

Lighted Halloween Campground! October 27th Cold Springs Park, Lewis 7:00-9:00pm. FREE, non-scary, Drive into the Night! Volunteer to be a site, treat maker, or Traffic guide! <u>Birthday Geocache Hunt</u> October 1st- October 27th 6PM. Turn in tokens from each of the geocaches at our birthday party to be entered to win a prize pack! Here is the first two cooridinates: N 41° 18.200 W 095° 06.195 N 41° 13.684 W 094° 43.315 The others will be posted through our facebook page.

<u>Pellett Memorial Woods Workday</u> October 20th 1-4pm (come and go) We are looking for those volunteers that wish to be a part of the preservation process may contribute by assisting with the removal of honeysuckle bushes. If you are wishing to help with this program please dress appropriately (wearing long pants, long sleeves and gloves), and bring loppers if you have them.

Schedule NOW for Batty for Bats (1-3) October Only (October and November is very full), Gobble, Gobble (K-1) November Only. Limited times left November 19-21!!!!

October includes fire prevention month don't forget Wildfires! Fire Ecology (6th and up) and let me help your class learn about Smokey Bear!!

Our Swan Contest will start October 1, have your class guess the day the first Trumpeter Swans arrive at the Schildberg Recreation Area and win a prize! Call or email my office to guess make sure you tell us your class, how many students you have, and your guess! We run this contest separate from the public, and if another class has guessed the same date already we will have you repick!

Stream and Lake Mats: 3' by 6' stream and lake mats are available. Lake Mat will be housed at the Outdoor Educational classroom, you can get it out and play with it as part of your experience there. The stream mat will be available to check out to use in your classroom. Each mat is dry erase (yes they can draw on it), comes with (appropriate) fish and other wildlife. Use as a center or arrival activity.

Field Trips: Reminder Outdoor Educational Classroom outside Massena is available to all school districts, ALL year round. Classroom/ lodge is heated. Lots of programming options available, including new trunks (Birds, Tracks, Iowater, and Orienteering) are available, contact Lora.

Please help me get new teachers email, if they are not receiving this! My email is <u>lkanning@casscoia.us</u> Please visit our Conservation webpage at <u>http://www.mycountyparks.com/County/Cass.aspx</u> Featured Programs:

Batty for Bats (1-3) October Only, Gobble, Gobble (K-1) November Only. Seeds (1-3), or Oh Deer! (4) a partial outdoor session. Programs to fit your schedule although most can take up to 45 min. Please contact me if you do not have a program list!

IMPORIANT INFORMATION: Future monthly newsletters will be sent to E-MAIL accounts Happy Halloween!



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