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September 17 and 18, 2011

## 10 am - 5 pm daily

**Colliers Mills Wildlife Management Area** 

Jackson Township, NJ

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Hosted by:

Green Acres Program









The Wild Outdoor Expo is a free event designed to build appreciation for New Jersey's bountiful natural resources and to encourage increased participation in outdoor recreation through a unique blend of conservation information, education and hands-on opportunities to learn about and experience a wide range of outdoor skills and activities. Attendees are encouraged to try their hand at fishing, hiking, shooting sports, kayaking, camping skills, wildlife watching and more. This event is hosted by the NJDEP Division of Fish and Wildlife, Parks and Forestry, the Green Acres Program and the Conserve Wildlife Foundation of New Jersey.

#### **ONGOING ACTIVITIES**

Please note that all programs, exhibits and activities are subject to change.

Ongoing Activities and Exhibits	Location (see map)
General Information Tent	Main Entrance
New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection Exhibits and Activities	NJDEP Tent
Environmental, Recreation, Wildlife Rehab, and Nature Photography Exhibits and Activities	Environmental Tent
Conservation Exhibits and Decoy Carving Demos	Conservation Tent
WILD Crafts for Kids	Conservation Tent
Additional Environmental, Conservation and Recreation Exhibits	Exhibitor Area
Historical Encampment and Re-enactment	Historical Encampment
Forestry Stewardship Demonstrations (Seedling Potting on 9/18)	Tree ID Walks and Sawmill
NJ Forest Fire Service's Tracks Dogs and Smokey Bear	NJDEP Tent
Hunting & Fishing Regulations Q&A with NJ Conservation Officers	NJDEP Tent
"Open House" Family Campsite: Camping & Cooking Demos at 11 am, 1 pm, 3:30 pm	"Open House" Campsite
Mobile Aquarium and Fishing Demos at 11 am, 12 pm, 2 pm, 3 pm	Fish Tank
Kiddie Fishing Tank: (Ages 4-7)	Kiddie Tank
Kids Fishing: (Ages 8-16) 10:30 am-4:30 pm. Register at Kids Fishing Area.	Kids Fishing Area
Fly Fishing Instruction & Demos: Sessions run for 45 minutes from 10 am to 4:45 pm. Register at fly casting station.	Casting Area
NJ Bass Federation Casting Instruction	Casting Area
Inflatable Soil Tunnel	Soil Tunnel
Rock Climbing (\$3 fee per climb)	Climbing Wall
Kayaking for Beginners: (Ages 12+) Sessions last 2 hours and begin at 10:15 am, 1:00 pm, 3:00 pm. Registration required at Kayak Workshop Area. Appropriate attire is encouraged.	Kayak Workshops Area
Howling Woods Animal Rescue & NJ Rescue and Recovery Canine Missing Person Search	Howling Woods/Rescue Dog
"Build a Bat House" Workshops at 11 am and 1:30 pm (\$5 fee to build a bat house)	Conservation Tent
Outdoor Supply Flea Market	Commercial Vendor Area
Food Vendors and Picnic Area	Picnic Area
Archery Fun-Shoot & Traditional Archery Skills	Shooting Range
Introduction to Archery, Shotgun and .22 Rifle Ranges (Ages 10+)	Shooting Range, .22 Range
3-D Archery Range (Ages 10+ with an adult) Users must provide their own equipment.	3-D Archery Range
Hunter Education Classes start at 8:00 AM. Must pre-register at www.wildlifelicense.com/nj/	Hunter Education Tent

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#### SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES, SEMINARS & DEMOS

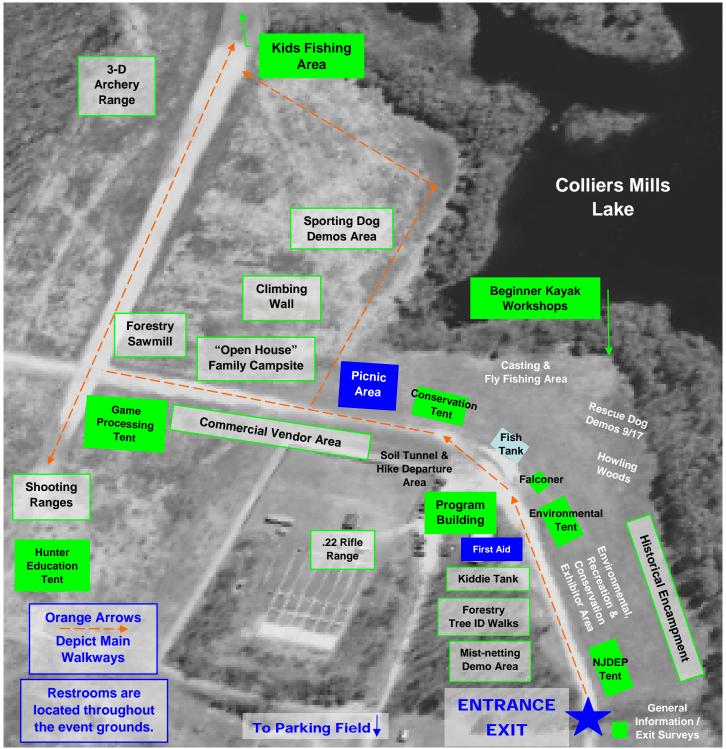
Time		Activity or Seminar	Location (see map)
10 AM	10:15 - 10:45	"Backpacking Basics" Program	Program Building
	10:15	NJ Trackers Deer Tracking Dog Demo	Sporting Dog Demos Area
	10:15	Songbird Mist-Netting Demo	Mist-Netting Demo Area
	10:30	Beginner Birding Walks	Depart at Mist-Netting Demo Area
	10:30	Orienteering Treasure Hunt (\$3 fee for a map; \$1 for extra group maps)	Environmental Tent
	10:45	Wildlife Research! Scat Detection Dog Demo	Sporting Dog Demos Area
11 AM	11:00	Archery Trick Shooting Show by Chris Hurt - SATURDAY ONLY	In .22 Rifle Range
	11:00 - 11:45	The true story of old-time waterfowlers & legendary decoy carvers from Author of <i>The Decoy Artist, America's Last Hunter-Carver</i>	Program Building
	11:00	Hunting Dog Water Retrieving Demo	Sporting Dog Demos Area
	11:30	Orienteering Treasure Hunt (\$3 fee for a map; \$1 for extra group maps)	Environmental Tent
	11:30	Tree Identification Walks	Forestry Tree ID Walks
	11:30	Fernbrook Farms: Beginner Compass Reading Course for Kids	Environmental Tent
	11:30	NJ K-9 Search and Rescue Missing Person Demos - SATURDAY ONLY	Rescue Dog Demo Area
	11:45	Songbird Mist-Netting Demo	Mist-Netting Demo Area
12 PM	12:00	Beginner Birding Walks	Depart at Mist-Netting Demo Area
	12:00	Walk on the WILD Side Conservation Education Hike	Hike Departure Area
	12:00 - 12:45	Dispelling the Myth of the Big Bad Wolf	Program Building
	12:30	"Animal Tracking" Walk - SATURDAY ONLY	Hike Departure Area
	12:30	Wildlife Research! Scat Detection Dog Demo	Sporting Dog Demos Area
1 PM	1:00 - 1:45	"Snakes of NJ" Program with LIVE REPTILES	Program Building
	1:00	Hunting Dog Water Retrieving Demos	Sporting Dog Demos Area
	1:00	Turkey Calling/Hunting Demos by NJ Chapter of the NWTF	NWTF Booth in Exhibitor Area
	1:00 - 1:45	Gamebutcher's Deer Processing Demo - SATURDAY ONLY	Game Processing Tent
	1:00 - 1:45	NJ Trappers Fur Handling Demo - SUNDAY ONLY	Game Processing Tent
	1:30	Tree Identification Walks	Forestry Tree ID Walks
	1:30	Orienteering Treasure Hunt (\$3 fee for a map; \$1 for extra group maps)	Environmental Tent
	1:30 - 2:30	Carve a Mini Duck Decoy - Open to first 20 children with parents	Conservation Tent - Crafts Table
2 PM	2:00	Archery Trick Shooting Show by Chris Hurt - SATURDAY ONLY	In .22 Rifle Range
	2:00	NJ Trackers Deer Tracking Dog Demo	Sporting Dog Demos Area
	2:00 - 2:30	"Kayak Fishing in NJ's Lakes" Program	Program Building
	2:00	Flight of the Raptor Program	Falconer Tent
	2:30	Orienteering Treasure Hunt (\$3 fee for a map; \$1 for extra group maps)	Environmental Tent
	2:30 - 3:30	Flying WILD Activities for Kids	Program Building
	2:30	Beginner Birding Walks	Depart at Mist-Netting Demo Area
	2:30	NJ K-9 Search and Rescue Missing Person Demos - SATURDAY ONLY	Rescue Dog Demo Area
3 PM	3:00	Hunting Dog Water Retrieving Demos	Sporting Dog Demos Area
	3:00	Fernbrook Farms: Beginner Compass Reading Course for Kids	Environmental Tent
	3:00 - 3:30	A Day in the Life of a NJ Conservation Officer	NJDEP Tent - CO Exhibit
	3:30 - 4:30	Conserve Wildlife Foundation of NJ Program (Bats of NJ)	Program Building
4 PM	4:00	Turkey Calling/Hunting Demos by NJ Chapter of the NWTF	NWTF Booth in Exhibitor Area
	4:00	Flight of the Raptor Program	Falconer Tent

Please complete an Exit Survey as you leave the Outdoor Expo so the hosts can gather information to improve this event. Exit surveys are available by the General Information tent.



### NJ WILD OUTDOOR EXPO SITE MAP

*This is a representational map. It is not to scale and it is subject to change.* 



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