



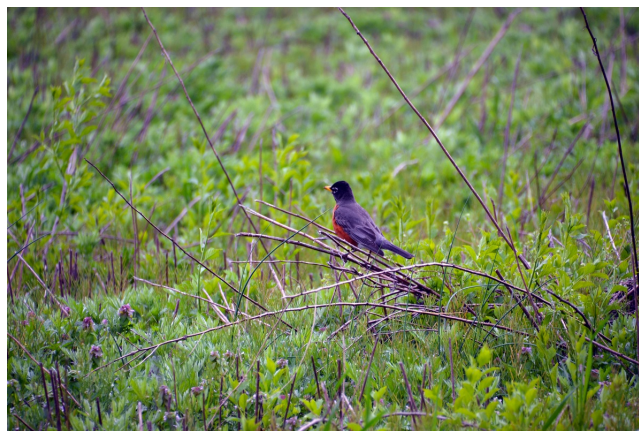
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### ENJOY MARCH IN A COUNTY PARK



LINCROFT — Believe it or not, spring is just around the corner! The Monmouth County Park System invites area residents to welcome the season in a park. During the month of March, the Park System has planned the following activities:

#### **Splendid Spring Strolls**

**Monday, March 1 from 10-11:30 a.m.**

**Huber Woods Park, Middletown - Meet in the Environmental Center parking lot.**

**Monday, March 15 from 10-11:30 a.m.**

**Big Brook Park, Marlboro - Meet in the parking lot.**

**Monday, March 29 from 10-11:30 a.m.**

**Hartshorne Woods Park - Meet in the Rocky Point parking lot in Highlands.**

Say “farewell” to the frosty weather as you join a Park System Naturalist on a peaceful trail walk. Sturdy footwear is recommended as trails used may have inclines or tree roots to step over. **FREE!**

### **Yarn Bee**

**Saturday, March 6 from 12-2:30 p.m.**

**Historic Longstreet Farm, Holmdel**

Whether just starting a new hobby or working on an old project, all are welcome to this gathering! The relaxed atmosphere means no pressure - you can knit or crochet at your own pace, and farm staff will be on hand to assist those needing a little extra help. Bring your own supplies. Open to ages 10 and up; under 18 with adult. The cost is \$5 per person; cash or check only.

### **Accordion Melodies of the 1890s**

**Saturday, March 13 from 1-3 p.m.**

**Historic Longstreet Farm, Holmdel**

Hear melodies of the 1890s played on the accordion during your visit. **FREE!**

### **Backyard Chickens**

**Saturday, March 13 from 12-2 p.m.**

**Historic Longstreet Farm, Holmdel**

Join the farm staff for this discussion that covers basic poultry needs such as feed, water, shelter, and routine care, as well as general anatomy and egg production. **FREE!**

### **Casual Birder**

**Tuesday, March 16 at 9 a.m.**

**Dorbrook Recreation Area, Colts Neck - Meet in the soccer field parking area.**

**Tuesday, March 30 at 9 a.m.**

**Big Brook Park, Marlboro - Meet in the parking lot.**

Join a Park System Naturalist for a laid-back morning bird walk and meander through the park for about an hour and a half to see what birds we can find. No need to be an expert at identifying birds to enjoy. A limited number of binoculars will be available to borrow if needed. **FREE!**

## **19th Century Woodworking Demonstration**

**Saturday, March 20 from 12-3 p.m.**

**Historic Longstreet Farm, Holmdel**

See how the carpenter uses 19th century woodworking and carving tools during this demonstration. **FREE!**

To learn more about these Park System activities, please visit [www.MonmouthCountyParks.com](http://www.MonmouthCountyParks.com) or call the Park System at 732-842-4000. For persons with hearing impairment, the Park System TTY/TDD number is 711. The Monmouth County Park System, created in 1960 by the Monmouth County Board of Chosen Commissioners, is Monmouth County's Open Space, Parks, and Recreation agency.

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