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## ENJOY, LEARN ABOUT, AND CARE FOR NATURE

### UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES IN HOUSTON

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** SHARKS ongoing, enjoy getting up close and personal with live sharks for a hands-on experience, plus shark models, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org)  
enjoy, learn, animals, 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

**Buffalo Bayou** SUNSET YOGA Jun. 8, 6:30 p.m., enjoy yoga with downtown views from The Water Works, 105 Sabine St., [www.buffalobayou.org](http://www.buffalobayou.org) enjoy, class, park, Houston

**Texas Wildlife Rehabilitation Center** NEWSPAPER DRIVE ongoing, Wildlife Rehabilitation Department uses a lot of newspapers each day to keep cages clean, bring old newspapers to 10801 Hammerly Blvd., <http://www.twrcwildlifecenter.org/> (orientation) care, animals, Houston

**Houston Botanic Garden** GO BANANAS BRUNCH Jun. 3, 9:30 a.m., enjoy brunch in the garden, vegetarian & vegan options available, includes banana and plantain dishes plus cocktail infused with

ginger and banana, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** [SUMMER SCOUTS](#) Jun. 12, various times, variety of scouting topics for kids throughout summer, both virtual & in-person, (8/10): virtual programs, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., <http://www.hmns.org/calendar/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [media](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** [ART OF TEXAS STATE PARKS](#) ongoing, enjoy 34 paintings by Texan artists of Texas ecosystems & history, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) [enjoy](#), [animals](#), [garden](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** [MIXERS & ELIXIRS](#) Jun. 9, 7 - 10 p.m., food trucks, music, drinks, & dancing at museum, adults 21+ only, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) [care](#), [enjoy](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Arboretum & Nature Center** [TINY TREKKERS](#) Jun. 8, 9:30 & 11 a.m., (Thurs. thru Aug. 10), for kids 2 - 4 with parent, hands-on nature exploration, 6/8 Topic: Nature Detectives, 4501 Woodway Dr, [www.houstonarboretum.org](http://www.houstonarboretum.org) [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [animals](#), [garden](#), [bird](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

[BEAUTIFICATION DAY](#) Jun. 10, 8 – 10:30 a.m., volunteers work on projects to beautify Oak Forest, 4501 W 43<sup>rd</sup>, <https://www.ofha.org/Event2> [care](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Arboretum & Nature Center** [DISCOVERY DAYS](#) Jun. 6, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m., (Tues. thru Aug. 8, except Jul 4), interpretive hike on trails, close-up look at wildlife & habitats, and adventure play, kids 5 - 12, 6/6 Topic: A Habitat is a Home, 4501 Woodway Dr, [www.houstonarboretum.org](http://www.houstonarboretum.org) [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [walk](#), [animals](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

**CONCRETE BATCH PLANTS: WORKSHOP & COMMUNITY BLOCK WALK** Jun. 3, 9 a.m.- noon, Learn about health concerns of concrete batch plants, the role of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) in regulating these plants, and how you can share your personal story at the TCEQ public meetings, plus discussion of two concrete batch plant permit applications that have public meetings coming up in June, Baker Ripley East Aldine Campus 3000 Aldine Mail Route Rd., <https://airalliancehouston.org/events/> **learn, meeting, pollution, Houston**

**FREE FISHING DAY** Jun. 3, fish without a license on Texas public waters, find places to fish at <https://bit.ly/TxFishing> **enjoy, fish, Houston**

**BIODIVERSITY DASH** thru Jun. 18, competition between states to see which state can regenerate the most biodiversity, <https://www.homegrownnationalpark.org/> **care, garden, animals, water, Houston**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science DIFFERENTIATING WITH THE MUSEUM** Jun. 6 - Jun. 8, 8:30 a.m., workshop for teachers, learn fun & exciting ways to engage/motivate your gifted & talented students, suitable for all grade levels, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) **learn, class, kids, Houston**

**HIKE BUFFALO BAYOU** Jun. 3, 6 p.m., join group outing to hike 6 miles along Buffalo Bayou when the moon is full, meet at HEB, 3663 Washington Ave., <https://www.meetup.com/HoustonUrban-Trekkers/events/> **enjoy, walk, star, water, Houston**

**Blackwood Sky Farm VOLUNTEER DAYS** Jun. 2 & Jun. 9, 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., volunteers engage in farm & garden activities, followed by homemade lunch, all ages & skill levels accepted, Post HTX, 401 Franklin St., <https://blackwoodland.org> **care, enjoy, farmers, garden, kids, Houston**

**Children's Museum of Houston** [SPIDER-VERSE COLLISION](#) Jun. 10, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m., enjoy Spider-Man Metaverse, plus spider-man themed activities, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

[BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE MEETING](#) Jun. 14, 6 – 7:30 p.m., volunteers discuss projects to beautify Oak Forest, location TBD, <https://www.ofha.org/Event2> [learn](#), [care](#), [meeting](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** [BEAUTIFICA](#) ongoing, immersive experience, 360 journey through worlds real & imagined, from mindblowing particle fields to unashamedly euphoric fantastic environments almost impossible to describe, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org), [enjoy](#), [media](#), [Houston](#)

[CO-HOUSING COFFEE HOUR](#) Jun. 17, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., find out about cohousing and the co-housing project & get your questions about co-housing answered, Segundo Coffee Lab, 711 Milby St., #35, <https://www.cohousinghouston.com/events> [learn](#), [meeting](#), [Houston](#)

**Memorial Park** [FUTBOLITO IN THE CITY](#) Jun. 1 & Jun. 8, 6 – 7:30 p.m., free soccer programming and free play for youth, in the park, 7575 N. Picnic Ln., <https://www.memorialparkconservancy.org/visit/memorial-park-events/> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

[BBQ BENEFIT](#) Jun. 4, 10 a.m., benefit for cyclist hit by speeding truck, BBQ, raffles & more, Stude Park, 1031 Stude St., <https://www.facebook.com/groups/htxbike/> [care](#), [enjoy](#), [cycle](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

**Memorial Park** [WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY WALKING MEDITATION](#) Jun. 2, 8 – 9:30 a.m., all-ages, family-friendly mindfulness offering in nature, pay what you can, Eastern Glades in the park,

Washington Ave., <https://www.memorialparkconservancy.org/visit/memorial-park-events/> **enjoy, walk, kids, park, Houston**

**BELLAIRE BAYOU CLEAN-UP** Jun. 8, 5:30 - 6:30 p.m., volunteers pick up litter and recyclables from the small bayou next to Bellaire High School, 5100 Maple St., Bellaire, <https://worldoceanday.org/event/bellaire-bayou-cleanup/> **care, pollution, recycle, Houston**

**FISHING SKILL-A-THON** Jun. 12 – Aug. 31, fishing competition for 4H participants, fish at locations of your choice, prizes awarded, <https://www.facebook.com/HarrisCounty4H/> **enjoy, fish, kids, Houston**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science SILENT ACTION** Jun. 1 – Jun. 7, fundraiser for the museum, variety of items on which to bid, auction is online, [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) **care, 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](http://www.hmns.org) **enjoy, Houston**

**GROWING & NOURISHING HEALTH** Jun. 6, 10 – 11:30 a.m. (Tues. thru Jul. 18, except Jul.4), gardening class, focuses on a new gardener but offers information and resources for all levels of experience, includes planting items, such as a container, soil, fertilizer, plants, garden gloves, garden journal & more, Jim & JoAnn Fonteno Senior Education Center, 6600 Bissonnet St., call (713) 274-3305 to reserve a spot, see calendar at [cechouston.org](http://cechouston.org) **learn, class, garden, Houston**

**Discovery Green ARTE EN EL PARQUE** Jun. 3 & Jun. 10, noon, students, ages 3 to 12 create a unique art piece while improving their speaking/listening skills en español in the park, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> **enjoy, park, Houston**

**Houston Arboretum & Nature Center** [FIELD NOTES](#) registration open, interactive and intimate environmental symposium in September 2023 to connect Houston area practitioners to share their on-the-ground knowledge & discuss larger conservation initiatives, 4501 Woodway Dr., <https://houstonarboretum.org/field-notes-symposium/> [learn](#), [conference](#), [garden](#), [animals](#), [Houston](#)

**Nature Discovery Center** [MESS MAKERS](#) Jun. 11, 10 – 11:45 a.m., kids explore & create with mud, flowers, paint, and shaving cream, make works of art as well as just good old messy fun, ages 3 – 7, accompanied by adult, 7112 Newcastle, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [class](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

[GOLF TOURNAMENT](#) Jun. 3, 10 a.m. – 1p.m., fundraiser for Wildlife Center of Texas, TopGolf, 1030 Memorial Brook Blvd., includes breakfast & silent auction, [https://one.bidpal.net/2023wctgolf/ticketing\(details:ticketing-summary\)](https://one.bidpal.net/2023wctgolf/ticketing(details:ticketing-summary)) [care](#), [enjoy](#), [animals](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** [TEEN NIGHT @SHARKS](#) Jun. 2, 6:30 - 9 p.m., teens enjoy sharks exhibit after hours, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [animals](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

[LIGHTS OUT TEXAS!](#) thru Jun. 15, to aid migrating birds that are threatened by light pollution, Texans turn out lights from 11 p.m. to 6 a.m. during the migration period, <https://tx.audubon.org/urbanconservation/lights-out-texas> [care](#), [bird](#), [pollution](#), [Houston](#)

[HIKE RICE UNIVERSITY & SUNSET BLVD.](#) Jun. 9, 7 p.m., join group outing to hike 6 mi. at Rice University & along Sunset Blvd., meet at Kroger, 5150 Buffalo Speedway, <https://www.meetup.com/HoustonUrban-Trekkers/events/> [enjoy](#), [walk](#), [Houston](#)

**GIRLS ON THE PRAIRIE** Jun. 5 – Jun. 8, week-long program geared toward high school girls interested in STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art, and math) and STEAM-related careers, UH-Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://apps.uhcl.edu/ECommerce/Schedule/Details/6c8e160b-11e6-ed11-8150-0050561ddc0a> **learn, class, kids, Houston**

**HIKE WHITE OAK BAYOU** Jun. 10, 9 a.m., join group outing to hike 6 miles along White Oak Bayou at sunset, meet at TC Jester Park, W. T.C. Jester Blvd. & Saxon Dr., <https://www.meetup.com/HoustonUrban-Trekkers/events/> **enjoy, walk, water, Houston**

**HOUSTON SOLAR CO-OP** ongoing, go solar for less by leveraging a volume purchase through a co-op, register with no obligation to purchase, <https://solarswitch.com/en/houston/home> **care, energy, pollution, Houston**

**Children’s Museum of Houston** **GAME ON WONDERWEEK** May 30 – Jun. 11, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m., all about video games in the museum, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> **enjoy, learn, kids, Houston**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** **NINE NATIVES** Jun. 12, 9:30 a.m. - noon, volunteers tend native plant garden at the museum, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> OR <https://www.coastalprairieconservancy.org/event-calendar> **care, enjoy, garden, Houston**

**HIKE MEMORIAL PARK** Jun. 8, 9 a.m., join group outing for a 6-mi hike on trails in Memorial Park, meet at Tennis Center, 1500 E. Memorial Loop Dr., <https://www.meetup.com/HoustonUrban-Trekkers/events/> **enjoy, walk, park, Houston**



**Houston Museum of Natural Science** [SHARKS BEHIND THE SCENES](#) **May 30, 6:30 p.m.**, enjoy after hours tour of sharks exhibit with docents, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) **enjoy, learn, animals, Houston**

[PRACTICAS ORGANICAS FOR UN PAISAJE SALUDABLE](#) **Jun. 23, 7 5 – 8 p.m.**, venga a aprender practicas organicas, la importancia de construir jardines de una forma mas saludable, economica & como sanar el suelo & cuidar el jardin, 10370 Richmond, <https://www.ohbaonline.org/schedule> **learn, class, garden, 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](http://www.houstonzoo.org) **enjoy, animals, Houston**

[DANCE!! IN LEVY PARK](#) **Jun. 10, 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**

[YOUNG TEXAN AMBASSADORS](#) **applications open thru Jun. 16**, Texans ages 15 – 25 apply to become ambassadors to keep Texas beautiful, <https://earthshare-texas.org/events/> **care, kids, Houston**

**Houston Arboretum & Nature Center** [SUMMER CAMPS](#) **Jun. 5 – Aug. 11, 9 a.m. – noon or 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.**, fun-filled week-long camps for kids 4 – 12 to explore the natural world through active indoor/outdoor hands-on activities, Week of 6/5 Topic: Swamp Rompers, Week of 6/12 Topic: Beak

Week, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://houstonarboretum.org/events/> enjoy, learn, animals, garden, fish, bird, tree, kids, Houston

**STEM4ALL SUMMER INSTITUTE** Jun. 5 – Jun. 7, teacher training, attend one or all three days Environmental Institute of Houston, includes: Day 1 - Civic Science and Culturally Responsive Teaching Pedagogy, Day 2 - Civic Science and Sheltered Instruction Strategies and ESL Instructional Support, Day 3 - Civic Science and Universal Design for Learning UH-Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., [https://uhcl.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_bab4RwzNO6psJPU?Q\\_CHL=qr](https://uhcl.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_bab4RwzNO6psJPU?Q_CHL=qr) learn, class, kids, Houston

**Houston Arboretum & Nature Center** **POND LIFE** Jun. 10, 10 a.m. – noon, all ages enjoy exploring this unique habitat, includes meeting pond animals, creating watercolor art, and going pond dipping in search of aquatic creatures, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://houstonarboretum.org/events/> enjoy, learn, animals, fish, bird, walk, kids, Houston

**Houston Aquarium** **MARINE BIOLOGIST FOR A DAY** Jun. 3, 9 a.m., kids learn what it takes to be a marine biologist, includes guided tour (including behind the scenes), squid dissection, stingray reef food preparation & 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

**HIKE CULLEN PARK** Jun. 11, 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

**NINE TEXAS NATIVES** Jun. 10, 10 a.m., speaker discusses her favorite native plants, how growing them helps the environment, and how to incorporate them into your garden, Buchanan's, 611 East 11<sup>th</sup> St., <https://buchanansplants.com/events/> **learn, class, garden, Houston**

**Houston Aquarium LATIN BEATS** Jun. 2 & Jun. 9, 7 - 10 p.m. (Fri. thru Aug. 11), enjoy Latin dancing at the aquarium, free salsa lessons, 410 Bagby St., <https://www.aquariumrestaurants.com/downtownaquariumhouston/default.asp> **enjoy, Houston**

**Market Square Park BLANKET BINGO** Jun. 15, 6 p.m., fundraiser for Market Square Park & Buffalo Bayou, packets on sale at 6 p.m., bingo begins at 7 p.m., fun, music & great prizes, 301 Milam St., <http://www.marketsquarepark.com/calendar/> **care, enjoy, park, Houston**

**Houston Botanic Garden INTERTWINED** ongoing, Intertwined: Exploring Nature's Networks features monumental sculptures which dramatically capture the unseen power of the natural world while celebrating the importance of the systems that give life to the Garden's tropical, sub-tropical, and arid collections, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> **enjoy, garden, Houston**

**Houston Arboretum & Nature Center ANIMAL TALES** Jun. 5 & Jun. 12, 9:30 & 10:30 a.m., (Mon. thru Aug. 7, except Jul. 3), for kids 18 mo. – 3 with parent, read nature-themed story, meet live animals & self-guided hike, 6/5 Topic – Armadillo Antics, 6/12 Topic: Jumping Crickets, 4501 Woodway Dr, [www.houstonarboretum.org](http://www.houstonarboretum.org) **enjoy, learn, animals, kids, Houston**

**FARM CAMPS** Jun. 5 – Jun. 29, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., weekly camp for kids K – 8<sup>th</sup> grade, kids learn how to plant, grow, and harvest produce, K – 2: Mon./Weds., grades 3 – 5: Tues/Thurs., & grades 6 – 8:

Mon./Weds. or Tues./Thurs., Hope Farms, 10401 Scott St., <https://hopefarmshtx.org/classes/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

**GARDEN FLOW YOGA** Jun. 3, 10 a.m., peaceful flow yoga in pavilion, Buchanan's, 611 East 11<sup>th</sup> St., <https://buchanansplants.com/events/> [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

**SUMMER GEAR PACK OUT** Jun. 1 & Jun. 8, 5 - 9 p.m., volunteers pack camping gear for summer kids' trips, 6910 Renwick Dr. Suite V, [www.walkforthewoodsproject.org](http://www.walkforthewoodsproject.org) [care](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Zoo CENTENNIAL MURALS ongoing**, murals by graffiti artists created in various locations around Houston celebrating international conservation work of the Houston Zoo, [www.houstonzoo.org](http://www.houstonzoo.org) [enjoy](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Botanic Garden SECRET GARDEN Jun. 10, 6:30 p.m.**, party for Bloomers (the Gardens Next Generation membership group), in the garden, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

**GREAT AMERICAN CLEAN-UP ongoing thru Jun. 31**, annual national event to encourage Americans to engage in beautification events, recycling events, litter cleanups, & more, <https://earthshare-texas.org/event/great-american-clean-up/> [care](#), [recycle](#), [pollution](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Museum of Natural Science WORLD TREKKERS: PHILIPPINES Jun. 2, 7 p.m.** experience traditional dance, visit craft stations to build a Jeepney car and craft our version of a brass and mother-of-pearl inlay box, plus purchase delicious Filipino-American food, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

**AGENTS OF DISCOVERY MISSION** ongoing thru **Jun. 30**, explore the newly opened San Jacinto Bayou Greenway and hike-and-bike trail in the Kingwood community to learn some cool nature facts; learn about the important role of conservation work, and how everyone benefits from having safe, accessible greenspace nearby, good for all ages, but especially grades 3 - 6, <https://houstonparksboard.org/events/> **enjoy, learn, kids, walk, cycle, park, Houston**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** **SUMMER CAMPS** **May 30 – Aug. 11, 10 a.m.**, variety of science topics for kids ages 6 - 12, virtual camps available 6/5 – 7/28, check schedule for details, before/after care available, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., <http://www.hmns.org> **learn, enjoy, media, kids, Houston**

**SAND VOLLEYBALL** **Jun. 23, 6:30 – 9 p.m.**, enjoy outdoor sand volleyball at Wakefield Crowbar plus happy hour, dogs allowed on leash, 954 Wakefield Dr., [https://bcoadventures.com/events-calendar/#espresso\\_calendar](https://bcoadventures.com/events-calendar/#espresso_calendar) **enjoy, animals, Houston**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** **DINOSAUR DISCOVERIES: A HOLOGRAPHIC ADVENTURE** ongoing, enjoy a Holotheater, bringing the prehistoric past to life, using cutting-edge technology & holographic imaging, all ages, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) **enjoy, learn, kids, animals, Houston**

**REI** **TRAILSIDE BIKE REPAIR** **Jun. 10, 4 – 6 p.m.**, learn to address the most common trailside issues: busted chains, noisy drivetrain & broken spokes, hands-on class, 17717 Tomball Pkwy, see classes & events at [www.rei.com](http://www.rei.com) **learn, class, cycle, Houston**

**Emancipation Park** **LINE DANCING** **May 31, 5:30 p.m.**, enjoy a line dancing class in the park, 3018 Emancipation Ave., <https://epconservancy.org/calendar/> **enjoy, class, park, Houston**

**REI SUBARU ROADTRIP Jun. 9 – Jun. 11, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.**, giveaways and family-friendly activities, plus chance to win a \$3,000 Thule gift card and REI Co-op car camping gear, 7538 Westheimer, see classes & events at [www.rei.com](http://www.rei.com) [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

**ELEVATION, ENDURANCE & MOBILITY TRAINING Jun. 5 & Jun. 12, 6 p.m. (Mon. thru Jun. 26)**, improve your physical condition, or recover from injury, to be able to enjoy outdoor activities, Eleanor Tinsley Park, 500 Allen Pkwy., [https://bcoadventures.com/events-calendar/#espresso\\_calendar](https://bcoadventures.com/events-calendar/#espresso_calendar) [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [walk](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Museum of Natural Science 3D FILMS ongoing**, wide variety of films being screened, see [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) for current show times/offerings, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org), Currently showing: Dinosaur of Antarctica, Great Barrier Reef 2D, Mummies 2D, Sea Lions 3D & Sharks 3D (opens May 26) [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [media](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Museum of Natural Science ECLIPSE TRIP deposit deadline Jun. 1**, travel to LoneHollow Ranch, a luxury ranch getaway, for an experience of a lifetime: a total solar eclipse, [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) [enjoy](#), [star](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Aquarium SEA SAFARI CAMP Jun. 12 – Jun. 16**, kids 6 – 10 investigate how various adaptations help animals survive in their habitats, 410 Bagby St., <https://www.aquariumrestaurants.com/downtownaquariumhouston/default.asp> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [animals](#), [fish](#), [Houston](#)

**Children's Museum of Houston MEMBER'S SUMMER KICK-OFF Jun. 3, 9 a.m.**, members have the museum to themselves for one hour, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Botanic Garden** [GO BANANAS POP-UP](https://secure.hbg.org/events/) **Jun. 2, 6 p.m.**, enjoy a 5-course meal paired with special cocktails, all featuring the banana genus, in the garden, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> [enjoy, garden, Houston](#)

[BUILDING COMMUNITY GARDENS & POCKET PRAIRIES](https://www.meetup.com/outdoor-afro-houston/events/) **Jun. 3, 10 a.m.**, volunteers work on community gardens/pocket prairies, <https://www.meetup.com/outdoor-afro-houston/events/> [care, enjoy, garden, Houston](#)

[BLACKWOOD SKY FARM CROP WALK](https://blackwoodland.org/calendar/) **Jun. 1 & Jun. 8, 4:30 p.m.**, community crop walk, chefs, restaurant operators, and other food buyers see what we're growing and what's coming out of the Skyfarm soon, Post HTX, 401 Franklin St., <https://blackwoodland.org/calendar/> [enjoy, care, farmers, Houston](#)

[BLACKWOOD SKY FARM TOURS](https://blackwoodland.org/calendar/) **Jun. 1/Jun. 8, 8 a.m. and Jun. 2/Jun. 9, noon, and Jun. 3/Jun. 10, 2 p.m.**, tour Houston's only rooftop organic farm, Post HTX, 401 Franklin St. <https://blackwoodland.org/calendar/> [enjoy, farmers, Houston](#)

**Houston Aquarium** [WORKING ON THE WILD SIDE](https://www.aquariumrestaurants.com/downtownaquariumhouston/default.asp) **Jun. 10, 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](#)

**Children's Museum of Houston** [POWER UP SUMMER](#) **Jun. 3 – Aug. 19, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.**, season of excitement with something to do every day, including events like: interactives, demonstrations,

spotlight performances, meet-and-greets & more, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events>  
[enjoy, learn, kids, Houston](#)

**Emancipation Park** [ZUMBA](#) **May 30 – Jun. 1 & Jun. 6 – Jun. 8, 6 p.m.**, enjoy Zumba class in the park, 3018 Emancipation Ave., <https://epconservancy.org/calendar/> [enjoy, class, park, Houston](#)

[NASA'S CLIMATE CHANGE INITIATIVES](#) **ongoing**, presentation focusing on NASA's climate change initiatives, Space Center Houston, 1601 E NASA Pkwy., included with ticket purchase to center, also live-streamed, <https://spacecenter.org/event/thought-leader-series/> [learn, media, Houston](#)

**Burnett Bayland Park** [RIBBON CUTTING & SOCCER NIGHT OUT](#) **May 30, 5 - 7 p.m.**, ribbon cutting for two new soccer pitches, Houston Dynamo FC hosts a Soccer Night Out, appearances from Dynamo Mascot Diesel, Dynamo/Dash player autographs, balloon artists, face painting, & more, 6000 Chimney Rock Rd., <https://hcp4.net/events/> [enjoy, kids, park, Houston](#)

[HOUSTON PLANT MARKET](#) **Jun. 10, 4 – 9 p.m.**, market featuring curated selection of vendors with a diverse range of products including rare plants, beginner-friendly plants, soaps, candles, earrings, jewelry, ceramics/cement pottery, plant accessories/supplies, snack foods, and more, plus presentation on foraging wild foods at 5:30 p.m., Second Ward, <https://houstonplantmarket.com/>  
[care, enjoy, garden, Houston](#)

**Buffalo Bayou** [BIRDING WALKS](#) **Jun. 10 & Jun. 17, 9 – 10:30 a.m.**, enjoy guided walking tour along Buffalo Bayou with expert guides to spot & identify a variety of bird species, Buffalo Bend Nature Park, 2300 S Sgt Macario Garcia Dr., [www.buffalobayou.org](http://www.buffalobayou.org) [enjoy, learn, walk, bird, park, Houston](#)



**BIRDING WITH TECHNOLOGY** Jun. 8, noon, learn about helpful birding apps that feature sound recognition and can take your bird identification skills to the next level, bring your own lunch, The Water Works, 105 Sabine St., [www.buffalobayou.org](http://www.buffalobayou.org) **learn, class, bird, Houston**

**ASTRAL.WAVZ SOUND THERAPY IN LEVY PARK** Jun. 6, 7 p.m., enjoy a sound bath in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> **enjoy, park, Houston**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** **KING TUT'S TOMB DISCOVERY EXPERIENCE BEHIND THE SCENES** May 31, 6:30 p.m., exclusive behind the scenes tour of King Tut's Tomb Discovery Experience, guided by master docents, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) **enjoy, learn, Houston**

**Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary** **ANIMAL SUPERHERO CAMP** Jun. 12 – Jun.16 & Jun. 26 – Jun. 30, 9 a.m. - noon, kids 6 – 8 learn about the super WILD abilities that animals have to survive, 440 Wilchester Blvd., <https://houstonaudubon.org/> **learn, enjoy, kids, bird, animals, outside**

**Emancipation Park** **CELEBRATE FREEDOM** Jun. 10, 11 a.m. - 8 p.m., family-friendly games/activities to kick off Juneteenth celebrations, in the park, 3018 Emancipation Ave., <https://epconservancy.org/calendar/> **enjoy, kids, park, Houston**

**DISCOVER NATURE CAMP** Jun. 5 – Jun. 8, 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., kids entering 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> grade enjoy nature walks, bird watching, fishing, gardening, dip netting, geocaching, games, crafts, stories & more, Environmental Institute of Houston, UH-Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://www.uhcl.edu/environmental-institute/> **enjoy, learn, kids, fish, bird, walk, garden, Houston**

**Houston Arboretum & Nature Center** [BEGINNER BOTANY](#) Jun. 10, 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., simple introduction to botanical terms & an overview of our most common flower families, followed by a hike to see these plants in person and practice ID skills, ages 12+, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://houstonarboretum.org/learn/> [learn, class, kids, walk, garden, Houston](#)

**Children’s Museum of Houston** [POWERING INTO SUMMER](#) Jun. 3, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m., fun games & appearances by cartoon characters, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [enjoy, kids, Houston](#)

[HISTORICAL TEXAS TREES](#) May 30, 10:30 – 11:30 a.m., informative lecture about trees linked to unique moments in Texas history, Tracy Gee Community Center, 3599 Westcenter Dr., <https://hcp4.net/events/> [learn, lecture, trees, Houston](#)

[SING! MOVE! PLAY!](#) May 27, noon, kids enjoy action-packed workshops filled with singing, rhythmic movement, and creative play in the park, led by Houston Grand Opera, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> [enjoy, kids, park, Houston](#)

**Houston Arboretum & Nature Center** [GARDENING FOR BEES](#) Jun. 3, 10 a.m. - noon, take your pollinator garden to the next level by understanding what bees really need from your garden, ages 12+, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://houstonarboretum.org/learn/> [learn, class, animals, kids, garden, Houston](#)

**Nature Discovery Center** [SUMMER CAMP](#) Jun. 5 – Aug. 18, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m., science and nature themed camps, featuring hands-on activities, games, art projects, & more, (week of 6/5 & 6/12): Into the Trees, 7112 Newcastle, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> [enjoy, learn, class, animals, garden, kids, Houston](#)

**VOLUNTEERS FOR SUNDAY IN THE PARK** Jun. 4, 10:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., volunteers provide games in Mason Park as part of Sunday in the Park event, 541 S. 75th St., <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> care, enjoy, kids, park, Houston

**McClendon Park MOVIE NIGHT** Jun. 1, 7 p.m., family movie night in the park featuring *Lyle, Lyle Crocodile*, plus crafts, 3770 Summit Valley Dr., <https://hcp4.net/events/> enjoy, media, kids, park, Houston

**AUDUBON BOOK CLUB MEETING** Jun. 10, 2 p.m., hybrid event, discuss the book *Migrations*, Park Place Regional Library, 8145 Park Place Blvd. & online, <https://houstonaudubon.org/> learn, enjoy, media, meeting, bird, outside

**Buffalo Bayou WAUGH BAT COLONY BOAT TOURS** Jun. 9, 7:35 p.m. & Jun. 23, 7:40 p.m. learn more about bats that live under the Waugh St. bridge, and enjoy amazing view of them emerging at dusk from boat on Buffalo Bayou, 1.5 hour tour, from Allen's Landing, 1001 Commerce St., [www.buffalobayou.org](http://www.buffalobayou.org) enjoy, boat, animals, park, Houston

**AVIAN ACADEMY** Jun. 6 – Jun. 8, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m., workshop for formal and informal educators, includes: tour of raptor center, Flying WILD curriculum, activities appropriate/adaptable for K-12 grades, different location each day, [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) learn, enjoy, bird, class, kids, Houston

**Houston Zoo CAMP ZOOFARI** Jun. 5 - Aug. 11, day camp for kids 4 – 14, each day is a different topic, register for one day or entire week, 6200 Hermann Park Dr., <https://www.houstonzoo.org/make-memories/kids-families/camp-zoofari/> enjoy, learn, kids, animals, Houston

**Emancipation Park HIP HOP STEP AEROBICS May 29/May 31 & Jun. 5/Jun. 7, 6 p.m.**, enjoy hip hop step aerobics in the park, 3018 Emancipation Ave., <https://epconservancy.org/calendar/> **enjoy, class, park, Houston**

**Texas Wildlife Rehabilitation Center PHOTO CONTEST starts Jun. 1**, online fundraiser for the center, submit your best wildlife photos to contest, winners' photos will be featured on website, calendar & elsewhere, <http://www.twrcwildlifecenter.org/> **care, media, photo, animals, Houston**

**"FIRESIDE" CHAT & SNACK AT MEMORIAL PARK Jun. 3, 9:30 p.m.**, join group chat/snack by the fire in Memorial Park (after a hike, see separate listing), Eastern Glades, 6502 Memorial Dr., <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> **enjoy, park, Houston**

**CLUB SCIKIDZ SUMMER CAMP Jun. 12 – Jul. 28**, weekly full day & half-day science & technology-based summer camp for kids 4 - 15, Faith Lutheran Church Sugar Land, & Church of the Holy Apostles, Katy, [https://houston.clubscikidz.com/?\\_ga=2.251954441.1806945996.1675997966-927712987.1675814005](https://houston.clubscikidz.com/?_ga=2.251954441.1806945996.1675997966-927712987.1675814005) **enjoy, learn, kids, outside**

**TOMATO TASTING Jun. 3, 10:30 a.m. - noon**, participants purchase card & score each numbered tomato with several criteria, then, at the end, the names will be revealed and show-of-hand votes will be tallied for the favorites in the three categories, plus raffle prizes, fundraiser for the garden, Westbury Community Garden, 12581 Dunlap, <http://westburycommunitygarden.org/> **care, enjoy, garden, Houston**

**Children's Museum of Houston TOT SPOT POP-UPS thru Jun. 26, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.**, exciting & engaging activities for your toddler, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> **enjoy, learn, kids, Houston**

**Buffalo Bayou COCKTAILS IN BLOOM Jun. 6, 6:30 – 9 p.m.**, fundraiser for Buffalo Bayou Partnership, drinks, hors d'oeuvres & park views, Buffalo Bayou Park, Eleonor Tinsley Garden, 105 Sabine St., [www.buffalobayou.org](http://www.buffalobayou.org) **care, enjoy, park, Houston**

**Nature Discovery Center MINI-CAMPS May 29 – Jun. 2, 9 a.m. – noon**, hands-on activities, games, art projects & more for kids 4 - 7, (5/29): Topic – Invertebrates, (5/30): Topic – Fish, (5/31): Topic – Herps (Reptiles & Amphibians), (6/1): Topic – Birds, (6/2): Topic – Mammals, 7112 Newcastle, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> **enjoy, learn, class, animals, fish, bird, kids, Houston**

**Houston Botanic Garden COMPOST WORKSHOP Jun. 8, 5:30 p.m.**, learn how to properly compost your food scraps & be part of the solution to climate change, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> **learn, class, garden, recycle, Houston**

**NIGHT HIKES May 31 & Jun. 7, 7 p.m.**, join group hike along Buffalo Bayou, meet at Water Works, 105 Sabine St., <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/> **enjoy, walk, park, Houston**

**VOLUNTEER IN GARDEN Jun. 3 & Jun. 17, 8 – 11 a.m.**, volunteers work in community garden, 3718 Charleston, <https://www.meetup.com/neo-houston/events/> **care, enjoy, garden, Houston**

**Houston Botanic Garden GO BANANAS Jun. 3, 9 a.m.**, banana celebration in the garden, educational offerings, cooking demonstrations, kids' activities, farmers' market & more, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> **enjoy, learn, kids, garden, Houston**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science SUPER JAWS: BIGGER THAN T. REX Jun. 6, 6:30 p.m.**, hybrid event, renowned paleontologist paints a vivid picture of the extinct castaways unearthed on

five continents: sail-backed meat-eaters, toothy fern-mowers, weird crocs & soaring pterosaurs, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., <http://www.hmns.org/calendar/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [animals](#), [Houston](#)

**Children's Museum of Houston** [EARLY BIRD MEMBER HOUR](#) **Jun. 10, 9 – 10 a.m.**, members access museum one hour early, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

[RED VENTED BULBUL SURVEY](#) **Jun. 3, 7 - 9 a.m.**, volunteers participate in community science to document red vented bulbuls, various survey locations, [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) [care](#), [enjoy](#), [bird](#), [Houston](#)

**Children's Museum of Houston** [POSITIVITY RAINBOW WORKSHOP](#) **Jun. 6 – Jun. 8, 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.**, kids 6+ explore creativity, self-confidence, and social-emotional skills as they are guided through a project of self-expression, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

**Sims Bayou Urban Nature Center** [ART WITH RAPTORS](#) **May 30, 6:40 p.m.**, learn to draw raptor from head to talon, using ambassador raptor as model, supplies provided, ages 12+, 3997 River Dr., [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [bird](#), [class](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

**Buffalo Bayou** [WELLNESS WALKS](#) **May 31 & Jun. 7, 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](http://www.buffalobayou.org) [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [walk](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Botanic Garden** [BOTANIC PAPER EMBROIDERY](https://secure.hbg.org/events/) Jun. 10, 11 a.m., learn how to embroider, assemble & frame your own 3D paper botanical display, materials provided, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> [learn](#), [class](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

**Nature Discovery Center** [SNEAK A PEEK](http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/) Jun. 6, 10 a.m., kids 3 – 5 with adult caregiver enjoy crafts, nature walks, live animal encounters, investigations & hands-on activities, 6/6 Topic: Frogs & Toads are Friends, 7112 Newcastle, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [animals](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

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

**Mason Park** [CIGNA SUNDAY IN THE PARK](https://www.houstontx.gov/specialevents/sunday-in-the-park.html) Jun. 4, 12 - 4 p.m., music, games, dancing, & activities for the whole family, 541 S. 75th St., <https://www.houstontx.gov/specialevents/sunday-in-the-park.html> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

[CELEBRATING JUNETEENTH WITH COMMON AFRICAN AMERICAN CROPS & CUISINE](https://www.urbanharvest.org/) Jun. 10, 10 – 11:30 a.m., learn growing tips and facts on the soul food favorites of okra, sweet potatoes, greens, and black-eyed peas, and the rich heritage behind these crops, plus receive a recipe card for sweet potato pie, Weekley Center, 7101 Stella Link Rd., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/> [learn](#), [class](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

**Buffalo Bayou** [JAZZY SUNDAY](http://www.buffalobayou.org) Jun. 4, 5 – 7 p.m., enjoy live jazz performances in the park, Buffalo Bayou Park, 105 Sabine St., [www.buffalobayou.org](http://www.buffalobayou.org) [enjoy](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

**NATURE PAVILION AT SIMS SURVEY ongoing**, Harris County Precinct One is transforming the Hill at Sims, a 100-acre regional detention basin, into a public park, with a nature pavilion, public input is sought on the design/use of the nature pavilion,  
[https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/RTWD35C?fbclid=IwAR3\\_ZGfhy0LIamAKhvR0\\_MVed6tfDZeIDU-x9MuQUZIW7XGkDAG9rjqCAU](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/RTWD35C?fbclid=IwAR3_ZGfhy0LIamAKhvR0_MVed6tfDZeIDU-x9MuQUZIW7XGkDAG9rjqCAU) **care, learn, park, Houston**

**SUNSET/NIGHT HIKE MEMORIAL PARK Jun. 3, 7 p.m.**, join group 4+ mi. hike in Memorial Park at sunset/night, meet at running center, 7575 N. Picnic Ln., <https://www.meetup.com/joinneo/events/>  
**enjoy, walk, park, 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, <http://houstonrenewableenergy.org/events/event-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 30** **learn, class, energy, pollution, Houston**

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



**Kickerillo-Mischer Preserve** [NATURE CENTER WITHOUT WALLS](#) usually 1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 10 a.m., learn about nature topics & current events/activities, 20215 Chasewood Park Dr., <http://www.hcp4.net/kmp> 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 Opportunity **TBD** [care, enjoy, garden, recycle, park, Houston](#)

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

[MONTROSE FARMERS' MARKET](#) Sun., 8 a.m. – 1 p.m., fresh produce, locally-produced foods, 600 Hyde Park Blvd., Next Opportunities **Jun. 4 & Jun. 11** [care, farmers, Houston](#)

**Midtown Park** [CHILDREN'S STORY TIME](#) 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues., 10 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](#) 1<sup>st</sup> Weds., 7 – 8 p.m., group promoting co-housing in Houston, open to those interested in or curious about co-housing, <https://www.cohousinghouston.com/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 7** [learn, media, meeting, Houston](#)

[MEMORIAL VILLAGES FARMERS' MARKET](#) Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., farmers' market, music, kids' activities, food demonstrations, lectures & more, 1<sup>st</sup> Congregational Church, 10840 Beinhorn Rd., <http://www.mvfarmersmarket.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** [care, farmers, kids, 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. 20<sup>th</sup> 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** 1<sup>st</sup> 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** 4<sup>th</sup> Fri., 9 – 11 a.m., volunteers clean up litter & plant trees in the riparian restoration area, 2001 Central St., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, pollution, garden, tree, park, Houston**

**ALIEF COMMUNITY GARDEN FARMERS' MARKET** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat., 10 a.m. – noon, farm fresh produce, 8409 ½ Dairy View, <https://imdhouston.org/about/programs-projects/farmers-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** **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, 10425 Hillcroft, <http://www.braeswoodfarmersmarket.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** **care, farmers, Houston**

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

**HOUSTON RENEWABLE ENERGY GROUP MEETING** **usually 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues., 7 p.m.**, monthly meeting of group promoting renewable energy in Houston, open to the public, United Way, 50 Waugh Dr., <http://houstonrenewableenergy.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 13** **learn, meeting, energy, Houston**

**TREE FARM WORKDAY** **3<sup>rd</sup> 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/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** care, garden, tree, park, Houston

**Nature Discovery Center** [NATURE STORY TIME](#) **Weds., 4 – 4:30 p.m.**, pre-schoolers & caregivers enjoy stories, puppets, specimens, songs & more, all activities outdoors, 7112 Newcastle St, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> Next Opportunities **May 31 & Jun. 7** enjoy, kids, Houston

[RIVER OAKS FARMERS' MARKET](#) **3<sup>rd</sup> Sun., 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.**, 20 curated vendors, all local businesses, fresh produce, baked goods, handmade condiments & more, 4444 Westheimer Rd. <https://ynfma.org/calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 18** care, farmers, Houston

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

**Discovery Green** [RECYCLING SATURDAYS](#) **most Sat., 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.**, recycle sorted paper, plastic, glass, & aluminum at the park, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunity **TBD** 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 Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 17** enjoy, kids, park, Houston

[REDEMPTION SQUARE FARMERS MARKET](#) **4<sup>th</sup> Sat., 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.**, fresh produce/local vendors, 250 Assay St., <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 24** care, farmers, Houston

**Levy Park JAPAN JUNCTION 1<sup>st</sup> Weds., 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 **Jun. 7**, Story: Peach Boy, Craft: Carp Streamer Bag **enjoy, kids, park, 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/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, garden, park, Houston**

**Levy Park SLOW FLOW YOGA Fri., 8 a.m.**, all levels yoga flow, build strength & mobility, set to music, class ends with a sound bath, in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 2 & Jun. 9** **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 Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** **enjoy, class, park, Houston**

**Levy Park TAI CHI Fri., 9 - 10 a.m.**, tai chi class in the park open to all ages/skill levels, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 2 & Jun. 9** **enjoy, class, park, Houston**

**KICKERILLO MISCHER BIRD SURVEY 3<sup>rd</sup> Mon., 8 - 10 a.m.**, join group for bird survey, 20215 Chasewood Park Dr., [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity **TBD** **care, enjoy, walk, bird, Houston**

**BOLLYWOOD IN LEVY PARK** **Sat., 10 a.m.**, Bollywood-style dance class in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** **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** **2<sup>nd</sup> Sat., 6 – 9 p.m.**, potluck, presentations, food demons, product samples, door prizes & more, HCC, 3100 Main St., <http://www.vegansocietyofpeace.org/vegan2ndsaturdays> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** **learn meeting, animals, Houston**

**Discovery Green** **SCREEN ON THE GREEN** **varies**, family-friendly movie in the park, pre-film activities begin at 6 p.m., 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 3, 7 p.m.** **enjoy, media, kids, park, Houston**

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

**KEEP 5 ALIVE** **2<sup>nd</sup> 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** **2<sup>nd</sup> Sat., 8 a.m.**, members enter early, 1601 E. NASA Pkwy., <https://spacecenter.org/membership/member-events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** **enjoy, Houston**

**OLIVEWOOD CEMETERY CLEAN-UP** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 9 – 11 a.m., volunteers remove brush & do landscaping at historic cemetery, 1300 Court St., <http://www.descendantsofolivewood.org/category/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 3** 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](http://www.hmns.org) for offerings & times, Currently showing: Black Holes, Cosmic Collisions, Dark Side of the Moon, Death of the Dinosaurs, Earth's Wild Ride, Forward to the Moon, Passport to the Universe, Starry Night Express, Totality over Texas, & Unseen Universe, [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) enjoy, learn, media Houston

**EPA AIR, CLIMATE, ENERGY WEBINAR SERIES** 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 **Jul. 18**, Topic: Wildfire Impacts on Water and Ecosystems learn, media, class, pollution, Houston

**PLANT PROPAGATION WORKDAYS** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> 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/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 8** care, garden, Houston

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

**EPA WATER RESEARCH WEBINAR SERIES** last Weds., 2 p.m., EPA shares current research & activities related to integrity of water systems in U.S., <https://www.epa.gov/water-research/water-research-webinar-series> Next Opportunity **Jun. 28**, Topic: Reducing Nitrogen in Groundwater with Related Approaches: Enhanced Onsite Wastewater Treatment and Wetland Restoration **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**

**Hermann Park PEDAL BOATS** Fri. - Sun., 10 a.m. – 4 p.m., rent pedal boats to use on pond in Hermann Park, 6100 Hermann Park Dr., <http://www.hermannpark.org/calendar/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 2 – Jun. 4 & Jun. 9 – Jun. 11** **enjoy, boat, park, Houston**

**SCIENCE AT LEVY PARK** 4<sup>th</sup> 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 **Jun. 25** **learn, enjoy, media, class, kids, park, Houston**

**Midtown Park BEATS & EATS** 4<sup>th</sup> 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** 1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., Kingwood Metro Park & Ride, 3210 W. Lake Houston Pkwy., [https://www.houstontx.gov/solidwaste/electronics\\_recycling.html](https://www.houstontx.gov/solidwaste/electronics_recycling.html) Next opportunity **Jun. 3** **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 **May 29/Jun. 4 & Jun. 5/Jun. 11** enjoy, learn, media, class, park, Houston

**Memorial Park GREENHOUSE VOLUNTEER DAYS** Weds. - Fri., 8 - 11 a.m., volunteers work in park greenhouse to care for native plants, 6501 Memorial Dr., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next Opportunities **May 31 – Jun. 2 & Jun. 7 – Jun. 9** care, garden, park, Houston

**Houston Museum of Natural Science MEMBER EVENT** 2<sup>nd</sup> 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](http://www.hmns.org), Next Opportunities **Jun. 10** enjoy, kids, Houston

**Memorial Park NATIVE PLANT NURSERY** usually Fri., 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#\\_=\\_](https://memorialparkconservancy.volunteerhub.com/?format=1&filter=%7B%7D#_=_) Next Opportunities **Jun. 5, Jun. 9, & Jun. 12, 12 – 2 p.m. and May 31 & Jun. 1/Jun. 8, 9 – 11 a.m.** care, tree, garden, park, Houston

**Bagby Park CHALK ON THE BLOCK** 1<sup>st</sup> 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 **Jun. 3** enjoy, park, Houston

**Houston Museum of Natural Science FREE THURSDAYS** Thurs., 5 - 8 p.m., free admission to permanent exhibits, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) Next Opportunities **Jun. 1 & Jun. 8** learn, Houston

**Bagby Park GET FIT 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sat., 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.**, high intensity interval training for first hour, followed by yoga for second hour, 415 Gray St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** [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 MARKET 1<sup>st</sup> Thurs., 6 - 10 p.m.**, music, prepared food, produce & more, benefits local non-profits, 3606 Main St., <http://www.midmainhouston.com/firstthursday/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 1** [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](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next opportunity **TBD** [enjoy, walk, kids, animals, bird, Houston](#)

**Sheldon Lake State Park BIRD SURVEY 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. (Sep. – May)**, bird survey in the park, contact [Hannah.Buschert@tpwd.texas.gov](mailto:Hannah.Buschert@tpwd.texas.gov) for details, 14140 Garrett Rd. Next Opportunity **TBD** [care, enjoy, park, bird, Houston](#)

**KIDS BINGO NIGHT AT LEVY PARK** Thurs., 4:30 p.m., kids enjoy bingo in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 1 & Jun. 8** 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](https://www.facebook.com/mondaymarketonthebayou/?ref=page_internal) Next Opportunity **TBD** care, farmers, Houston

**Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary** **GUIDED TOUR** usually 1<sup>st</sup> 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](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next opportunity **TBD** enjoy, walk, Houston

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

**Baldwin Park** **SOUND BATH MEDITATIONS** 2<sup>nd</sup> Weds., 6 - 7 p.m., free class in the park, sound bath meditation using sound as a tool to cultivate & support deep relaxation, 1701 Elgin St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** enjoy, class, park, Houston

**Memorial Park** **EASTERN GLADES CONSERVATION HORTICULTURE** some Tues., Weds. & Thurs., occasional Sat., 8 - 11 a.m., 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#\\_=\\_](https://memorialparkconservancy.volunteerhub.com/?format=1&filter=%7B%7D#_=_) Next

Opportunities **May 30, 8 – 11 a.m., Jun. 1, Jun. 5, Jun. 8, & Jun. 12, 8 – 10 a.m., and 12 – 2 p.m. on May 30 & Jun. 8** [care, garden, park, Houston](#)

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

**Nature Discovery Center** [OUTDOOR EXPLORERS](#) **Thurs., 4:30 - 6 p.m.**, kids 5 – 12 (max 10 kids in one social pol/cohort/bubble) 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](#) **4<sup>th</sup> Weds., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, the Famers' Market comes to you, BakerRipley East Aldine, Aldine Mail Rte., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-farmers-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 28** [care, enjoy, farmers, Houston](#)

[PHOTO WORKSHOP AT PARK](#) **usually 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 9 – 10:30 a.m.**, learn photography in Levy Park with Houston Center for Photography experts, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 17** [learn, enjoy, media, class, photo, park, Houston](#)

**Sheldon Lake State Park** [PRAIRIE RESTORATION](#) **Tues., 9 a.m. – noon**, ongoing restoration of native prairie, 14140 Garrett Rd, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next Opportunities **May 30 & Jun. 6** [enjoy, park, garden, Houston](#)

**Midtown Park YAPPY HOUR occasionally, 5:30 – 7 p.m.**, treats for your dog, giveaways, contests & prizes in the park, 2811 Travis St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **TBD**  
**enjoy, animals, park, Houston**

**Exploration Green PLANT PROPAGATION most Tues. & Weds., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.**, volunteers propagate plants in wetland nursery at Exploration Green or plant plants in the park, corner of Seakale & Bay Area Blvd., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> OR <https://www.explorationgreen.org/calendar> or <https://txmn.org/gbmn/events/> Next Opportunities **May 30/May 31 & Jun. 6/June 7** **care, garden, park, Houston**

**Buffalo Bayou LOOKING BACK BOAT TOUR usually one Sat./month, 10 – 11:30a.m.**, guided historical tour along Buffalo Bayou, from 150 Sabine St., [www.buffalobayou.org](http://www.buffalobayou.org) Next Opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, boat, park, Houston**

**Buffalo Bayou VOLUNTEER DAY usually 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> Sat., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.**, volunteers help maintain the park, meet at Water Works, 105 Sabine St., [www.buffalobayou.org](http://www.buffalobayou.org) Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** **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](http://www.buffalobayou.org) Next Opportunity **TBD** **enjoy, boat, park, Houston**

**GARDEN LECTURE 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs., 7 - 8 p.m.**, lecture on a gardening topic, Delores Fenwick Nature Center, Pearland, <https://pearlandrecycles.com/calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 8, (moved online)**, Topic: Cooking from the Garden **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/events/> Next opportunities **Jun. 3/ Jun. 4 & Jun. 10/ Jun. 11** **care, enjoy, Houston**

**Midtown Park THROWBACK THURSDAY WORKOUT 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 **Jun. 15** **enjoy, class, park, Houston**

**Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Office GREEN THUMB LECTURE (Jan – Oct.): 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon., 10 p.m.**, Houston Community College, 1300 Holman St. & online, **3<sup>rd</sup> Tues., 11 a.m.**, online, <https://harris.agrilife.org/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 5 & Jun. 12, 10 a.m. and Jun. 20, 11 a.m. (moved online)**, Topic: Pollinator Gardening **learn, media, lecture, garden, Houston**

**HTX BIKE SOCIAL 2<sup>nd</sup> Fri., 7 p.m.**, join group ride, start location is Whole Foods, 701 Waugh Dr., <https://www.facebook.com/groups/htxbike/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 9** **enjoy, cycle, Houston**

**Exploration Green TREE NURSERY 2<sup>nd</sup> & last Sat., 8 a.m. – noon**, volunteers repot, prune & stake trees, 1801 Neptune Ln., Clear Lake, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> & <https://www.explorationgreen.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** **care, tree, park, Houston**

**HTX BIKE SOCIAL Weds., 7 p.m.**, join group 15 – 20 mile ride, start location is D&W Lounge, 911 Milby St., includes one stop for food/drinks, <https://www.facebook.com/groups/htxbike/> Next Opportunities **May 31 & Jun. 7** **enjoy, cycle, Houston**

**MOBILE MARKET** 2<sup>nd</sup> Weds., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., the Farmers' Market comes to you, Plaza Santa Clara, 5616 Lawndale St., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-farmers-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

**Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary** **WILD TEXAS HOME SCHOOL** 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs., 10 a.m. - noon (during school year), kids 5 – 11 learn how native Texas wildlife lives alongside us in the Houston region, including the different parts of a healthy ecosystem & what they can do to help it thrive, includes lessons, science experiments, arts & crafts, nature walks, & other activities 440 Wilchester Blvd., [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, enjoy, kids, class, 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** 3<sup>rd</sup> Weds., 9:30 - 11 a.m. (Sep. – Dec.), discover intricacies of nature through exploration, observation & journaling, ages 9 - 12, 20215 Chasewood Park Dr., <https://hcp4.net/events//> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, learn, class, kids, park, Houston

**Galveston Bay Area Master Naturalists** **MONTHLY MEETING** 1<sup>st</sup> Thurs., 5 p.m., presentation, social & business meeting, Galveston County Agrilife Extension Office, La Marque, <https://txmn.org/gbmn/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 1 (hybrid)**, Topic: Oyster Mariculture Along the Texas Coast learn, media, animals, garden, lecture, Houston

**Buffalo Bayou WALKING TOUR usually 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 10:30 a.m. – noon**, guided tour by naturalist, meet at Water Works, 105 Sabine St., [www.buffalobayou.org](http://www.buffalobayou.org) Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** enjoy, park, water, walk, Houston

**ASHTON GARDEN RESTORATION DAYS usually 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Fri., 9 a.m. – 11 a.m.**, restore garden, park under Hardy Toll Rd. bridge, 21919 Inverness Forest Blvd., <https://www.bayoulandconservancy.org/event-calendar> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, 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 **May 30 & Jun. 6** enjoy, kids, animals, 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 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat., 9 a.m. - noon**, the Farmers' Market comes to you, Project Row Houses, 2310 Elgin, <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-farmers-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

**Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Office OPEN GARDEN DAY (Mar. – Oct.): 3<sup>rd</sup> Mon., 8:30 - 11 a.m.**, enjoy touring Genoa Friendship Garden, 1202 Genoa Red Bluff Rd., <https://hcmga.tamu.edu/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 19** enjoy, walk, garden, Houston

**Buffalo Bayou BOOKS ON THE BAYOU 1<sup>st</sup> 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](http://www.buffalobayou.org) Next Opportunity **Jun. 3** [enjoy, kids, park, Houston](#)

**Discovery Green** [GREEN FLEA BY NIGHT](#) usually **3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 6 – 10 p.m.**, flea market, artful kitsch, vintage items, recycled/repurposed, collectibles & more, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/flea> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** [care, recycle, park, Houston](#)

**Houston Federated Garden Clubs** [MONTHLY MEETING](#) **2<sup>nd</sup> Fri., 10 a.m.**, general meeting, speaker at each meeting, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 5308 Buffalo Spdwy., <https://www.houstonfederationgardenclubs.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **Jun. 9**, Topic: TBD [learn, media, meeting, garden, Houston](#)

[CITIZEN'S CLIMATE LOBBY MEETING](#) **2<sup>nd</sup> 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/](https://citizensclimatelobby.org/chapters/TX_Houston_Central/) Next Opportunity **Jun. 10 (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 **2<sup>nd</sup> Sat., 8 a.m. (Sep. - May)**, meet at cabin, Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary, 440 Wilchester Blvd., 713-464-4900 or <http://www.houstonaudubon.org> Next Opportunity **TBD** [enjoy, bird, Houston](#)

**MOBILE MARKET** 4<sup>th</sup> Sat., 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., the Farmers' Market comes to you, Trinity United Methodist Church, 2600 Holman, <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-farmers-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 24** [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 **Jun. 1** [enjoy, media, park, Houston](#)

**ENERGY CORRIDOR FARMERS' MARKET** 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thurs., 3:30 – 6:30 p.m., locally-grown, farm-fresh produce for sale, 1520 Eldridge Pkwy., <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 8** [care, farmers, Houston](#)

**ECO-OLOGY** Tues., 3 – 4 p.m., **EXPLORATION** Mon. 5 – 6 a.m., **VEGAN WORLD** Tues., 8 – 9 p.m., KPFT, Next opportunities **May 30, Jun. 5, Jun. 6, & Jun. 12** [learn, care, media, Houston](#)

**Children's Museum of Houston FREE FAMILY NIGHT** Thurs., 5 - 8 p.m., member event, activities, music, & more in the museum, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> Next Opportunities **Jun. 1 & Jun. 8** [enjoy, kids, Houston](#)

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

**Wildlife Center VOLUNTEER TRAINING** usually 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 10 – 11:30 a.m., (except Nov./Dec.) 7007 Katy Rd, 713 861-9453, <http://www.wildlifecenteroftexas.org/> Next opportunity **Jun. 17** [learn, care, animals, Houston, class](#)

**Discovery Green HATHA YOGA some Sat., 9 - 10 a.m.**, practice yoga for enhanced awareness & a strong, healthy body, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** [enjoy](#), [class](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

**SIERRA CLUB Monthly Meeting 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs., 7 – 10 p.m.**, St. Stephen's Pecore Hall, 1805 W. Alabama, <http://www.meetup.com/Houston-Sierra-Club-Outings/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 8, (moved online)**, Topic: Harris County's Sustainability Efforts & CAP [care](#), [learn](#), [media](#), [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 Opportunities **May 31 & Jun. 7** [enjoy](#), [class](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Galveston Area Council PARKS & NATURAL AREAS Meeting usually 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon., 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.**, discussion of parks/natural areas in 13-county region, 3555 Timmons Ln., [justin.bower@h-gac.com](mailto:justin.bower@h-gac.com) Next Opportunity **Jun. 12** [learn](#), [media](#), [meeting](#), [park](#), [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](#)

**NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY Monthly Meeting 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon., 6:45 p.m.**, University of Houston –Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://npsot.org/chapters/clearlake/> Next opportunity **Jun. 12 (moved online)**, Topic: The Fibonacci Sequence [learn](#), [meeting](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

**RICE U. BIRD WALK some Mon. & Thurs., 7:30 a.m.**, volunteers count birds at Rice University, meet at Intramural Field 6, 6100 Main St., [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity **TBD** [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](#)

**BAYOU RIDE** 1<sup>st</sup> **Sun., 8 – 11 a.m.**, Bike Houston offers guided educational ride, start at NikosNikos Market Square, 301 Milam, moderate pace with stops, [www.bikehouston.org](http://www.bikehouston.org) Next Opportunity **Jun. 5** [enjoy](#), [cycle](#), [water](#), [Houston](#)

**PLANT IT FORWARD FARM STAND** **Sun., 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. & Sat., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.**, farm-fresh produce for sale from local Plant it Forward farms, Sun: 12581 Dunlap, Sat: University of St. Thomas, 1318 Sul Ross St., [http://plantitforward.farm/purchaseourproduce/#\\_farmstand](http://plantitforward.farm/purchaseourproduce/#_farmstand) Next Opportunities **Jun. 3/ Jun. 4 & Jun. 10/ Jun. 11** [care](#), [farmers](#), [Houston](#)

**Houston Galveston Area Council LIVABLE HOUSTON INITIATIVE** 4<sup>th</sup> **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 **Jun. 28** [learn](#), [meeting](#), [park](#), [Houston](#)

**LOCAL ECONOMY ACTION GROUP Meeting** 2<sup>nd</sup> **Weds., 6:30 p.m.**, seedbed for approaches to sustainable businesses, Start Houston, 1121 Delano St., Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** [care](#), [meeting](#), [learn](#), [Houston](#)

**COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY RECYCLING COALITION** usually 2<sup>nd</sup> **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](#), [Houston](#)

**BAT CHAT** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Fri., 30 min. before sunset, Waugh Street Bridge Allen Pkwy & Waugh, <https://www.houstontx.gov/parks/bats.html> Next Opportunity **Jun. 2** learn, enjoy, animals, Houston

**TRANSITION HOUSTON Monthly Meeting** usually 1<sup>st</sup> Tues., 7 – 9 p.m., Group supports transition from oil dependency to local resilience, Haven's Center, 1827 W. Alabama, [www.transitionhouston.org](http://www.transitionhouston.org) Next Opportunity **Jun. 6** learn, meeting, Houston

**Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary** **TUESDAY TRAIL CREW** Tues., 9 a.m. – noon, trail maintenance, 440 Wilchester Blvd., [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next opportunities **May 30 & Jun. 6** care, walk, Houston

**Texas Wildlife Rehabilitation Center** **VOLUNTEER INTEREST MEETING & ORIENTATION** usually 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues., 6 p.m., learn to care for animals in center, 10801 Hammerly Blvd., <http://www.twrcwildlifecenter.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 6** (meeting) & **Jun. 13** (orientation) care, learn, class animals, Houston

**YOUTH BIRDING CLUB** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 9 – 11 a.m., youth explore campus & birds that live there with experienced birder/birding educator, Environmental Institute of Houston, UH-Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://www.uhcl.edu/environmental-institute/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** enjoy, bird, kids, Houston

**Houston Audubon** **ARCHBISHOP FIORENZA PARK BIRD SURVEY** usually 4<sup>th</sup> Mon., 8 a.m., join group to survey birds, 13551 Westpark, [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, walk, park, bird, Houston

**Edith L. Moore Nature Sanctuary NATIVES NURSERY VOLUNTEERS most Fri., 8 – 11:30 a.m.,** separate seedlings, re-pot plants, 440 Wilchester Blvd., [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) & <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next opportunity **Jun. 9** *care, garden, Houston*

**CITIZENS' TRANSPORTATION COALITION Meeting 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs., 5:30 p.m.,** group focusing on public transportation, Rudyard's Pub, 2010 Waugh, <https://www.facebook.com/CTCHouston/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** *learn, meeting, pollution, Houston*

**HOUSTON CRITICAL MASS Cycling Event last Fri., 7 p.m.,** meet other cyclists at Guadalupe Plaza Park, 2311 Runnels St., ride around Houston, to make Houston more bike-friendly. <http://houstoncriticalmass.com/> Next opportunity **Jun. 30** *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*

**Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Office MASTER GARDENER LECTURE 1<sup>st</sup> 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 **Jun. 6** *learn, enjoy, garden, kids, Houston*

**EPA TOOLS & RESOURCES WEBINAR SERIES 3<sup>rd</sup> Weds., 2 p.m.,** EPA shares resources & information that are practical & can be applied, <https://www.epa.gov/research-states/epa-tools-and-resources-webinar-series> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21**, Topic: PFAS in Biosolids *learn, media, meeting, pollution, Houston*

**GARDEN VOLUNTEERS** Sat., 9 – 11 a.m., volunteers work in community garden, 3201 Airline, Facebook.com/beautys-community-garden OR <https://app.vomo.org/project/beautys-community-garden> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** care, garden, Houston

**Nature Discovery Center** **CURIOUS KIDS** Tues., 10 – 11:15 a.m. or 4 – 5:15 p.m. (during school year), pre-K science program, 7112 Newcastle St, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, enjoy, class, kids, Houston

**PRELUDE MUSIC SERIES AT LEVY PARK** monthly, usually 4:30 p.m., enjoy music for families in the park, 3801 Eastside, <http://www.levyparkhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, media, kids, park, Houston

**Houston Arboretum & Nature Center** **ROVING NATURALIST** Sat., 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., naturalist available to educate/answer questions, 4501 Woodway Dr., [www.houstonarboretum.org](http://www.houstonarboretum.org) Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** learn, walk, Houston

**RICE VILLAGE FARMERS MARKET** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., fresh produce, prepared foods & more, Kelvin Dr. & Amherst St., <https://rice-village.com/happenings/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 4** care, farmers, Houston,

**Discovery Green** **YOGA FLOW & SOUNDS 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 **May 30 & Jun. 6** enjoy, class, park, Houston

**FLORAL FRIDAYS** Fri., 11 a.m., online program on horticulture, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/>  
Next Opportunities **Jun. 2 & Jun. 9** [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](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity **Jun. 5**, Location: Kickerillo-Mischer Preserve & 100 Acre Park [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [walk](#), [bird](#), [Houston](#)

Houston Audubon **HOUSTON BOTANIC GARDEN BIRD SURVEY** usually 1<sup>st</sup> Thurs., 7:30 a.m., join group to survey birds, 8505 N. Bayou Dr., [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity **TBD** [care](#), [enjoy](#), [walk](#), [park](#), [bird](#), [Houston](#)

**NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY Monthly Meeting** 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs., 6:45 – 9:30 p.m., Houston Arboretum & Nature Center, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://npsot.org/chapters/houston/> Next opportunity **TBD** (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](mailto:sallyhilliard2@gmail.com) to sign up, <https://npsot.org/chapters/houston/> 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 **May 30**, Topic: Harmful Algal Blooms and Algal Toxins [learn](#), [lecture](#), [media](#), [water](#), [Houston](#)



**Discovery Green PILATES Thurs., 6:30 – 7:30 a.m.**, pilates workouts in the park, increase strength while improving flexibility, 1500 McKinney, <http://www.discoverygreen.com/> Next Opportunity **TBD**  
enjoy, class, park, Houston

**GREATER EAST END FARMERS' MARKET Sun., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.**, 2700 block of Navigation, across from Ninfa's, [eastendhouston.com/market](http://eastendhouston.com/market) Next Opportunities **Jun. 4 & Jun. 11** care, farmers, Houston

**ORGANIC HORTICULTURE BENEFITS ALLIANCE MEETING 4<sup>th</sup> Weds., 5 - 7 p.m.**, members of the Organic Horticulture Benefits Alliance meet virtually to discuss current events, San Jacinto Environmental Supply, 2221 W. 34<sup>th</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 10 – 11 a.m.** guided tree walks in park to learn to identify trees, 7112 Newcastle St, <http://www.naturediscoverycenter.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 3** learn, enjoy, walk, tree. park, Houston

**TEXAS PARKS & WILDLIFE on PBS Sat. 3 p.m.**, <https://www.pbs.org/show/texas-parks-and-wildlife/> Next opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** learn, Houston, outside, park, animals, media

**HOUSTON COMMUNITY TOOLBANK WAREHOUSE TOUR 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs., 9 – 10 a.m.**, toolbank lends tools to nonprofits, community groups & corporate volunteers doing charitable work, 1215 Gazin St., <http://www.houstontoolbank.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** care, 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](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity Class: **TBD** Topic: TBD, (moved online), Trip: **TBD** Location: N/A **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://npsot.org/chapters/clearlake/> OR <https://txmn.org/gbmn/events/> Next Opportunities **May 30 & Jun. 6** **care, garden, Houston**

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

**EASTERN GLADES BIRD SURVEY usually 1<sup>st</sup> 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 **TBD** **care, enjoy, walk, bird, park, Houston**

**WHITE OAK BAYOU BOARD MEETING 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> 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 **May 30** care, enjoy, pollution, park, Houston

**Houston Zoo MEMBER MORNINGS** 1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 8 a.m., members get in one hour early, 6200 Hermann Park Dr., [www.houstonzoo.org](http://www.houstonzoo.org) Next Opportunities **Jun. 3** enjoy, animals, Houston

**PALM CENTER FARMERS MARKET** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., buy locally grown produce, 9314 Cullen Blvd., <https://www.facebook.com/PalmCenterMarket/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** care, enjoy, garden, farmers, Houston

**Bagby Park TEACH YOU TUESDAY** 1<sup>st</sup> 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 **Jun. 6** learn, enjoy, class, park, Houston

**WESTBURY COMMUNITY GARDEN WORK DAY** usually 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 12:30 – 4 p.m., volunteers tend the garden, 12581 Dunlap, <http://westburycommunitygarden.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 24** care, garden, Houston

**WESTBURY COMMUNITY GARDEN BOARD MEETING** 3<sup>rd</sup> 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](#)

**Hogg Bird Sanctuary** [BIRD SURVEY](#) usually 1<sup>st</sup> Mon., 7:30 a.m., 1 Westcott St., Contact Aaron at [aandkstoley@yahoo.com](mailto:aandkstoley@yahoo.com) or 713-781-1372, <http://www.houstonaudubon.org/> OR <https://www.memorialparkconservancy.org/visit/#eventcalendar> Next opportunity **TBD** [care, Houston, bird](#)

**Sims Bayou Urban Nature Center** [GIRL SCOUT CLASSES](#) occasionally during school year, 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., birds & bayous for brownies & juniors, 3997 River Dr., [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org), Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: **TBD** [learn, enjoy, class, kids, Houston](#)

**Willow Waterhole Park** [PRAIRIE DEMO GARDEN WORK DAYS](#) Thurs., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers work with native plants, planting seeds & perennial plants, collect seeds & other garden tasks, 5310 S. Willow Dr., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD** [care, garden, park, Houston](#)

**Houston Zoo** [FREE AFTERNOON](#) 1<sup>st</sup> Tues., noon - closing, (Sep. – May) visit zoo for free, 6200 Hermann Park Dr., [www.houstonzoo.org](http://www.houstonzoo.org) Next opportunity **Jun. 6** [enjoy, animals, Houston](#)

[TEXAS MASTER NATURALIST TUESDAY](#) 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues., 12 - 1 p.m., webinar, covers different advanced topic each month, <https://txmn.tamu.edu/tmntuesdays/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 13**, Topic: **TBD** [learn, media, lecture, Houston](#)

**BIRD SURVEY** usually 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat./month, 7:30 - 9:30 a.m., join group for birding, 212 Parkview, <https://www.friendsofwoodlandpark.org/> OR [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity **Jun. 17**  
enjoy, walk, bird, Houston

**BUTTERFLY ENTHUSIASTS OF SOUTHEAST TX MEETING** 1<sup>st</sup> Tues. (every other month), 7 p.m., social & lecture at each meeting, Houston Museum of Natural Science, 5555 Hermann Park Dr., <http://www.naba.org/chapters/nababest/> Next Opportunity **TBD** learn, meeting, animals, Houston

**HOPE FARMS FARMERS MARKET** Sat., 9 a.m. – noon & 1<sup>st</sup> Weds., 4 – 7 p.m., buy locally grown produce, 9314 Cullen Blvd., <https://hopefarmshtx.org/market-days/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10 & Jun. 7** care, enjoy, garden, farmers, Houston

**Willow Waterhole Reserve BIRD COUNT** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 8 – 11 a.m., volunteers count birds, [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org), Next opportunity **Jun. 17** care, bird, Houston

**MASTER NATURALIST Monthly Meeting** 1<sup>st</sup> Thurs., 6:30 – 9 p.m., guest speaker at each meeting, Cherie Flores Garden Pavilion, 1500 Hermann Dr., <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next opportunity **Jun. 1** learn, lecture, meeting, Houston

**Hermann Park BIRD SURVEY** usually 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon., 7:30 – 10:30 a.m. Call Jim or Harlan at 713-932-1639, [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity **Jun. 12** care, bird, Houston

**Houston Galveston Area Council PEDESTRIAN & BICYCLE Subcommittee Meeting** 3<sup>rd</sup> 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](http://www.urbanharvest.org) Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** care, farmers, Houston

**FOOD POLICY WORKGROUP Monthly Meeting** 2<sup>nd</sup> Weds., 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., Bring your own lunch, Upper Kirby Building, 3015 Richmond Ave, RSVP [jay.crossley@houstontomorrow.org](mailto:jay.crossley@houstontomorrow.org), Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** learn, meeting, Houston

**HOUSTON URBAN GARDENERS Meeting** 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon., 6:30 pm, 1475 W. Gray, 832-345-7333, <http://www.houstonurbangardeners.org/> Next opportunity **Jun. 12** care, learn, meeting, garden, Houston

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

**Houston Botanic Garden STORY TIME & GARDEN STROLL** 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs., 10:30 a.m., kids book reading in the garden, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** enjoy, kids, garden, Houston

**MOBILE MARKET** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Weds., 2 – 4 p.m., the Farmers' Market comes to you, Lantrip Elementary School, 100 Telephone Rd., <https://www.urbanharvest.org/mobile-farmers-market/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 7** care, enjoy, farmers, Houston

**Houston Hemerocallis Society MONTHLY MEETING** 4<sup>th</sup> 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](#)

**Midtown Park** [ZUMBA](#) **Tues., 6:30 p.m.**, Zumba class in the park, 2811 Travis St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunities **May 30 & Jun. 6** [enjoy, media, class, park, Houston](#)

**BRAYS BAYOU ASSOCIATION MEETING** **3<sup>rd</sup> Mon., 7:30 – 8:30 p.m.**, monthly meeting of the association, speaker at each meeting, The Gathering Place, 5310 S. Willow Dr., Contact [box206@gmail.com](mailto:box206@gmail.com) Next Opportunity **Jun. 19** [learn, meeting, water, Houston](#)

**Nature Discovery Center** **BELLAIRE GARDEN CLUB Meeting** **1<sup>st</sup> 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](#) **2<sup>nd</sup> Tues., 7 - 9 p.m.**, Samba class in the park, 2811 Travis St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 13** [enjoy, class, park, Houston](#)

**Lorraine Cherry Nature Preserve** **BIRD SURVEYS** **Tues., 8 a.m. (Sep. – May) & 1<sup>st</sup> Thurs., 5:30 p.m. (Sep. – Nov. & Feb. – May)**, volunteers survey birds in the preserve, 2400 W. 11<sup>th</sup> St., [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity **TBD** [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](http://www.buffalobayou.org) Next Opportunity **TBD** [enjoy, class, park, Houston](#)

**Houston Arboretum & Nature Center** [NATURE HIKE](#) **Sat., 10 & 11 a.m.**, family-friendly guided nature hike, 4501 Woodway Dr, [www.houstonarboretum.org](http://www.houstonarboretum.org) Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10**  
**enjoy, walk, kids, Houston**

**[HEIGHTS EPICUREAN MARKET](#)** **1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.**, crafts, produce, & more, Grace United Methodist Church, 1245 Heights Blvd., <http://heightsepicurean.com/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 3**  
**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](http://www.houstonarboretum.org) Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD **learn, enjoy, kids, Houston**

**[ELECTRONICS RECYCLING](#)** **2<sup>nd</sup> 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](https://www.houstontx.gov/solidwaste/electronics_recycling.html) Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** **care, recycle, Houston**

**Children's Museum of Houston** [MEMBER FIRST FRIDAY](#) **1<sup>st</sup> Fri., 10 a.m.**, members have the museum, to themselves for one hour, 1500 Binz St., <https://www.cmhouston.org/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 2** **enjoy, kids, Houston**

**[ELECTRONICS RECYCLING](#)** **Fri., 8 a.m. – noon**, Compucycle accepts drop-off of electronics for recycling, 8019 Kempwood, <https://compucycle.com/compucycle-drop-off-info/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 2 & Jun. 9** **care, recycle, Houston**



**Houston Arboretum & Nature Center** [BOY SCOUTING CLASSES](#) by reservation only, boy scouts learn about nature, 4501 Woodway Dr, [www.houstonarboretum.org](http://www.houstonarboretum.org) enjoy, learn, kids, Houston

**Houston Arboretum & Nature Center** [YOGA ON THE LAWN](#) usually 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun., 9 a.m., class on lawn, Vinyasa flow accessible to all levels, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://houstonarboretum.org/learn/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 11 (Note date change)** enjoy, learn, class, garden, Houston

[BLODGETT URBAN GARDEN FARMERS MARKET](#) Sat., 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., buy locally grown produced, learn about sustainable gardening techniques, & volunteer in the garden, 3216 Blodgett St., <https://blodgetturbangardens.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** care, enjoy, learn, garden, farmers, Houston

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

**Midtown Park** [FAMILY CAPOEIRA](#) 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 7 - 9 p.m., Capoeira (Afro-Brazilian martial art) class in the park, 2811 Travis St., <https://midtownhouston.com/events> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** 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/events/> Next Opportunities **May 30/May 31/ Jun. 5 & Jun. 6/ Jun. 7/ Jun. 12** care, garden, Houston

**GULF OF MEXICO WEDNESDAY WEBINAR** usually last Weds., time varies, webinar from Gulf of Mexico Alliance about resources & projects around the Gulf of Mexico, <https://gulfofmexicoalliance.org/announcements/events/> Next Opportunity **May 31**, Topic: Coastal Resilience Index [learn](#), [lecture](#), [media](#), [animals](#), [Houston](#)

**ILLEGAL AMIGOS RIDE** 4<sup>th</sup> Tues., 7:30 p.m., join group ride, start location is Discovery Green, 1500 McKinney St., <https://www.facebook.com/groups/htxbike/> Next Opportunity **May 30** [enjoy](#), [cycle](#), [Houston](#)

**Hermann Park PROJECT BLAZING STAR WORK DAYS** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers work on pocket prairie at (2<sup>nd</sup> Sat): the Savannah at Hermann Park's Bayou Parkland at 6520 1/2 Almeda, (3<sup>rd</sup> Sat): Whistlestop Prairie next to the entrance to the Japanese Garden and the Obelisk, 6501 Memorial Dr., <http://www.txgcmn.org/projects/blazing-star> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** [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](http://www.houstonarboretum.org) Next Opportunity **TBD** [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [walk](#), [kids](#), [Houston](#)

**OUTDOOR NATURE CLUB Meeting** usually 1<sup>st</sup> Mon., 6:30 – 8 p.m., 713-664-5206, Bayland Community Center, 6400 Bissonnet, Speaker each month, <http://www.outdoornatureclub.org/> OR <http://www.outdoornatureclub.org/> OR <https://www.facebook.com/OrnithologyGroup> Next opportunity **Jun. 5 (moved online)** Topic: Birding Australia [learn](#), [media](#), [Houston](#), [meeting](#), [lecture](#), [bird](#)

**WESTCHASE FARMERS MARKET** Thurs., 3 – 6 p.m., Parking lot of St. Cyril's of Alexandria Church, 10503 Westheimer Rd., [westchasedistrictfarmersmarket.com](http://westchasedistrictfarmersmarket.com) Next Opportunities **Jun. 1 & Jun. 8** [care, farmers, Houston](#)

**NATIVE PRAIRIES ASSOCIATION of TEXAS Meeting** usually 4<sup>th</sup> Weds., 6:30 – 8:30 p.m., Red Cross Building, 2700 Southwest Fwy., speaker each month, [HNPAT@texasprairie.org](mailto:HNPAT@texasprairie.org), <https://texasprairie.org/events/> Next opportunity **Jun. 28** [learn, meeting, lecture, Houston](#)

**Don Greene Park WORK DAY** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 9 a.m. – noon, volunteers work to restore new pocket park, 6009 Cypress St., [www.facebook.com/friendsofdongreene](http://www.facebook.com/friendsofdongreene) OR <https://www.transitionhouston.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** [care, garden, park, Houston](#)

**HOUSTON CANOE CLUB MEETING** usually 2<sup>nd</sup> 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](https://thcc.clubexpress.com/content.aspx?page_id=0&club_id=496051) Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** [learn, meeting, media, boat, Houston](#)

**SUNNYSIDE FARMERS MARKET** 1<sup>st</sup> 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 **Jun. 1** [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 **May 31 & Jun. 7** [enjoy, media, animals, Houston](#)

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

[ELEANORA'S MARKET](#) Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., farmers & artisans sell their wares, Cavatore Italian Restaurant, 2120 Ella Blvd., <http://eleanorasmarket.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** [care, farmers, Houston](#)

## [ENJOY, LEARN ABOUT, AND CARE FOR NATURE](#)

## [UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES OUTSIDE HOUSTON](#)

**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/> [enjoy, learn, animals, outside](#)

**Galveston Island State Park** [CAMP WILD](#) Jun. 5 – Jun. 9, 8 a.m. – 3 p.m., camp for kids completing grades 3 – 5, kids enjoy kayaking, crabbing, fishing, seining, birding, fish/squid dissection, owl pellets, art & day at the beach, lunches & snacks provided, Galveston, <https://txmn.org/gbmn/events/> [enjoy, learn, camp, kids, boat, fish, bird, beach, park, 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](http://www.hmns.org/sugarland) [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [media](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

**Spring Creek Greenway & Nature Center** [FISHING](#) Jun. 2, 9:30 a.m., fish for bluegill in the pond, fishing gear available, 1300 Riley Fuzzel Road, Spring, [https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page_internal) [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

[RAIN BARREL WORKSHOP](#) Jun. 3, 9 – 11:30 a.m., pre-order a discounted rain barrel, pick it up at First United Methodist Church during listed times, La Marque, learn to install it in training at 10 a.m. (or watch video), <https://galvbay.org/events/> [care](#), [learn](#), [water](#), [pollution](#), [outside](#)

**Seabourne Creek Nature Park** [NATURE WALK](#) Jun. 11, 4 – 5 p.m., guided walk to learn about Seabourne Creek Nature Park's 7 habitats during walk led by Texas Master Naturalist, Seabourne Creek Park, Rosenberg, <http://txmn.org/coastal/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [walk](#), [garden](#), [animals](#), [park](#), [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/> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [animals](#), [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](mailto:csilling@gcbo.org), <https://www.gcbo.org/> [care](#), [pollution](#), [beach](#), [outside](#)

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

**Dennis Johnston Park** [NATURE JOURNALING](#) **Jun. 1, 5:30 - 7 p.m.**, art-meets-nature program series to develop skills and make observations about the natural world, Topic: Mammology, Big Stone Lodge, ages 10+, Spring, <https://txmn.org/coastal/events> **enjoy, learn, kids, park, outside**

[DOG WALKER WATCH](#) **Jun. 8, 5:30 p.m.**, dog walkers learn how they can act as eyes/ears for law enforcement, Tamarac Park, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/> **learn, enjoy, animals, park, outside**

[HIKE HUNTSVILLE STATE PARK](#) **Jun. 10, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, join group outing to hike 10 miles in Huntsville State Park on the Raven Lake loop, Huntsville, opportunity to carpool from Target on Sawyer in Houston, <https://www.meetup.com/hatsandmore/events/calendar/> **enjoy, walk, park, water, outside**

[VOLUNTEER AT SAN JACINTO BATTLEGROUND](#) **Jun. 1 & Jun. 8, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.**, volunteers restore native prairie at San Jacinto Battleground, La Porte, <https://txmn.org/gbmn/events/> **care, enjoy, garden, outside**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** [TREEHOUSES](#) **ongoing**, climb through large treehouses, become an animal tracker, get face-to-face with wildlife of all sizes, move your feet on the forest sound dance floor, & more, Sugar Land, [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) **enjoy, learn, kids, animals, tree, outside**

**Kleb Woods Nature Center** [HISTORY DISCUSSION GROUP](#) **Jun. 8, 9 a.m.**, meeting to discuss book, article, or historical topic, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://hcp4.net/events/> **learn, meeting, park, outside**

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

**GREAT AMERICAN CLEAN-UP** ongoing thru **May 31**, annual national event to encourage Americans to engage in beautification events, recycling events, litter cleanups, & more, <https://earthshare-texas.org/event/great-american-clean-up/> **care, recycle, pollution, garden, outside**

**CAMP/HIKE MESA VERDE** thru **Jun. 3**, join group outing to camp/hike Mesa Verde National Park & surrounding area, Colorado/Utah, <https://www.meetup.com/hatsandmore/events/calendar/> **enjoy, walk, park, water, outside**

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

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

**Little Thicket Nature Sanctuary OPEN DAY Jun. 24, 10 a.m.**, visitors welcome to the sanctuary's 655 acres of wilderness trails thru forests, along creeks & thru meadows in the San Jacinto National Forest, near Evergreen, <http://www.outdoornatureclub.org/> **enjoy, walk, tree, water, outside**

**WORKSHOP ON WHEELS – OUTREACH 101 Jun. 7, 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.**, learn about each of our 8+ WOWs (Workshops on Wheels) & how to connect with the public using the concepts of interpretation, Agrilife Extension- The Range, Rosenberg, <http://txmn.org/coastal/> **learn, care, enjoy, meeting, outside**

**SANDCASTLE BUILDING LESSONS** Jun. 3 & Jun. 10, 11 a.m., 1 p.m. & 3 p.m., free, family-friendly event to help beachgoers create spectacular sandcastles with guidance from a pro, East Beach, Galveston, <https://www.galvestonparkboard.org/> enjoy, class, kids, beach, outside

**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

**Lake Houston Wilderness Park AMAZING ALLIGATORS** Jun. 3, 1:30 p.m., learn about adaptations, behavior, and other fascinating alligator facts in this presentation in the park, New Caney, <https://www.houstontx.gov/parks/lakehoustonpark.html> learn, enjoy, animals, kids, park, outside

**HIKE LONE STAR TRAIL** Jun. 3, 8 a.m. – 12 p.m., join group outing to hike 10 miles on Lone Star Trail, Coldspring, meet at trailhead #13, <https://www.meetup.com/hatsandmore/events/calendar/> enjoy, walk, outside

**CONCERT IN THE PARK** Jun. 2 & Jun. 9, 7 p.m., enjoy a concert in Southdown Park, Pearland, <https://www.pearlandtx.gov/residents/get-connected/city-calendar/-curm-5/-cury-2023> enjoy, park, outside

**Lake Houston Wilderness Park TEACHER WORKSHOP** Jun. 8, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m., workshop for teachers, learn about programming offered by Texas Wildlife Association for K - 8, New Caney, <https://www.texas-wildlife.org/educator-development-and-resources/> learn, class, kids, animals, garden, outside



**BENT ON THE BEACH** May 31 & Jun. 7, 8 a.m., yoga class on the beach, 53rd & Seawall, Galveston, <https://www.galvestonparkboard.org/> enjoy, beach, outside

**4H ROUNDUP** Jun. 5 – Jun. 8, 4H qualifying and invitational event for Senior 4-H youth (9th-12th) who placed in a district level roundup or signed up to compete in one of the invitational events, Texas A&M University, College Station, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/> enjoy, learn, kids, animals, outside

**Lake Houston Wilderness Park WHIMSICAL WASPS** Jun. 4, 10 a.m., learn about the different species of wasps and debunk some myths about these important pollinators, in the park, New Caney, <https://www.houstontx.gov/parks/lakehoustonpark.html> learn, enjoy, animals, kids, park, outside

**SUNNY DAYZ CAMPS** May 30 – Aug. 11, 7:30 a.m. – 6 p.m., kids enjoy different indoor & outdoor activities including games, crafts, snacks, visits to the park, field trips & more, register for one day, multiple days, or all week, Rob Fleming Park & Bear Branch Park, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstowship-tx.gov/> enjoy, kids, park, outside

**Armand Bayou Nature Center PAINT BY NATURE** Jun. 4 & Jun. 25, 12:30 p.m., take short hike to view subject for nature painting (6/4: dragonfly & 6/25: possum), then move indoors to paint using a reference photo, instructor will provide guidance, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <https://www.abnc.org/> enjoy, learn, animals, walk, outside

**RICHMOND SOLAR CO-OP** ongoing, go solar for less by joining a co-op to get a volume discount, learn more at: <https://www.solarunitedneighbors.org/co-ops/texas/2023-richmond-solar-co-op/#coop> care, energy, outside

**Kleb Woods Nature Center SENIOR BIRDING BUS TRIP Jun. 9, 7 a.m. – 6 p.m.**, senior outing to view birds around the Houston area, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://hcp4.net/events/> **enjoy, bird, outside**

**PHOTO CHALLENGES Jun. 1 & Jun. 8**, Galveston's beautiful coastal environment is full of Instagram worthy backdrops, use #LoveGalveston and tag @GalvestonIsland for a chance to be featured on Galveston Island's Instagram, Galveston, <https://www.galvestonparkboard.org/> **enjoy, photo, outside**

**OUTDOOR EXPLORERS CAMP Jun. 12 – Jun. 16, 4:12 p.m.**, skill-building camp for outdoor explorers participants, Long Acres Ranch, Richmond, <https://longacresranch.org/event> **learn, enjoy, kids, outside**

**TURTLES ABOUT TOWN ongoing**, community art project, when you see a sea turtle sculpture, take a “shelfie” & tag Galveston Island in your images on Facebook and Instagram and use the hashtag #TurtlesAboutTownGalveston, <https://www.galvestonparkboard.org/> **enjoy, photo, animals, outside**

**VOLUNTEER AT CAMP WILD Jun. 5 – Jun. 9, 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.**, master naturalists volunteer to staff Camp Wild, a summer camp for kids completing grades 3 – 5 at Galveston Island State Park, Galveston, <https://txmn.org/gbmn/events/> **care, enjoy, kids, class, fish, beach, boat, bird, outside**

**SURF CAMP Jun. 5 – Jun. 9 & Jun. 12 – Jun. 16, 9 a.m. - noon**, kids learn to surf, or improve surfing skills, on the beach between 28th & 29th St. on Seawall Blvd., Galveston, <https://www.galvestonparkboard.org/> **enjoy, class, kids, beach, water, 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](mailto:waterquality@galvbay.org) if interested **care, learn, water, pollution, outside**

**Armand Bayou Nature Center KAYAK TOURS Jun. 3 & Jun. 10, start time varies**, guided tour of Armand Bayou, explore the wetlands, see our local wildlife, & relax, you may see birds, reptiles, & deer who are starting their day at the water's edge, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, [www.abnc.org](http://www.abnc.org) **enjoy, boat, bird, animals, outside**

**HISTORICAL TEXAS TREES Jun. 6, 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.**, informative lecture about trees linked to unique moments in Texas history, Hockley Community Center, Hockley, <https://hcp4.net/events/> **learn, lecture, trees, outside**

**Moody Gardens 3D THEATER ongoing**, environmental 3D films, see website for current offerings, Galveston, <https://www.moodygardens.com/attractions/> **enjoy, learn, media, outside**

**DOLPHIN MONITORING & OUTREACH applications due Jun. 2**, call for volunteers to 1) document fisher-dolphin interactions and obtain photographs that can be used for post-analysis, and 2) to use dolphins as a flagship/charismatic species to educate on the effects of marine debris and encourage the use of monofilament recycling tubes/bins at Seawolf Park, Galveston, [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeRKHdvBcXXiQfXrI1PCp2vq5fFmYyV\\_HD5IB45Zbo8CPUXsg/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeRKHdvBcXXiQfXrI1PCp2vq5fFmYyV_HD5IB45Zbo8CPUXsg/viewform) **care, learn, animals, park, beach, outside**

**Armand Bayou Nature Center NIGHT HIKES Jun. 4 & Jun. 11, start time varies**, enjoy sites/sounds of prairie & view nocturnal animals, reservations required, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, [www.abnc.org](http://www.abnc.org) **enjoy, walk, bird, animals, kids, outside**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** [SILENT ACTION](#) Jun. 1 – Jun. 7, fundraiser for the museum, variety of items on which to bid, auction is online, [www.hmns.org](http://www.hmns.org) **care, outside**

[BEER TASTING IN THE GARDEN](#) Jun. 3, 3 – 5:30 p.m., beer tasting & small plates, Kim's Home & Garden, Huntsville, <https://www.facebook.com/kimshomeandgardentx/> **enjoy, garden, outside**

**Mercer Botanic Gardens** [VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION](#) Jun. 13, 4 p.m., learn about volunteer opportunities at the garden, Timber Lane Community Center, Spring, ages 16+, or Ages 12 – 15 with adult, [https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal) **learn, care, kids, meeting, garden, 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](http://www.hmns.org/sugarland) **enjoy, outside**

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

**Jesse Jones Park** [SUMMER NATURE CAMP](#) Jun. 6 – Jun. 9 & Jun. 13 – Jun. 16, 8 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., summer nature camp for kids, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> **enjoy, learn, kids, animals, garden, park, outside**

**Baytown Nature Center & Eddie V. Gray Wetlands Center** [SUMMER CAMPS](#) Jun. 5 – Aug. 11, nature education for kids entering grades 1 – 10, full day & half day, different topics & ages groups throughout the summer, (week of 6/5): grades 1 – 2, Topic: Plant Power, week of 6/12): grades 4 – 6, Topic: Feathered Friends, & grades 1 – 3, Topic: Wetland Warriors, 6213 Bayway Dr. & 1724

Market St., Baytown, <https://www.facebook.com/baytownwetlands> **learn, enjoy, animals, fish, bird, garden, kids, outside**

**Armand Bayou Nature Center** **BAT HIKE** **Jun. 3, 7:30 p.m.**, learn about bats while walking to view & identify bats, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, [www.abnc.org](http://www.abnc.org) **enjoy, learn, walk, animals, outside**

**Coastal Prairie Conservancy** **STEWARDSHIP DAYS** **May 30, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. & Jun. 10, 9 – 11 a.m.**, volunteers manage invasive plants, plant native plants & restore prairie habitat, (5/30): Williams Prairie, Brookshire, (6/10): Indiangrass Preserve, Waller, <https://www.coastalprairieconservancy.org/event-calendar> **care, enjoy, garden, outside**

**Spring Creek Greenway & Nature Center** **STORY TIME AT THE POND** **Jun. 1, 10 a.m. & 2 p.m.**, nature-focused story for kids plus visit by ambassador animal, 709 Riley Fuzzel Road, Spring, [https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page_internal) **enjoy, kids, park, outside**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** **SUMMER CAMPS** **Jun. 12 – Jun. 19, 10 a.m.**, variety of science topics for kids ages 6 - 12, virtual camps available 6/5 – 7/28, check schedule for details, before/after care available, Sugar Land, <http://www.hmns.org> **learn, enjoy, media, kids, outside**

**Moody Gardens** **GOLF CAMP** **Jun. 5 – Jun. 7, 9 a.m. – noon**, kids 8 – 13 learn to play golf, Galveston, <https://www.moodygardens.com/> **enjoy, learn, kids, outside**

**Jesse Jones Park** **CONSERVATION CONNECTIONS** **May 31 & Jun. 7, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.**, volunteers assist staff with conservation tasks, ages 18+ or accompanied by an adult, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> **care, enjoy, park, outside**

**Galveston Island State Park TEXAS OUTDOOR FAMILY Jun. 3 & Jun. 4**, learn joys of camping, all gear provided, includes learning leave no trace principles, kayaking, a night activity, fire building, junior ranger journal & setting up/breaking camp, & more, Huntsville, [https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/huntsville/park\\_events](https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/huntsville/park_events) **enjoy, walk, kids, boat, camp, park, outside**

**SEADRIFT SCREENING Jun. 8, 8:30 p.m.**, documentary about event in 1979, when a Vietnamese refugee shot a white fisherman at the town docks in Seadrift, Texas & the ensuing violence, Saengerfest Park, Galveston, <https://www.artistboat.org/world-ocean-day-festival/> **learn, enjoy, media, fish, park, outside**

**Mercer Botanic Gardens GARDEN CRUISIN': TOUR DE 4 Jun. 23, 9 a.m.**, leisurely one-hour cart tours of the garden, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, [https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal) **enjoy, garden, outside**

**REGIONAL GOODS MOVEMENT PLAN PUBLIC MEETING Jun. 6, 6 p.m.**, learn more about what is being planned to mitigate community and livability issues generated by more freight movement and provide your input, Economic Alliance Houston Port Region, Deer Park, <https://airalliancehouston.org/events/> **learn, meeting, pollution, outside**

**SWAMP & RIVER TOUR Jun. 1, 7 a.m. – 4 p.m.**, senior outing, boat tour to view/learn about wildlife, transportation provided from Hockley Community Center, <https://hcp4.net/events/> **enjoy, learn, bird, animals, boat, outside**

**Jesse Jones Park** [SUMMER NATURE CAMP VOLUNTEERS](#) Jun. 5 – Jun. 9 & Jun. 12 – Jun. 16, 8 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., summer nature camp for kids, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> care, learn, enjoy, kids, animals, garden, park, outside

**Coastal Prairie Conservancy** [RANGER TREK ON THE PRAIRIE](#) Jun. 10, 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., guided hike thru prairie, learn about wildflowers, insects & birds, then dip-netting at prairie potholes, Indiagrass Preserve, Waller, <https://www.coastalprairieconservancy.org/events> enjoy, learn, garden, bird, animals, walk, outside

[RIPARIAN & ECOSYSTEM TRAINING](#) May 31, 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., training focused on the nature and function of stream and riparian zones and the benefits and direct impacts from healthy riparian zones, White's Park Community Building, Wallisville, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> learn, class, water, 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/> enjoy, learn, animals, fish, outside

[MASTER NATURALIST TRAINING SESSION](#) Jun. 3, 8 a.m. – noon, training courses for master naturalists, Ornithology, AgriLife Extension Conroe Office, Conroe, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> learn, class, bird, outside

[CAST AWAY: POEMS OF OUR TIMES](#) Jun. 9, 6:30 p.m., enjoy reading by Young People’s Poet Laureate as she shines a spotlight on the things we cast away, from plastic water bottles to those less

fortunate, in this collection of more than eighty original and never-before-published poem, followed by book signing, Proletariat Gallery & Public House, Galveston, <https://www.artistboat.org/world-ocean-day-festival/> **enjoy, learn, outside**

**TREE PLANTING VOLUNTEERS** Jun. 7, 8 a.m. – 1 p.m., volunteers supervise youth tree planting, Carolina Creek Christian Camp, Huntsville, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> **care, enjoy, kids, tree, outside**

**FAMILY BINGO NIGHT** Jun. 3, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m., enjoy family-friendly bingo in Rob Fleming Park, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstowship-tx.gov> **enjoy, kids, park, outside**

**Gulf Coast Bird Observatory SUMMER BIRD CAMP** Jun. 12 – Jun. 16, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., kids 8 – 11 explore outdoors & learn about birds that call the Gulf Coast home, Lake Jackson, <https://www.gcbo.org/> **learn, enjoy, bird, walk, kids, outside**

**Moody Gardens SUMMER CAMPS** May 29 – Jun. 2 & Jun. 12 – Jun. 16, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., kids summer camps in the attractions at Moody Garden, for ages K – 8<sup>th</sup> grade, includes attraction experiences with different program activities, games, crafts and experiments each camp week, Galveston, [https://www.moodygardens.com/plan\\_event/education/pyramidcamps/](https://www.moodygardens.com/plan_event/education/pyramidcamps/) **enjoy, learn, kids, animals, fish, tree, bird, outside**

**FARMERS' MARKET** Jun. 3 & Jun. 10, 8 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. (Sat. thru Sep.), farmers sell produce on grounds of Kim's Home & Garden, Huntsville, <https://kimshomeandgardencenter.com/eventsupcoming/> **care, farmers, outside**



**Blackwood Educational Land Institute NATURE CAMPS Jun. 11 – Jun. 16**, kids 8 – 14 enjoy a range of outdoor activities (hiking, swimming, paddle-boarding), games, crafts, classes & more, Hempstead, <https://blackwoodland.org/calendar/> **enjoy, learn, kids, swim, walk, fish, animals, star, outside**

**BRAMBLE ON: BLACKBERRIES Jun. 10, 9 – 11 a.m.**, learn about blackberry cultivation including varieties (thorned and thornless), growth habit and seasonal pruning, trellising systems and fertilization, plus soil preparation and planting, as well as disease and pest management, Galveston County Master Gardeners, La Marque, <https://txmg.org/events> **learn, class, garden, outside**

**Galveston Island State Park SURF FISHING Jun. 12, 9 a.m. – noon**, beachside fishing, fish with Park Host, bring your own gear, limited loaner gear available, Galveston, [http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park\\_events](http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events) **enjoy, learn, fish, beach, park, outside**

**TEXAS WATERS SPECIALIST WATER LAB Jun. 10, 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.**, Texas Water Specialist certification hands-on training, Rob Fleming Park, The Woodlands, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> **learn, care, class, pollution, water, outside**

**Brazos Bend State Park STORY TIME & CRAFT Jun. 3 & Jun. 10, 11 a.m.**, kids listen to story about creature & make a craft to take home, 6/3 Topic: Dragonflies, 6/10 Topic: Armadillos, 21901 FM 762 Rd, Needville, (fee to enter), [https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park\\_events](https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park_events) **enjoy, learn, kids, animals, bird, park, outside**

**RED VENTED BULBUL SURVEY Jun. 3, 7 - 9 a.m.**, volunteers participate in community science to document red vented bulbuls, various survey locations, [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) **care, enjoy, bird, outside**

**Moody Gardens BEACH ongoing, 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.**, beach open at Moody Gardens, Galveston, gifts, workshops, artist & a garden blessing, Galveston,  
<https://www.moodygardens.com/attractions/events-calendar/> **enjoy, beach, outside**

**Galveston Island State Park BASIC FISHING Jun. 1 & Jun. 15, 9 a.m. - noon**, learn basic skills needed to get to the catching part of fishing, limited amount of loaner gear is available, kids welcome, Galveston, [http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park\\_events](http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events) **learn, enjoy, class, kids, fish, park, outside**

**Mercer Botanic Gardens MORNING FAMILY HIKE Jun. 3, 9 a.m. - noon**, families enjoy hikes in the gardens, maps provided, walking sticks distributed to take home while supplies last, all ages, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble,  
[https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal) **enjoy, walk, kids, garden, outside**

**Mercer Botanic Gardens BEYOND BEES! Jun. 23, 8:30 a.m.**, guided tour to learn about variety of bees in the garden, their role in the environment & Mercer's conservation efforts, ages 6+, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble,  
[https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal) **learn, enjoy, walk, animals, kids, garden, outside**

**Mercer Botanic Gardens DANCE OF THE INSECTS Jun. 9, 10 a.m. & Jun. 16, 11 a.m.**, enjoy, professional dancers, accompanied by clever poetry, demonstrate through movement a caterpillar's metamorphosis and the social behavior of bees, plus the Busy Ant, Firefly, Phantom the Flying Cockroach, and Two Too Many Ladybugs, ages 4+, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble,

[https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal) **enjoy, learn, kids, animals, outside**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** **SUMMER SCOUTS** **Jun. 6 - Jun. 9, various times**, variety of scouting topics for kids, both virtual & in-person, Sugar Land, <http://www.hmns.org/calendar/> **learn, enjoy, kids, outside**

**Jesse Jones Park** **WOMENS' RESTORATIVE HIKES** **Jun. 8 & Jun. 22, 7:30 a.m.**, one hour beginner hike to enjoy restorative power of nature on mind, body & spirit, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> **enjoy, walk, park, outside**

**Lake Livingston State Park** **FISHING 101** **Jun. 3, 9 a.m. onward**, day full of programs designed to teach you all of the skills you need to start fishing, Livingston, [https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston/park\\_events](https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/lake-livingston/park_events) **learn, class, fish, kids, park, outside**

**WORLD OCEAN DAY FESTIVAL** **Jun. 10, 11 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.**, enjoy hands-on activities, Eco-Art workshops, Bucket Brigade tours, & live entertainment, East Beach, Galveston, <https://www.artistboat.org/world-ocean-day-festival/> **enjoy, water, beach, outside**

**Blackwood Educational Land Institute** **VOLUNTEER DAYS** **May 31 & Jun. 7, 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**, volunteers engage in farm & garden activities, followed by homemade lunch, all ages & skill levels accepted, Hempstead, <https://blackwoodland.org> **care, enjoy, farmers, garden, kids, outside**

**FREE FISHING DAY** **Jun. 3**, fish without a license on Texas public waters, find places to fish at <https://bit.ly/TxFishing> **enjoy, fish, 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**

**Mercer Botanic Gardens TAI CHI Jun. 3 & Jun. 10, 9 a.m.**, enjoy beginner Tai Chi class in the garden, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble,  
[https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal) **enjoy, class, garden, outside**

**Spring Creek Greenway & Nature Center ALL ABOUT SONGBIRDS Jun. 6 & Jun. 10, 2 p.m.**, learn about songbirds in this family-friendly presentation, all ages, 709 Riley Fuzzel Road, Spring,  
[https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page_internal) **learn, enjoy, bird, kids, park, outside**

**Spring Creek Greenway & Nature Center CRITTER CHATS May 30, Jun. 7 & Jun. 13, 2 p.m.**, come by the Nature Center to listen to Animal Care Staff give a chat about an animal ambassador, 1300 Riley Fuzzel Road, Spring,  
[https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page_internal) **enjoy, learn, kids, animals, park, outside**

**PLUMERIA SALE Jun. 10, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, sale of plumeria plants, also plant raffle, Bay Area Community Center, Seabrook, <https://www.facebook.com/FriendswoodHeritageGardeners> **care, enjoy, garden, outside**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** [TROPICAL ODYSSEY](#) ongoing, immerse yourself in the story of rainforest conservation, Sugar Land, <http://www.hmns.org/calendar/> [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [animals](#), [outside](#)

[LEAD POISONING PREVENTION](#) Jun. 1, 12:30 – 3p.m., learn about what lead poisoning is, the related health risks, ways to prevent lead poisoning, and where to find blood lead testing locations Hockley Community Center, Hockley see calendar at [cechouston.org](http://cechouston.org) [learn](#), [care](#), [pollution](#), [class](#), [outside](#)

**Brazos Bend State Park** [ECO-EXPLORERS](#) Jun. 1 & Jun. 8, 9 – 11:30 a.m. (Thurs. thru Jun. 29), kids learn about the offense and defense found in nature, includes a hike & making a craft, 6/1 Topic: Defining Offense & Defense, 6/8 Topic: Micro-Monsters, 1901 FM 762 Rd, Needville, (fee to enter), <http://www.brazosbend.org/activities/Ecoexplorers2022.pdf> [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [kids](#), [animals](#), [bird](#), [water](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

[WATERSHED EDUCATION & TRAINING WORKSHOP](#) registration open thru Jun. 1, 7-12th grade educators learn about curriculum to connect students with research occurring along the Gulf coast in an engaging format to increase environmental literacy and STEM skills, Texas A&M University Galveston, [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf\\_sLd29Rn4I6QZ8iZdvge9Kp3FU5jtQH1Ap85gZccBSJ0z4A/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf_sLd29Rn4I6QZ8iZdvge9Kp3FU5jtQH1Ap85gZccBSJ0z4A/viewform) [learn](#), [kids](#), [class](#), [water](#), [outside](#)

**Sea Center Texas** [YOUTH FISHING DAY](#) Jun. 3, 9 - 11 a.m., catch & release fishing for kids ages 16-, bring your own fishing gear, Lake Jackson, <https://tpwd.texas.gov/calendar/site-calendars/sea-center-texas/> [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [fish](#), [outside](#)

**YOUNG TEXAN AMBASSADORS** applications open thru Jun. 16, Texans ages 15 – 25 apply to become ambassadors to keep Texas beautiful, <https://earthshare-texas.org/events/> **care, kids, outside**

**Armand Bayou Nature Center SUMMER ECO-CAMPS Jun. 5 – Aug. 4, 8:30 - 11:30 a.m. or 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.**, kids camp for ages 4 – 12, active outdoors experiences & nature exploration, includes Fishing, Canoeing, Pond Exploration, Insect Collecting, Bird Watching, Hiking, Dip Netting, Arts and Crafts, Live Animal Presentations and Camp Games, different theme each week, (6/5) Theme: Budding Scientist + Barking up the Right Tree (full day only), (6/12) Theme: Raving Reptiles + Under the Bayou (full day only), 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, [www.abnc.org](http://www.abnc.org) **enjoy, learn, walk, animals, fish, boat, bird, water, kids, outside**

**HEIFER/STEER MAJOR SHOW VALIDATION Jun. 12, 4:30 – 6 p.m. & 6:30 – 8 p.m.**, for 4H exhibitors showing heifers, lambs, and/or goats at spring show, (4:30 p.m.): steers, (6:30 p.m.): heifer, Galveston County Fairgrounds, Hitchcock, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/> **learn, care, kids, farmers, animals, outside**

**FISHING SKILL-A-THON Jun. 12 – Aug. 31**, fishing competition for 4H participants, fish at locations of your choice, prizes awarded, <https://www.facebook.com/HarrisCounty4H/> **enjoy, fish, kids, outside**

**BIODIVERSITY DASH thru Jun. 18**, competition between states to see which state can regenerate the most biodiversity, <https://www.homegrownnationalpark.org/> **care, garden, animals, water, outside**

**JUNIOR MASTER NATURALIST GRADUATION Jun. 10, 9 a.m. - noon**, kids who've completed the Junior Master Naturalist Program graduate, Spring Creek Greenway Nature Center, 1300 Riley Fuzzel Rd., Spring, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> **enjoy, kids, outside**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** [SUMMER CAMPS](#) May 30 – Aug. 11, 10 a.m., variety of science topics for kids ages 6 - 12, virtual camps available 6/5 – 7/28, before/after care available, check schedule for details, Sugar Land, <http://www.hmns.org> [learn, enjoy, media, kids, outside](#)

**John Paul Landing Park** [FREE FISHING DAY](#) Jun. 3, 9 a.m. – 1p.m., fish for free, Angler Instructor available to assist with casting, fish identification, baiting, & fish removal, limited supply of equipment available, or bring your own, Cypress, <https://hcp4.net/events/> [enjoy, learn, kids, fish, park, outside](#)

**Galveston Island State Park** [KAYAKING 101](#) Jun. 3, 10 a.m., learn the basics of kayaking, including safety, paddling tips, & environmental education given during active aquatic tour, Galveston, [http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park\\_events](http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events) [learn, enjoy, boat, park, outside](#)

**Armand Bayou Nature Center** [BAYOU SAFARI](#) Jun. 3 & Jun. 10, 1 p.m., enjoy guided outing via electric vehicle with stops at the bison, farm area, prairie, animal exhibits & the bayou, followed by observing wildlife from the elevated boardwalk, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, [www.abnc.org](http://www.abnc.org) [enjoy, animals, bird, garden, water, outside](#)

[HERITAGE BOOK STUDY GROUP MEETING](#) Jun. 12, 10 a.m. - noon, book group continues discussion of *Issac's Storm: A Man, A Time, and the Deadliest Hurricane in History*, Texas A&M Extension Office, Galveston, <https://txmn.org/gbmn/events/> [learn, meeting, garden, outside](#)

[CLUB SCIKIDZ SUMMER CAMP](#) Jun. 12 – Jun. 30, weekly full day & half-day science & technology-based summer camp for kids 4 - 15, multiple locations, [https://houston.clubscikidz.com/?\\_ga=2.251954441.1806945996.1675997966-927712987.1675814005](https://houston.clubscikidz.com/?_ga=2.251954441.1806945996.1675997966-927712987.1675814005) [enjoy, learn, kids, Houston](#)

**Spring Creek Greenway & Nature Center** [INATURALIST HIKE](#) **May 31, 9:30 a.m.**, stroll on trails to witness the beauty of nature, learn about local species, tracking & participate in community science project using iNaturalist, 1300 Riley Fuzzel Road, Spring, [https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page_internal) **care, enjoy, learn, animals, garden, walk, park, outside**

**Galveston Island State Park** [BAIT & BAY FISHING](#) **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, learn some tips and tricks for fishing in Galveston Bay, whether you are an expert or a novice angler, fish with Park Host, bring your own gear, or use the park's loaner gear, Galveston, [http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park\\_events](http://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/galveston-island/park_events) **enjoy, learn, fish, park, outside**

**REI** [RUNNING BASICS](#) **Jun. 3, 2 – 3:30 p.m.**, learn about local places to run, gear, community resources, how to stay safe and mix it up on the trail and road, 18750 Gulf Frwy., Friendswood, see classes & events at [www.rei.com](http://www.rei.com) **learn, class, walk, outside**

**Armand Bayou Nature Center** [PHOTO WORKSHOP & PONTOON CRUISE](#) **Jun. 3, 9 - 11 a.m. & Jun. 10, 7 – 9:30 a.m.**, award-winning photographer teaches nature photo techniques in classroom on 6/3, & pontoon cruise to put learnings into practice on 6/10, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, [www.abnc.org](http://www.abnc.org) **enjoy, class, boat, photo, outside**

## [ONGOING OPPORTUNITIES OUTSIDE HOUSTON](#)



**MASTER GARDENER LUNCH & LEARN** 2<sup>nd</sup> Weds., 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., master gardeners present on variety of topics, Waller County Extension Office, Hempstead, <https://waller.agrilife.org/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 14** learn, meeting, garden, outside

**KATY MARKET DAY** usually 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., produce, arts, crafts & prepared foods from local farmers/vendors, Katy, <https://katymarketday.com/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, farmers, outside

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

**TEXAS CITY PRAIRIE PRESERVE WORK DAY** 2<sup>nd</sup> Fri., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., volunteers remove invasive species, harvest native seeds, plant marsh grasses & tend butterfly garden, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> OR <https://houstonprairie.org/dpp-calendar/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 9** care, enjoy, garden, outside

**COASTAL HERITAGE PRESERVE WORK DAY** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs., 9 a.m. – noon, volunteers restore native prairie ecosystem at Coastal Heritage Preserve, Galveston, <https://www.artistboat.org/coastal-heritage-preserve/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 1** care, enjoy, garden, outside

**Fort Bend Master Gardeners YOUTH ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE MEETING** 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs., 9 - 11 a.m., youth activities committee meeting, open to members-only, Extension Conference Room, Rosenberg, <https://fbmg.org/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** learn, meeting, media, kids, garden, outside

**Kleb Woods Nature Center** [BLUEGRASS CONCERT](#) 4<sup>th</sup> Sat. 12 – 4 p.m., enjoy bluegrass music in nature, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://hcp4.net/parks/kleb-woods-nature-preserve/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 24** enjoy, outside

**Gulf Coast Bird Observatory** [NURSERY WORK DAY](#) 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs., 9 a.m. – noon, volunteers work in wetland nursery in Lake Jackson, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, enjoy, garden, outside

[BAYTOWN FARMERS' MARKET](#) 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. (6 – 10 p.m. in Jul./Aug.), farm fresh produce & crafts, plus music, Baytown Town Square, <https://www.baytown.org/954/The-Market-at-Town-Square> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** care, farmers, outside

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

[PEACH STREET FARMERS' MARKET](#) Sat., 8 a.m. – noon, farm fresh produce, Peach St., Angleton, <http://psfmarket.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** care, farmers, outside

[EPA AIR, CLIMATE, ENERGY WEBINAR SERIES](#) 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 **Jul. 18**, Topic: Wildfire Impacts on Water and Ecosystems learn, media, class, pollution, outside

**COASTAL PRAIRIE VOLUNTEER DAY** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun., 8 – 11 a.m., volunteers assist in restoration work at Indiangrass Preserve, Waller, <https://texasprairie.org/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 18** care, enjoy, garden, outside

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

**SEABROOK BIRD SURVEY** 1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 9 a.m., join group for bird survey in Pine Gully Park, Seabrook, [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity **Jun. 3** care, enjoy, walk, bird, park, outside

**COASTAL PRAIRIE MASTER NATURALIST Meeting** usually 1<sup>st</sup> Thurs., 6:45 – 8 p.m., social/snacks followed by expert presentation & then chapter business, Rosenberg Civic Center, Rosenberg, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 1**, Topic: Watersheds in Texas learn, media, meeting, animals, garden, outside

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

**GRAND PARKWAY FARMERS' MARKET** Sat., 8 a.m. - noon, farm-fresh produce for sale from local farmers, Church of the Holy Apostles, Katy, <http://www.farmersmarketongrandparkway.com/home.html> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** care, farmers, outside

**COASTAL PRAIRIE MASTER NATURALIST Board Meeting** 3<sup>rd</sup> Weds., 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., members invited to attend board meeting, Agrilife Extension Board Room, Rosenberg, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21 (moved online)** learn, meeting, outside

**Jesse Jones Park WILDLIFE WEDNESDAYS some Weds., 10 a.m. (during school year),** program for young kids to learn about animals, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next Opportunity **Jun. 7** care, garden, park, outside

**Jesse Jones Park INVASIVES BEWARE usually 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 9 a.m. - noon,** document & remove invasive plants & animals, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, garden, animals, park, outside

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

**GALVESTON BAY PRAIRIE RESTORATION Thurs., 8:30 – 11 a.m.,** volunteers restore native prairie in the EcoCenter sponsored by Reliant, near Beach City & Baytown, <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 1 & Jun. 8** care, garden, outside

**Jesse Jones Park TADPOLES CLUB some Weds., 10 a.m. or noon (during school year),** interactive program for pre-school kids, animals, puppets, crafts, stories, short walks & more, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next Opportunity **TBD** care, garden, park, outside

**Fort Bend Master Gardeners BOARD MEETING usually 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues., 9 a.m. - noon,** board of directors meeting, open to members-only, Extension Conference Room, Rosenberg, <https://fbmg.org/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 13** learn, meeting, garden, outside

**John Paul Landing Park BIRD WALK Thurs., 8:30 – 10:30 a.m.,** enjoy guided bird walk in the park, Cypress, <https://hcp4.net/parks/john-paul-landing-park/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 1 & Jun. 8** enjoy, walk, bird, park, outside

**Fort Bend Master Gardeners** [MEMBER MEETING](#) usually 3<sup>rd</sup> 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](#)

**Jesse Jones Park** [BIRDING](#) 1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 7:45 – 10:45 a.m., guided birding hike in the park, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next Opportunity **Jun. 3** [enjoy, bird, walk, park, outside](#)

[BUCKET BRIGADE INTERPRETIVE BEACH TOURS](#) Sat./Sun., 11 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (during summer), free interpretive beach tours, for all ages, on the half hour, Stewart Beach, plus several other locations, Galveston, <https://www.galvestonparkboard.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3/ Jun. 4 & Jun. 10/ Jun. 11** [learn, enjoy, beach, outside](#)

[MARINE DEBRIS SURVEY](#) 1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 10 a.m., clean East Beach & recording the type of trash collected, Galveston, contact [mhuetter@seaturtles.org](mailto:mhuetter@seaturtles.org) to participate, <https://seaturtles.org/events/category/gulf/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 3** [care, learn, pollution, beach, outside](#)

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

[SIERRA CLUB Monthly Meeting](#) 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs., 7 – 10 p.m., St. Stephen's Pecore Hall, 1805 W. Alabama, <http://www.meetup.com/Houston-Sierra-Club-Outings/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 8, (moved online)**, Topic: Harris County's Sustainability Efforts & CAP [care, learn, media, outside](#)

**NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY Monthly Meeting** 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs., 6:45 – 9:30 p.m., Houston Arboretum & Nature Center, 4501 Woodway Dr, <https://npsot.org/chapters/houston/> Next opportunity **Jun. 15 (hybrid)**, Topic: The Fibonacci Sequence [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 **May 31, Jun. 3, & Jun. 7, 9 a.m.** [care](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [park](#), [outside](#)

**WOODLANDS WATERSHED PROJECT MEETING** 1<sup>st</sup> Weds., 3:30 – 4:30 p.m., committee meeting, reviews, plans & actions water-related education & volunteer opportunities, online, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 7** [learn](#), [media](#), [meeting](#), [water](#), [outside](#)

**WG JONES POLLINATOR GARDEN & TREE NURSERY** Tues., 8 – 11 a.m. & 9 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 **May 30 & Jun. 6** [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** Fri., 9 – 11 a.m. & Sun., 1 – 3 p.m., volunteers propagate plants, WG Jones State Forest, Conroe, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 2/ Jun. 4 & Jun. 9/ Jun. 11** [care](#), [enjoy](#), [garden](#), [outside](#)

**CITIZEN'S CLIMATE LOBBY MEETING** 2<sup>nd</sup> 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/](https://citizensclimatelobby.org/chapters/TX_The_Woodlands/) Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** [learn, meeting, energy, pollution, outside](#)

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

**KAYAKING & STAND UP PADDLEBOARDING** normally Thurs. – Mon., 9 a.m. - sunset, kayaks and paddleboards for rent at Riva Row Boat House on Lake Woodlands, The Woodlands, <http://www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/rivarowboathouse> Next Opportunities **Jun. 1 – Jun. 5 & Jun. 8 – Jun. 12** [enjoy, boat, outside](#)

**EAGLE LAKE FARMERS' MARKET** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., farm-fresh produce available in downtown Eagle Lake, <https://www.facebook.com/cityeaglelake.tx> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** [care, farmers, outside](#)

**BIRD WALK** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat., 7:30 a.m., (Sep. – May), Lake Houston Nature Club leads bird walk at East End Park, Kingwood, <https://pineywoodswildlifesociety.org/home/birding-field-trips/> Next Opportunity **TBD** [enjoy, walk, bird, park, outside](#)

**LAKE CREEK PRESERVE GUIDED HIKE** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 10 a.m. 12:30 p.m., volunteers hike leaders & sweepers provide guided hikes at Lake Creek Preserve, Magnolia, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** [care, enjoy, walk, outside](#)

**LAKE CREEK PRESERVE GUIDED HIKE** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 10 a.m. 12:30 p.m., enjoy guided hikes on trails at Lake Creek Preserve, Magnolia, <https://www.unation.com/event/lake-creek-preserve-guided-hike-13519802> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** enjoy, walk, outside

**CITIZEN'S CLIMATE LOBBY MEETING** 2<sup>nd</sup> 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/](https://citizensclimatelobby.org/chapters/TX_Houston_Central/) Next Opportunity **Jun. 10 (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/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 1/ Jun. 5 & Jun. 8/ Jun. 12** care, garden, park, outside

**SATURDAYS at the GEORGE** Sat., 9 & 10 p.m., stargazing at the George Observatory, Needville, [www.hmns.org/observatory](http://www.hmns.org/observatory) Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** enjoy, star. outside

**DEER PARK PRAIRIE PRESERVE WORK DAY** 2<sup>nd</sup> Weds. & 4<sup>th</sup> 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://houstonprairie.org/dpp-calendar/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 14 & Jun. 24** care, enjoy, garden, outside

**GARDENERS BY THE BAY MEETING** 1<sup>st</sup> Mon., different gardening topic at each meeting, Clear Lake, <https://gbtb.org/> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, meeting, garden, outside



**Jesse Jones Park TAI CHI in the PARK Weds., 9 a.m.** beginner class taught by third degree black belt, low impact stretching, range of motion exercises, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next opportunities **May 31 & Jun. 7** 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 Opportunities **Jun. 2 & Jun. 9** care, enjoy, bird, walk, park, outside

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

**DEER PARK BIRD SURVEY 4<sup>th</sup> Sat., 7:30 – 9 a.m.**, Deer Park Prairie, 1222 E. Purdue Ln, Deer Park, 936-827-7973, <https://texasprairie.org/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 24** 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/outdoor-adventures-kayaking-training-tours/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 1 - Jun. 6, Jun. 9, & Jun. 10** enjoy, boat, kids, outside

**NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY Monthly Meeting** 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon., 6:45 p.m., University of Houston –Clear Lake, 2700 Bay Area Blvd., <https://npsot.org/chapters/clearlake/> Next opportunity **Jun. 12 (moved online)**, Topic: TBD **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** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sat., 10 a.m. – 3 p.m., master naturalists offer fun outreach/craft activities at the Butterfly Garden at the Houston Museum of Natural Science, Sugar Land, <http://txmn.org/coastal/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** **enjoy, learn, care, garden, animals, outside**

**LAKE HOUSTON WILDERNESS PARK GARDEN CLUB** Fri., 10 a.m. - noon, volunteers seed in nursery, seed in the park, weed in pollinator garden, & helping to create new pollinator habitat around the park, New Caney, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 2 & Jun. 9** **care, enjoy, garden, animals, park, outside**

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Office **GREEN THUMB LECTURE** (Jan – Oct.): 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon., 10 p.m., & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues., 11 a.m., online, <https://harris.agrilife.org/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 5 & Jun. 12, 10 a.m. and Jun. 20, 11 a.m. (moved online)**, Topic: Pollinator Gardening **learn, media, lecture, garden, outside**

**BUTTERFLY GARDENING** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs., 10 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** 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs., 7 p.m., general meeting, speaker at each meeting, Burgess Recreation Center, Deer Park <https://www.houstonfederationgardenclubs.org/calendar> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, meeting, garden, outside

**NECHES RIVER ADVENTURE** Sat., 10 a.m. – noon (Mar. – Nov.), Riverfront Park, Beaumont, boat trip in Big Thicket National Preserve, Beaumont, currently available for charters only in Feb., 409-651-5326 for tickets, <https://www.nechesriveradventures.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** enjoy, boat, outside

**TEXAS MASTER NATURALIST TUESDAY** usually 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues., 12 - 1 p.m., webinar, covers different advanced topic each month, <https://txmn.tamu.edu/tmntuesdays/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 13**, Topic: TBD learn, media, lecture, outside

**KINGWOOD FARMERS MARKET** Thurs., 3 – 7 p.m., Town Center Park, 8 North Main St., Kingwood, <https://www.facebook.com/kingwoodfarmersmarket/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 1 & Jun. 8** care, farmers, outside

**Jesse Jones Park** **SECOND SUNDAY PICKERS** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sun., 2 – 4 p.m., concert in the park, 20634 Kenswick Dr, Humble, <https://www.pct3.com/JJP> Next opportunity **Jun. 11** enjoy, park, outside

**EPA TOOLS & RESOURCES WEBINAR SERIES** 3<sup>rd</sup> Weds., 2 p.m., EPA shares resources & information that are practical & can be applied, <https://www.epa.gov/research-states/epa-tools-and-resources-webinar-series> Next Opportunity **Jun. 21**, Topic: PFAS in Biosolids **learn, media, meeting, pollution, outside**

**TEXAS CITY DIKE BIRD SURVEY** 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs., 9 a.m., volunteers survey birds along Texas City dike, meet at First Lady Pavilion, Texas City, [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** **care, enjoy, bird, outside**

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

**GULF OF MEXICO WEDNESDAY WEBINAR** usually last Weds., time varies, webinar from Gulf of Mexico Alliance about resources & projects around the Gulf of Mexico, <https://gulfofmexicoalliance.org/announcements/events/> Next Opportunity **May 31**, Topic: Coastal Resilience Index **learn, lecture, media, animals, outside**

**LAKE HOUSTON WILDERNESS BIRD CENSUS** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun., 7 - 9 a.m., volunteers count/identify birds in the park & report via eBird, New Caney, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 18** **care, enjoy, bird, walk, park, outside**

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

**Attwater Prairie Chicken National Wildlife Refuge** [ATTWATER PRAIRIE CHICKEN VAN TOURS](#) **1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 8 – 10 a.m.**, Eagle Lake, Call (979) 234-3021, ext. 221 or 223 Next opportunity **Jun. 3** **enjoy, bird, outside**

[HUNTSVILLE AUDUBON SOCIETY MEETING](#) **3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs. (except Jun. – Aug. & Dec.)**, Huntsville Service Center, Huntsville, <http://www.huntsvilleaudubon.org/index.html> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** **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**

[PINEY WOODS WILDLIFE SOCIETY Monthly Meeting](#) **3<sup>rd</sup> Tues., 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.**, Dennis Johnston County Park, 709 Riley Fuzzel Road, Spring, Educational talks & birding information, <https://pineywoodswildlifesociety.org/> Next opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD **learn, media, meeting, lecture, bird, outside**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science** [MEMBER EVENT](#) **2<sup>nd</sup> Sat., 8 - 11 a.m.**, special museum activity for members on the second Saturday, family programming, tours & crafts, Sugar Land, [www.hmns.org/sugarland](http://www.hmns.org/sugarland), Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** **enjoy, kids, outside**

**EPA WATER RESEARCH WEBINAR SERIES** usually last **Weds., 2 p.m.**, EPA shares current research & activities related to integrity of water systems in U.S., <https://www.epa.gov/water-research/water-research-webinar-series> Next Opportunity **Jun. 28**, Topic: Reducing Nitrogen in Groundwater with Related Approaches: Enhanced Onsite Wastewater Treatment and Wetland Restoration **learn, media, class, water, outside**

**SEABOURNE CREEK BIRD WALK** usually **1<sup>st</sup> 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 **TBD** **enjoy, walk, bird, park, outside**

**WOODLANDS GARDEN CLUB MEETING** **2<sup>nd</sup> 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 **Jun. 13** **learn, care, garden, meeting, outside**

**Kleb Woods Nature Center BIRD WALK** **Weds., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m. & 1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 8 – 10 a.m.**, 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://hcp4.net/parks/kleb-woods-nature-preserve/> Next opportunities **May 31 & Jun. 7 & Jun. 3** **enjoy, outside, bird, walk**

**HOMESCHOOL SCIENCE** usually **Tues. - Fri., 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/](https://longacresranch.org/news_and_events/) Next Opportunity **TBD** **learn, class, kids, outside**

**Seabourne Creek Nature Park** [INSECT HIKE](#) 4<sup>th</sup> 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., 4 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 **May 31 & Jun. 7** [learn](#), [enjoy](#), [kids](#), [outside](#)

**Kleb Woods Nature Center** [VOLUNTEER WORK CREW](#) Tues., 8:30 – 11:30 a.m., 20303 Draper Rd, Tomball, <https://hcp4.net/parks/kleb-woods-nature-preserve/> OR <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next opportunities **May 30 & Jun. 6** [care](#), [enjoy](#), [outside](#)

[HERITAGE GARDENERS MONTHLY MEETING](#) 1<sup>st</sup> Thurs., 10 a.m., general meeting of Heritage Gardeners Club, speaker at each meeting, Friendswood, <https://www.facebook.com/FriendswoodHeritageGardeners> Next Opportunity **Jun. 1** [learn](#), [media](#), [meeting](#), [garden](#), [Houston](#)

[KAYAK ADVENTURES](#) usually **Sat./Sun. & occasional Fri./holiday**, times vary, guided/interpretive kayak trips on Galveston Bay, kids 7+ may accompany parents, includes equipment, Galveston, <https://www.artistboat.org/public-kayak-registration/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3/ Jun. 4 & Jun. 10/ Jun. 11**, 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/](https://longacresranch.org/news_and_events/) Next Opportunities **May 30 & Jun. 6** **learn, enjoy, class, kids, outside**

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

**Galveston Bay Area Master Naturalists Green Team** **MONTHLY MEETING** 3<sup>rd</sup> 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/gbmn/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 15** **learn, care, meeting, 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** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 7 a.m. (spring & summer), bird survey by volunteers, contact Debbie at [rufous1@comcast.net](mailto:rufous1@comcast.net) to participate, [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next opportunity **TBD** **care, bird, outside**

**FLORAL FRIDAYS** Fri., 11 a.m., online program on horticulture, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 2 & Jun. 9** **learn, media, garden, lecture, 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->



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Topic: TBD **enjoy, learn, animals, fish, bird, garden, kids, outside**

**ENTOMOLOGY GROUP MEETING** usually 4<sup>th</sup> 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 & 1<sup>st</sup> 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](https://www.facebook.com/springcreekgreenwaynaturecenter/events/?ref=page_internal) Next Opportunities **Jun. 5 & Jun. 12 & Jun. 3** **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://hcp4.net/parks/kleb-woods-nature-preserve/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 5 & Jun. 12** **care, enjoy, garden, outside**

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

**Baytown Nature Center NURTURE NATURE SERIES usually 1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 10 a.m. - noon**, special programs celebrating the wonder of nature, 6213 Bayway Dr, 281-424-9198, <https://secure.rec1.com/TX/baytown->

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Topic: TBD **learn, kids, outside**

**Baytown Nature Center** **FULL MOON HIKE** one Sat./month., start time varies, enjoy 90 minutes  
guided hike by moonlight, for adults/older children, 6213 Bayway Dr, call (281) 424-9198,  
[https://secure.rec1.com/TX/baytown-](https://secure.rec1.com/TX/baytown-tx/catalog/index/49ed08ed4b4f064d29ef7361451683fa?filter=c2VhcmNoPQ==)  
[tx/catalog/index/49ed08ed4b4f064d29ef7361451683fa?filter=c2VhcmNoPQ==](https://secure.rec1.com/TX/baytown-tx/catalog/index/49ed08ed4b4f064d29ef7361451683fa?filter=c2VhcmNoPQ==) Next opportunity **Jun.**  
**3, 8 p.m.** **enjoy, walk, kids, outside**

**GROGAN'S MILL FARMERS MARKET** Sat., 8 a.m. – noon, 2230 Buckthorn Pl, Spring,  
<http://www.thewoodlandstowship-tx.gov/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** **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/>  
Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** **enjoy, boat, outside**

**KAYAKING CLASSES** dates & times vary, kayaking classes for kids & adults, variety of skill levels,  
variety of locations, occasional kids cycling class, including some virtual,  
<https://www.meetup.com/outdoor-adventures-kayaking-training-tours/> Next Opportunities **May 30,**  
**Jun. 4, Jun. 6, Jun. 7, & Jun. 11** **learn, enjoy, class, boat, cycle, kids, outside**

**Moody Gardens** **BIRD SURVEY** 1<sup>st</sup> Fri., 7 a.m., volunteers count birds in the garden,  
<https://houstonaudubon.org/> OR <https://www.galvestonnaturetourism.org/winter-nature-program/> Next  
Opportunity **Jun. 2** **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 **Jun. 7** **learn, enjoy, kids, outside clever**

[SUGAR LAND FARMERS MARKET](#) **Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, Imperial Sugar Land, 198 Sugarland St, Sugar Land, <https://www.facebook.com/FarmersMarketAtImperial/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** **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](#) **3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.**, fresh produce/local vendors, Cypress, <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** **care, farmers, outside**

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

[HOUSTON RENEWABLE ENERGY GROUP MEETING](#) **usually 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues., 7 p.m.**, monthly meeting of group promoting renewable energy in Houston, United Way, 50 Waugh Dr. <http://houstonrenewableenergy.org/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 13 (moved online)** **learn, meeting, energy, outside**

**BRIDGELAND FARMERS MARKET** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sun., 12:30 – 3:30 p.m., parking lot adjacent to the Activity Center in Bridgeland, 16902 North Bridgeland Lake Pkwy, Cypress, <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 11** care, farmers, outside

**Armand Bayou Nature Center** **BIRD COUNT** usually 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat., 7 – 10 a.m., 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** care, bird, outside

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

**Coastal Prairie Conservancy** **WORK DAYS** Tues., 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. and 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/events/month/> Next Opportunities **May 30, Jun. 2 & Jun. 3 and Jun. 6, Jun. 9 & Jun. 10** 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** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 9 a.m. - noon, volunteers hike along and maintain trails in the park, starts from Harper's Landing Park, The Woodlands, <https://txmn.org/heartwood/events/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 17** care, enjoy, garden, walk, pollution, park, outside

**COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY RECYCLING COALITION** usually 2<sup>nd</sup> 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://www.tpwd.state.tx.us/spdest/visitorcenters/seacenter/> Next opportunities **May 30 - Jun. 2 & Jun. 3 and Jun. 6 - Jun. 9 & Jun. 10 (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**

**Sea Center Texas STORY TIME** Sat. & 3<sup>rd</sup> 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** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat., 8 a.m. – noon, Town Center, 11200 Broadway St., Pearland, <https://www.facebook.com/events/pearland-town-center/pearland-farmers-market/1794734627433677/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 10** **care, farmers, outside**

**GARDEN LECTURE** 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs., 7 - 8 p.m., lecture on a gardening topic, Delores Fenwick Nature Center, Pearland, <http://keeppearlandbeautiful.org> Next Opportunity **TBD, (moved online)** Topic: TBD **learn, media, lecture, media, garden, outside**

**Gulf Coast Bird Observatory** [BIRD BANDING](#) 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat., 8 a.m. – noon, 103 Hwy 332, Lake Jackson, [www.gcbo.org](http://www.gcbo.org) Next opportunity **Jun. 17** [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](https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal) OR <https://hcp4.net/events/> Next opportunity **Jun. 5** [enjoy, kids, garden, outside](#)

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

**Mercer Botanic Gardens** [MUSIC IN THE GARDEN](#) some Weds., 10:30 – 11:30 a.m., kids enjoy music in the garden, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, [https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/events/?ref=page_internal) OR <https://hcp4.net/events/> Next opportunity **TBD** [enjoy, kids, garden, outside](#)

[SIERRA CLUB Monthly Meeting](#) usually 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 **Jun. 21** Topic: TBD [care, learn, media, outside](#)

[TOMBALL FARMERS' MARKET](#) Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., 205 W. Main, Tomball, <http://www.tomballfarmersmarket.org/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** [care, farmers, outside](#)

**Mercer Arboretum & Botanic Garden** **GARDEN CLUB** **last Sat., 5 p.m.**, volunteers assist with horticulture tasks in the garden, ages 16+, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, <https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/> Next opportunity **Jun. 24** care, enjoy, learn, garden, outside

**Mercer Arboretum & Botanic Garden** **LUNCH BUNCH** **usually last Weds., noon – 2 p.m.**, learn about a gardening topic, bring your own lunch, ages 16+, 22306 Aldine Westfield Rd, Humble, <https://www.facebook.com/MercerBotanicGardens/> Next opportunity **Jun. 14**, Topic: Native Tree & Plant ID learn, enjoy, garden, outside

**Sea Center Texas** **YOUTH CATCH & RELEASE FISHING** **1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> 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** **2<sup>nd</sup> Sat., 8:30 a.m. – noon (Oct. – Mar.)**, maintain bird sanctuary, lunch provided, 2088 5th St, High Island, [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next opportunity **TBD** care, bird, outside

**NASSAU BAY FARMERS' MARKET** **Sat., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.**, 18045 Upper Bay Rd, Nassau Bay, <https://www.facebook.com/Nassau-Bay-Farmers-Market-217094481767170/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** care, farmers, outside

**Armand Bayou Nature Center** [GUIDED NIGHT HIKES](#) some Sat., start time varies, enjoy sights/sounds of prairie, forest & bayou in guided hike at night, see nocturnal creatures, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, <http://www.abnc.org>, Next opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** enjoy, walk, outside

[FULSHEAR FARMERS' MARKET](#) Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., farm fresh produce, meats, prepared foods & more, Fulshear, <http://fulshearfarmersmarket.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** care, farmers, outside

[FRIENDSWOOD FARMERS' MARKET](#) 1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., fresh produce, baked goods, handicrafts & more, Stevenson Park, Friendswood, <https://friendswoodmarket.com/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 3** 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 **TBD**, Topic: TBD learn, class, kids, animals, outside

**Armand Bayou Nature Center** [PRAIRIE FRIDAY](#) Fri., 8:30 a.m. – noon, volunteer stewardship of center, 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, registration required, <http://www.abnc.org> OR <https://txmn.org/gulfcoast/events/> OR <https://txmn.org/gbmn/events/> Next opportunities **Jun. 2 & Jun. 9** care, garden, outside

[BRAZOSPORT DAYLILY CLUB](#) 2<sup>nd</sup> Sun, 2:30 p.m., expert lecture at each meeting, day, Lake Jackson Civic Center, Lake Jackson, <https://www.facebook.com/brazosportdaylilysociety> Next opportunity **May 14** learn, meeting, garden, outside



**Armand Bayou Nature Center** [PONTOON BOAT CRUISES](#) some Sat., 8 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. & sunset (time varies seasonally), 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, Fees & registration may be required. <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** enjoy, boat, outside

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

**Armand Bayou Nature Center** [GUIDED KAYAK TOUR](#) normally Sat., 7:50 – 11:30 a.m., 8500 Bay Area Blvd, Pasadena, Fees & registration may be required, <http://www.abnc.org> Next opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** enjoy, boat, outside

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

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

opportunities **May 31**, Topic: Crabs & **Jun. 7**, Topic: Millipeds **learn, enjoy, class, kids, bird, garden, outside**

**FARMERS' MARKET ON TAMINA** **Sat., 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.**, local farmers & vendors/artisans, prepared foods, Magnolia, <http://www.farmersmarketontamina.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 3 & Jun. 10** **care, farmers, outside**

**CYPRESS CREEK DAYLILY CLUB** **4<sup>th</sup> 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**

**Brazos Bend State Park BRAZOS RIVER PICKERS** usually **1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 5 – 7 p.m.**, bluegrass/old time music in the park, 21901 FM 762 Rd, Needville, (fee to enter), [www.brazosbend.org](http://www.brazosbend.org) OR [https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park\\_events](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** **1<sup>st</sup> Sat., 9 a.m. – noon**, Chesley Park, Bellville, <https://www.bellvillefarmersmarket.com/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 3** **care, farmers, outside**

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

<http://www.outdoornatureclub.org/> OR <https://www.facebook.com/singGroup> Next opportunity **Jun. 5 (moved online)** Topic: Birding Australia [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](http://www.brazosbend.org) OR [https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park\\_events](https://tpwd.texas.gov/state-parks/brazos-bend/park_events) Next opportunities **Sep. 1 & Sep. 3** [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 **May 30**, Topic: Harmful Algal Blooms and Algal Toxins [learn](#), [lecture](#), [media](#), [water](#), [outside](#)

**[HUMBLE FARMERS' MARKET](#)** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sun., local produce/vendors, Humble, <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 11** [care](#), [farmers](#), [outside](#)

**[MILLIKAN RESERVE FARMERS' MARKET](#)** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun., 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., 19851 FM2154, College Station, <https://marketonthegreen.splashthat.com/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 18** [care](#), [farmers](#), [outside](#)

**[BOLIVAR BEACH RAMBLE](#)** 1<sup>st</sup> Sat., explore Bolivar Flats Shorebird Sanctuary, [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://www.houstonaudubon.org) Next opportunity **TBD** [enjoy](#), [bird](#), [walk](#), [outside](#)

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

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

**TAMARRON FARMERS' MARKET 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues., 9:30 a.m. (Sep. – Apr.)**, speaker each month, plus plant swap & refreshments, St. Basil Hall, Sugar Land, <http://sugarlandgardenclub.org/index.html> Next Opportunity **TBD**, Topic: TBD **learn, media, meeting, garden, outside**

**GALVESTON FARMERS' MARKET Sun., 9 a.m. – noon (1 p.m. Oct. – May), & Thurs., 3 – 6 p.m., (Sun): 2508 Post Office Rd., (Thurs): The Bryan Museum, Galveston,** <http://www.galvestonsownfarmersmarket.com/> Next Opportunities **Jun. 1/ Jun. 4 & Jun. 8/ Jun. 11** **care, farmers, outside**

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

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

**SUGAR LAND GARDEN CLUB FLOWER ARRANGING 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues., (Sep. – Apr.)**, members of the Sugar Land Garden Club assemble flower arrangements for delivery to hospices,

<https://www.facebook.com/TheWoodlandsGardenClub/> Next Opportunity **TBD** enjoy, meeting, garden, outside

**FAIRFIELD PLAZA FARMERS' MARKET** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun., 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., local vendors/artisans, produce, eggs, cheese & more, Cypress, <https://ynfma.org/CALENDAR/> Next Opportunity **Jun. 18** care, farmers, outside

**GALVESTON COUNTY AUDUBON MEETING & BIRDING FIELD TRIP** usually 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. & prior **Weds., (except Dec.), time varies**, meeting at Rosenberg Library, Rosenberg, trips to various locations, [galvestoncountyaudubongroup@gmail.com](mailto:galvestoncountyaudubongroup@gmail.com), [www.houstonaudubon.org](http://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

**HOT ON THE TRAIL!** Jun. 1, & Jun. 8, 7 p.m., online class, virtual field trips to birding hot spots, practice your observation skills, <https://birdingforfun.com/events/> [learn](#), [media](#), [class](#), [bird](#), [online](#)

**AIR POLLUTION'S IMPACT TO BIRDS** Jun. 2, noon, online lecture by experts on air pollution's impact to the health of people, our feathered friends and what you can do to help., <http://www.meetup.com/Houston-Sierra-Club-Outings/events/> [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [bird](#), [pollution](#), [online](#)

**RECYCLING STAR SCHOLARSHIPS** deadline Jun. 1, scholarship for graduating high school seniors or enrolled college students looking to study or currently working towards a degree in Environmental Sustainability or other related major & for educators at any level of public education in Texas, and one officially recognized student group at any Texas college, community college, or university looking to start, enhance, or sustain recycling or landfill reduction programs on their campus or in their community, <https://www.recyclingstar.org/Scholarship> [care](#), [learn](#), [media](#), [recycle](#), [kids](#), [online](#)

**INTERFAITH JUSTICE ADVOCACY WORKSHOP** Jun. 11, 2 p.m., learn how to effectively engage with legislators on policy matters, online, <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/interfaith-justice-advocacy-workshop-tickets-627649485507> [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [online](#)

**CO-HOUSING INFO. SESSION** Jun. 7, 6 p.m., online event, overview of co-housing & project in Houston, plus get your questions answered, <https://www.cohousinghouston.com/events> **learn, media, meeting, online**

**4H RECORD BOOK JUDGING** May 30 – Jun. 9, volunteers needed to judge 4H participants' record books in District 9, virtual, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/> **care, learn, media, kids, online**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science SUMMER SCOUTS** Jun. 6, 9 a.m. & Jun. 8, 1 p.m., variety of scouting topics for kids, virtual, <http://www.hmns.org/calendar/> **learn, enjoy, media, kids, online**

**COMMUNITY TREE INVENTORY BASICS** May 31, noon, online event, learn about the Community Tree Inventory program from Texas A&M, <https://earthshare-texas.org/events/> **learn, care, media, lecture, tree, online**

**Houston Museum of Natural Science SUPER JAWS: BIGGER THAN T. REX** Jun. 6, 6:30 p.m., renowned paleontologist paints a vivid picture of the extinct castaways unearthed on five continents: sail-backed meat-eaters, toothy fern-mowers, weird crocs & soaring pterosaurs, <http://www.hmns.org/calendar/> **learn, enjoy, media, lecture, animals, online**

**MITIGATING METHANE EMISSIONS IN TEXAS** Jun. 5, noon, speakers discuss report *Mitigating Methane in Texas: Reducing Emissions, Creating Jobs and Raising Standards*, [https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_Th2ZsmVjRqKNBYO0o1-zBQ#/registration](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_Th2ZsmVjRqKNBYO0o1-zBQ#/registration) **learn, media, lecture, pollution, energy, online**

**CARING FOR OUR COASTS GRANT** ongoing, applications for the caring for our coasts grant which supports organizations and groups hosting locally based volunteer events in the Gulf of Mexico region, <https://estuaries.org/2023-caring-for-our-coasts-grant-application/> care, beach, water, online

**STOP TXDOT I-45 MEETING** Jun. 6, 6 p.m., virtual meeting of group opposing North Houston Highway Improvement Project, <https://airalliancehouston.org/updates/#events> learn, media, meeting, online

**Houston Botanic Garden SWEET POTATO PLANTING IN THE GARDEN** Jun. 7, 6 p.m., virtual class, learn how to plant sweet potatoes & why you should be including sweet potatoes in your weekly meals, One Botanic Ln. (at 8210 Park Place Blvd.), <https://secure.hbg.org/events/> learn, media, class, garden, online

**TEXAS STATE PARKS PHOTO CONTEST** ongoing, enter photos of state parks under theme The Joys of Spring, [https://woobox.com/crm39k?utm\\_campaign=getaways&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_source=apr2023](https://woobox.com/crm39k?utm_campaign=getaways&utm_medium=email&utm_source=apr2023) enjoy, media, photo, park, online

**4H LEADERSHIP LAB** entries due May 31, deadline to submit 4H leadership lab entries, online, <https://galveston.agrilife.org/events/> learn, kids, online

**TEXAS CHILDREN IN NATURE SUMMIT CALL FOR PROPOSALS** deadline to submit Jun. 30, proposals accepted on theme of Kids Need Nature and Nature Needs Kids, <https://www.texaschildreninnature.org/events/texas-children-in-nature-network-summit-kids-need-nature-and-nature-needs-kids> learn, media, conference, kids, online



**MY TEXAS WATER PHOTO CAMPAIGN** open for submissions thru **Jun. 30**, post photos, reels, stories, or videos using the hashtag #MyTexasWater, prizes awarded, <http://www.twdb.texas.gov/newsmedia/mytexaswater/index.asp> **enjoy, media, photo, water, online**

**CEER COALITION MEETING** **Jun. 8, 2 p.m.**, Coalition for Environment, Equity, and Resilience (CEER) works for a region that is equitable, environmentally sustainable and economically strong where residents live, work, learn, play, and pray free from environmental hazards; CEER advocates for public & private investment in protecting communities by cleaning up hazards that contaminate air, water, and land, while at the same time prevent or reduce flooding, online, <https://airalliancehouston.org/events/> **learn, media, meeting, pollution, online**

**REGENERATIVE AGRICULTURE EFFORTS AT SWIFT RIVER PECANS** **Jun. 1, 6:30 p.m.**, virtual event, pecan farmer discusses challenges growing pecans, from the soil health and striving for biodiversity on the farm, plus how he controls pests and takes advantage of bats, & how he uses a Johnson Su Bioreactor for composting, <https://npsot.org/calendar/> **learn, media, lecture, farmers, recycle, animals, online**

**WATER, TEXAS FILM CONTEST** open for submissions, short film contest about water in Texas, prizes awarded, deadline 2/1/2024, [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScLR8UBhXMNIWs48-r4oMzDGIY\\_vz0\\_sWPp0wey\\_frqUWJy2Q/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScLR8UBhXMNIWs48-r4oMzDGIY_vz0_sWPp0wey_frqUWJy2Q/viewform) **enjoy, learn, media, photo, water, online**

**EMPOWERING THE NEXT GENERATION OF COMMUNITY RESILIENCE LEADERS** **proposals due Jul. 10**, proposals for youth leadership training programs that equip youth (ages 15-24) with the knowledge, skills, and expertise necessary to build resilience to climate hazards and associated disasters,

<https://www.nationalacademies.org/documents/embed/link/LF2255DA3DD1C41C0A42D3BEF0989ACAECE3053A6A9B/file/DE252901D23C3130B4078B672F5F856F7EB534D3481E?noSaveAs=1>  
[learn, media, online](#)

**LIVING SOIL: THE WORLD BENEATH OUR FEED** Jun. 8, 7 p.m., virtual event, speaker explores the structure of our soil, the diverse life within it and how it works to benefit our environment, <https://npsot.org/calendar/> [learn, media, lecture, animals, garden, online](#)

**GOMA ALL HANDS MEETING** registration open, hybrid meeting, Gulf of Mexico Alliance brings together partners from across the region to plan projects that implement Governors' Action Plan IV, <https://gulfofmexicoalliance.org/announcements/all-hands-meeting/> [learn, media, meeting, water, online](#)

**BENBROOK ENVIRONMENTALLY SENSITIVE AREA** Jun. 6, 6:30 p.m., virtual event, past President of the Native Plant Society of Texas speaks on the Benbrook Environmentally Sensitive Area in Crowley, one of the last remaining remnants of Fort Worth prairies, <https://npsot.org/calendar/> [learn, media, lecture, garden, online](#)

**SUNRISE MOVEMENT MEETING** Jun. 1 & Jun. 8, 7 p.m., Houston Sunrise Movement meets weekly online to discuss current projects (public education campaign, environmental zine, etc) <https://airalliancehouston.org/events/> [learn, media, meeting, 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](#)

**HERSHEY FOUNDATION GRANTS** call open thru **Jul. 26**, letters of intent accepted for projects meeting its conservation mission, <https://jthershey.org/apply/> **learn, care, media, online**

**WATER RESEARCH INVESTMENT** deadline **Jun. 30**, Water Research Investment Program request for proposals, proposal is required to have representatives from Texas A&M AgriLife Research, the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service and the Texas A&M Engineering Experiment Station, [https://scholarships.twri.tamu.edu/wp-content/uploads/sites/20/2023/05/2024-2025Exceptional\\_Item\\_RFP\\_FINAL.pdf](https://scholarships.twri.tamu.edu/wp-content/uploads/sites/20/2023/05/2024-2025Exceptional_Item_RFP_FINAL.pdf) **learn, media, water, online**

**ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATORS VIRTUAL EXCHANGE MEETINGS** **Jun. 2, 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**

**TEACHER WORKSHOP** **Jun. 5, 9 a.m. – noon**, online workshop for teachers, learn about programming offered by Texas Wildlife Association for K - 8, online, <https://www.texas-wildlife.org/educator-development-and-resources/> **learn, media, class, kids, animals, garden, online**

**FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL MEETING** **Jun. 5 – Jun. 8, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.**, online event, will make final appointments to its Coastal Migratory Pelagics Advisory Panel & consider taking final action on the following: Reef Fish Amendment 56: Modifications to the Gag Grouper Catch Limits, Sector Allocations, and Fishing Seasons & Recalibration of Red Snapper Recreational Catch Limits and Modification of Gray Snapper Catch Limits, plus take public comments, <https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/5925215816232053342> **learn, media, meeting, fish, water, outside**

## **UPCOMING ONLINE ONLY OPPORTUNITIES**

### **FROM OTHER ORGANIZATIONS**

**GLOBAL ZERO WASTE CITIES SUMMIT** May 31, 11 a.m. – 3 p.m., conference covers latest developments on zero waste as a proven, cost-effective strategy to both reduce waste pollution and help cities reach their climate goals, while creating better jobs and building resilient communities, <https://whova.com/web/w84eO3SkMxSrKPrT7UioqyhJnf6l9XOQqOllttkefJs%3D/> **learn, care, recycle, pollution, conference, online**

**STRATEGIES TO IMPROVE QUALITY & COVERAGE OF COASTAL SEA LEVEL & SEA STATE DATA** May 30, noon, online event, speaker presents research aimed at enhancing coastal sea level and significant wave height observations using satellite altimetry, <https://meet.google.com/kti-ktawnes?hs=122&authuser=0https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07ejp6gcy7abaaabb3&oseq=&c=&ch=> **learn, media, lecture, water, outside**

**ECONOMIC RECOVERY CORPS HOST COMMUNITY** **deadline to apply Jun. 30**, looking for technical expertise to focus on your community's brownfields or other redevelopment challenges?, consider applying to host one of 65 fellows deployed to communities, <https://brownfields2023.org/2023/05/6799/> **learn, media, online**

**OCEAN AWARENESS CONTEST – CLIMATE HEROES IN ACTION** **deadline to enter Jun. 13** students ages 11-18 learn about environmental issues through art-making and creative communication, explore their relationship to a changing world, & become advocates for positive

change, online submissions, <https://bowseat.org/programs/ocean-awareness-contest/contest-overview/> [care](#), [learn](#), [media](#), [kids](#), [water](#), [online](#)

**HEALTHCARE IN ORGANIC DAIRY PRODUCTION** **Jun. 6, 2 p.m.**, virtual event, covers National Organic Program regulations related to dairy production, typical health problems and alternative approaches, and how healthy systems are created to prevent issues from arising, through building soil health and more, <https://climatewebinars.net/webinar-calendar/month> [learn](#), [media](#), [lecture](#), [animals](#), [online](#)

**PLANET STEWARDS GRANTS** **deadline Jun. 4**, grants for educators working in formal and informal educational settings to carry out hands-on action-based stewardship projects with elementary through college age students, as well as the general public, <https://oceanservice.noaa.gov/education/planet-stewards/psep-supporting.html> [learn](#), [media](#), [kids](#), [online](#)

**WORLD OCEAN DAY** **toolkits available**, World Ocean Day on Jun. 6 provides a unique opportunity for a wide array of organizations, schools, businesses, and communities to honor and celebrate the ocean that connects us all, <https://worldoceanday.org/resources/event-planning-toolkit/> [care](#), [enjoy](#), [learn](#), [media](#), [water](#), [fish](#), [animals](#), [beach](#), [online](#)

**CONFERENCE FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE TEACHING CALL FOR PROPOSALS** **deadline May 31**, turn your innovative teaching strategies & lesson plans into proposals for conference sessions that could benefit educators/students across Texas & beyond, <https://www.statweb.org/call-for-proposals> [learn](#), [media](#), [conference](#), [kids](#), [online](#)

**RESEARCH EXPERIENCES FOR UNDERGRADUATES** **deadline May 31**, 12-week internships for undergraduate student research at BIOS (Bermuda Institute of Ocean Sciences) during fall 2023; students conduct individual research projects in a collaborative team environment under the expert mentorship of BIOS faculty and staff, <https://bios.edu/?s=Research+Experiences+for+Undergraduates+2023> **learn, kids, water, animals, fish, online**

**OCEAN EXPLORATION CALL FOR PROPOSALS** **deadline May 30**, pre-proposals requested in ocean exploration & discovery, related technology, or maritime heritage, <https://oceanexplorer.noaa.gov/about/funding-ops/welcome.html> **learn, water, online**

**OCEAN WEEK AUCTION** **thru Jun. 8**, online auction supports public outreach and education programs, including Capitol Hill Ocean Week, on-the-water conservation projects, and marine restoration, [https://event.gives/chow23/?mc\\_cid=9cbe33d26c&mc\\_eid=3d90013ff3](https://event.gives/chow23/?mc_cid=9cbe33d26c&mc_eid=3d90013ff3) **care, water, fish, animals, online**

**FACILITATION BASICS FOR COASTAL MANAGERS** **May 31 & Jun. 1, 12 – 3 p.m.**, virtual training course, learn basic facilitation skills, tools to engage participants, & techniques to deal with disruptive behaviors, includes time to practice skills, <https://coast.noaa.gov/digitalcoast/training/calendar.html> **learn, media, class, online**

**DISCOVER THE CORAL REEF & KELP FOREST ECOSYSTEM RESOURCE COLLECTIONS** **Jun. 5, 5 p.m.**, virtual event, learn about NOAA videos, lesson plans, webinars, web stories, virtual reality, and much more on coral reefs and kelp forest ecosystems,

<https://sanctuaries.noaa.gov/education/teachers/webinar-series.html> **learn, media, lecture, animals, garden, online**

**OUR COMMITMENT GOES ON ART CONTEST** **deadline Jun. 1**, students enrolled in grades K-12 submit an original poster that creatively depicts the history and importance of protecting the planet and the ocean from the impact of shipping, <https://namepa.net/education/art-contest/> **learn, care, media, kids, water, pollution, online**

**URBAN & COMMUNITY FORESTRY IRA GRANTS** **deadline Jun. 1**, Forest Service is requesting proposals from eligible entities that are working to provide equitable access to trees and green spaces and the benefits they provide, <https://iraucfgrants.urbanandcommunityforests.org/> **learn, care, tree, park, online**

**LAND & CLIMATE CATALYST PLANNING GRANTS** **applications open thru Jun. 8**, grants for land trusts, other not-for-profit organizations, and state and federally recognized Tribes integrate climate science into strategic land protection plans or forest stewardship plans, <https://landtrustalliance.org/resources/learn/topics/climate-change/Programs/land-and-climate-program/land-and-climate-grant-program> **learn, care, media, online**

**FLOOD MODELING, RESILIENCY PLANNING & EVACUATION IN URBAN COASTAL ENVIRONMENTS** **May 31, 11 a.m.**, speaker discusses data & tools for developing maps, policies, and research for floods, vulnerable communities, damage assessments, sea level rise, [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeRU\\_H3ZXr8VtySJxdKVbouOEiMfBI5tS7YcoJuy0JszPI93w/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeRU_H3ZXr8VtySJxdKVbouOEiMfBI5tS7YcoJuy0JszPI93w/viewform) **learn, media, lecture, water, online**

**CARBON DIOXIDE REMOVAL** Jun. 1, 10 a.m., learn about Marine Carbon Dioxide removal (mCDR) projects that are relevant to the Southeast and Gulf of Mexico regions, <https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUtfuyuqjwiGdNTgP7shWY9jOyz66htz8KU#/registration>  
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**SCIENCE OF FORECASTING HURRICANE IMPACTS** Jun. 6, 8 a.m., program focuses on the science of forecasting hurricane impacts for classes grades 4-8, [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-science-of-forecasting-hurricane-impacts-tickets-632851224047?utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_source=GovDelivery](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-science-of-forecasting-hurricane-impacts-tickets-632851224047?utm_medium=email&utm_source=GovDelivery) learn, media, class, kids, water, online