, outside**

COOL CONGREGATIONS COHORT Jun. 23, 7 p.m. (usually 4th Mon.), activate your faith community's green team, or start a green team, with facilitation to guide you in developing plans to (1) incorporate care for the earth in all you do and (2) reduce your faith community's carbon footprint by

50% by 2030, online, <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2025-cool-congregations-cohort-tickets-1106765247649> [learn](#), [care](#), [media](#), [pollution](#), [class](#), [online](#)

GREEN WAVE LITTER CLEAN-UP GAME **ongoing**, pick up litter in your community (anytime, anywhere) and share why it matters to you to raise awareness about environmental care on social media, <https://texanbynature.org/events/> [care](#), [media](#), [pollution](#), [online](#)

Houston Museum of Natural Science **SUMMER SCOUT CLASS** **Jun. 18, 1 a.m.**, virtual scout class for boy scouts, www.hmns.org [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [media](#), [class](#), [kids](#), [online](#)

AMAZING LEAFCUTTER ANTS & THEIR FUNGI **Jun. 17, 7 p.m.**, virtual program, learn about the intricate life cycle of a leafcutter ant colony and uncover the evolutionary origins of their extraordinary agricultural partnership with a specialized fungus, online, <https://txmn.org/coastal/events> [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [animals](#), [garden](#), [online](#)

BACKYARD BUG HUNT **Jun. 20, 10 a.m.**, virtual program, Topic: bug friendly yards, online, <https://txmn.org/coastal/events> [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [animals](#), [garden](#), [online](#)

SAVING NATURE WITH YOUR YARD **Jun. 18, 11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**, virtual event, author of *How Can I Help? Saving Nature with Your Yard* to speak, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [garden](#), [animals](#), [online](#)

PLANT PARTY – GETTING TO THE ROOT OF SOILS **Jun. 18, 10 - 11:30 a.m.**, virtual event, 5 short presentations on everything soils, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [garden](#), [farmers](#), [online](#)

TEXAS WATERS SPECIALIST STUDY GROUP Jun. 9, 7 - 8:30 p.m., virtual meeting for TWS study group, pre-readings are required, peer-to-peer group discussion on topics presented in each chapter of the curriculum text, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> **learn, media, meeting, water, online**

PLANTS & CHILDREN GROW HEALTHY TOGETHER Jun. 14, 10 a.m., virtual event, lecture reviews the physical, emotional, and cognitive health benefits of nature on child development, plus learn native plant species that enhance learning experiences, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> **learn, media, lecture, kids, garden, online**

MARINE HEAT WAVES & MARINE SPECIES Jun. 12, 11 a.m., virtual lecture, hear from experts about how environmental data, including temperature data, is used to sustainably manage marine species, as well as some new GCOOS tools being developed to make marine-species data more accessible, <https://gulfofamericaalliance.org/announcements/events/> **learn, media, water, fish, animals, online**

BUILDING POLLINATOR HABITAT Jun. 17, noon, virtual event, panel of staff experts available to answer your questions and dive into how we can support butterflies, bees, and other vital insects, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> **learn, media, lecture, animals, garden, online**

TEXAS WATERS WEBINAR Jun. 17, 6:30 p.m., virtual class, part of training to become Texas waters specialist, Topic: *Texas WET (Water Education Training) Course*, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> **learn, media, class, water, online**

MONARCH RESEARCH UPDATE Jun. 17, 1 p.m., virtual event, Topic: Monarch Joint Venture (MJV) Research Update presented by MJV Science Staff, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> **learn, media, lecture, animals, online**

POND MANAGEMENT Jun. 17, 6 – 7:30 p.m., dive into pond management with this comprehensive Aquatics Webinar Series Bundle, featuring 10 expertly led sessions designed for pond owners and managers, Topic: Innovations in Harmful Algal Bloom Prevention, [https://txmn.org/coastal/events/learn, class, garden, animals, water, outside](https://txmn.org/coastal/events/learn,class,garden,animals,water,outside)

STOP TXDOT I-45 MEETING Jun. 10, 6 – 7:30 p.m., virtual meeting of group opposing North Houston Highway Improvement Project, <https://airalliancehouston.org/updates/#events> [learn, media, meeting, online](#)

AVAILABLE HOME TOUR Jun. 13, 10 p.m., virtual tour of available homes in co-housing development in Houston, online, <https://www.cohousinghouston.com/> [learn, media, meeting, online](#)

MYCOLOGY 101 Jun. 12, 7 – 8:30 p.m., virtual event, learn the basics of mycology and how fungi is entangled in all parts of our life, will cover some basics on mycology, how fungi benefits our entire ecosystem, plants and our health, <https://www.npsot.org/calendar/> [learn, media, meeting, lecture, garden, animals, online](#)

HOUSTON CLIMATE MOVEMENT MEETING Jun. 10, 7 - 9 p.m., monthly online meeting of the Houston Climate Movement, <https://airalliancehouston.org/events/> [learn, media, meeting, online](#)

DISTRICT B ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE MEETING Jun. 11, 6:30 - 8 p.m., meeting with Council Member Jackson for District B on environmental justice issues in the district, online, <https://airalliancehouston.org/events/> [learn, media, meeting, pollution, online](#)

SHARPSTOWN PARKS ALLIANCE MEETING Jun. 16, 6 p.m., virtual meeting for the Sharpstown Parks Alliance, <https://sharpstownparks.org/> **learn, media, meeting, park, online**

WEATHERING THE STORMS: HOW TO GO SOLAR IN TX Jun. 18, 6 p.m., virtual lecture, learn How to register with Switch Together TX by July 2 to get a free, no-obligation estimate for solar, Discover how solar is now within reach for more homes and communities., How your community hub, whether a church, rec center, or nonprofit, can become a resilience hub for the neighborhood, online, <https://www.mobilize.us/solarunitedneighbors/event/794874/> **learn, media, lecture, meeting, pollution, online**

TEXAS POPPY MALLOW Jun. 18, noon, virtual event, report on research into the distribution and natural history of this rare wildflower, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> **learn, media, lecture, garden, online**

WATER WEDNESDAYS Jun. 18, 6 - 7:30 p.m., virtual program about all things water, Topic: Lone Star Healthy Systems, online, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> **learn, care, media, class, water, online**

UPCOMING ONLINE ONLY OPPORTUNITIES

FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

PARKS PASS FOR 4TH GRADERS ongoing, 4th graders and their families get free entry to natural areas & historic sites managed by the federal government, online application, <https://everykidoutdoors.gov/index.htm> enjoy, media, park, online

LIVESTOCK 101: DAIRY CATTLE Jun. 10, noon, virtual event, talk covers nutrition and body condition, reproduction, health and biosecurity, animal and waste facilities, management and handling practices, online, <https://climatewebinars.net/webinar-calendar/month> learn, media, lecture, animals, farmers, online

PEST MANAGEMENT, DIVERSIFIED CROPPING SYSTEMS & SOIL ORGANIC CARBON Jun. 17, noon, virtual event, talk covers topics such as organic pest management, diversified cropping systems, and practices to build soil organic carbon, providing detailed scientific information in these areas and giving insight into peer-reviewed research treatments and results, online, <https://climatewebinars.net/webinar-calendar/month> learn, media, lecture, animals, farmers, online

ECONOMIC GUIDANCE FOR COASTAL MANAGEMENT PROFESSIONALS Jun. 11, Jun. 18 & Jun 24 – Jun. 25, 1 – 3 p.m., online class, learn about benefits-cost analysis, economic impact analysis, cost-effectiveness analysis & more, <https://coast.noaa.gov/digitalcoast/training/calendar.html> learn, media, class, Houston