



BRANDWEIN
I N S T I T U T E
2021 Calendar of Events

Sundays Kids in Nature (K.I.N) Club

Join our K.I.N. Club for 8 afternoons of playful outdoor exploration and creative discovery! The 3rd Sunday of each month, April - November from 2:30 pm to 4:30 pm, each session will feature hands-on activities including hikes, games, crafts, and stories. **A special award will be given to each child that attends all 8 sessions!** This program series, led by Naturalist Sara Mayes, is for elementary-aged children accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Pre-register at: <https://waiver.fr/p-acLBm>



- APR. 18 - Nature Detectives
- MAY 16 - Fabulous Feathers
- JUNE 20 - Geology Rocks
- JULY 18 - Summer Sizzle
- AUG. 15 - Mini-Beast Safari
- SEPT. 19 - Time Travelers
- OCT. 17 - Leaf it to Us
- NOV. 21 - Its Snow Time

Search for Eagles

Brandwein Institute **Search for Eagles**, led by Jack Padalino, Emeritus President. Travel by personal car caravan to:

- Hawk's Nest Overlook • Upper Delaware Scenic River
- Mongaup Eagle Observation Blind • Rio Reservoir • Lackawaxen River

Meet at **8 am** at PEEC (Pocono Environmental Education Center)
538 Emery Road, Dingman's Ferry, PA

Advanced Registration is required:

Contact Jack Padalino by phone or email.
Phone: 845.325.0536 or jackpeec@aol.com

- JAN. 10, 2021 - 8:00 am to 4:00 pm
- FEB. 14, 2021 - 8:00 am to 4:00 pm
- MAR. 14, 2021 - 8:00 am to 4:00 pm
- DEC. 12, 2021 - 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Saturdays - A Story and A Stroll

Enjoy nature with your little one the 3rd Saturday of each month May - November from 10:00 am to 11:30 am. Bring your child or grandchild (**toddler to age 4**) for a nature-themed storytime followed by a wonder-filled walk through the preserve with Naturalist, **Sara Mayes**. Our beautiful trails are easily walkable and all-terrain urban stroller friendly. Rain or shine.

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- MAY 15 - Hooray for Hoppy
- JUNE 19 - Have You Heard the Nesting Bird?
- JULY 17 - Waiting for Wings
- AUG. 21 - Fish is Fish
- SEPT. 18 - Walter's Wonderful Web
- OCT. 17 - Fall Leaves Fall

Brandwein Institute Summer Science Camp

Hands-on field based nature and science education led by Master Teacher, Kasey Stankunas. Monday - Friday from 9 am to 3 pm.

- July 12 to 16 - Summer Science Day Camp - week 1
- July 19 to 23 - Summer Science Day Camp - week 2

Pre-register at: <https://waiver.fr/p-e9Wgd>



Grades 1 - 9
\$175 for 1 week, \$250 for 2 weeks
Discounts for more than 1 child in family

Limited enrollment (35 students) Register Early

Brandwein Special Events

APR. 25 - Annual Preserve Clean-up sponsored by the Tri-State Geocaching Club with **Kevin Devizia** from 9:30 am to 2:30 pm For adults and children 5 and older with parent.

MAY 2 - Welcoming Bluebirds Learn about bluebirds and how to help them as we walk our new Bluebird Trail with **Sara Mayes**. From 1 pm to 3 pm. For children 5 and older with parent.

JUNE 6 - Art in Nature I. Create art inspired by the colors and patterns found in nature, with **Sara Mayes** from 1 pm to 3 pm. For children 5 and older with parent.

AUG. 29 - Trails at Twilight Enjoy a guided exploration of our trails as nature settles into evening. Led by **Sara Mayes** from 7 pm to 9 pm. For children 5 and older with parent.

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SEPT. 12 - Be a Rockhound A fun, hands-on introduction to rock collecting led by **Sara Mayes**. From 1 pm to 3 pm. For children 5 and older with parent.

Oct. 3 - Art in Nature II Create ephemeral art using natural objects. Led by **Sara Mayes** from 1 pm to 3 pm. For children 5 and older with parent.

Oct. 10 - Intermediate and Advanced Geocaching Led by **Kevin Devizia** from 1 pm to 3 pm.

Oct. 24 - Birds of Prey Up Close Led by **Bill Streeter** of Delaware Valley Raptors from 1 pm to 2:30 pm. For families of all ages.

All programs in 2021 will adhere to NY State Covid-19 regulations. Social distancing, masks, hand sanitization and other precautions will be applied. Our programs will require pre-registration and group sizes will be strictly adhered to.

Brandwein Nature Learning Preserve
400 Minisink Turnpike, Port Jervis, NY
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