

# McCormick's Creek State Park

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## Labor Day Weekend

Sat, Sept. 3, 10 am – **Fire Tower Hike**. Meet at Canyon Inn  
Sat, Sept. 3, 1 pm – **Owen County Bicentennial Play** at the Amphitheater.  
Sat, Sept. 3, 4 pm – **Craft** at the Nature Center: Honeysuckle **Autumn Wreaths**.  
Sat, Sept. 3, 8 pm – **Bat talk** at the Nature Center, followed by a short hike.  
Sun, Sept. 4, 10:30 am – **Turtle Feeding** at Canyon Inn.  
Sun, Sept. 4, 3 pm – **Turtle Trot** at the Nature Center.  
Mon, Sept. 5, 10 am – **Canyon Curiosities**. Meet at Canyon Inn for a hike to the Falls.  
Mon. Sept. 5, 3 pm - **Creature Feature** at the Nature Center.

**Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup> 12 noon – 7 pm**

## BBQ & Blues

*Sponsored by the Friends, the Canyon Inn and the Indiana Arts Commission*

**BBQ** by Smokin' Jack's Rib Shack and Carson's BBQ

**Blues** by John Ford, Below Zero Blues Band, Fistful of Bacon and Gordon Bonham  
Classic Car Show and Kids activities

**Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup>  
Archaeology Day**

*Sponsored by the White River Valley Archaeological Association*

**Come to** the Nature Center from 10 am to 4 pm for a trip back in time! Highlights include artifact exhibits, an excavation exhibit, and replica prehistoric tools.

You can even participate in atlatl throwing and flint knapping!

**Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup> - 10 am**

Join the Friends of McCormick's Creek State Park for their fall

**Adopt-A-Highway Cleanup Day!** Meet at Westbrook Shelter to receive directions and pick up all necessary equipment.

**Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup>  
5K Run/Walk & 10K Run**

*Sponsored by the Friends and by the Owen County Family YMCA*

**Race starts at 2:00 pm**

Race Day Registration begins at 1:00 pm @ Nature Center

For information: (812)828-9622 or email [programs@owencountyymca.org](mailto:programs@owencountyymca.org)

On-line Registration: [www.friendsmccormickscreek.org/race-form.html](http://www.friendsmccormickscreek.org/race-form.html)

**Critter Tuesday**

@ Nature Center

**10 am – Backyard Birds**

Help fill our birdfeeders and learn how to attract and identify the birds coming to your backyard.

**2 pm – Critter Feeding**

An opportunity to see our reptiles and amphibians in action, and learn cool facts about them.

**Thursdays'**

@ Nature Center

**3 pm – Nature Film Series**

Stop by the N.C. program room for a relaxing hour and watch one of our many informative and inspiring nature themed films.

**Fridays'**

@ Nature Center

**3 pm – Birding 101**

An excursus over the *what, when, where* and *how* questions and answers for an enjoyable and successful birdwatching hike.

**Wednesday, September 21<sup>st</sup> 8:30 am**

**Owen County Bicentennial  
Torch Relay**

**Morning Hikes @ 10 am**

Fri, Sept. 23 – **Peden Farm Hike**. Meet at Deer Run shelter.

Sat, Sept. 24 – **Wild Edible Hike**. Meet at Canyon Inn.

Fri, Sept. 30 – **Wolf Cave Hike**. Meet at Wolf Cave parking.

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