## NATURE DAZE 2019



Saturday, September 7, 2019 CYO Camp Rancho Framasa 2230 Clay Lick Road Nashville, IN 47448

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	Invited Speakers		
Geriann Albers	IDNR Furbearer Biologist		
Gillian Field	Indiana Gillian! Invasive Fighter!		
Tommy Gunn	Forester, The Nature Conservancy		
Ellen Jacquart	Chair, MC-IRIS; President, Indiana Native Plant Society		
John Lawrence	Executive Director, Sycamore Land Trust		
Dan Shaver	The Nature Conservancy, Project Director		
Sharen Sorenson	Indiana author, "Planting Native to Attract Birds" and		
	"Birds in the Yard Month by Month"		

Agenda for the Day					
8:30 - 9:00am	Check-in				
9:00 - 9:20am	Welcome!				
Concurrent Morning Sessions Choose three	Geriann Albers  Handies	Ellen Jacquart & Gillian Field Adventure Outpost	Dan Shaver  Campfire Circle	Sharen Sorenson  Chapel	
9:30am - 10:10am	Muskrat Love and	Neighborhood Invasive	Ice Age to Oak Tree:	Planting Natives for	
10:20am - 11:00am 11:10am - 11:50am	Hate: Wildlife in your Pond	Plant Control	Forest Succession and Natural Disturbance	Lovely Landscapes and Beautiful Birds	
12:00pm - 1:15 pm	Lunch in the Pavilion				
1:30pm - 3:00pm Concurrent Afternoon Sessions	Tommy Gunn Low Tech Invasive Plant Control  Campfire Circle	John Lawrence The Laura Hare Nature Preserve at Downey Hill Camp shuttle bus available	From camp, head south on Clay Lick Rd for 2.3 miles. Turn east towards Gnawbone onto Old State Rd 46. In 3.8 miles turn right onto Valley Branch Rd. Drive 1.5 miles. Turn left into a small gravel parking lot.		
	Bewilder Kids Program				
9:30am - 10:10am	Backyard Bird Nests  Kids learn about the design process of different types of bird nests, then create a nest of their own.				
10:20am - 11:00am	Discovery Hike  Kids will explore nature to find new plants and learn how all elements of our forest interact.				
11:10am - 11:50am	Living with the Land  How did early Hoosiers thrive by living with the land? Learn how to live with the land in 2019 Indiana.				
12:00pm - 1:15 pm	Lunch and Bounce House!				
1:30 - 2:00pm	Journaling Like a Naturalist  Spend time in nature observing, investigating, writing, drawing, discovering, & making new connections.				
2:00 - 3:00pm	Creek Stomp Hike  Get your feet wet, make creek paint, hunt for crawdads and other critters along our Creek Hike!				