










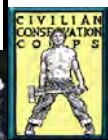
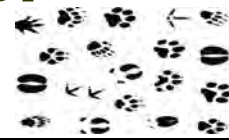



Little River State Park Activities.....June 22d - July 31st, 2016				
WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY (no programs 7/28)	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Located at 3444 Little River Rd. off of U.S. Rte. 2, a mile west of Waterbury. FREE for campers; otherwise day-use fees apply: \$4 adults/\$2 kids. Must reserve for Aquadventure, severe weather relocates programs to Nature Center. Please confirm all programs with Park Office 802-244-7103. Nature Center parking is below & left of Moose Cabin; please walk from your sites if possible. BRING WATER TO ALL EVENTS!				9am Birds By Ear  Nature Center
Visit the self-serve Nature Center near the park entrance for games, exhibits, free library, some art supplies and trail maps	10am Walk: Birds By Ear  Meet at Camp Smith Trailhead	10am Hike: Farms Into Forests  Meets at History Hike Lot	10am The Good, The Bad & The Really, Really Itchy A-side Beach	10am Jr. Ranger Wrapup  Nature Center
	11am Walk: Rockin' The Little River Camp Smith Trail		11am Mushrooms Demystified Nature Center	11:30am Walk: Rockin' The Little River Waterbury Dam
		1:30pm Stream Ramble Stevenson Brook Trailhead	1:30pm Stream Walk  Nature Trail	12:30am – 1:45pm Getting There From Here Park Office
4pm Getting There From Here Park Office	4pm The Good, The Bad & The Really, Really Itchy Nature Center	4pm Tracks, Skins & Skulls Nature Center	4pm The Magic of Bird Migration B-Side Beach	2pm Choose Your Own Adventure Hike Reservations required; register at park office during previous timeslot
5-6:30pm (drop-in timeslot) Nature Center is OPEN for Art In The Park and to Become A Vermont State Park Jr. Ranger				
5:30pm 'Weather' Or Not You'll Be Getting There From Here Nature Center				
7pm Frogger!  A-Side Beach	7pm Sunset Aquadventure Paddle  See Below	7pm Talk: Climate Change and Public Lands  Nature Center	7pm Owl Prowl & Night Ghost Hike  History Hike Trailhead	  

- Become a Vermont State Park Jr. Ranger** - Earn the official badge, advance to higher levels OR become a Jr. Park Interpreter. **Nature Center, 1hr**, materials available by request any time at office
- Birds By Ear** - Introducing some of Little River State Park's 45 breeding bird species and what they tell us about where they live. See above for location, **1h (duration)**; option to extend.
- Climate Change & Public Lands** - See how Mt. Mansfield State Forest has been altered in our lifetimes and what's coming next. **Nature Center, Duration: 30 min.**
- Choose Your Own Adventure/Farms Into Forests Hikes** - Step off the beaten path on a tour of Little River Settlement archaeological ruins & see how open farmland became dense woodlands. You plan the route with interpretive guide. Must reserve for Sunday hike and check in with office during prior timeslot. ***STURDY SHOES & WATER REQUIRED***
- Frogger!** - Find frogs & toads by sight & sound. Meet at B-Side Playground on Wednesday & A-Side Beach Parking on Fridays. **Duration: 45min.**
- The Magic Of Bird Migration** Where birds go when they're not nesting at Little River & how they get there *featuring 34 different Audubon Bird Dolls* **B-Side Beach, 30 Hr, option to extend**
- Mushrooms Demystified** One kind might kill you, another is \$14/lb, if you can find it! Introducing some fabulous & fearsome members of the Fungi Kingdom. **Nat. Ctr. 1hr**, option for longer walk.
- Owl Prowl & Night Ghost Hike** Become “crepuscular” on a twilight tour of lost Little River settlement ruins. **History Hike Parking, 2hrs**, flashlights & **STURDY FOOTWEAR REQUIRED**
- Rockin' The Little River Walk - Tour of CCC Camp Smith.** See where over 2,000 men who built Waterbury Dam once lived. Meet at **Camp Smith Trail** parking area below park entrance.
- Tour of Waterbury Dam** - How a “Tree Army” saved the Winooski Valley from flooded ruin 1 rock at a time. Guided walk with mountain views & historical photos. **Waterbury Dam, 45min.**
- Stream Walk/Ramble** - Wear watershoes, grab critter nets & explore the secret life along a cool, shady mountain stream. **Nature Trail = 45min. or more; Stevenson Brook = 90min.**
- Sunset Aquadventure Paddle** Explore Waterbury Reservoir in search of wildlife & spectacular Vermont Views. See how the “CC” Boys built Waterbury Dam by hand. Boat rentals FREE; space is limited. **REGISTRATION REQUIRED.** If using park boats, come to Park Office at 6:30pm to get paddles/jackets. **Starts promptly at 7pm** at the **A-Side Swim Beach, Duration: 90min.**
- The Good, The Bad & The Really, Really Itchy** How to identify poisonous, medicinal and other useful members of the Plant Kingdom. **See above for meetings spot, Duration: 45min.**
- **Tracks, Skins & Skulls** Meet your furbearing friends of Little River, then make & paint plaster animal tracks. **Nature Center, Duration: 45min.**
- 'Weather' Or Not You'll Be Getting There From Here** ~ Hiker Safety: Were to go in North-central Vermont, how to get there & what to bring with you.Trail, area and weather information.

