

Caloosahatchee Regional Park

19130 North River Rd., Alva, FL 33920



Programs

Fall - Winter 2017 Spring 2018

For more information, call Sandra at (239) 693-2690.
Register online at www.LeeParks.org.
or by calling (239) 533-7440.

All Day Kayak Tours

Caloosahatchee Regional Park to Hickey Creek Mitigation Park

This guided tour travels along the Great Calusa Blueway from Caloosahatchee Regional Park to Hickey Creek Mitigation Park and then back to Caloosahatchee. We will paddle an hour and a half each way for a total of 3 hours on the water. As we paddle you will experience one of the area's most scenic waterways. Once we arrive at Hickey Creek we will eat lunch and hike some of the beautiful trails before paddling back. This trip is best for paddlers with kayaking experience and/or in good physical condition for a five-mile paddle. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. All kayaking equipment is provided. Bring your own water, lunch, sunscreen, binoculars, clothing and shoes that can get wet. We meet at 9:00 am in the parking lot of the Cindy Rouse Campground -19130 North River Road. Alva FI.



<u>Thursdays</u> 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Oct. 19, 2017 Dec. 7, 2017

Jan. 25, 2018 Feb. 22, 2018 May 10, 2018

Cost: \$40 per person - Registration Required

Guided Nature Walk September - May



Join park staff on a stroll through natural plant communities. See firsthand the plants and animals that make southwest Florida so unique. Participants should be able to walk approximately one and a half miles. Dress appropriately and bring a water bottle. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. This program is **free with paid parking**. We meet at the main entrance parking lot of the park - 18500 North River Road Alva Fl.

Saturdays 3:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Sept 30, 2017 Oct. 21, 2017 Nov. 18, 2017 Dec. 16, 2017

Jan 20, 2018 Feb. 17, 2018 March 17, 2018 April 21, 2018

May 26, 2018

Two-Hour Kayak Tours

Oxbow Kayak Clinic

This program is designed to teach basic paddling techniques while kayaking. You will have the opportunity to use your new skills on our guided trip. We will paddle the beautiful oxbow islands of the Caloosahatchee River for a two-hour informational tour. Be prepared to experience nature at its best. The tour is perfect for all ages and abilities. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. All kayaking equipment is provided. Bring your own water, sunscreen, binoculars, clothing and shoes that can get wet. We meet at 9:00 am in the parking lot of the Cindy Rouse Campground -19130 North River Road. Alva FI.

Thursdays 9:00 am - 11 am

Nov. 2, 2017 Dec. 14, 2017

March 8, 2018 May 3, 2018

Cost \$25 per person - Registration Required

Cypress Creek Kayak Tour

This slow-paced paddle is a great for all experience levels. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. All kayaking equipment is provided. Bring your own water, sunscreen, binoculars, clothing and shoes that can get wet. We meet in the parking lot of the Cindy Rouse Campground -19130 North River Road. Alva Fl.

<u>Thursdays 9:00 am - 11:00 pm</u>

Nov. 9, 2017 Jan. 18, 2017

March 15, 2018 April 12, 2018

Cost: \$25 per person — Registration Required

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Preschool Program 3 - 6 years olds. 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

These programs generally include a story, a fun lesson, a hike, a game and a craft.

The cost is \$5 per child.

A parking fee is required.

Participants meet at the main entrance at 18500 North River Road.

Pre-registration required.

Walk for Fitness

Daily 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Grab your neighbor and a friend for a healthy walk. Bring your water bottle, wear comfortable clothes, walking-tennis shoes, and burn some calories by walking the trails at the park.

This is an ongoing program that you can start anytime. Parking fee is required.

Fire, Family 'n Fun Saturday 6 p.m. - 7 p.m.

10/21 11/18 12/16 1/20/18 2/17/18 3/17/18

Free to campers and visitors with a parking fee (\$1 per hour or \$5 per day). Campfire activities are at the outdoor amphitheater within the park and include a bonfire (when conditions allow). Bench seating and grassy areas are available; however, visitors are more than welcome to bring camp chairs and blankets for

Home School Programs

<u>Date</u>	Topic	<u>Time</u>
Thursday, September 28	Wet Walk	9-11 a.m.
Thursday, October 26	Kayaking	9-11 a.m.
Thursday, November 16	Fishing	9-11 a.m.
Thursday, December 14	Wood Burning	2-3 p.m.



Age requirements and price varies from \$5 to \$10 for each home school program. A parking fee is required.

the main entrance at 18500 North River pole, or just come and hike the trails.

meet in the parking lot of the Cindy Rouse Campground -19130 North River Road. Alva Fl.

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Children's Events

5 years old and up Saturday 3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

September 2nd. Bingo *September 23th. **Fishing** *October 7th. Hike *November 11th. Fishing Face painting December 2nd. February 3rd. 2018 Outdoor games Face painting March 3rd. 2018 March 31st. 2018 **Bird Houses**



We are offering a variety of outdoors activities for children each month <u>Wet Walk and Fishing Programs</u> meet at at the park. Get your child's face painted, come over with your finishing

Price varies from \$5.00 to \$10.00 per participant.

<u>Kayaking and Wood Burning</u> programs | Programs listed above that are marked with an asterisk (*) meet at the main entrance at 18500 North River Road.

> The other programs meet in the parking lot of the Cindy Rouse Campground -19130 North River Road. Alva Fl. and are held at the Caloosa Lodge.

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