



Natural Resources Area

Featuring FREE, family-friendly activities!



The mission of the Hartford Fair Natural Resources Area is to build a sustainable natural resources program area celebrating Ohio's natural heritage. It is supported by local conservation partners and organizations in order to provide educational, recreational and interactive conservation experiences during the Hartford Fair and at other outdoor events. Activities are carried out by representatives from the Hartford Fair Board, Licking County Recycling, Licking County Soil & Water Conservation District, Licking Park District, The Dawes Arboretum, & Licking County Ohio Certified Volunteer Naturalists.



The Dawes Arboretum
Trees ~ History ~ Nature

SATURDAYS, AUG. 4 & AUG. 11

Bring your pole and enjoy fishing on your own or just take a stroll through the beautiful and relaxing Natural Resources Area!

SUNDAY, AUG. 5

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 8

8:30 AM	Church Service - All welcome
11:30, 12:30 & 1:30 PM	Kayaking: Try Paddling! Sign-up early.
12, 1 & 2 PM	Canoeing: Try Paddling! Sign-up early
2 PM	Make and Take Crafts for Kids of All Ages
3 PM	4-H Band performs
4 PM	Youth Ice Cream Eating Contest! While supplies last. Younger ages eat first.
3 PM - 5 PM	Try It! Fishing and Archery (Archery @ 3:30PM)

1 PM	"Float Your Boat" - Create a Recycled Boat!
2 PM	Make and Take Crafts for Kids of All Ages
3 PM	Join us for the 'Wild Game', 'Greens' & 'Sweets' Cook Off Competitions. Try all three! Competition details at www.lickingparkdistrict.com
5 PM	Rain Barrel 101: Capture the rain in a rain barrel or rain garden. Preregister for optional DIY build a barrel http://www.lickingswcd.com
3 PM - 5 PM	Try It! Fishing

MONDAY, AUG. 6

THURSDAY, AUG. 9

12 PM	Bees and Beekeeping with ECOBA
1 PM	Support Your Pollinators
2 PM	Ohio Rocks! Make and Take Crafts for Kids of All Ages
3 PM - 5 PM	Meet bugs like tarantulas, walking sticks and more with The Bugman
3 PM - 5 PM	Try It! Fishing

11 AM	Coon Dog Demonstrations
9 AM - 12 PM	Catch of the Day Fishing Contest
12, 1 & 2 PM	Canoeing: Try Paddling! Sign-up early.
12:30 & 1:30 PM	Kayaking: Try Paddling! Sign-up early.
1 PM	Meet live animals from the Ohio Wildlife Center!
2 PM	'Dive into Domestic Ducks'
3 PM	Decorate a 'Duck' and Duck Race Young fair visitors race their new 'Ducks' for prizes
3 PM - 5 PM	Try It! Fishing and Archery (Archery @ 3:30PM)

TUESDAY, AUG. 7

FRIDAY, AUG. 10

11:30, 12:30 & 1:30 PM	Kayaking: Try Paddling! Sign-up early.
12, 1 & 2 PM	Canoeing: Try Paddling! Sign-up early
1 PM	Make and Take Crafts for Kids of All Ages
2 PM	Meet live animals from the Ohio Bird Sanctuary
3 PM - 5 PM	Try It! Fishing and Archery (Archery @ 3:30PM)

11 AM - 2 PM	Natural Resources Skill-a-thon: Youth through High School can test their knowledge of Ohio's Natural Resources. https://www.facebook.com/lcrecycling
3 PM	FFA Challenge: Come watch the fun!