

Walks, talks, & opportunities

in Larimer County's Parks and Open Spaces

March, 2010

Help at the reservoirs this summer!

~ 679-4552 for information

Put your skills to work this summer and volunteer to help rangers keep the reservoirs safe and fun. You could be on a ranger boat, at the docks, in a campground, on the lake, directing parking, hiking nearby trails, educating the public, or helping out at a campground. You must be able to commit to working some weekends and holidays from Memorial Day through Labor Day. Call for details and complete job descriptions! You'll get training and a special park use permit in appreciation of your work.



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Naturalist-led Talks & Walks ~ call (970) 679-4561 for information

“Ravens: Legendary Bird Brains” at Devil’s Backbone Open Space. Learn about these amazing birds’ attributes, adaptations, ambitions, and how management practices provide them a nesting site here. Offered twice during the month. No registration required. Program is free.

Hike rating: easy ~ 2 hrs.

Saturday, March 6, 9:30 a.m.

Saturday, March 20, 9:30 a.m.

“The Seasons Are A’ Changing” at Devil’s Backbone Open Space. Look for the signs of spring, and for the plant kingdom’s early risers. No registration required. Program is free.

Hike rating: easy ~ 2.5 - 3 hrs.

Sunday, March 13, 10 a.m..

“Bear Necessities” at Devil’s Backbone Open Space. Spring is the time of year for our local bruins to shake off their long winter of loafing! Come to this program at the Outdoor Classroom to learn everything you ever wanted to know about bears, including what to do if you encounter one on the trail or near home. No registration required. Program is free.

Stationary program ~ 1 hr.

Wednesday, March 17, 4:30 p.m.

“Almost Spring Sunrise Walk” at Devil’s Backbone Open Space. Learn about the sun in myth and legend during this dawn program, as you make your way out onto the open space to greet the sun personally. No registration required. Program is free.

Hike rating: easy ~ 2 hrs.

Saturday, March 20, 6:30 a.m.

“Hey, Kids! Signs of Spring!” at Devil’s Backbone Open Space. Bring your 4-to-11-year old, nature-loving kids to learn some signs of the new season, and have fun doing it! There’s no better way to spend the morning with your little ones than getting them out into the sun and learning about nature. A parent or guardian **must** accompany the child on the hike. No registration required. Program is free.

Hike rating: easy ~ 1.5 hrs.

Saturday, March 27, 9 a.m.



for more information

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