



2012 National Park Week Event Schedule

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Saturday, April 21

- **10 a.m. to 3 p.m.** – **Park Palooza** Spend a day playing at Arlington Lawn while experiencing the educational and recreational opportunities available in National Parks.

Sunday, April 22

- **1 to 1:30 p.m.** – **Stretching Your Legs** Lunchtime walk with a park ranger; starts on the porch of the Fordyce Bathhouse.
- **3 to 5 p.m.** – **Let's Move Outside, Get Your Hike On** Join a ranger at the Hot Springs Mountain Tower for a hike on the mountain top, Hot Springs Mountain Trail. Approximately 1.7 miles.

Monday, April 23

- **10 to 11 a.m.** – **Let's Move Outside, Junior Rangers on the Move** Children and their teachers, parents, guardians, and chaperones join a park ranger at the Arlington Lawn for fun and games. Organized groups, please make a reservation at 501-620-6756.
- **1 to 1:30 p.m.** – **Stretching Your Legs** Lunchtime walk with a park ranger; starts on the porch of the Fordyce Bathhouse.
- **3 to 4 p.m.** – **Exploring Bathhouse Row** Enjoy this behind-the-scenes ranger-guided tour of the Maurice and Superior Bathhouses on Bathhouse Row; starts on the porch of the Fordyce Bathhouse.

Tuesday, April 24

- **10 a.m. to 12 Noon** – **Let's Move Outside, Get Your Hike On** Children and their teachers, parents, guardians and chaperones join a ranger at the Hot Springs Mountain Tower for a hike on the mountain top. Approximately 1.7 miles. Organized groups, please make a reservation at 501-620-6756.
- **1 to 1:30 p.m.** – **Stretching Your Legs** Lunchtime walk with a park ranger; starts on the porch of the Fordyce Bathhouse.
- **3 to 5 p.m.** – **Let's Move Outside, Get Your Hike On** Join an enjoyable hike with a park ranger to the Hot Springs Mountain Tower; starts on the porch of the Fordyce Bathhouse.

Wednesday, April 25

- **10 to 11 a.m.** – **Learning the 3-Rs** Children and their teachers, parents, guardians and chaperones join a park ranger and design their own reusable shopping bags and explore the 3Rs – Reduce, Reuse and Recycle; inside the Maurice Bathhouse. Organized groups, please make a reservation at 501-620-6756.
- **1 to 1:30 p.m.** – **Stretching Your Legs** Lunchtime walk with a park ranger; starts on the porch of the Fordyce Bathhouse.
- **3 to 4 p.m.** – **Taking the Waters** Join this park ranger guided program to taste test the water from different springs; starts at the intersection of Central Avenue and Reserve Street.

Thursday, April 26

- **9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.** – **Civil War School Days** Children and their teachers, parents, guardians and chaperones explore the American Civil War and Hot Springs serving as the state's Capital; Arlington Lawn. School groups must make a reservation at 501-620-6756.
- **3 to 4 p.m.** – **Exploring Bathhouse Row** Enjoy this behind-the-scenes ranger-guided tour of the Maurice and Superior Bathhouses on Bathhouse Row; starts on the porch of the Fordyce Bathhouse.

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Saturday, April 28

- **10 a.m. to 12 Noon – Olly, Olly Oxen Free** Children and the parents, guardians and chaperones join a park ranger at the Gulpha Gorge Campground for a morning of fun and games.
- **1 to 1:30 p.m. – Stretching Your Legs** Lunchtime walk with a park ranger; starts on the porch of the Fordyce Bathhouse.
- **3 to 5 p.m. – Let's Move Outside, Get Your Hike On** Join a park ranger at Gulpha Gorge Campground amphitheater for a hike to the North Mountain Overlook.

Sunday, April 29

- **1 to 1:30 p.m. – Stretching Your Legs** Lunchtime walk with a park ranger; starts on the porch of the Fordyce Bathhouse.
- **3 to 5 p.m. – Let's Move Outside, Get Your Hike On** Join a park ranger on West Mountain Loop, 2nd overlook, for an afternoon hike on the mountain top. Approximately 1.7 miles.

All events are free of charge. American Sign Language will be provided at Park Palooza on April 21, Olly, Olly Oxen Free on April 28, and if requested in advance for other programs.

National Park Week celebrates America's best idea—the 397 units of the National Park System.