

GOOSE CREEK STATE PARK CALENDAR OF EVENTS

For more information, please call (252) 923-2191

March - April

Sunday, March 5

2:00 p.m.

Welcome to Goose Creek

The presentation will introduce all of the wonderful things you can find at the park from recreational opportunities to our wonderful natural communities. Great for first time visitors or anyone wanting to get to know the park. Meet at the visitor center.

Sunday, March 12

2:00 p.m.

All About Bears

We will talk about the life history of bears, examine mounts, skulls and furs. Meet in the visitor center.

Saturday, March 18

2:00 p.m.

Totally Turtles

Meet at the visitor center to view some of eastern North Carolina's most common species of turtles. We will discuss habits, life styles and share some of our turtles most interesting secrets. There will be live turtles to view.

Sunday, April 2

2:00 p.m.

Ticks, Chiggers and Mosquitos

Learn about everyone's least favorite critters, how to avoid them, get rid of them and what diseases they can potentially carry. Meet at the visitor center.

Saturday, April 8

10:00 a.m.

Palmetto Boardwalk Hike

Take a one-mile walking tour of the boardwalk and view a freshwater swamp that is transitioning to a brackish water marsh all without getting your feet wet. Meet at the visitor center.

Saturday, April 15

2:00 p.m.

Snakes Galore

With the warm weather approaching, it's the perfect time to learn about our native snakes. We will cover multiple topics such as identification tips and how to cohabitate with these amazing creatures. There will be live snakes throughout the program. Please meet in the visitor center.

Saturday, April 22

11:00 a.m.

Earth Day Scavenger Hunt

Meet at the visitor center to learn about Leave No Trace ethics on Earth Day and participate in a fun and interactive scavenger hunt. All ages are welcome. Wear sturdy shoes and be prepared to take a walk through the woods.

Saturday, April 29

2:00 p.m.

Mallard Creek Hike

Meet in the last parking lot for a short hike to Mallard Creek boardwalk and, conditions permitting, along the new proposed trail extension.