

NOTES FROM THE DIRECTOR - 4/16/2024

FROM THE DIRECTOR & OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT

ODNR ARCHERY GRANT

Nearly all equipment that was ordered has arrived.

We will be purchasing supplies in April to make mobile quivers for the arrows.

TOTAL SOLAR ECLIPSE

Throughout the month of March, we continued preparations for total solar eclipse, with many contacts from out-of-state people interested in viewing the event.

It was an experience of a lifetime! Figures and pictures for event are still being compiled, and will be shared next month.

Unfortunately, SNP was underwater for most of Eclipse weekend. But many visitors to other locations!



Seneca County Eclipse t-shirts are still available at the office for anyone wanting some memorabilia of the event.

ST. JOHN'S MILL RIVER ACCESS

Moving forward with the landscaping and finishing the parking lot will help to wrap up the general site layout this year.

SNOW BUNNY ACTIVITY

The new find-it in the park activity challenged participants to find a much smaller than Sasquatch figure in the parks. So far, 22 participants have correctly unscrambled and submitted the answer to claim their winter surprise.

FROM THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

PUBLIC PROGRAMS, PARTICIPATION, & PARTNERSHIP SUMMARY

Special Request Outreach Programs & Events

In addition to the regularly schedule Park programs, listed below are other agencies who received programming opportunities from the Seneca Parks in February & March:

Bellevue Preschools (2)

Fostoria City Preschools (4)

Fostoria YMCA (1)

GLCAP Fostoria (1)

GLCAP Tiffin (1)

Lincoln Preschools (6)

Out & About Preschool Winter Gathering (1)

Seneca Co Homeschoolers (1)

Seneca East Preschool (2)

Sentinel—Family Learning Center (3)

Tiffin Developmental Center (1)

Wesley Center (1)

ECI—cancelled (Linda sick)

Ag in the Classroom (15)

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New Riegel Elementary Nature Club (1)

Seneca Co Homeschoolers (1)

Seneca East Preschool (2)

GENERAL PROGRAM REGISTRATIONS:

	Feb (2023)	Total
Programs	37 (35)	66 (61)
Participants	605 (486)	954 (769)

^{*}Feb #s updated to include Snow Bunny Activity.

GENERAL PROGRAM REGISTRATIONS:

	Mar (2 <mark>023)</mark>	Total
Programs	50 (45)	116 (106)
Participants	757 (736)	1,799 (1,505)