



Programs & Events May - June 2026

Carl T Johnson Hunting & Fishing Center

Hours of Operation: Saturday-Sunday: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Located inside Mitchell State Park, 6087 E M-115, Cadillac, MI 49601

Wild Mushroom Clinics – Outdoor Skills Academy - June 28, July 19 or August 16

Pre-registration required. Sign up at www.mi.gov/OutdoorSkills Join instructors Jill and Aaron, wild foods experts from Great Lakes Treats, for an immersive and information-packed wild mushroom clinic. Cost includes lunch, a printed class packet and a mushroom identification book.

Becoming an Outdoors Woman – Wild Mushroom Clinic - May 10

Pre-registration required. Sign up at www.mi.gov/BOW Join instructors Jill and Aaron, wild foods experts from Great Lakes Treats, for an immersive and information-packed wild mushroom clinic. Cost includes lunch, a printed class packet and a mushroom identification book.

Beekeeping Clinic: A Beginner's Guide to Starting Your Hive – May 16

Pre-registration required. Sign up at www.mi.gov/OutdoorSkills Learn everything you need to know to get started with beekeeping and about the vital role pollinators play in our environment.

Tin Can Tourists - June 13

Enjoy vintage campers and boats, wood carving displays, music, vendors and more.

Elk Hunting Clinic – August 9

Pre-registration required. Sign up at www.mi.gov/OutdoorSkills Learn how to hunt Michigan elk on your own or better understand what to expect if hunting with a guide.

Coming soon...

Daily programming begins mid-June, following school field trip season! Watch for weekly programming schedules with family-friendly offerings including fishing, archery, arts-and-crafts, campfire cooking, and activities for the kids!

Stay up to date!

Watch our Facebook page for program updates: <https://www.fb.com/CarlTJohnsonCenter>

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All programs are free unless otherwise noted; however, a Recreation Passport is required for entry to the park.

