

# HARTWICK PINES STATE PARK

Weekly Activity Program Schedule can be found at [www.michigan.gov/hartwickpinesvc](http://www.michigan.gov/hartwickpinesvc)



## 2020 SPRING/SUMMER PROGRAMS

### MAY

**May 19<sup>th</sup>: MEMORIAL BUILDING OPENS FOR SEASON**, 11am-4pm, Thursday-Monday. Tour this national historic landmark, say hello to our friendly building hosts, and browse a selection of items from our gift shop. Proceeds and donations support the rehabilitation of Hartwick Pines' first visitor center. Check at the Visitor Center for a schedule of special events and programs taking place throughout the summer.

**May 23<sup>rd</sup>: KIRTLAND'S WARBLER TOURS BEGIN** Meet @ the Visitor Center. Weekday tours at 7am; Weekends, Tours are at 7am & 11am. \$10 for adults.

### JUNE

**June 13<sup>th</sup>: SUMMER PROGRAMMING BEGINS**, Daily Historical and Natural Resource-Related Activities and events.

### JULY

**July 4<sup>th</sup>: LIVE ANIMAL SHOW: NATURE DISCOVERY WITH Jim & Carol McGrath**, 7pm @ Campground Amphitheater. Join Jim & Carol McGrath and learn about their collection of reptiles & amphibians (Topic TBA)

**July 5<sup>th</sup>: LIVE ANIMAL SHOW: NATURE DISCOVERY WITH Jim & Carol McGrath**, 1pm @ Visitor Center Auditorium. Join Jim & Carol McGrath and learn about their collection of reptiles & amphibians (Topic TBA)

**July 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>: WOOD SHAVING DAYS**, 10am – 4pm. Wood carvers, blacksmiths and other artisans demonstrate how they make their crafts; steam-powered sawmill will be operating.

### AUGUST

**August 8<sup>th</sup>: FOREST FEST**, 10am-4pm. Celebrate the beauty and serenity of Michigan's forests; Meet Smokey Bear, learn about Michigan's forests, engage in activities and make some cool crafts. A fun-filled day for people of all ages!

**August 8<sup>th</sup>: LIVE ANIMAL SHOW: NATURE DISCOVERY WITH Jim & Carol McGrath**, 7pm @ Campground Amphitheater. Join Jim & Carol McGrath and learn about their collection of reptiles & amphibians (Topic TBA)

**August 9<sup>th</sup>: LIVE ANIMAL SHOW: NATURE DISCOVERY WITH Jim & Carol McGrath**, 1pm @ Visitor Center Auditorium. Join Jim & Carol McGrath and learn about their collection of reptiles & amphibians (Topic TBA)

**August 14<sup>th</sup>: OUTDOOR CONCERT WITH BILL JAMERSON: "It's Daylight in the Swamps."**, 7pm @ the Logging Museum. Enjoy a journey back to the days of the lumberjack camps with true stories, tall tales and toe-tapping songs. Bill Jamerson, musician, author and performer, presents a musical tribute to the old days of the logging camps. (In the event of inclement weather, the concert will be at the Visitor Center)

**August 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>: BLACK IRON DAYS**, 10am – 4pm. Watch blacksmiths and other artisans demonstrate how they make their crafts; steam-powered sawmill will be operating.

### September

**September 26<sup>th</sup>: HAYRIDE: A MEMORIAL BUILDING FUNDRAISER** 12pm-4pm. Meet at the Memorial Building for a hayride through the park. Enjoy cider, snacks, and yard games while you wait. Rides are first come, first served. Suggested donation of \$5 per person.

### October

**October 10<sup>th</sup>: HAYRIDE: A MEMORIAL BUILDING FUNDRAISER**, 12pm-4pm. Meet at the Memorial Building for a hayride through the park. Enjoy cider, snacks, and yard games while you wait. Rides are first come, first served. Suggested donation of \$5 per person.

**MORE EVENTS WILL BE ADDED IN THE MONTHS TO COME!**

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