



UPCOMING EVENTS

August 2017

AUGUST 18, 2017

Bat "Talk and Walk" with Toby Thorne

Bat expert, Toby tell us lots of interesting facts about these fascinating animals and the work taking place in Ontario and Thickson's Woods to better understand how we can protect them. Toby will then lead a walk in the Reserve to see and hear bats as they leave their roosts to feed.

7pm

Meet in the Meadow - Bring bug spray and a flash light.

AUGUST 19, 2017

POLLINATOR DAY

Moths of Thickson's Woods



Many people do not know that moths are pollinators and at Thickson's Woods we have been actively studying the moths of the Reserve. We will run some moth traps during the night and have moths on display in the morning. You will be amazed at the diversity of the almost 1000 moths that we have recorded.

Butterfly "Talk and Walk" with Jenna Siu

Jenna is our butterfly expert and has a very informed and passionate presentation on the butterflies found in Ontario and at Thickson's Woods. We will then walk around the Meadow and see which butterflies we can find.



Bumble Bee "Talk and Walk" with Sarah Johnson



Sarah is studying the Bumble Bees of Ontario as part of a Wildlife Preservation Canada initiative to protect declining bees, Sarah will talk about her work, the efforts to protect the bees by WPC and lead a walk to find and identify the bees in the Reserve.

11.30am - 2.00pm

Meet in the Meadow- sunscreen is advisable

The events are free but if you plan to attend, please let us know.

With all outdoor events the weather plays a critical role in its success and last minute cancellations are possible. If in doubt, contact me by email. Meet at the platform in the meadow 200m along the Waterfront Trail East of Thickson Road, Whitby.

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