



Programs & Events January, February & March 2026

Wolf Lake State Fish Hatchery Visitor Center

Hours of Operation: First Saturday of the Month, January – March, 10 am – 4 pm; and for special programs, see below.

Address: 34270 County Road 652, Mattawan, MI 49071

Lantern Lit Trails Saturday January 3 & Saturday February 7 from 6 – 8 pm.

A one-mile loop will be lit with lanterns and candles for you to enjoy an evening walk during the winter season on Wolf Lake's nature trails. Hot cocoa and a bonfire too.

Monthly Beginner Bird Walks First Saturday of the month at 9 am

January 3, February 7 and March 7.

Led by experienced birders from the Audubon Society of Kalamazoo. Focus is on birding fundamentals; extra binoculars are always available. Typically, 2 hours but stay as long or as little as you can. Programs occur barring any special events or extreme weather. All ages welcome.

Fly Tying 101 Saturday, February 7 @ 12:30 & 2:30 pm

Introductory fly-tying class for beginners. Class is 90 minutes. Participants must be at least 10 years old. Pre-registration is required at <https://tinyurl.com/flytying101wolflake>

Birds and Blooms: 💖 Valentines Edition 💖 Saturday, February 14, 10 am – 2 pm

Celebrate winter birds and blooms with activities for the whole family! Participate in the Great Backyard Bird Count bird walk at 11 am, make pinecone bird feeders, create kids binoculars, write a nature-themed love poem, find out how native plants benefit birds, enjoy hot cocoa, cookies and more. www.friendsofwolflake.org

Nature Trails

Enjoy miles of nature trails daily from dawn to dusk. Some trails may not be plowed in winter.

Feed the Fish

Enjoy feeding the trout, salmon, and other fish species in the half-acre Show Pond. A fish food machine that accepts quarters is located on dock on the Show Pond.

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All programs are free unless otherwise noted.