

Wissahickon Nature Club

Tonight's Speaker is Kirsi Jansa



Thursday, April 12, 7:30 pm. **Kirsi Jansa** will present **How to Face the Challenges Climate Change Presents Us Without Becoming Overwhelmed**. Sustainability Pioneers, locally produced short documentaries, showcase individuals, communities and states in the US and in Europe taking bold climate action. The screening will be followed by a community conversation led by the Sustainability Pioneers director **Kirsi Jansa**.

Announcements

Treasurer's Report

According to Dianne Machesney,
Treasurer 412.366.7869

No activity.

New Balance \$1227.01

Worth Repeating

Protect our beautiful world.

—Sir David Attenborough

Thank you Kate St.John

For uploading everything from **Joan Tague's** original Wissahickon Website to our current one. Please notice that the trip reports (the sidebar by month-year) extends back to 2008 and there is a new Menu item called **Remembering Esther Allen** at <http://www.wissahickonnatureclub.com/>

DON'T MISS OUR NEXT PROGRAM.

Thursday, May 10, 7:30 pm. **Steve Leitkam** will present **Buffalo Treehopper (Stictocephala bisonia), The Transformation of a Nymph, to an Adult.**



CELEBRATE NATURE!

Vernal Pool by Chuck Tague

Botanical Society of Western Pennsylvania

Loree Speedy 724.518.6022

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<http://www.botsocwpa.org/>

Meeting

Dave Koenig, Program Chair
Monday, May 14, 7:15 pm.

Outings Botanical and Wissahickon
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Friday, April 20, 1:00 pm. Linn Run
State Park, Grove Run Trail Mark &
Loree 724.518.6022

Sunday, April 22, 1:00 pm. Bradys Run
Park by Judy Stark 412.363.0462

Friday, April 27, 10:00 am. Raccoon
Creek Wildflower Reserve Dianne
Machsney 412.366.7869

Saturday, April 28, 10:30 am.
Friendship Hill National Historic Site
by Loree 724.518.6022

Sunday, April 29, All Day! Enlow Fork
Natural Area

Saturday, May 5, 10:00 am. Wildflower
Wanderings at Moraine State Park with
Bonnie Isaac. McDanel's Launch Area,

Sunday, May 6, 1:00 pm. Butler-
Freeport Trail with Adam. Haritan
Monroe Road Trailhead

Monday, May 7, 10:00 am. Wolf Creek
Narrows

May 12, Saturday, 1:00 pm Limestone
Run by Loree Speedy

Saturday, May 19, 1:00 pm Cedar Creek

Gorge, by Judy and Loree

For directions please visit our website or
contact the trip leader.

www.wissahickonnatureclub.com

Fern Hollow Nature Center

1901 Glen Mitchell Road

Sewickley, PA 15143

412.741.6136 Stacey Widenhofer

<http://www.fhnc.org/>

Saturday, April 28, 10:00 am. Spring
Wildflower Walk by Henry Schumacher.
Meet at FHNC and then head to some
local wildflowers hotspots.

Fridays, April 20, May 18 and June 8,
6:00 pm. Nature Night Out, ages 5 -10.
Bring a peanut-free snack. Register
online.\$12 / \$15.

Three Rivers Birding Club

Bob VanNewkirk, President

412.366.1694 www.3rbc.org

Meeting

Wednesday, June 6, Kathy Miller
will show photos of the birds and the
people of Papua New Guinea.

Outings

Steve Thomas, Outings Director

Saturday, April 21, 9:30 am.
Raccoon Creek State Park,
combination bird, wildflower walk
and picnic with the Brooks Bird
Club. Ryan Tomazin will lead the
bird walk. Meet at the Roadside
Picnic Area West.

Sunday, April 29, 8:00 am.
Schenley Park by Kate St. John.
Meet in front of the Schenley Park
Cafe & Visitors Center located at
101 Panther Hollow Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15213: (Schenley
Park Cafe).

Friday, May 4, 8:00 am. Sewickley
Heights Borough Park by Bob
VanNewkirk. Meet at Sewickley Heights
Borough Park.

Saturday, May 5, 8:00 am. Harrison
Hills Park. Meet Jim Valimont at this
county park off Freeport Road between
Natrona Heights and Freeport. As you
enter the park, bear right and proceed to
the parking lot at the end of the road near
the pond.

Friday, May 11, 8:00 am. Presque Isle
State Park led by Bob VanNewkirk. Bring
a lunch, snacks and water for this all day
outing. Meet at the first parking lot on the
right after entering the park.

Friday, May 11, 8:00 am. Sewickley
Heights Borough Park by Sheree
Daugherty. Meet at the upper parking lot.
Besides birding in the park we will drive and
make stops along Little Sewickley Creek.

Saturday, May 12, 6:30 am. Deer Lakes
Park. Todd Hoend Oliver Lindhiem will
lead this outing focusing on spring migrants
(warblers, flycatchers, vireos, etc.). Meet at
the small lot across from Wagman
Observatory.

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Special Event

Joint Event with FHNC

Saturday, July 7, 8:00 pm.
Fascinating Fireflies by Jeff
Calta. Learn the lifecycle and
behaviors of the butterfly followed
by a bonfire and s'mores
Registration required fhnc.org
412.741.6136. Stacey Widenhofer

**Western Pennsylvania
Mushroom Club**

wpamushroomclub.org.

Monthly Meeting

Tuesday, April 17, 7:00 pm..La Monte
Yarroll will explain the work of the North
American Mycological Association (NAMA)
Mycoflora 2.0 committee.

Emma Honcharski will talk about her work
with mushrooms at various non-profit
organizations. Beechwood Farms Nature
Reserve, 614 Dorseyville Road. Free.

Outings

Saturday, April 14, 3:30 pm. Post class
Walk Salamander Park, Fox Chapel.

Saturday, April 21, Noon. Morel
Mushroom Walk, Pine Ridge Lodge,
Blairsville

For more information, email
cs4wpmc@gmail.com