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ENJOY, LEARN ABOUT, AND CARE FOR NATURE

UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES IN HOUSTON

Houston Museum of Natural Science [SCOUT CLASSES](#) Nov. 8, 1 p.m., various classes for girl scouts of different ages, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](#) [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [class](#), [online](#)

[NATIVE POP-UP PLANT SALE](#) Nov. 4, 9 - 11 a.m., sale of native plants, Environmental Institute of Houston, UH-Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., [https://www.npsot.org/events/](#) [care](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

Memorial Park [MOUNTAIN BIKE SPEED SERIES](#) Nov. 15, 10 a.m., mountain bike race in the park, 7575 N. Picnic Ln. [http://ghorba.org/events/](#) [enjoy](#), [cycle](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

[GHORBA MEETING](#) Nov. 15, 4 p.m., meeting of the members of the Greater Houston Off-Road Bicycle Association, Axelrad Beer Garden, 1517 Alabama St., [http://ghorba.org/events/](#) [learn](#), [meeting](#), [cycle](#), [Houston](#)

Buffalo Bayou [BAYOU ROOTS WALKING TOUR](#) Nov. 8, 9 – 10:30 a.m., walking tour of the bayou explores the development of the city we know today through an exploration of architecture, ecology, public art, and more, Allen's Landing, 1005 Commerce St., [www.buffalobayou.org](#) [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [walk](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

Buffalo Bayou GALA: MILESTONES IN MOTION Nov. 6, 6:30 – 10:30 p.m., fundraiser for Buffalo Bayou Partnership, cocktails, seated dinner on lawn in Buffalo Bayou Park, The Water Works, 105 Sabine St., www.buffalobayou.org **care, enjoy, park, Houston**

ANNUAL MEETING Nov. 12, 6 – 8:30 p.m., annual meeting of White Oak Bayou Association, presentation on Taking a Sustainability Approach to Bayou Health, Historic Heights Fire Station, 107 w. 12th St., <http://whiteoakbayou.org/newshistory-and-events.html> **learn, meeting, lecture, water, Houston**

FULL MOON HIKE Nov. 4, 6:30 – 8:15 p.m., join group outing to hike about 3 miles in Memorial Park, 2038 W Memorial Loop Dr., <https://bcoadventures.com/events-calendar/> **enjoy, walk, park, Houston**

Houston Aquarium WORKING ON THE WILD SIDE Nov. 8, 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**

Discovery Green BITES & BEYOND FESTIVAL Nov. 8, 1 – 10 p.m., music, food, and art festival, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> **enjoy, park, Houston**

4H FUNDRAISER AT CASEY'S ongoing thru Nov. 4, fundraiser for 4H participants at Casey's, add a donation to any order made online or in the Casey's app, various locations, <https://agrillife.org/harris4h/> **care, kids, Houston**

MAJOR SHOW ENTRY NIGHT Nov. 4, 6 – 8 p.m., for 4H exhibitors at major shows in Fort Worth, San Angelo & Houston, Rudy's BBQ, 14620 Northwest Fwy., <https://www.facebook.com/HarrisCounty4H/> [learn](#), [care](#), [kids](#), [farmers](#), [animals](#), [Houston](#)

COMPOST & E-WASTE DROP-OFF Nov. 6 & Nov. 13, 5 – 7 p.m. and Nov. 15, 9 a.m. – noon, drop off organic waste for composting and electronic waste for recycling, (Thurs.): Bear Creek Branch Library, 16713 Clay Rd., (Sat): North Channel Branch Library, 15741 Wallisville Rd., see calendar at <https://houstonenvironment.org/> [care](#), [recycle](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

A WALK IN THE WOODS Nov. 9, 9:30 – 11:30 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](#)

PROTECT ALASKA PUBLIC LANDS Nov. 19, 6 p.m., screening of family-friendly, 45-minute film, The Arctic, Our Last Great Wilderness, followed by panel discussion, MATCH - Midtown Arts and Theater Center Houston, 3400 Main St., <https://www.meetup.com/Houston-Sierra-Club-Outings/events/> [learn](#), [care](#), [media](#), [animals](#), [Houston](#)

Hidalgo Park **LITTER CLEAN-UP** Nov. 8, 10 a.m. - noon, volunteers clean up litter in the park and benefit from environmental education, 7000 Avenue Q, <https://texanbynature.org/events/> [care](#), [learn](#), [pollution](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

TURKEY STUFFIN' GAME Nov. 4, 2:30 – 4 p.m., kids fill glove turkeys with popcorn and decorate with colorful crafts while watching a seasonal movie and participating in fun activities, Tracy Gee Community Center, 3599 Westcenter Dr., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [bird](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

PUMPKIN COMPOST DROP-OFF ongoing thru Nov. 29, drop off your jack-o-lanterns, whole pumpkins, pumpkin seeds & pumpkin pulp at City of Houston Reuse Warehouse, 9003 N. Main St. or Westpark Recycling Center, 5900 Westpark, both open Tues – Sat., 8 a.m. – 5 p.m., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/> **care, recycle, garden, Houston**

Buffalo Bayou UNDERGROUND SOUNDS Nov. 13 – Nov. 16, 6 p.m., live musical performances in the Cistern, 105 Sabine St., www.buffalobayou.org **enjoy, park, Houston**

SIT. STAY. SHINE. CONFORMATION WORKSHOP Nov. 15, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., for 4H participants, learn how to show your dog & participate in a mini dog show, Smart Dog, 910 Curtin, <https://www.facebook.com/HarrisCounty4H/> **learn, care, enjoy, kids, animals, Houston**

FALL WITH FOSTERS PHOTOSHOT Nov. 15 & Nov. 22, 11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m., volunteers fostering pets get free fall photo with their pet, Humane Society Houston, 14700 Almeda Rd., <https://www.houstonhumane.org/events/calendar> **enjoy, photo, animals, Houston**

PET ADOPTIONS month of Nov., fees waived for military veterans for pets available for adoption, Humane Society Houston, 14700 Almeda Rd., <https://www.houstonhumane.org/events/calendar> **care, animals, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science SHARK TAGGING EXPEDITION deposits due Nov. 8, deposits due to Shark Research Expedition and Explore the Everglades in Miami, www.hmns.org **enjoy, learn, animals, online**

COMMUNITY FOOD FOREST VOLUNTEERS Nov. 7, 4 - 7 p.m. & Nov. 8, 2 – 4:30 p.m., volunteers help restore the orchard with earthworks, tree and shrub planting, Freed Park Community Food

Forest, 6818 Shadyvilla Ln., https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar **care, learn, garden, park, Houston**

PERIWINKLE WALK IN THE PARK Nov. 8, 8 a.m. - noon, enjoy family-friendly fundraiser walk in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., <https://evelynspark.org/events> **enjoy, kids, walk, park, Houston**

ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEALTH COMMUNITY MEETING Nov. 13, 8 a.m. - noon, meeting brings together community members, public health professionals, and local officials to address food and water safety concerns, Tracy Gee Community Center, 3599 Westcenter Dr., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, meeting, water, pollution, Houston**

SAND VOLLEYBALL Nov. 21, 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://bcadventures.com/events-calendar/#espresso_calendar **enjoy, animals, Houston**

PERMACULTURE DIG DAY VOLUNTEERS Nov. 8, 12 – 2:30 p.m., 1 – 4 p.m. & 2 – 4:30 p.m., volunteers set up, welcome guests, assist experts in Wildflower Seed ball making, planting demos and tastings, assist with our gardening activities & help break down and pack up tents for groundbreaking at new community garden, Harriet Street Community Garden, 5600 Harriet St., https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar **care, enjoy, learn, garden, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science TINY TREASURES: FOSSIL SORTING Nov. 6, 6:30 p.m., hands-on tour of the fossil prep lab, try your hand at various techniques paleontologist use to take fossils from excavation to exhibition, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org **enjoy, learn, animals, garden, Houston**

HOW TO REGISTER WITH METRO Nov. 7, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m., obtain a new fare card under the new system with METRO experts there to guide you; learn to use the app on your mobile devices, plan trips, and more, Freed Community Center, 6818 Shadyvilla Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

Q-TIP FLOWER PAINTING Nov. 17, 10:30 a.m., paint flowers with a q-tip, all ages, Steve Radack Community Center, 18650 Clay Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

GARDEN VOLUNTEERING Nov. 15, 8 – 11 a.m., volunteers work on projects such as weed and litter removal, seeding, amending soil, pruning, mulching, etc., Freed Park Community Garden, 6818 Shadyvilla Ln., https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar [care](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

YOGA IN THE PARK Nov. 10 & Nov. 17, 9 a.m., enjoy yoga class in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., <https://evelynspark.org/events> [enjoy](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

SHOREBIRDS OF TEXAS Nov. 4 & Nov. 11, 10 – 11:30 a.m., learn about Texas shorebird identification, migration, breeding, habitats and more in the Gulf Coast, one of the best places in the nation for observing shorebirds, Rice University, 6100 Main St., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> [learn](#), [class](#), [bird](#), [Houston](#)

WETLAND CLEAN-UP Nov. 7, 9 – 11 a.m., volunteers tidy trails, remove invasive species & maintain a healthy environment for wildlife, U.H. Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://www.uhcl.edu/environmental-institute/> [care](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [walk](#), [Houston](#)

Children's Museum of Houston **THE ANACONDA/EL GUIO: A SERPENT OF ORIGIN, MEMORY, MOVEMENT** ongoing, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m., immersive sculpture of the celestial Anaconda, weaving

Amazonian myth, memory, and river life into a space to enter, feel, and remember, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> **enjoy, kids, Houston**

WOODCARVING Nov. 6 – Nov. 20, 3 - 6 p.m., learn wood-carving techniques and share your own; carve caricatures, animals, and birds with relief carving, woodburning, and chip carving, Burnett Bayland Community Center, 6000 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, enjoy, tree, Houston**

BOOK & PUZZLE EXCHANGE Nov. 8, 11 a.m. – 3 p.m., bring books or puzzles to swap with other participants, Freed Community Center, 6818 Shadyvilla Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **care, recycle, Houston**

GROWING MUSHROOMS & NUTRITION Nov. 8, 10 – 11:30 a.m., learn the fundamentals of mushroom cultivation such as substrate options, fruiting methods, and cultivation containers, plus discuss different mushroom variations to consider and the nutritional value they offer, Bauer Education Center, 1911 W. 34th St., www.urbanharvest.org **learn, class, garden, Houston**

Houston Zoo ZOOLATES Nov. 15, 7:45 a.m., enjoy Pilates class in the zoo, 6200 Hermann Park Dr., www.houstonzoo.org **enjoy, animals, Houston**

GARDEN VOLUNTEERING Nov. 7 & Nov. 14, 7:30 - 9:30 a.m., volunteers assist with garden tasks, Spring Branch Elementary Garden, 1700 Campbell Rd., https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar **care, enjoy, garden, kids, Houston**

BIKE TERRY HERSHEY Nov. 4, 7 p.m., join group bike 11+ mi. in Terry Hershey Park to enjoy birds/nature, meet Terry Hershey Beltway 8 trailhead, 225 W. Sam Houston Pkwy. N., <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> enjoy, cycle, bird, park, Houston

DIVERSIFY A HOUSTON GARDEN Nov. 6, 1:30 p.m., learn how to diversify your Houston garden with vibrant herbs, stunning flowers, and fresh vegetables, Fonteno Senior Education Center, 6600 Bissonnet St., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> learn, class, garden, Houston

Hermann Park RUN IN THE PARK Nov. 8, 8 a.m., 5K walk/run, 1K kids' fun run & 10K, fundraiser for the park, 6100 Hermann Park Dr., <http://www.hermannpark.org/calendar/> care, enjoy, walk, park, Houston

FALL CRAFTS Nov. 5 – Nov. 26, 10:30 a.m. – noon, create fall-themed decorations perfect for your home or a thoughtful handmade gift, Burnett Bayland Community Center, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> enjoy, kids, Houston

HEARTS FOR HOUNDS POKER TOURNAMENT Nov. 13, 5 - 9 p.m., fundraiser for Humane Society Houston, Alara Garage, 1440 Greengrass Dr., <https://www.houstonhumane.org/events/calendar> care, animals, Houston

Nature Discovery Center NATURALLY MESSY Nov. 9, 10 – 11:45 a.m., program highlights nature's mess makers with classroom lessons about the biology and behavior of animals (and sometimes plants) that are known to make messes, then makes messes together outside at the pavilions, ages 3 – 7, accompanied by adult, 7112 Newcastle, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> enjoy, learn, class, kids, Houston

GARDEN VOLUNTEERING Nov. 15, 9 a.m., volunteers help with garden maintenance at Southside Place Community Garden, 6309 Edloe St., https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar care, enjoy, garden, Houston

Nature Discovery Center BIRDING AFTER BREAKFAST Nov. 5, 8:30 a.m., guided morning stroll in the park to enjoy our resident and migrant birds this fall and winter, bring a picnic breakfast to enjoy at the pavilions before morning walk, 7112 Newcastle, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> enjoy, bird, walk, Houston

SEED & PLANT SWAP Nov. 13, 11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., bring seeds, plant starts, cuttings, etc., to share, Tracy Gee Community Center, 3599 Westcenter Dr., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> care, enjoy, garden, meeting, Houston

Buffalo Bayou SOUND HEALING MEDITATION Nov. 5 & Nov. 12, 6 p.m., meditation class with sound & light, The Cistern, 105b Sabine St., www.buffalobayou.org enjoy, park, Houston

Houston Museum of Natural Science BRAESWOOD FARMERS' MARKET Nov. 16, 11 a.m. – 5 p.m., fresh produce, prepared foods, & more, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., <http://www.braeswoodfarmersmarket.com/> care, farmers, Houston

PILATES IN THE PARK Nov. 4 & Nov. 11, 6 p.m., enjoy Pilates class in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., <https://evelynspark.org/events> enjoy, park, Houston

Houston Aquarium ZOOLOGIST FOR A DAY Nov. 15, 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](#)

RAFFLE FUNDRAISER ongoing thru Dec. 1, fundraiser for Air Alliance Houston, drawing on Dec. 2, prizes include: 1st Prize – \$2,000 Giftogram eCard, 2nd Prize – \$1,500 Giftogram eCard, 3rd Prize – Nintendo Switch 2 (with Mario Kart World + Donkey Kong Bananza) & 4th Prize – E-Scooter, <https://airalliancehouston.org/events/> [care](#), [pollution](#), [Houston](#)

GIVING THANKS HARVEST WREATH Nov. 5, 12 – 2 p.m., make a harvest-themed wreath, Freed Center, 6818 Shadyvilla Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

SUNSET BINGO AT LEVY PARK Nov. 14, 5 p.m., benefit for the park, enjoy bingo & music, food/drink available for purchase, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> [care](#), [enjoy](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

KNOW YOUR TACKLEBOX Nov. 6, 3 p.m., learn more about fishing lures and other tools with a friendly angler-expert, Burnett Bayland Community Center, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [fish](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

TAKE CARE OF TEXAS VIDEO CONTEST ongoing, students in grades 6-12 create a 30-second, PSA-style video that shows positive ways to take care of our environment, <https://takecareoftexas.org/education/take-care-texas-video-contest> [care](#), [kids](#), [media](#), [water](#), [animals](#), [tree](#), [garden](#), [bird](#), [beach](#), [Houston](#)

HOUSTON HUMANE SOCIETY Nov. 11, 1:30 p.m., learn more about the activities/programs at Houston Humane Society, Burnett Bayland Community Center, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://www.houstonhumane.org/events/calendar> [learn](#), [animals](#), [lecture](#), [Houston](#)

PAINT A FALL DECOR Nov. 6, 10:30 a.m., carbon paper painting class, all ages, Freed Center, Fonteno Senior Education Center, 6600 Bissonnet St., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> enjoy, kids, Houston

ADOPT A GREENSPACE ongoing, adopt a greenspace in Houston & help to keep our parks in good condition, <https://forms.office.com/pages/responsepage.aspx?id=EFqoV4sltEWIGclsdyEJTGt6P4aD03RKlr6NH5JfyntUNTZMTFIXQTdVNTYwTUNQRFFWQIQ4VUI5Ti4u&route=shorturl> care, pollution, park, Houston

NATURE STATION Nov. 15, 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

Exploration Green TREE PLANTING Nov. 8, 8 a.m. – noon, volunteers plant trees to continue transformation of former golf course into greenspace, between Bay Area and Neptune, with parking available at the Phase 5 parking lot, <https://www.facebook.com/ExplorationGreen/> care, tree, park, Houston

Market Square Park MOVIE UNDER THE STARS Nov. 6, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m., enjoy screening of *Lilo & Stitch* in the park, 301 Milam St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> enjoy, media, park, Houston

ORGANIC GARDENING Nov. 13, 6 p.m., learn how to grow flowers, herbs, and vegetables organically without chemicals while taking control of your family's food quality, Bayland Community Center, 6400 Bissonnet St., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, class, garden, Houston**

Children's Museum of Houston **ZUMBINI** Nov. 6, 5:30 p.m. and Nov. 13 & Nov. 21, 10 a.m., music & movement to promote toddler development in the museum, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhoustontexas.org/events> **enjoy, kids, Houston**

FORENSIC WORKSHOP Nov. 6, 1 - 3 p.m., discover careers in forensics while exploring true crime cases and the investigative techniques that cracked them, Burnett Bayland Community Center, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, class, Houston**

WALKING CLUB Nov. 11, 8 a.m., veterans volunteer to walk shelter pets, Humane Society Houston, 14700 Alameda Rd., <https://www.houstonhumane.org/events/calendar> **care, animals, Houston**

Memorial Park **FUTBOLITO** Nov. 4, 5:30 - 7 p.m., free soccer programming and play for kids ages 6-14 in the park, South Picnic Loop, <https://www.facebook.com/MemorialPark/> **enjoy, park, Houston**

GROW & ENJOY HERBS Nov. 10, 12:30 p.m., learn how to grow and use fresh herbs including which herbs thrive in our local climate, how to plant and care for them, and creative ways to incorporate them into cooking, crafts, and home remedies, Freed Center, 6818 Shadyvilla Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, class, garden, Houston**

Children's Museum of Houston **WORLD KINDNESS DAY** Nov. 13, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m., celebrate the power of compassion, friendship, and community through creative crafts, games, and thoughtful challenges that will inspire you to make a difference—one kind act at a time, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhoustontexas.org/events> **enjoy, kids, Houston**

IMAGINE GALA Nov. 7, 6:30 - 11 p.m., fundraiser for the Galveston Bay Foundation, cocktails, auction, live entertainment, dinner, The Revaire, 7122 Old Katy Rd., <https://galvbay.org/events/> care, water, Houston

BIKE & A BIT OF NATURE Nov. 8, 9 – 11:30 a.m., join group 13 mi. bike ride on trails Willow Waterhole Greenspace, 5300 Dryad, <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> enjoy, cycle, water, animals, bird, park, Houston

BICYCLE SWAP MEET Nov. 15, 10 a.m., road ride at 8 a.m., followed by swap meet at i Cycle bike shop, 4721 Watonga Blvd., <https://www.facebook.com/groups/htxbikescene/> care, enjoy, cycle, Houston

BIKE BRAYS BAYOU Nov. 11, 7 p.m., join group 11-mile bike ride on paved trails along Brays Bayou, meet at Nature Discovery Center, 7112 Newcastle St., <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> enjoy, cycle, water, park, Houston

ORNAMENTAL DESIGN & AESTHETICS Nov. 5, 9:30 – 11 a.m. & Nov. 12, 4:30 – 6 p.m., learn the principles of ornamental garden design such as creating garden aesthetics, and choosing the best native plants for your garden, plus perennials vs. annuals, and practice designing your garden space and looking at your garden with a fresh eye for aesthetics, (11/5): 3400 De Soto St., (11/12): 6500a Chimney Rock Rd., www.urbanharvest.org learn, class, garden, 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

NATURE STATION Nov. 15, 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, Burnett Bayland Park, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, enjoy, garden, tree, animals, park, Houston**

MAYOR'S PROUD PARTNER LUNCHEON Nov. 13, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., fundraiser for Keep Houston Beautiful, honoree, guest speaker & meal, Julia Idelson Building, 550 McKinney St. <http://www.houstonbeautiful.org/> **care, Houston**

Memorial Park HEALTH & WELLNESS CLASSES Nov. 4 & Nov. 11, 6 p.m., free fitness classes in the park, Mat Pilates, location in the park vary, <https://www.facebook.com/MemorialPark/> **enjoy, park, Houston**

PUPTOPIA Nov. 8, 11 a.m. – 4 p.m., learn more about what we do here at Houston Humane Society, Saint Arnold Brewing Company, 2000 Lyons Ave., <https://www.houstonhumane.org/events/calendar> **learn, animals, Houston**

ART IN THE PARK ongoing thru Dec. 20, 10 a.m. – 8 p.m., experience Art in the Park, an exhibition in the park, Freed Art & Nature Park, 2406 Houston Ave., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, park, Houston**

GARDEN VOLUNTEERING Nov. 7 & Nov. 14, 8 a.m. - noon, volunteers assist with garden tasks, Bush Nature Center at Barbara Bush Elementary School, 13800 Westerloch Dr., https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar **care, enjoy, garden, kids, Houston**

NIGHT HIKE TERRY HERSHEY Nov. 15, 5 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

GROWING PERENNIALS Nov. 10, 10 a.m., learn how to fill your space with native grasses, hibiscus, and more, Burnett Bayland Community Center, 6026 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> learn, class, garden, Houston

Houston Museum of Natural Science 3D FILMS ongoing, 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, Mysteries of China (opens Nov. 14), Mummies: Secrets of the Pharaohs, Secrets of the Sea 3D, Sharks 3D & T. Rex enjoy, learn, media, Houston

COMMUNITY GARDEN Nov. 10 & Nov. 17, 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

ART IN THE PARK Nov. 4 & Nov. 11 and Nov. 6 & Nov. 13, 10 a.m. – noon, kid-friendly art classes in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., <https://evelynspark.org/events> enjoy, kids, park, Houston

GARDEN VOLUNTEERING daily, 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

Houston Museum of Natural Science [TERRACOTA WARRIORS](#) open Nov. 15, Nov. 14, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. & 6:30 – 9 p.m., member preview on 11/14 of exhibit of terracotta warriors from China, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org [enjoy](#), [Houston](#)

[NATURE STATION](#) Nov. 22, 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, Freed Community Center, 6818 Shadyvilla Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [tree](#), [animals](#), [Houston](#)

[GARDEN VOLUNTEERING](#) daily, Mon. – Fri., 8 a.m. – 6 p.m., volunteers assist with planting, weeding, watering, and harvesting produce, as well as maintaining garden infrastructure and seasonal upkeep, also support educational classes by helping set up materials, guide children and families during activities, and share lessons on nutrition and sustainable gardening practices, Houston Health Foundation's Community Family Garden, 190 Heights Blvd., https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar [care](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

[HARVEST HUES ON BURLAP](#) Nov. 4, 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., hands-on acrylic painting class, transform simple burlap bags into charming, hand-painted masterpieces using vibrant acrylic paints and seasonal inspiration, all ages, Freed Center, 6818 Shadyvilla Ln., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Memorial Park [MEMORIAL GROVES OPEN HOUSE](#) Nov. 8, 10 a.m. - noon, learn more about Memorial Park's next Master Plan project, Cullen Running Trails Center, 7575 North Picnic Ln., <https://www.facebook.com/MemorialPark/> [learn](#), [meeting](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

Market Square Park [HIP-HOP DANCE FITNESS](#) Nov. 4 & Nov. 11, 7 p.m. (Tues. thru Nov. 18), dynamic fitness program that integrates hip-hop movement into engaging workouts, for all fitness levels, ages and body types in the park, 301 Milam St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> **enjoy, park, Houston**

[GARDEN VOLUNTEERING](#) Nov. 4 & Nov. 11 and Nov. 5 & Nov. 12, 4:15 p.m., volunteers assist with garden tasks, Tinsley Elementary Garden, 11035 Bob White Dr., https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar **care, enjoy, garden, kids, Houston**

Kickerillo-Mischer Preserve [TORTUGUINES](#) Nov. 14, 10 a.m., programa al aire libre para que niños de 3 a 6 años de edad exploren las maravillas del reino animal, cada sesión se enfocará en diferentes tipos de animales e incluirá caminatas guiadas en la naturaleza, con actividades prácticas y una presentación interactiva, 20215 Chasewood Park Dr., <https://www.pct3.com/KMP> **enjoy, learn, kids, walk, animals, park, 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**

[DELICIOUS ALCHEMY BANQUET](#) Nov. 3, 7 p.m., fundraiser dinner, 10 chefs prepare 10 courses, Hope Farms, 10401 Scott St., <https://www.recipe4success.org/events/events-page.html> **care, kids, farmers, Houston**

Children's Museum of Houston [LATINO CARTOGRAPHIES](#) ongoing thru Nov. 9, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m., portable, fully-bilingual, and user-oriented interactive digital board that maps Houston's Latino

visual art, plus meet the artists, view the production of art and art animated, and experience the Latino cultures of Houston, in the museum, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> **enjoy, kids, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science [APES ON THE EDGE](#) **Nov. 3, 6:30 p.m.**, speaker explores unique characteristics of Fongoli Chimpanzees and social dynamics between them and the people they live alongside in southeastern Senegal, using her experience in the field and research findings from the Fongoli Savanna Chimpanzee Project, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org **learn, animals, lecture, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science [ASTRONOMY NIGHT](#) **Nov. 13, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.**, member event at Burke Baker Planetarium, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., www.hmns.org **enjoy, learn, media Houston**

[GARDEN VOLUNTEERING](#) **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15, 8 – 10 a.m.**, volunteers work on tree trimming, weed-pulling, native plantings, and rehab of the two small raised beds for vegetable gardens, Foerster Elementary School, 14200 Fonmeadow Dr., https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar **care, enjoy, garden, kids, Houston**

[BUBBLES & BOARD GAMES](#) **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13 and Nov. 10 & Nov. 17, 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**

[GARDEN VOLUNTEERING](#) **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11, 8:30 – 11 a.m.**, volunteers help with garden maintenance at Dominican Sisters Community Garden, a donation garden, 6501 Almeda Rd., https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar **care, enjoy, garden, Houston**

COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM Nov. 11 & Dec. 9, 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](#)

GREENSPACE ADOPTIONS ongoing, Houston Parks and Recreation Department's (HPARD) Park and Greenspace Adoption Programs are a great way to show your support for parkland and greenspaces, <https://www.houstontexas.gov/parks/> [care](#), [enjoy](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

TAI CHI IN THE PARK Nov. 4 & Nov. 11, 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](#)

Lorraine Cherry Nature Preserve **ARBOR DAY TREE GIVEAWAY** Nov. 7, 10 a.m. – noon, native tree giveawar in the preserve, 2400 W. 11th St., <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [care](#), [tree](#), [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](#)

Trebley Park **FLOW & BREATH** Nov. 5 & Nov. 12, 6:30 p.m., and Nov. 8 & Nov. 15, 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](#)

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**

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**

Children's Museum of Houston FAMJAM Nov. 7, 10 a.m. - noon, free coffee/breakfast snacks while mingling with other parents in the museum, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> **enjoy, kids, Houston**

COMMUNITY ACTION DAY Nov. 15, 9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m., event which is part of the Texas Public Interest Environmental Law Conference, a two-day continuing legal education event for public interest attorneys and community members interested in environmental justice in Texas, Thurgood Marshall School of Law at Texas Southern University, 3100 Cleburne St., <https://bayoucitywaterkeeper.org/events/> **learn, conference, pollution, Houston**

Children's Museum of Houston [SING, MOVE & PLAY](#) Nov. 5, Nov. 12, Nov. 19 & Nov. 26, 10:30 a.m., kids discover rhythm, melody, and movement with fun, hands-on music games, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [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](#)

Children's Museum of Houston [NATIONAL STEM DAY](#) Nov. 8, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., hands-on activities and fun workshops that ignite kids' curiosity with creative challenges & inspire a love for STEM, in the museum, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Market Square Park [RELAX & RESTORE](#) Nov. 10 & Nov. 17, 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](#)

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**

NATURE STATION Nov. 15, 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**

Nature Discovery Center MEET THE ANIMALS: FURRY FRIENDS Nov 15, 2 p.m., family-friendly animal encounter, plus discussion of animal biology & behavior, 7112 Newcastle, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> **enjoy, learn, animals, kids, Houston**

CONFLUENCE Nov. 12, 10 a.m. - noon, symposium designed to inspire dialogue and innovation in conservation, planning, and sustainable development, 2025 Theme: *The Space Between: Designing Corridors for Connection and Purpose*, United Way, 50 Waugh Dr. <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> **learn, conference, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science NINE NATIVES Nov. 10, 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**

YOGA PARA TOD@S Nov. 15, 10 a.m., bilingual yoga class at the farm, Finca Tres Robles, 5715 Canal St., <https://smallplaces.org/salsa-de-mayo/> **enjoy, farmers, Houston**

Children's Museum of Houston [MINDFEST CHALLENGE](#) Nov. 8, 1 – 4 p.m. & Nov. 13, 5 – 7:30 p.m., (11/8): create spooky pendulum paintings in Halloween colors, then test your courage in experiments that reveal the science of fear. Which will win—creativity or curiosity? (11/13) winning challenge takes a victory lap, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

FIRS AID INVENTORY & SORTING Nov. 12, 5:15 - 8 p.m., volunteers inventory & sort first aid supplies in preparation for summer kids' trips, The Woods Project, 2700 Southwest Frwy., <https://thewoodsproject.org/calendar/> [care](#), [kids](#), [camp](#), [walk](#), [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., <https://www.memorialparkconservancy.org/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [walk](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

Children's Museum of Houston [EASTARTS WORKSHOP](#) Nov. 6, 5:30 & 6:30 p.m., Nov. 8, 10 & 11:15 a.m. and 12:30 & 1:45 p.m., Nov. 11, 1 & 2 p.m. and Nov. 15, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., learn about culture, explore art techniques, and express your creativity, story time for your toddler, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [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](#)

HIKE MEMORIAL PARK Nov. 7, 9 a.m., join group outing for a 6-mi hike on trails in Memorial Park, meet at Tennis Center, 1500 W. Memorial Loop Dr., <https://www.meetup.com/HoustonUrban-Trekkers/events/> enjoy, walk, park, Houston

Space Center Houston **AN EVENING WITH HANK GREEN: THOUGHT LEADER SERIES** Nov. 6, 5:30 p.m., Hank shares his journey of building creative platforms that inspire curiosity, explain complex ideas with clarity and foster global communities, 1601 E. NASA Pkwy., <https://spacecenter.org/events/> learn, lecture, Houston

SUNDAY SUPPER Nov. 9, 4 - 9 p.m., fundraiser for Urban Harvest, delicious dinner presented by a variety of chefs created in partnership with local famers/ranchers, J-Bar-M Barbeque, 2201 Leeland St., <https://urbanharvest.events/upcoming-events> care, enjoy, farmers, garden, Houston

HIKE CRESTWOOD Nov. 14, 7 p.m., join group outing for a 6-mi night hike in Crestwood neighborhood, meet in Memorial Park at Tennis Center, 1500 W. Memorial Loop Dr., <https://www.meetup.com/HoustonUrban-Trekkers/events/> enjoy, walk, park, 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

SIP & BLOOM FLORAL WORKSHOP Nov. 14, 6 - 8 p.m., enjoy creating your own vibrant bouquet with Vibrant Pop & Blossoms, while sipping a refreshing cocktail from Lyric Bar, Lyric Market, 411 Smith St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> enjoy, garden, Houston

GREEN TEAM Nov. 14, 9 a.m. – noon, volunteers plant native wetland plants for the detention pond and understory shrubs, forbs, and grasses for pollinators in the native landscape along Brays Bayou, 7912 Brays Bayou St., <https://houstonparksboard.volunteerhub.com/vv2/> care, enjoy, garden, water, park, Houston

Space Center Houston **GALAXY LIGHTS MEMBER PREVIEW** Nov. 14, 6 – 10 p.m., members only viewing of light display, 1601 E. NASA Pkwy., <https://spacecenter.org/events/> enjoy, Houston

Space Center Houston **HOME SCHOOL DAY** Nov. 14, 9 a.m., home-schooled kids discover space science & engineering through innovative activities, 1601 E. NASA Pkwy., <https://spacecenter.org/events/> learn, enjoy, kids, class, Houston

HIKE CULLEN PARK Nov. 9, 9 a.m., join group outing to hike 7 miles in Cullen Park, 19008 Saumes Rd., <https://www.meetup.com/HoustonUrban-Trekkers/events/> enjoy, walk, park, Houston

Space Center Houston **CELEBRATE NATIONAL STEM DAY IN SPACE** Nov. 7, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m., students engage in Hands-On Science Experiments, Virtual Reality, Piloting a Robot Across a Lunar Map, Astronaut Mission Memories, Live Science Show and more, 1601 E. NASA Pkwy., <https://spacecenter.org/events/> learn, class, kids, star, Houston

NIGHT HIKES Nov. 5 & Nov. 12, 7 p.m., join group hike along Buffalo Bayou, meet at Water Works, 105 Sabine St., <https://www.meetup.com/join/events/> enjoy, walk, park, Houston

FOREST DALE PLANTING Nov. 15, 9 a.m. – noon, volunteers plant and restore the Forest Dale site along Halls Bayou, 9303 Forest Dale St., <https://houstonparksboard.volunteerhub.com/vv2/> care, enjoy, garden, water, tree, park, Houston

Market Square Park [YAPPY HOUR](#) Nov. 14, 5 - 7 p.m., enjoy this great dog event in the park, complimentary treats, 301 Milam St., <https://downtownhouston.org/calendar> [enjoy](#), [animals](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

Space Center Houston [NATIONAL STEM DAY](#) Nov. 8, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., STEM activations and special presentations, 1601 E. NASA Pkwy., <https://spacecenter.org/events/> [learn](#), [class](#), [kids](#), [star](#), [Houston](#)

Children's Museum of Houston [HOUSTON YOUTH CHAMBER ORCHESTRA](#) Nov. 15, 2 p.m., Houston Youth Chamber Orchestra presents a refined program showcasing the skill and artistry of its young musicians, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Houston Botanic Garden [SKETCH-PLORATIONS](#) Nov. 8, 1 p.m., explore how art can be wellness through beginner-friendly, teacher-led drawing, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> [learn](#), [class](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

Houston Botanic Garden [RADIANT NATURE](#) opens Nov. 14, enjoy exhibit of 50 large-scale Chinese lantern installations -- in three themed zones, including an interactive area with lighted swings and other immersive opportunities for family-friendly play, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

[FIRESIDE ON THE FARM](#) Nov. 6, 5:30 – 8:30 p.m., fundraiser for Finca Tres Robles, enjoy sweet and savory s'mores, handcrafted drinks, and captivating fireside storytelling, 5715 Canal St., <https://smallplaces.org/events/> [care](#), [farmers](#), [Houston](#)

SOUND MEDITATION LEVY PARK Nov. 4 & Nov. 18, 7 p.m., enjoy a sound bath in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> **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 Botanic Garden RESTORATIVE YOGA & SOUND BATH Nov. 15, 1 p.m., enjoy supported yoga stretches to a soundscape of gongs, crystal singing bowls & chime, in the garden, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> **enjoy, class, garden, Houston**

REGENERATE LUNCHEON Nov. 13, 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m., fundraiser for Blackwood Educational Land Institute, enjoy harvest-driven meal, stories from our legacy students and educators, tours of the Skyfarm, and a firsthand look at how Blackwood is changing the way people connect to the land and to each other, Skyfarm at The POST Houston, 401 Franklin St., <https://thewoodsproject.org/calendar/care>, **learn, enjoy, farmers, Houston**

TRADITIONAL HERBAL REMEDIES CLASS/CLASE DE REMEDIAS HERBALES TRADICIONALES Nov. 8, 11 a.m., learn to create traditional herbal remedies, Finca Tres Robles, 5715 Canal St., <https://smallplaces.org/events/> **learn, enjoy, class, farmers, Houston**

Houston Botanic Garden HABITAT ongoing, exhibit with a dozen thematic sections to explore the central idea “protecting habitats protects life” through the lens of the environment where each is

displayed, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [garden](#), [bird](#), [animals](#), [tree](#), [Houston](#)

VOLUNTEER DAY Nov. 8, 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](#)

Space Center Houston **SENSORY FRIENDLY EVENT** Nov. 15, 8 - 10 a.m., explore science and space exploration in a reduced sensory environment, 1601 E. NASA Pkwy., <https://spacecenter.org/events/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Kickerillo-Mischer Preserve **JUNIOR INVESTIGATORS** Nov. 13, 10 – 11:30 a.m., series of classes of outdoor education chock-full of fun, including investigating plants, observing insects, fishing, pond life exploration and even nature survival skills, must be accompanied by adult, 20215 Chasewood Park Dr., <https://www.pct3.com/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [animals](#), [garden](#), [fish](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

Buffalo Bayou **WELLNESS WALK** Nov. 5 & Nov. 12, 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](#)

Sheldon Lake State Park **RACE TO LEAVE NO TRACE** Nov. 8, 2 p.m., learn the Leave No Trace Principles and see if you can make it through a day at the park without breaking them through a boardgame activity, 14140 Garrett Rd, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/sheldon-lake/park_events [learn](#), [care](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [walk](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

DISTRIBUTION OF DEVOTIONALS FOR U.N. CLIMATE CONFERENCE Nov. 8, 5:30 – 7 p.m. & Nov. 9, 8 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., Christian daily devotionals to use during the U.N. Climate Conference

(Nov. 10 – 21) available, also available for download from website, Christ the King Evangelical Lutheran Church, 2353 Rice Blvd., <http://creationcares.org> **care, Houston**

Sheldon Lake State Park BIRDWATCHING HIKE Nov. 9, 8:30 a.m., search for our variety of feathered friends that call the park home on a guided birding hike, 14140 Garrett Rd, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/sheldon-lake/park_events **enjoy, walk, kids, bird, park, Houston**

FAMILY HERBS FOR THE HOLIDAYS Nov. 8, 10 a.m., learn to use herbs to make your holidays special, Westbury Community Garden, 12581 Dunlap, <http://westburycommunitygarden.org/> **learn, class, garden, kids, Houston**

FALL HARVEST CELEBRATION Nov. 15, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., pot luck and presentation, Westbury Community Garden, 12581 Dunlap, <http://westburycommunitygarden.org/> **enjoy, learn, garden, Houston**

REPAIR CAFE Nov. 8, 11 a.m. – 3 p.m., volunteer repair experts available to help make all repairs free of charge, event focuses on small appliances and sewing and mending, West University Branch Library, 6108 Auden St., <https://cecmembers.houstonenvironment.org/Calendar/moreinfo.php?eventid=58350> **care, learn, meeting, Houston**

THE WISDOM OF JAPANESE GARDENING Nov. 6, 5 – 8 p.m., explore how Japanese gardens embody balance, seasonality & respect for nature, The Health Museum, 1515 Hermann Park Dr., <https://www.ohbaonline.org/register> **learn, class, garden, 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](#)

[PARK WORK DAY](#) Nov. 15, 9 a.m. – noon, volunteers rebuild trails, clean the park/bayou, and work in the gardens, Woodland Park, 212 Parkview, <https://www.friendsofwoodlandpark.org/> [care](#), [enjoy](#), [pollution](#), [water](#), [walk](#), [garden](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

Sheldon Lake State Park [SKINS & SKULLS](#) Nov. 15 & Nov. 28, 10:30 a.m., check out items in environmental learning center to learn about animals & what they leave behind, 14140 Garrett Rd, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/sheldon-lake/park_events [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [animals](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

[DANCE!! IN LEVY PARK](#) Nov. 8, 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](#)

Space Center Houston [HUNCH DESIGN REVIEW](#) Nov. 12 – Nov. 14, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., high school students challenged to research and engineer prototypes that could help advance space exploration and potentially be sent to the International Space Station (ISS), 1601 E. NASA Pkwy., <https://spacecenter.org/events/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [star](#), [Houston](#)

[ENCHANTED WOODLAND FEAST](#) Nov. 8, 6 - 10 p.m., fundraiser for The Woods Project, farm-to-table dinner, Skyfarm at The POST Houston, 401 Franklin St., <https://thewoodsproject.org/calendar/> [care](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Sheldon Lake State Park LEAVES LIKE YOU WOULDN'T BE-LEAF Nov. 16 & Nov 29, 2 p.m., learn some leaf ID tips with us by creating your very own leaf rubbings, Pond Pavillion, 14140 Garrett Rd, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/sheldon-lake/park_events **learn, enjoy, tree, park, Houston**

INTERFAITH PRAYER VIGIL DURING THE U.N. CLIMATE CONFERENCE Nov. 16, 3 p.m., join people of a variety of faiths in praying for those in deliberation at the U.N. Climate Conference, Hermann Park, 6100 Hermann Park Dr., <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/1765631012889> **care, enjoy, park, Houston**

ROOTED IN BOOKS Nov. 17, 10 a.m., enchanting stories, engaging activities, and educational fun, ages 2 – 5, Trees For Houston, 1911 W. 34th St., <https://www.treesforhouston.org/events-calendar> **enjoy, tree, kids, Houston**

JUSTICE ADVOCACY EVENT Nov. 16, 9:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., speak up on a variety of justice topics, including eco-justice at Christ the King Evangelical Lutheran Church, 2353 Rice Blvd., <http://creationcares.org> **care, learn, 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 **Nov. 28** **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., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 15** [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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** [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 **Nov. 9 & Nov. 16** [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 **TBD** [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 **Nov. 5** [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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** [care](#), [farmers](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

Bagby Park **BINGO** Thurs., 7 p.m., enjoy BINGO Night at La Calle Tacos in the park, prizes awarded, 415 Gray St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunities **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** [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/>,

<https://www.gcbo.org/> OR <https://www.splashtx.org/calendar> 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 **Nov. 8** 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 Opportunity **TBD** 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 11 (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 **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** 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 **Nov. 20** 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 **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12** 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 **Nov. 16** 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., 8 a.m. – 3 p.m., recycle sorted paper, plastic, glass, & aluminum at the park, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 22** 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 **Nov. 14 and Nov. 5 & Nov. 12** 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 Sat., 10:30 a.m. – 5 p.m., sale/swap for all things bike, EaDo Bike Co, 912 St Charles St., <https://www.facebook.com/GHORBA.org> Next Opportunities **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 7 & Nov. 14** 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 **Dec. 1** 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 8** 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 **TBD** 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/events/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 8** **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 **Nov. 15** **care, garden, Houston**

Houston Museum of Natural Science **PLANETARIUM SHOWS** **ongoing, times vary**, 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, Force 5, 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 **TBD**, Topic: TBD **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 **Nov. 13** **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 **TBD**, Topic: TBD **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 **Nov. 15** **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**

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> Next Opportunity **Nov. 16** **care, farmers, 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 **Dec. 6** *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 **Nov. 10 & Nov. 17 and Nov. 9 & Nov. 16** *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 **Nov. 6, 8 – 11 a.m.** (at 7570 North Picnic Ln. on 11/6) *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 **Nov. 8**, Topic: Hall of the Americas *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](#) 3rd 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 **Nov. 15** [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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** [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 **Nov. 8** [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 **Nov. 6** [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 **Nov. 18**, 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 **Dec. 7** **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 **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** **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 **Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 12** 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 **Nov. 8** 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 **Nov. 30** 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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** enjoy, park, garden, Houston

Bagby Park **YAPPY HOUR** occasionally, 4:30 – 6:30 p.m., treats for your dog, giveaways, contests & prizes in the park, 415 Gray St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, animals, park, Houston

PLANT PROPAGATION most Weds/Thurs., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m. & Thurs., 4:30 – 6:30 p.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-of-events> or <https://txmn.org/gbm/gbac-events-calendar/> OR <https://www.facebook.com/ExplorationGreen/events> Next Opportunities **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** 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 Opportunity **TBD** 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 **Nov. 15** 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 Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, boat, park, Houston

MOBILE MARKET 4th Tues., 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 **Nov. 25** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

PLATYPUS BIKE CLUB Weds., 7 – 9 p.m., join group ride from Platypus Brewing, 1902 Washington Ave., <https://www.facebook.com/groups/htxbikescene/events> Next Opportunities **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12** enjoy, cycle, 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 **Nov. 13 (moved online)** Topic: Cole Crazy [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 **TBD** [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/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> OR <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 8** [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 **TBD (moved online)** Topic: TBD [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 **Nov. 29** 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 **TBD** 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 **Nov. 15** 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-of-events> OR <https://www.facebook.com/ExplorationGreen/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** 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** 3rd Mon., 8:30 - 11 a.m., enjoy touring Genoa Friendship Garden, 1202 Genoa Red Bluff Rd., <https://hcmga.tamu.edu/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 17** 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 **Nov. 15** care, recycle, park, Houston

Houston Federated Garden Clubs **MONTHLY MEETING** 2nd Fri., 10 a.m., general meeting, speaker at each meeting, CityRise Church, 4601 Bellaire Blvd., <https://www.houstonfederationgardenclubs.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **Nov. 14**, 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 **Nov. 8 (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 **Nov. 21** 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 **TBD** 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 **Nov. 19 (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 **Nov. 13** 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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** and **Nov. 10 & Nov. 17** 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** some Thurs., 5 - 8 p.m., member event, activities, music, & more in the museum, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> Next Opportunity **Nov. 6** 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 **Nov. 8** 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 **Nov. 3, Nov. 10 & Nov. 17** **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.**, full-body workout focused on core strength, joint stability, and muscle toning with isolation, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunities **TBD** **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 **YOGA** **Sat., 9 - 10 a.m.**, practice vinyasa yoga for enhanced awareness & a strong, healthy body, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** **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 **Nov. 13 (moved online)**, Topic: TBD **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**

Discovery Green HIP HOP YOGA Weds., 6:30 p.m., open-air yoga experience where movement, music, and meaning collide, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12 enjoy, class, park, Houston**

Blackwood Sky Farm VOLUNTEER DAYS Fri., 7 - 11 a.m., volunteers engage in farm & garden activities, followed by homemade lunch, all ages & skill levels accepted, Post HTX, 401 Franklin St., <https://blackwoodland.org> Next Opportunities **Nov. 7 & Nov. 14 care, enjoy, farmers, garden, kids, 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 **Nov. 10 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 **Nov. 5** [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 **TBD** [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://www.npsot.org/calendar/> Next opportunity **Nov. 10 (hybrid)**, Topic: Struttin' Our Stuff: Members share their stories [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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** [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 **Nov. 11** care, enjoy, park, farmers, Houston

BAYOU RIDE 1st Sun., 8 – 11 a.m., Bike Houston offers guided educational ride, start at Tidwell Community Center, 9720 Spaulding St., moderate pace with stops, www.bikehouston.org Next Opportunity **Dec. 7** enjoy, cycle, water, Houston

PLANT IT FORWARD FARM STAND Sun., 11 a.m. – 3 p.m., farm-fresh produce for sale from local Plant it Forward farms, Sun: 12581 Dunlap, http://plantitforward.farm/purchaseourproduce/#_farmstand Next Opportunities **Nov. 9 & Nov. 16** 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 **Nov. 12** 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 **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, media, pollution, recycle, Houston

MOBILE MARKET 1st & 3rd Thurs., 2 - 4 p.m., the Farmers' 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 VIEWING Fri., 30 min. before sunset, Waugh Street Bridge Allen Pkwy & Waugh, <https://tpwd.texas.gov/huntwild/wild/species/bats/bat-watching-sites/waugh-drive-bridge.phtml> Next Opportunities **Nov. 7 & Nov. 14** learn, enjoy, animals, Houston

MOBILE MARKET 2nd Weds., 2 – 5 p.m., the Farmers' 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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** 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 **Nov. 18 (Note date change)**, Topic: TBD 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 **Nov. 4** (meeting) & **Nov. 11** (orientation) **care, learn, class animals, Houston**

YOUTH BIRDING CLUB **3rd Sat., 11:30 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. or Exploration Green (meeting location varies), <https://www.uhcl.edu/environmental-institute/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 15** **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 **Dec. 22** **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 **Nov. 22** **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 **TBD** **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 **Nov. 20** **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.

<https://criticalmasshouston.com/weekly-bike-rides/> Next opportunity **Nov. 28** 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 **TBD** 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 **Nov. 4**, Topic: Composting Demonstration (moved to Genoa Friendship Garden, 1210 Genoa Redbluff Rd.) learn, enjoy, garden, kids, Houston

MOBILE MARKET **1st & 3rd Sat., 9 a.m. - noon**, the Famers' Market comes to you, Northeast Community FM at LBJ, 5656 Kelly, Entrance 4, <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 15** care, enjoy, park, farmers, Houston

BIKE RIDES **days/times vary**, join group rides of varying distances and speeds throughout the Houston area, see the calendar at <https://criticalmasshouston.com/weekly-bike-rides/> enjoy, cycle, 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 **Nov. 19**, Topic: Collaborating with our State Partners on Disaster Resiliency Planning **learn, media, meeting, pollution, Houston**

GARDEN VOLUNTEERS Sat., 7 – 10 a.m., volunteers work in community garden, start time changes seasonally, 3201 Airline, Facebook.com/beautys-community-garden OR <https://app.vomo.org/project/beautys-community-garden> Next Opportunities **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** **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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** **learn, enjoy, class, kids, Houston**

PRELUDE MUSIC SERIES AT LEVY PARK **monthly, usually 4 p.m.**, enjoy 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** **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 **Nov. 16** 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 **Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** enjoy, class, park, Houston

FLORAL FRIDAYS Fri., 11 a.m., online program on horticulture, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/> Next Opportunities **TBD** 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 **Nov. 10**, Location: San Bernard National Wildlife Refuge 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 **Nov. 10** 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 **Nov. 20** (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 **TBD**, Topic: TBD **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 **Nov. 9 & Nov. 16** **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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** **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 **Nov. 20** **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 **Nov. 18** **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/gbmngbac-events-calendar/> OR <https://www.uhcl.edu/environmental-institute> Next Opportunities **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** **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 **Nov. 21, 8 a.m.**, Location: El Franco Lee Park **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 **Dec. 1** **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 **Nov. 25**
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 **Dec. 6** 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 **Nov. 8** 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 **Nov. 4** learn, enjoy, class, park, Houston

WESTBURY COMMUNITY GARDEN WORK DAY usually 4th Sat., time varies, volunteers tend the garden, 12581 Dunlap, <http://westburycommunitygarden.org/> OR https://give.urbanharvest.org/volunteer_calendar Next Opportunities **Nov. 8, 8 a.m. (Note date change) & Nov. 22, 8 a.m. - noon** 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

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 **Nov. 11** **care, enjoy, bird, park, Houston**

MASTER NATURALIST Monthly Meeting 1st Thurs., 6:30 – 9 p.m., guest speaker at each meeting, Houston Arboretum & Nature Center, 4501 Woodway Dr., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next opportunity **Nov. 6**, 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 **Nov. 10** **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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** **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 **Nov. 12** **learn, meeting, Houston**

HOUSTON URBAN GARDENERS Meeting 2nd Mon., 6 - 7:30 pm, Westbury Community Garden, 12581 Dunlap, <http://www.houstonurbangardeners.org/> Next opportunity **Nov. 10** **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

BIRD COUNT 3rd Tues., 7 a.m., volunteers count birds at the Environmental Institute of Houston, UH-Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://www.uhcl.edu/environmental-institute> Next Opportunity **Nov. 18**
care, bird, 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 **Nov. 21**
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

Exploration Green **YOUTH BIRDING CLUB** 4th Sat., 4:30 p.m., youth 7 – 13 birdwatch in the park, 16250 Diana Ln., Clear Lake, <https://www.explorationgreen.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **Nov. 22**
care, enjoy, bird, kids, park, 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 **Nov. 5**, Story: The Bamboo Princess, Craft: Magical Bamboo **enjoy, kids, park, Houston**

MOBILE MARKET **3rd Thurs., 5 – 7 p.m.**, the Famers' Market comes to you, Mason Park, 541 S 75th St., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-market/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** **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 **Nov. 17** **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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11 & Nov. 6** 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 **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 **Dec. 6** 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 Opportunities **Nov. 3, Nov. 10 & Nov. 17**, Topic: Endangered! [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 **Nov. 8** [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 **Dec. 6** [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 **Nov. 7 & Nov. 14** [care](#), [recycle](#), [Houston](#)

[DANZ JAMZ IN THE PARK](#) Sat., 8 a.m., enjoy cardio energy dance class in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., suitable for kids, prizes awarded, <https://evelynspark.org/events> Next Opportunities **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** [enjoy](#), [park](#), [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](#)

SOUTHSIDE RIDERS Thurs., 7:45 p.m., join group cycling outing, 15 – 20 miles, from Crenshaw Park, Pasadena, <https://www.facebook.com/groups/296799454416175/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** enjoy, cycle, park, outside

BENEFIT BINGO Weds., 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> Next Opportunities **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12** care, enjoy, kids, park, 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 **TBD** 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 **Nov. 16** 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** care, enjoy, learn, garden, farmers, Houston

SOUND BATH IN THE PARK 1st Weds., 9 a.m., enjoy yoga class in Evelyn's Park, 4400 Bellaire Blvd., <https://evelynspark.org/events> Next Opportunity **Nov. 5** enjoy, park, 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 Opportunities **Nov. 22, 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**, Juniors – Geocacher & **2 – 4 p.m.**, Brownies – Hiker learn, enjoy, class, kids, Houston

Willow Waterhole Reserve **BIRD COUNT** 3rd Sat., 8 – 11 a.m., volunteers count birds, www.houstonaudubon.org, Next opportunity **Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12** 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 Bad Astronaut Brewing Co, 1519 Fulton St., <https://www.facebook.com/groups/htxbike/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** **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 **Nov. 14** **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 Opportunities **Nov. 10 & Nov. 17 and Nov. 16, 2 p.m. (in Spanish)** **enjoy, learn, walk, kids, Houston**

Exploration Green NATIVE PLANT GARDEN WORKDAY **every other Mon., 3:30 p.m.**, volunteers work on native gardens in the park, location may vary, <https://www.explorationgreen.org/calendar-of-events> Next Opportunity **Nov. 3** **care, enjoy, garden, park, 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 **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** [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 **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** [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 **TBD, (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 Opportunities **Nov. 5, Nov. 12 & Nov. 19** [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 **Nov. 15** **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 **Nov. 12 (hybrid)** **learn, meeting, media, boat, Houston**

BLACKWOOD OPEN FARM DAYS Weds., 6:30 – 8:30 p.m., tours of the Skyfarm, Hands-on learning stations for all ages, Meet our team and learn about our regenerative methods, Seasonal updates on what's growing and why, Insight into rooftop farming and sustainable food systems in Houston, Opportunities to volunteer, get involved, and support the farm, Post HTX, 401 Franklin St., <https://blackwoodland.org/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12** **enjoy, learn, farmers, 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 **Nov. 6** **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 **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12** **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 **Nov. 8** 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** care, farmers, Houston

ENJOY, LEARN ABOUT, AND CARE FOR NATURE

UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES OUTSIDE HOUSTON

HIKE HISTORIC RICHMOND Nov. 8, 9 a.m., join group outing to hike 5 mi. in Richmond, meet at Wessendorf Park, <https://www.meetup.com/HoustonUrban-Trekkers/events/> enjoy, walk, park, outside

Lake Livingston State Park **CRITTERS OF EAST TEXAS** Nov. 6 & Nov. 20, 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

TAKE CARE OF TEXAS VIDEO CONTEST ongoing, students in grades 6-12 create a 30-second, PSA-style video that shows positive ways to take care of our environment, <https://takecareoftexas.org/education/take-care-texas-video-contest> care, kids, media, water, animals, tree, garden, bird, beach, outside

VISIT HARRIS COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT Nov. 11, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m., senior outing, explore the Harris County Office of Emergency Management/Houston Transtar, transportation from Richard & Meg Weekley Community Center, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> learn, outside

George Ranch Historical Park **FRONTIER DAYS** Nov. 15, enjoy cattle working demonstrations, historic home tours, battle re-enactments, games, vendors, food trucks, music, entertainment, hands-

on activities and more, family-friendly, Richmond, <https://www.georgeranch.org/event-calendar/> **enjoy, kids, animals, park, outside**

Collins Park **SPEAR THROWING** Nov. 19 & Nov. 25, 9 & 10:15 a.m., learn about the atlatl, a primitive spear used by indigenous people around the world, try your hand at launching a spear, kids 7+, Spring, <https://www.pct3.com/> **learn, enjoy, kids, park, outside**

Lake Livingston State Park **NATURE HIKE** Nov. 6 & Nov. 20, 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**

MARINE DEBRIS SURVEY Nov. 5, 9 – 10:30 a.m., volunteers remove debris & record it for community science, Seawolf Park, Galveston, <https://www.volunteer.galvbay.org/?view=calendar> **care, pollution, park, outside**

Lake Livingston State Park **MAMMALS OF EAST TEXAS** Nov. 8, 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**

CREEKSIDE CAMPOUT Nov. 15 – Nov. 16, family campout in the park, meals & activities provided, in Rob Fleming Park, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/> **enjoy, kids, camp, park, outside**

4H FUNDRAISER AT CASEY'S ongoing thru Nov. 4, fundraiser for 4H participants at Casey's, Add a donation to any order made online or in the Casey's app, various locations, <https://agrilife.org/harris4h/> **care, kids, outside**

Collins Park ARCHERY Nov. 15, 12:30 p.m., courses for beginners taught by certified instructors, all equipment provided, ages 7+, Spring, <https://www.pct3.com/> **learn, enjoy, kids, park, outside**

FAMILY BINGO NIGHT Nov. 7, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m., enjoy family-friendly bingo at Texas TreeVentures, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/> **enjoy, kids, outside**

SHADE PLANTS Nov. 11, noon, learn how to turn shady spaces into garden highlights, Richard & Meg Weekley Community Center, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, class, garden, outside**

MOONLIGHT PADDLE Nov. 7, 6:30 - 8 p.m., enjoy guided nocturnal paddle on Lake Woodlands, The Woodlands, <https://rivarowboathouse.com/moonlight-paddle/> **enjoy, boat, outside**

THE SCIENCE OF COFFEE: FROM BEAN TO CUP Nov. 6, 6:30 p.m., explore the science of coffee, from cultivation to final cup, Brazoria County Agrilife Extension Office, Angleton, <https://www.facebook.com/brazoriacountyextension> **learn, class, garden, 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**

PRAIRIE 101 TEACHER WORKSHOP Nov. 8, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., educators of all grade levels, district coordinators, pre-service teachers, and informal educators learn prairie activities, insect sweep, history & benefit of coastal prairie, prairie ecology, prairie management, pocket prairies, environmental careers & more, bring your own lunch, Deer Park Prairie, <https://texasprairie.org/events/> **learn, enjoy, kids, animals, garden, outside**

PET PANTRY Nov. 14, 9 a.m., get pet food for free, first come – first served, Pasadena Animal Shelter, <https://www.houstonhumane.org/> **care, animals, outside**

Mercer Botanic Gardens NATIVE LANDSCAPE CERTIFICATION PROGRAM Nov. 8, 8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m., certification program developed by Native Plant Society that teaches value of including/preserving natives plants in landscape, Topic: Installation and Maintenance of Native Landscapes, in-person class with a plant identification walk, Humble, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> **learn, care, class, garden, outside**

SOUND BATH MEDITATION Nov. 15, 10:30 a.m., immerse yourself in the healing vibrations of crystal bowls in this sound bath in the serene setting of Arrowwood Preserve, Tomball, <https://www.bayoulandconservancy.org/calendar> **enjoy, park, outside**

OYSTER SHELL BAG VOLUNTEERS Nov. 13, 5 - 8 p.m., volunteers “sew” pre-cut nets into sacks by threading paracord through the edges to secure them, sacks hold recycled oyster shells used to build a new reef for the Galveston Bay, Kemah, <https://www.volunteer.galvbay.org/> **care, water, animals, outside**

ALL LEVELS YOGA Nov. 15, 9 a.m., connect deeply with nature as you breathe, move, and flow beneath the open sky in the beautiful setting of Arrowwood Preserve in this yoga class, Arrowwood Preserve, Tomball, <https://www.bayoulandconservancy.org/calendar> enjoy, park, outside

Sea Center Texas INTRO. TO FISHING BASICS Nov. 15, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., learn all about fishing in this interactive event, includes classroom & outdoor, hands-on activities, Lake Jackson, <https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/site-calendars/sea-center-texas/> learn, class, fish, outside

Mercer Botanic Gardens TAI CHI Nov. 8 & Nov. 15, 10 a.m., enjoy beginner Tai Chi class in the garden, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal enjoy, class, garden, outside

NATIVE BEES: PROTECTING OUR MOST PRECIOUS POLLINATORS Nov. 15, 10 a.m., deep dive into native bee biology and learn all the ways they are special, and different from their honey bee cousins, Enchanted Forest, Richmond, <https://enchantedforestrichmondtx.com/events-calendar/> learn, class, animals, outside

PUMPKIN SMASH Nov. 8, 3 - 6 p.m., bring your pumpkins, free of any non-organic matter, and smash them, pumpkins composted afterward, Sterling Ridge Park & Ride, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/> care, recycle, garden, outside

Lake Livingston State Park ALL ABOUT SNAKES Nov. 8, Nov. 15, Nov. 22 & Nov. 29, 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

FRIDAY NIGHT HEIGHTS Nov. 7 & Nov. 14, 5 – 7 p.m. (Fri. thru Dec. 5), climbing at night in lit-up course at Texas TreeVentures, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/> **enjoy, kids, tree, outside**

GARDENING FOR LIFE Nov. 8, 10 a.m., this talk provides a list of tips and suggestions on things gardeners can do to make our garden a low impact joy that we can continue for as long as we are able, Enchanted Forest, Richmond, <https://enchantedforestrichmondtx.com/events-calendar/> **learn, class, animals, outside**

Gulf Coast Bird Observatory NURSERY WORK DAYS Nov. 10 & Nov. 17 and Nov. 5 & Nov. 12, 9 a.m. – noon and Nov. 6 & Nov. 13, 4:30 – 6:30 p.m., volunteers work in native plant nursery in Lake Jackson, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> **care, enjoy, garden, 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**

KNOW YOUR FISH Nov. 14, 9 a.m., learn local freshwater fish, create your own fish print, & learn how to cast properly and safely with a fun game called backyard bass, for elementary students – adult, Richard & Meg Weekley Community Center, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, enjoy, kids, fish, outside**

CLEAN-UP & E-WASTE RECYCLING Nov. 15, 9 - 11 a.m., volunteers clean up trash in Richmond, plus e-waste recycling, <https://www.splashtx.org/calendar> **care, pollution, outside**

Lake Livingston State Park ALL ABOUT NATURE Nov. 9, Nov. 16 & Nov. 23, 1 p.m., learn how to safely explore nature in a variety of hands-on activities, Livingston, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston/park_events **learn, enjoy, animals, walk, park, outside**

Jesse Jones Park ADULT ART IN THE PARK Nov. 12, noon, convert everyday objects into works of art, in the park, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> **enjoy, park, outside**

Jesse Jones Park WILDLIFE WONDERING Nov. 5 & Nov. 19, 10 a.m., learn all about different wildlife in Jones Park, then take self-guided hike to look for wildlife, 11/5 Topic: Favorite Fall Foliage, 11/19 Topic: Let's Talk Turkey!, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> **learn, enjoy, animals, bird, tree, 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**

Jesse Jones Park [TURKEY TALK](#) Nov. 15, 10 a.m., learn all about this odd bird, including its adaptations, life cycle, diet, displays and communication skills, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> [learn](#), [bird](#), [class](#), [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](#)

Lake Livingston State Park [ALLIGATOR TALK](#) Nov. 9, Nov. 16 & Nov. 23, 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](#)

Houston Museum of Natural Science [JINGLE TREE PHOTO SHOOT](#) Nov. 16, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m., mini photo session for up to 6 is shot amidst HMNS at Sugar Land's exquisitely curated designer trees, Sugar Land, www.hmns.org [enjoy](#), [tree](#), [photo](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

[EXPERIENCE AUCTION](#) opens Nov. 14, fundraiser for the Gulf Coast Bird Observatory, online auction of outdoor experiences, <https://www.gcbo.org/> [care](#), [enjoy](#), [media](#), [bird](#), [online](#)

Moody Gardens [GULF IN DEPTH](#) ongoing, exhibit sheds light on the depths of the Gulf and the restoration of mesophotic and deep benthic coral communities that live there, volunteer needed to serve as Kemp Ridley mascot, e-mail development.coordinator@artistboat.org if you'd like to volunteer, Galveston, <https://www.artistboat.org/> [learn](#), [care](#), [enjoy](#), [water](#), [animals](#), [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**

Kleb Woods Nature Center [HISTORY DISCUSSION GROUP](#) Nov. 13, 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 [JINGLE TREE LIGHTING](#) Nov. 14, 5 - 7 p.m., tree lighting, enjoy holiday décor in museum, Sugar Land, www.hmns.org **enjoy, tree, outside**

[WOODWORKING FOR NATURE: WALKING STICKS](#) Nov. 12, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m., make a customized walking stick, ages 7+, Vera May Community Center, Huffman, <https://www.pct3.com/> **learn, enjoy, walk, tree, kids, outside**

Jesse Jones Park [CONSERVATION CONNECTIONS](#) Nov. 5 & Nov. 12, 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/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> **care, enjoy, park, outside**

Lake Livingston State Park [WHAT'S IN THE BOX?](#) Nov. 15, 1 p.m., various natural artifacts will be placed into a shadow box where you can't see them, will you be able to tell what inside just by touch?, Livingston, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston/park_events **enjoy, learn, animals, park, outside**

Huntsville State Park [GATOR TALK](#) Nov. 8 & Nov. 22, 1 p.m., learn more about the American Alligator that calls Huntsville State Park home, including its life cycle, what they eat and what may eat

them & where you may be able to see one in the wild, plus how we are able to coexist with them at the lake and what actions you can take to help keep the peace with this Apex Predator, Huntsville, <https://www.facebook.com/OutdoorWomenHouston/> **learn, animals, park, outside**

Huntsville State Park **NIGHT HIKE** Nov. 7, 7:30 p.m., guided hike on Dogwood Trail at night, learn how the park reawakens when nocturnal wildlife comes out, 1.5 miles, Huntsville, https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/huntsville/park_events **enjoy, learn, walk, animals, park, outside**

Blackwood Educational Land Institute **FORAGING WORKSHOPS** Nov. 15, 9 a.m. – noon & 1 – 4 p.m., learn how to identify, harvest, and use the native Texas plants surrounding us, Hempstead, <https://www.foragingtexas.com/p/upcomin.html> **learn, enjoy, walk, garden, outside**

BRAZOS BEND STATE PARK VOLUNTEER TRAINING Nov. 8, 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**

PET PANTRY Nov. 6, 9 a.m., get pet food for free, first come – first served, Four Corners Recreation Center, Sugar Land, <https://www.houstonhumane.org/> **care, animals, outside**

Seabourne Creek Nature Park **NATURE WALK** Nov. 16, 8 - 10 a.m., guided walk to learn about Seabourne Creek Nature Park's 7 habitats during walk led by Texas Master Naturalist, Seabourne Creek Park, Rosenberg, <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> **enjoy, learn, walk, garden, animals, park, outside**

WOODWORKING FOR NATURE: BEE HOUSES Nov. 13, 5 – 7 p.m., build a bee-friendly home to add to your own backyard, bring a 4-inch x4-inch wooden post at least 1 foot long, ages 7+, Juergens Hall Community Center, Cypress, <https://www.pct3.com/> **care, learn, enjoy, animals, kids, 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](#)

[CAMP GUADALUPE RIVER](#) Nov. 13 - Nov. 16, join group outing to camp, hike, fish, bike, swim in Guadalupe River State Park, Spring Branch, <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> [enjoy](#), [walk](#), [camp](#), [swim](#), [cycle](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Blackwood Educational Land Institute [AGRITOURISM DAYS](#) Nov. 8 & Nov. 15, 12 - 4 p.m., Farm Stand open, offering chef-curated meals that feature ingredients sourced directly from our farm, authentic farm-to-plate experience, diverse selection of beers, wines, and non-alcoholic beverages available, stroll through the gardens, woods, and prairies with one of Blackwood's staff members and learn about our seasonal highlights, we'll share our favorite spots, visit the farm animals, and discuss how Blackwood is working toward modeling a closed loop food system, Hempstead, <https://blackwoodland.org> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [farmers](#), [garden](#), [animals](#), [tree](#), [walk](#), [outside](#)

[COMPOST & E-WASTE DROP-OFF](#) Nov. 5 & Nov. 12, drop off organic waste for composting and electronic waste for recycling, Octavia Fields Branch Library, Humble, see calendar at: <https://houstonenvironment.org/> [care](#), [recycle](#), [garden](#), [outside](#)

Armand Bayou Nature Center [FALL FESTIVAL](#) Nov. 8 & Nov. 9, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m., enjoy , Children's games & crafts, General Store & handmade goodies, Handmade toys & gifts, Music & dancers, Wagon rides, Woodcarving & woodworking, Candle Making, Butter making, Pie-eating contest, Blacksmithing, Rope Making, Food, drinks, & baked goods, food/drink & More, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <https://www.abnc.org/> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

Galveston Island State Park [WINTER BIRDING](#) Nov. 15 & Nov. 29, 9 a.m., learn basics of birding, identify resident species, and catch sight of some uncommon birds, led by ranger, Galveston, http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events **enjoy, learn, walk, bird, park, outside**

[FALL SWEEP](#) Nov. 15, 8 - 10 a.m., volunteers clean up litter, Centennial Park, Pearland, <https://pearlandrecycles.com/calendar/> **care, pollution, outside**

Lake Houston Wilderness Park [THE MAGIC OF MUSHROOMS](#) Nov. 8 & Nov. 15, 1:30 a.m., learn what mushrooms do for the environment and which ones are in our area, in the park, New Caney, <https://www.houstontx.gov/parks/lakehoustonpark.html> **learn, animals, 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**

Pundt Park [LIL' NATURALIST: WHAT'S WILD?](#) Nov. 7, 10 - 11 a.m., learn about the difference between wild and domestic animals by reading a book and playing a sorting game, ages 3 – 7, 709 Riley Fuzzel Road, Spring, <https://www.pct3.com/> **learn, enjoy, kids, animals, park, outside**

[CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS](#) ongoing, Crosby 4H is looking for adult volunteers to lead projects, <https://www.facebook.com/HarrisCounty4H/> **care, kids, animals, outside**

SHOOTING SPORTS COACH TRAINING Nov. 8 & Nov. 9, coaches for 4H participants trained in shooting sport coaching at this event, Conroe, <https://d94-h.tamu.edu/calendar/> **learn, care, kids, class, outside**

Galveston Island State Park PRAIRIE ON FIRE: A HIKE OF NEW GROWTH Nov. 16 & Nov. 30, 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**

RAFFLE FUNDRAISER ongoing thru Dec. 1, fundraiser for Air Alliance Houston, drawing on Dec. 2, prizes include: 1st Prize – \$2,000 Giftogram eCard, 2nd Prize – \$1,500 Giftogram eCard, 3rd Prize – Nintendo Switch 2 (with Mario Kart World + Donkey Kong Bananza) & 4th Prize – E-Scooter, <https://airalliancehouston.org/events/> **care, pollution, outside**

FALL WEEKEND TRIP Nov.15 & Nov. 16, student participants in The Woods Project enjoy camping in Huntsville State Park, plus kayaking, hiking, geocaching & fishing, Huntsville, <https://thewoodsproject.org/calendar/> **enjoy, kids, fish, boat, walk, park, outside**

USING PERENNIAL FLOWER BULBS IN THE GARDEN Nov. 4, 10 a.m., learn how to add these garden treasures to your landscape for unmatched reliable bloom for years to come, The Arbor Gate, Tomball, <http://arborgate.com/gardening-classes-events/> **learn, class, garden, outside**

AUTUMN OUTING Nov. 15, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m., join group outing to Brazoria National Wildlife Refuge look for American Alligators, ducks, wading birds, shorebirds, songbirds, raptors, waterfowl, other

native wildlife, bring your own lunch, Angleton, <http://www.meetup.com/Houston-Sierra-Club-Outings/events/> **enjoy, walk, bird, animals, park, outside**

SCHOOL PLASTIC BOTTLE RECYCLING PROGRAM ongoing, Pearland ISD, Alvin ISD and charter schools get plastic bottle recycling bin, Pearland, <https://www.facebook.com/keeppearlandbeautiful> **care, kids, recycle, outside**

John Paul Landing Park SENIOR NATURE TRIP Nov. 7, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., explore the flora, fauna and history of our area at Nash Prairie, transportation provided from the park, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, learn, walk, garden, park, outside**

PLANT THYME FALL LUNCHEON Nov. 7, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., lecture by founder of Hippie Fertilizing, fundraiser for Keep Pearland Beautiful, 1st Church, Pearland, <https://pearlandrecycles.com/> **care, learn, enjoy, lecture, garden, outside**

TURKEY ORDERS deadline Nov. 6, 5 p.m., 4H participant deadline to submit order form to exhibit turkeys various shows, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/> **learn, care, bird, 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**

Lake Houston Wilderness Park FANTASTIC FROGS Nov. 9 & Nov. 16, 1:30 p.m., learn all about frogs, in the park, New Caney, <https://www.houstontx.gov/parks/lakehoustonpark.html> **learn, class, animals, park, outside**

Jesse Jones Park FORESTFEST Nov. 8, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., learn about the importance of our forests and how you can help conserve such a vital, but endangered, ecosystem, enjoy hikes, wildlife presentations, and educational exhibits, plus native plants and concession sales, all ages, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> **enjoy, learn, care, kids, walk, animals, lecture, garden, park, outside**

GARDEN VOLUNTEERING Nov. 5 & Nov. 12, Nov. 7 & Nov. 14 and Nov. 10 & Nov. 17, 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**

Moody Gardens LEARN LIVE! PRESCHOOL EXPEDITIONS Nov. 12, 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., kids learn about their favorite scaly animals with story time, a fun experiment, and craft. Then we will go explore the Rainforest and see the lizard playmates up close, Galveston, <https://www.moodygardens.com/attractions/> **learn, enjoy, class, animals, kids, outside**

HIKE BRAZOS BEND Nov. 15, 9 a.m., join group outing to hike 10 miles on trails in Brazos Bend State Park, Needville, meet in parking area, <https://www.meetup.com/hatsandmore/events/calendar/> **enjoy, walk, park, outside**

Kleb Woods Nature Center VOLUNTEER PARTY Nov. 8, 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**

TEMPERATE FRUIT TREES – THE FIRST THREE YEARS Nov. 15, 10 a.m., learn about planting and early training to get your fruit off to a great start, The Arbor Gate, Tomball, <http://arborgate.com/gardening-classes-events/> **learn, class, tree, garden, outside**

Gulf Coast Bird Observatory SMITH POINT HAWK WATCH ongoing thru Nov. 30, enjoy daily wild raptor watching, Anahuac, <https://www.gcbo.org/> **enjoy, bird, outside**

Mary Jo Peckham Park NATURE STATION Nov. 15, 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**

John Paul Landing Park NATURE JOURNALING Nov. 5, 2 p.m., learn about the history and importance of nature journaling before venturing out with our own journals into the park, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, learn, kids, walk, park, outside**

John Paul Landing Park BEAVERS Nov. 6, 10 - 11:30 a.m., learn all about the important role of beavers in our ecosystem, ages 8+, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, kids, animal, park, outside**

OUT OF THE DARKNESS COMMUNITY WALK Nov. 8, 10 a.m. - noon, American Foundation for Suicide Prevention walk, Town Green Park, The Woodlands, <https://hellowoodlands.com/calendar/> **enjoy, walk, park, outside**

ECOFEST Nov. 8, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., variety of activities focused on sustainability, classes & exhibits, native plant sale, vendors, crafts, giveaways, a yard sale, tree giveaway and prizes for participating in

GREEN bingo, League City Community Center, League City, <https://www.leaguecitytx.gov/3750/Eco-Fest> **care, learn, enjoy, kids, class, garden, tree, recycle, outside**

TEXAS WATERS SPECIALIST CERTIFICATION Nov. 15, 8:30 – 11 a.m., water studies program is available to everyone with an interest in learning about our most precious natural resource: WATER; to achieve Certification as a Texas Waters Specialist, eight hours of training based on the TPWD curriculum guide, Texas Waters, is required, WG Jones State Forest, Conroe, <https://thewoodlandsgreen.org/calendar/> **learn, care, class, water, pollution, tree, outside**

Kleb Woods Nature Center **TUESDAY VOLUNTEERING** Nov. 11, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers focus on projects that suit many interests, including trail work, gardening, woodworking, archival work, and helping with our educational programs, volunteers under 18 must be accompanied by an adult, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **care, enjoy, learn, tree, garden, 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**

NATURE STATION Nov. 22, 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, all ages, Hockley Community Center, Hockley, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, enjoy, garden, kids, tree, animals, outside**

Jesse Jones Park FORESTFEST VOLUNTEERS Nov. 8, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., volunteers staff education & outreach booth about master naturalist, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> **care, enjoy, kids, tree, park, outside**

THE BIRDER'S FLOCK Nov. 11, 10 a.m., learn how to use the eBird app, Hockley Community Center, Hockley, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **learn, care, class, bird, outside**

PUTTING DOWN ROOTS Nov. 8, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., volunteers plant native prairie plants in order to restore native prairie, all ages, snacks/water provided, planting ends at noon, followed by food & fun activities, live music throughout, Indiangrass Preserve, Waller, <https://www.coastalprairieconservancy.org/event-calendar> **care, enjoy, kids, garden, outside**

Jesse Jones Park WEEKEND WILDLIFE Nov. 15, 10 a.m., learn all about different wildlife in Jones Park, Topic: River Otters, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> **learn, enjoy, animals, park, outside**

BANQUET FUNDRAISER Nov. 11, 6 p.m., fundraiser for ducks unlimited, auctions, raffles, dinner & drinks, Twin Peaks Restaurant, Shenandoah, <http://www.ducks.org> **care, bird, 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**

ROSE & HERB COMPANION PLANTING Nov. 6, 9 a.m., speaker from Antique Rose Emporium to discuss Rose and Herb Companion Planting, Hempstead Recreation Center, <https://txmg.org/events> **learn, class, garden, outside**

BIOSWALE PLANTING Nov. 7, 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., volunteers plant native grasses in bioswale, Pasadena, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> **care, enjoy, garden, outside**

Coastal Prairie Conservancy [OPEN HOUSE DAY AT BLAZING STAR PRAIRIE](#) Nov. 8 & Nov. 20, 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**

[POLLINATOR PARTY](#) Nov. 8, 2 - 4 p.m., celebration of Nina's Garden in Cullinan Park, Sugar Land, <http://txmn.org/coastal/> **enjoy, garden, park, outside**

Seaborne Creek Nature Park [PLANT WALK](#) Nov. 8, 9 – 11 a.m., educational plant walk with handouts, includes learning session, Rosenberg, <http://txmn.org/coastal/> **learn, garden, walk, outside**

[UPCYCLED BOXES](#) Nov. 17, 10 a.m., transform discarded materials into creative storage solutions in this hands-on upcycling boxes class, Hockley Community Center, Hockley, <https://hcp4.net/events/> **care, recycle, kids, outside**

Coastal Prairie Conservancy [BUTTERFLY & DRAGONFLY PHOTO WORKSHOP](#) Nov. 4, 9 - 11 a.m., nature photographer teaches how to photograph butterflies & dragonflies in this hands-on outdoor class, Indiangrass Preserve, Waller, <https://www.coastalprairieconservancy.org/events> **enjoy, learn, garden, bird, animals, walk, outside**

[CLAY POT TURKEY](#) Nov. 12, 10 a.m., create an adorable turkey decoration using mini clay pots, paint, and craft supplies, Hockley Community Center, Hockley, <https://hcp4.net/events/> **enjoy, kids, bird, outside**

ASK A MASTER GARDENER Nov. 8, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m., get your gardening questions answered, Holiday Market Day – Texas City Garden Club, <https://txmg.org/galveston/events/> **learn, garden, outside**

BANQUET FUNDRAISER Nov. 13, 5:30 p.m., fundraiser for ducks unlimited, prizes, dinner & drinks, Victoria Community Center, Victoria, <http://www.ducks.org> **care, bird, outside**

Mary Jo Peckham Park TURKEY TROT Nov. 8, 9 - 11 a.m., complete a family-friendly 1K around Peckham trail, plus photo booth with a completion certificate, ice cold waters, festive crafts & outdoor games, Katy, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> **enjoy, kids, walk, park, outside**

MAJOR SHOW ENTRY NIGHT Nov. 6, 6 – 8 p.m., for 4H exhibitors at major shows in Fort Worth, San Angelo & Houston, Crosby Fairgrounds, Crosby, Katy, <https://www.facebook.com/HarrisCounty4H/> **learn, care, kids, farmers, animals, outside**

MULTIMEDIA FALL TREE Nov. 10, 4 - 5:30 p.m., create multimedia fall trees using pasta to explore texture and form, Hockley Community Center, Hockley, <https://hcp4.net/events/> **enjoy, kids, tree, outside**

ADOPT A PATH Nov. 8, 9 - 11 a.m., volunteers maintain trails in Shadowbend Park, The Woodlands, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events> **care, park, outside**

WEED & WISH GARDEN CLUB MEETING Nov. 13, 10 a.m., garden club meets in Dickinson, Topic: Tree Selection & Planting, <https://txmg.org/galveston/> **learn, meeting, garden, tree, outside**

John Paul Landing Park [NATURE'S WAY STORY TIME](#) **Nov. 5, 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](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Jesse Jones Park [FAVORITE FALL FOLIAGE](#) **Nov. 5, noon**, learn about our native flora, discover which trees and plants change color with the seasons and which ones stay green all year long, then take a stroll down some of our scenic trails afterwards, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [lecture](#), [garden](#), [walk](#), [tree](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Kleb Woods Nature Center [NATURE YOGA](#) **Nov. 8, 9:30 a.m.**, outdoor class where you'll deepen connections with nature, to embrace nature's wisdom,, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [bird](#), [outside](#)

Kleb Woods Nature Center [ECO EXPLORERS](#) **Nov. 6, 9:30 - 11 a.m.**, learn about native species through art and science by illustrating your own mini field guide, for junior & high school students, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [class](#), [kids](#), [garden](#), [animals](#), [garden](#), [animals](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Kleb Woods Nature Center [LITTLE EXPLORERS NATURE TALES](#) **Nov. 14, 10 a.m.**, nature-themed program for kids 3 - 6, stories/activities, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

[BANQUET FUNDRAISER](#) **Nov. 13, 6 p.m.**, fundraiser for ducks unlimited, auction, dinner & drinks, Fort Bend County Fairgrounds, Exhibit Building C, Rosenberg, <http://www.ducks.org> [care](#), [bird](#), [outside](#)

GARDENERS BY THE BAY OUTING Nov. 12, 8:30 a.m., garden club outing to Martha's Bloomers Home and Garden Store, Navasota, <https://gbtb.org/> enjoy, garden, outside

Big Thicket National Preserve FORAGING FIRSTS Nov. 9, 2 – 3:30 p.m., guided hike to learn about edible in the park, no harvesting during the hike, Kountze, <https://www.nps.gov/bith/planyourvisit/calendar.htm> learn, enjoy, walk, garden, park, outside

Big Thicket National Preserve GUIDED CANOE TRIP Nov. 8 & Nov. 13, 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

Houston Museum of Natural Science IN OUR NATURE Nov. 8, 10:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m., learn about the world around you, enjoy nature-based activities, Topic: Monarch Migration, Sugar Land, www.hmns.org learn, enjoy, animals, kids, outside

BIKE BUFFALO BAYOU Nov. 15, 9 a.m., join group 13 mile bike ride to view birds/nature, meet at Chipotle Mexican grill, Katy, <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> enjoy, cycle, park, water, outside

TCEQ PUBLIC MEETING: R&S CONCRETE - FRESNO Nov. 13, 7 p.m., R & S Concrete, L.L.C., has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for an Air Quality Standard Permit which would authorize construction of a concrete batch plant located in Fresno, public may comment at this meeting, Restoration City Life Center, Rosharon, <https://airalliancehouston.org/events/> learn, meeting, pollution, outside

Kleb Woods Nature Center [CRAFTING HISTORY: BOOKBINDING](#) Nov. 15, 2:30 - 4 p.m., learn the history of bookbinding and put your craftsmanship to the test during this hands-on class, for teens & adults, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Dennis Johnston County Park [1ST SHOT ARCHERY](#) Nov. 15, 10 & 11:15 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., & Nov. 20, 9, 10: 30 a.m., courses for beginners taught by certified instructors, all equipment provided, ages 7+, 709 Riley Fuzzel Road, Spring, <https://www.pct3.com/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Kleb Woods Nature Center [WILD NOTES](#) Nov. 15, 3:30 p.m., live classical cello performance in a natural setting, all ages, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Brazos Bend State Park [ALL ABOUT US](#) Nov. 8/Nov. 9 & Nov. 15/Nov. 16, 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](#)

[PAINTING IN THE TREES](#) Nov. 6, 10 – 11:30 a.m., outdoor painting experience, follow step-by-step instructions or create your own design & take a short walk in the park, Rob Fleming Park, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstowship-tx.gov/> [enjoy](#), [walk](#), [tree](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

[PARKS BOARD MEETING](#) Nov. 13, 8:30 a.m., residents may attend meeting to tender comments, Pearland Recreation Center & Natatorium, Pearland, <https://www.pearlandtx.gov/residents/get-connected/city-calendar> [learn](#), [meeting](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

WINTER IN THE WOODLANDS PHOTO EXHIBIT opens Nov. 6, exhibit of photos that showcase the enchanting winter landscapes and magical nature of The Woodlands, The Woodlands Arts Council, The Woodlands, <https://hellowoodlands.com/calendar/> enjoy, photo, garden, animals, outside

FALL HAUL Nov. 8, 8 a.m. – 2 p.m., drop off yard waste, old appliances/furniture, metal, electronics & plastic, plus furniture, household items & bikes in good condition for garage sale fundraiser & paper for shredding, Centennial Park, Friendswood, <https://www.facebook.com/FriendswoodHeritageGardeners> care, recycle, pollution, outside

Brazos Bend State Park UNDER A MAGICAL MOON Nov. 5, 7:30 p.m., learn all about our nearest celestial neighbor: the moon, 21901 FM 762 Rd, Needville, (fee to enter), https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park_events learn, star, park, outside

Big Thicket National Preserve BIG THICKET BY LAMPLIGHT Nov. 14, 6:30 p.m., guided night hike in the park, Kountze, <https://www.nps.gov/bith/planyourvisit/calendar.htm> enjoy, walk, park, outside

Moody Gardens LEARN WILD! HOME SCHOOL Nov. 4, 9:30 a.m. – 4 p.m., themed attraction visit, ambassador animal presentations, documentary film, and hands-on activities, Topic: Kelp Kingdoms: Underwater Forests, Galveston, <https://www.moodygardens.com/events> learn, enjoy, media, class, garden, water, kids, outside

Mercer Botanic Gardens HALLOWEEN & POLLINATOR GARDEN SCAVENGER HUNT ongoing thru Nov. 3, 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., explore the enchanting gardens as you search for Halloween friends, spooky critters, and busy pollinators, Spring,

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

Moody Gardens [FLYING WILD](#) Nov. 8, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., educators learn to introduce students to bird conservation thru festivals, classroom activities & community service projects, Galveston, <https://www.moodygardens.com/events> **learn, care, class, bird, kids, outside**

Houston Museum of Natural Science [DIG PIT](#) ongoing, kids enjoy digging for cast fossil dinosaurs in pit, Sugar Land, www.hmns.org **enjoy, kids, animals, outside**

[HAWK WATCH VOLUNTEERS](#) Nov. 11, 7 a.m. – 3 p.m., volunteers conduct hawk survey, Candy Abshier Wildlife Management Area, Anahuac, <https://txmn.org/gbmngbac-events-calendar/> **care, bird, outside**

Brazos Bend State Park [SPECTACULAR SNAKES](#) Nov. 15, 1 p.m. & Nov. 23, 2 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**

Brazos Bend State Park [ALLIGATORS: FROM EGG TO APEX](#) Nov. 8, Nov. 22 & Nov. 29, 1 p.m. & Nov. 16, 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**

Mercer Botanic Gardens [GARDEN CRUISIN': TOUR DE 4](#) Nov. 7 & Nov. 14, 8 & 9:15 a.m. and Nov. 11, 1 p.m., leisurely one-hour cart tours of the garden, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal enjoy, garden, outside

Kleb Woods Nature Center [BOOK CLUB](#) Nov. 11, 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, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> learn, meeting, park, outside

Mercer Botanic Gardens [GARDEN TOUR](#) Nov. 14, 9 a.m., leisurely one-hour guided walking tour of the garden, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal enjoy, garden, walk, outside

Brazos Bend State Park [THE BOWS THAT SHAPED TEXAS](#) Nov. 9, 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

Brazos Bend State Park [WILDCRAFT](#) Nov. 15, Nov. 22, & Nov. 29, 11 a.m., kids learn about a creature & make a craft to take home, 11/15 & 11/29 Topic: Turkeys, 11/22 Topic: Alligators, 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

Armand Bayou Nature Center [TEXAS RECYCLES DAY](#) Nov. 14 & Nov. 15, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. and Nov. 16, 12 – 4 p.m., bring a plastic bottle or single-use plastic bag from any retailer to ABNC & receives FREE admission, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, [www.abnc.org](#) [care](#), [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [recycle](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

Mary Jo Peckham Park [VISIT WOLF SANCTUARY](#) Nov. 4, 9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., senior outing, trip to haven for wolves and wolf dogs, Katy, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [animals](#), [outside](#)

Brazos Bend State Park [WHERE THE MASTODON ROAMED](#) Nov. 15, 1 p.m., discover what this region of Texas was like during the last Ice Age, 21901 FM 762 Rd, Needville, (fee to enter), https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park_events [learn](#), [animals](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

Armand Bayou Nature Center [OWL PROWL/NIGHT HIKE](#) Nov. 11, 7 p.m., walk thru the woods to look and listen for owls, ages 6+, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, [www.abnc.org](#) [enjoy](#), [walk](#), [kids](#), [bird](#), [outside](#)

Moody Gardens [BOY SCOUT BADGE WORKSHOP](#) Nov. 9, 12 – 7 p.m. & Nov. 15, 10 a.m. – 3:30 p.m., boy scouts complete merit badge about (11/9): sustainability, (11/15): Insect study, <https://www.moodygardens.com/events> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [class](#), [kids](#), [animals](#), [outside](#)

Mercer Botanic Gardens [SENSORY WALK](#) Nov. 11, 4 p.m., kids explore colors, textures, and sounds to spark communication, boost regulation, plus increase language skills in the gardens, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble,

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

LAND LOVER GALA Nov. 9, 4:30 – 8 p.m., fundraiser for Bayou Land Conservancy, honorees, dinner & drinks, Highland Pines Golf Club, Porter, <https://www.bayoulandconservancy.org/calendar> care, water, outside

John Paul Landing Park NATURE NIGHT Nov. 14, 4 - 6 p.m., explore the noises turkeys make, and how they survive in the wild, presentation + hands-on-activity all about turkeys, Cypress, <https://cp4.harriscountytexas.gov/Events> enjoy, learn, kids, bird, park, outside

John Paul Landing Park LET'S GO FISHING Nov. 8, 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

Mercer Botanic Gardens WOMENS' RESTORATIVE HIKE Nov. 11, 8 & 9:15 a.m., enjoy guided restorative hike just for women in the garden, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal enjoy, walk, garden, 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 **Nov. 12** learn, meeting, garden, outside

SAN JACINTO BATTLE GROUND WORKDAY Thurs., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteer prairie restoration that includes potting and planting grasses and forbs San Jacinto Battleground, La Porte, <https://txmn.org/gbm/gbac-events-calendar/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** care, enjoy, 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 **Nov. 6**, 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 **Nov. 14** care, enjoy, garden, outside

COASTAL HERITAGE PRESERVE WORK DAY some Thurs., 6 - 8 p.m. & Sat., 8 & 11 a.m. (two shifts on Sat.), volunteers restore native prairie ecosystem at Coastal Heritage Preserve, Galveston, <https://www.artistboat.org/> OR <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13 and Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 20** learn, meeting, media, kids, garden, outside

BIKE RIDES days/times vary, join group ride of varying distances/speed at locations outside Houston, see this calendar: <https://criticalmasshouston.com/weekly-bike-rides/> enjoy, cycle, outside

MARSH MONDAYS Mon., 8:30 – 11 a.m., volunteers rescue and propagate native marsh plants at Armand Bayou Nature Center, Pasadena, <https://txmn.org/gbm/gbac-events-calendar/> Next Opportunities Nov. 10 & Nov. 17 care, enjoy, 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 Nov. 22 enjoy, outside

Gulf Coast Bird Observatory NURSERY/GARDEN WORK DAY Weds./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 Opportunities Nov. 5 & Nov. 12 and Nov. 6 & Nov. 13, 4:30 – 6:30 p.m. (Note time change) 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 Nov. 15 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 **TBD**, Topic: TBD 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 **Dec. 6** 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, <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 6 (hybrid)**, Topic: Bridging the Gap: Native Landscapes in a Commercial World 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> 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/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> OR <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> OR <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **TBD** 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/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> 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 **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13 and Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> Next Opportunity **Nov. 13** 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 11** 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 **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12** 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 **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** enjoy, walk, bird, park, outside

BIRD SURVEY 4th Sat., 7 – 10 a.m., volunteers count birds at U.H. Coastal Center, La Marque, <https://txmn.org/gbm/gbac-events-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 22** care, enjoy, walk, bird, 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 **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13 and Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> OR <https://houstonaudubon.org/> Next Opportunity **Dec. 6** enjoy, bird, walk, park, outside

VOLUNTEER AT SAN JACINTO BATTLEGROUND Thurs., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers restore native prairie at San Jacinto Battleground, La Porte, <https://txmn.org/gbm/gbac-events-calendar/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** care, enjoy, garden, 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 **TBD** 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 **Nov. 16** 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 **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** 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 **Dec. 6** 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/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> Next Opportunity **Nov. 13** 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 **Nov. 13, (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 **Nov. 20** (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 **Nov. 5, Nov. 12 & Nov. 15, 8 – 11 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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** 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 **Nov. 8** 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 **Nov. 6 – Nov. 10 & Nov. 13 – Nov. 17** 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 **Nov. 15** 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., 9 – 10:30 a.m., volunteers serve as hike leaders & sweepers provide guided hikes at Lake Creek Preserve, Magnolia, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 15** care, enjoy, walk, outside

LAKE CREEK PRESERVE GUIDED HIKE 3rd Sat., 9 – 10:30 a.m., enjoy guided hikes on trails at Lake Creek Preserve, Magnolia, <https://www.bayoulandconservancy.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **Nov. 15** 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/> OR <https://texanbynature.org/events/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 13 & Nov. 14, 9 a.m. – noon (Note additional date)** **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 **TBD**, 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 Opportunity **TBD** **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 **Nov. 8 (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/gbmn/gbac-events-calendar/> 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 **TBD**, Topic: TBD **learn, care, garden, meeting, outside**

VOLUNTEER IN THE PARK Fri., 8:30 - 11 a.m., volunteers plant, mulch, weed the native gardens and prairie being created at Bayside Regional Park, Bacliff, <https://txmn.org/gbm/gbac-events-calendar/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 7 & Nov. 14** care, garden, park, outside

SATURDAYS at the GEORGE Sat., 9 & 10 p.m., stargazing at the George Observatory, Needville, www.hmns.org/observatory Next Opportunities **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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/volunteer-opportunities/> & <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 12** 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://gbtb.org/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 5**, Topic: TBD learn, meeting, garden, outside

SAN JACINTO BATTLEGROUND WORK DAY Thurs., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers pot and plant grasses and forbs, La Porte, <https://txmn.org/gbm/gbac-events-calendar/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** care, garden, park, 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/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> Next opportunities **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12** **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/gbmngbac-events-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 6 (hybrid)**, Topic: TBD **learn, media, animals, garden, lecture, outside**

Dennis Johnston Park POLLINATOR GARDEN MAINTENANCE **1st Thurs., 8 – 9:30 a.m.**, volunteers weed, plant & mulch in the garden, Spring, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> OR <https://www.pct3.com/Explore/Parks> Next Opportunity **Nov. 6** **care, enjoy, animals, park, outside**

GNARANTS GROUP RIDE **some Mon., 6 – 8 p.m.**, enjoy group mountain bike ride, <http://ghorba.org/events/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 10 & Nov. 17** **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 **TBD** **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 **TBD**
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 **Nov. 10 (hybrid)**,
Topic: Struttin' Our Stuff: Members share their stories **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, <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 8** **enjoy, learn, care, garden, animals, outside**

GARDEN WORKDAY **3rd Thurs., 8:30 - 11 a.m.**, master naturalists volunteer in gardens at the Houston Museum of Natural Science, Sugar Land, <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 20** **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 **TBD (moved online)**
Topic: TBD **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., 6:30 p.m., general meeting, speaker at each meeting, Burgess Recreation Center, Deer Park
<https://txmg.org/galveston/events/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 20**, 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 **TBD** **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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** **enjoy, boat, outside**

KINGWOOD FARMERS MARKET Thurs., time varies, Town Center Park, 8 North Main St., Kingwood, <https://www.facebook.com/kingwoodfarmersmarket/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** 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/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> Next opportunity **Dec. 14** enjoy, park, outside

POLLINATOR GARDEN WORKDAY Sat., 8:30 a.m. - noon, master naturalists volunteer in gardens at the Willow Fork Park, Katy, <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 19**, Topic: Collaborating with our State Partners on Disaster Resiliency Planning 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 **Nov. 20** 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/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> Next opportunity **TBD** Topic: TBD learn, enjoy, garden, park, outside

SHADOW CREEK RANCH BIRD SURVEY 4th Sat., 7 a.m., join group for bird survey in Shadow Creek Ranch Nature Trail, Pearland , www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **Nov. 22** care, enjoy, walk, bird, 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 **Nov. 16** 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 **Dec. 6** 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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/Explore/Jesse-H-Jones-Park-Nature-Center> 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 **Dec. 6** **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**

LAKE CREEK GARDEN WORKDAY **3rd Fri., 8 - 11 a.m.**, volunteers work in Pollinator and demonstration native plant gardens, Lake Creek Preserve, Magnolia, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 15 (Note date change)** **care, enjoy, garden, 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 **Nov. 8**, Topic: TBD **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 **TBD**, Topic: TBD **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 **Nov. 5** **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 **Nov. 10**, Topic: Floral Design **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 **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12 & Dec. 6** **enjoy, outside, bird, walk**

BIRD COUNT 1st Tues., 7 - 10 a.m., volunteers count birds in Sweetwater Nature Preserve, Galveston, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/volunteer-opportunities/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 4** **care, bird, park, outside**

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 **TBD** **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 Opportunities **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12** **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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11** **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 **Nov. 6**, Topic: TBD **learn, media, meeting, garden, outside**

BIRD COUNT 4th Tues., 7 - 9 a.m., volunteers count birds Nassau Bay Wildlife Peninsula at David Braun Park in Nassau Bay, <https://txmn.org/gbm/Events/> OR <https://houstonaudubon.org/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 25** **care, bird, park, 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/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 8/Nov. 9 & Nov. 15/Nov. 16, 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/gbac-events-calendar/> 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 **Nov. 8** **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/gbac-events-calendar/> Next opportunity **Nov. 22** 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 **Nov. 7**, Topic: Fall Walk & **Nov. 14**, Topic: Lizards enjoy, learn, animals, fish, bird, garden, kids, outside

Attwater Prairie Chicken National Wildlife Refuge VOLUNTEER WORK DAY Fri., 8 a.m. - noon, volunteers perform needed tasks in the refuge, Eagle Lake, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 7 & Nov. 14** care, enjoy, bird, 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 **Nov. 10 & Nov. 17 & Dec. 6** 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/gbm/gbac-events-calendar/> 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, 281-424-9198tx/catalog/index/49ed08ed4b4f064d29ef7361451683fa?filter=c2VhcmNoPQ== Next opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, kids, outside

BIRD SURVEY **4th Sat., 7 a.m.**, volunteers survey birds along the Shadow Creek Ranch Nature Trail in Pearland, www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **Nov. 22** care, enjoy, bird, park, 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 **Nov. 8, 6 p.m.** enjoy, walk, kids, outside

GROGAN'S MILL FARMERS MARKET **Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, 2230 Buckthorn Pl, Spring, <http://www.thewoodlandstowship-tx.gov/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11 and Nov. 6 & Nov. 13** 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 **Nov. 5, Nov. 9, Nov. 12 & Nov. 16** 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 Opportunity **Nov. 7** 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 Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 15** care, farmers, outside

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

BIRD SURVEY 4th Tues., 7 - 9 a.m., volunteers survey birds in the David Braun Park at Lake Nassau, www.houstonaudubon.org Next Opportunity **Nov. 25** care, enjoy, bird, garden, 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 **Nov. 11 (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 **Nov. 9** 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 **Nov. 8** 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 **Nov. 12, 5:30 – 8 p.m.** (Note time change) Topic: 20th Anniversary Celebration, Potluck Dinner, Awards and Silent Auction 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 **Nov. 4, Nov. 7 & Nov. 8 and Nov. 11, Nov. 14 & Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 15** 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 **TBD**, Topic: TBD 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://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/site-calendars/sea-center-texas/> Next Opportunities **Nov. 4 - Nov. 7 & Nov. 8 and Nov. 11 - Nov. 14 & Nov. 15 (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 **Nov. 4 & Nov. 11 and Nov. 7 & Nov. 14** **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 **Nov. 15** **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 **Nov. 13 (moved online)** Topic: Cole Crazy **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 **Nov. 15** **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 **TBD** **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 **Nov. 19 (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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** **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 **TBD** care, enjoy, learn, garden, outside

MEDITATION AT THE LABYRINTH 2nd Sat., 9 a.m., walk labyrinth among the trees, Baytown Community Center, <https://baytown.org/1002/Calendar-of-Events> Next Opportunity **Nov. 8** enjoy, park, 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 **Nov. 12**, Topic: Against All Odds: Growing Citrus in Southeast Texas learn, enjoy, garden, outside

Mercer Arboretum & Botanic Garden **BLOSSOM BRIGRADE: 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 **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12** 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 **Nov. 8** 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** care, farmers, outside

Armand Bayou Nature Center **GUIDED NIGHT HIKES** occasionally, 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 opportunity **Dec. 4, 5 p.m. (Note: supermoon on this date)** 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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 **Dec. 6** 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 opportunities **Nov. 5**, Topic: Bobwhite Quail & **Nov. 12**, Topic: Martyn Farm [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/gbm/gbac-events-calendar/> Next opportunities **Nov. 7 & Nov. 14** [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 **Nov. 9** [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 **Dec. 1** [care, enjoy, bird, walk, outside](#)

Armand Bayou Nature Center [PONTON 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 **Nov. 8/Nov. 9 & Nov. 15/Nov. 16** [enjoy, boat, outside](#)

Blackwood Educational Land Institute [VOLUNTEER DAYS](#) Weds., 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> Next Opportunities **Nov. 5 & Nov. 12** care, enjoy, farmers, garden, kids, 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 opportunities **Nov. 7**, Topic: Prairie & **Nov. 14**, Topic: Crows 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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** 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](#) 1st & 3rd Sat., 8:30 – 11 a.m., 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, registration required, <http://www.abnc.org> OR <https://txmn.org/gbm/gbac-events-calendar/> Next opportunity **Nov. 15** 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 **Nov. 5**, Topic: Crows/Cuervos, **Nov. 7 & Nov. 12**, Topic:

Skunks/Zorrillos and **Nov. 14 & Nov. 19**, Topic: Quail/Cordonices **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 **Nov. 8 & Nov. 15** **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 opportunities **Nov. 5**, Topic: Bayou Fishing & Exploration & **Nov. 12**, Topic: Camp Fire 101 **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 **Nov. 15** **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 **Dec. 6** [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 **Nov. 7** [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 **TBD**, Topic: TBD [learn](#), [lecture](#), [media](#), [water](#), [outside](#)

[HUMBLE FARMERS' MARKET](#) **2nd Sun.**, local produce/vendors, Humble, <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 9** [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 **Nov. 18 (Note date change)**, Topic: TBD **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 **Nov. 16** **care, farmers, outside**

BOLIVAR BEACH RAMBLE 1st Sat., explore Bolivar Flats Shorebird Sanctuary, www.houstonaudubon.org Next opportunity **Dec. 6** **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 **Nov. 9** **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 opportunities **Nov. 5**, Topic: Animal Time: Nocturnal, Diurnal & Crepuscular & **Nov. 12**, Topic: Turtles & Tortoises **learn, class, kids, animals, outside**

Armand Bayou Nature Center **ECO-PLAYTIME** one Fri./month, 11:30 a.m. (during school year), extension program after EcoTots and EcoKids, with movement, music, and play, for kids 18 months – 6, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunity **Nov. 14**, Topic: Forest **enjoy, learn, kids, fish, animals, garden, tree, walk, outside**

BIRD COUNT 1st Mon., 8 a.m., volunteers count birds in Resoft Park, Alvin,
<https://txmn.org/gbmnl/events/> Next Opportunity **Dec. 1** care, bird, park, 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 **Nov. 5**, Topic: Owl Pellets 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 **Nov. 18**, Topic: Propagation – Seeds or Cuttings learn, meeting, garden, outside

Armand Bayou Nature Center **LITTLE ART EXPLORERS** 1st & 3rd Tues., 9:30 - 11 a.m. (during school year), short, playful lesson, then dive into creating a unique, nature-inspired craft, for kids 2 – 6, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunity **Nov. 4**, Topic: Fabulous Fish enjoy, learn, class, kids, water, bird, garden, fish, animals, 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 **Nov. 9 & Nov. 16** care, farmers, outside

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

SUGAR LAND GARDEN CLUB WORKSHOP occasionally, (Sep. – May), variety of workshops throughout the year, St. Basil Hall, Sugar Land, <http://sugarlandgardenclub.org/index.html> Next Opportunity **Nov. 4**, Topic: Thanksgiving Turkey Centerpiece **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, The Oklahoma School and Community Center, Magnolia, <https://thewoodlandsgardenclub.org/75-floral-arrangements-for-hospices-in-the-woodlands/> Next Opportunity **Nov. 18** **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 **Nov. 16** **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

POCKET PRAIRIES Nov. 13, 7 – 8:30 p.m., virtual event, learn all about pocket prairies, <https://www.npsot.org/events/soil> **learn, media, lecture, garden, online**

BUILDING COMMUNITY RESILIENCE THROUGH ONE HEALTH ACTION Nov. 5, noon, virtual lecture, learn the basis of ecosystem restoration and management from a One Health perspective, where animal and wildlife well-being are integral to human physical and mental health, <https://pace.uhcl.edu/courses/fall-2025---scholars-series> **learn, media, lecture, animals, garden, 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 Nov. 14, 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**

NATIVE TEXAS PLANT SHOW & TELL Nov. 4, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m., virtual event, members and other attendees are encouraged to show pictures and tell about their favorite native Texas plants, <https://www.npsot.org/events/> **learn, media, meeting, garden, online**

NATIVESCAPE GRASS COMPANY, PRESERVE THE PRAIRIE Nov. 6, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m., virtual event, presentation focuses on raising awareness about Texas's endangered ecosystem, the Blackland Prairie, <https://www.npsot.org/events/soil> **learn, media, lecture, garden, online**

COOL CONGREGATIONS COHORT Nov. 24, 7 p.m., 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**

FIREBIRD PROJECT PRESCRIBED BURN WEBINAR Nov. 13, 10 a.m., virtual event, learn about the NOAA FireBird Project and the future of prescribed fire on the Texas coast, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/advanced-training/> **learn, media, lecture, garden, online**

BACKYARD BUG HUNT Nov. 14, 10 a.m., virtual program, Topic: Buggy Things to do Outside with Kids, online, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/advanced-training/> **learn, media, lecture, animals, kids, online**

NATIVE PRAIRIES ASSOCIATION OF TEXAS ANNUAL MEETING Nov. 13, 6 – 7:30 p.m., virtual event, hear updates from NPAT staff on stewardship projects, outreach, and new conservation

initiatives shaping the future of Texas prairies, <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [garden](#), [online](#)

LIVING THE CHANGE ongoing thru Dec., work with facilitator to craft your household's carbon footprint reduction plan, dates/times individually set, <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/1507561550179> [care](#), [learn](#), [media](#), [online](#)

STOP TXDOT I-45 MEETING Nov. 11, 6 – 7:30 p.m., virtual meeting of group opposing North Houston Highway Improvement Project, <https://airalliancehouston.org/updates/#events> [learn](#), [media](#), [meeting](#), [online](#)

HOUSTON CLIMATE MOVEMENT MEETING Nov. 11, 7 - 9 p.m., monthly online meeting of the Houston Climate Movement, <https://airalliancehouston.org/events/> [learn](#), [media](#), [meeting](#), [online](#)

DISTRICT B EJ COMMITTEE MONTHLY MEETING Nov. 12, 6:30 - 8 p.m., monthly briefing so constituents can be updated on the environmental issues in the district, <https://airalliancehouston.org/events/> [learn](#), [media](#), [meeting](#), [pollution](#), [online](#)

SHARPSTOWN PARK ALLIANCE ANNUAL MEETING Nov. 17, 6 p.m., monthly meeting of the Sharpstown Park Alliance, online, <https://sharpstownparks.org/> [learn](#), [media](#), [meeting](#), [park](#), [online](#)

KEEP THE POWER ON MEETING Nov. 13, 6:30 p.m., join your neighbors and community members across Texas to strengthen and expand the campaign to win a safer, cleaner, more resilient, and more affordable energy grid, online, <https://sierraclub.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJApcuiqrTkoHNT6y8K9oV7pd4DMTCPvOMV6#/registration> [on learn](#), [media](#), [meeting](#), [pollution](#), [energy](#), [online](#)

COASTAL GROUNDWATER FLOODING Nov. 10, 6:30 p.m., virtual event, presentation by Dr. Dorina Murgulet, with the Center for Water Supply Studies at Texas A&M University in Corpus Christi, <http://www.meetup.com/Houston-Sierra-Club-Outings/events> [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [water](#), [online](#)

FUTURE OF GROUNDWATER Nov. 6, 6 – 7:30 p.m., learn to advocate for effective strategies and inspire change to protect and preserve our invaluable groundwater resources for generations to come, online, <https://www.prairiepartner.org/outreach> [learn](#), [care](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [water](#), [online](#)

DRAWDOWN ROADMAP Nov. 6 & Nov. 13, 6 p.m., online video-based course & discussion, learn about a science-based strategy for accelerating climate solutions, <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/drawdown-roadmap-tickets-1641260948679> [learn](#), [media](#), [pollution](#), [class](#), [online](#)

THE PATH OF HOPE: A STUDY ON CLIMATE ACTION FOR FAITH COMMUNITIES Nov. 4 & Nov. 11, 6 p.m., online weekly study on climate policy and advocacy, also examines impact on vulnerable/marginalized communities, <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-path-of-hope-a-study-on-climate-action-for-faith-communities-tickets-1641249765229> [learn](#), [care](#), [media](#), [class](#), [online](#)

HOW TO BECOME A COOL CONGREGATION Nov. 9, 3 p.m., online lecture, learn about the Cool Congregations program & how to green everything you do at your faith community, <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/1738354698699> [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [online](#)

NATURE-BASED SOLUTIONS Nov. 4, 1 p.m., virtual event, virtual workshop exploring how wetland restoration can reduce flooding and strengthen community resilience in the Houston region, <https://bayoucitywaterkeeper.org/events/> [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [water](#), [garden](#), [online](#)

TEXAS WATER ACTION COLLABORATIVE MEETING Nov. 11, 10 a.m., virtual meeting to: provide a collaborative space to share updates, learn more about water projects that need funding, explore conservation tools/services, learn about water policy in TX and ways to get involved, & hear from corporates on their goals/funding priorities, <https://texanbynature.org/events/> **learn, media, water, online**

R&S CONCRETE PUBLIC MEETING PREP. SESSION Nov. 6, 7 p.m., learn about R and S LLC's request for a new air quality permit with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, what this means for our community, & prepare for the upcoming public meeting on November 13, including how to effectively engage with TCEQ, know your rights and ask thoughtful, impactful questions, <https://airalliancehouston.org/events/> **learn, media, meeting, pollution, outside**

NATIVE LANDSCAPE CERTIFICATION PROGRAM Nov. 8, 8:45 a.m. – 4 p.m., certification program developed by Native Plant Society that teaches value of including/preserving natives plants in landscape, learn how to install and maintain your native plant landscape, online, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/advanced-training/> **learn, care, media, class, garden, online**

TEXAS WATERS SPECIALIST STUDY GROUP Nov. 10, 7 p.m., virtual monthly meeting of the 2025 Texas Waters Specialist certification study group, <https://txmn.org/coastal/tmncpc-event-calendar/> **learn, 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

IDENTIFICATION AND MANAGEMENT OF INVASIVE VINE SPECIES Nov. 5, noon, virtual event, speaker discusses the biology, impact, and management of some common invasive vines including roundleaf bittersweet, kudzu, Japanese honeysuckle, Chinese yam, and wintercreeper, online, <https://climatewebinars.net/webinar-calendar/> learn, media, lecture, garden, online

ECONOMIC GUIDANCE FOR COASTAL MANAGEMENT PROFESSIONALS Nov. 12 – Nov 13, 2 – 4 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, outside

WHALES, WONDER, & THE SANTA BARBARA CHANNEL: HOW WHALE HERITAGE AREAS INSPIRE CONSERVATION & CARE Nov. 6, 5 p.m., virtual event, marine biologist, shares stories of the diversity of whales that feed and travel through the Santa Barbara Channel and the waters of the Channel Islands National Marine Sanctuary, learn how responsible tourism, community engagement, and education play a vital role in protecting whales and fostering a deeper connection to our ocean, online, <https://sanctuaries.noaa.gov/education/teachers/webinar-series.html> learn, media, animals, lecture, water, online

LIVESTOCK 101: LIVESTOCK ECONOMICS & MARKETS Nov. 10, noon, virtual event, speaker covers livestock sectors at a glance, markets, and general statistics and information, online, <https://climatewebinars.net/webinar-calendar/> learn, media, lecture, farmers, animals, online