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PACK SOME FUN INTO SUMMER

*Forsyth County Parks and Recreation's Outdoor Division to host
several summer camps*

FORSYTHCOUNTY, Georgia – Pack some fun into summer without even packing a tent or sleeping bag. Sign up for one or more of the summer camps hosted by Forsyth County Park and Recreation's Outdoor Division.

Young Mountaineers Camp

Explore Sawnee Mountain while learning about the animals and plants living in the forest. Camp activities will include hiking, nature games, crafts, stories and more. This camp is for children ages 4 to 6 and will be held at the Bettis-Tribble Gap entrance of Sawnee Mountain Preserve from 9 a.m. to noon.

Activity 363809-A (Animal Habitats): June 1-4; \$64 for county residents and \$76.80 for non-county residents

Activity 363809-B (Going Buggy): June 7-11*

Activity 363809-C (Life in the Forest): June 14-18*

Activity 363809-D (Winged Wonders): June 21-25*

Activity 363809-F (Water Wonders): July 12-16*

Activity 363809-G (Rocks and Minerals): July 19-23*

Activity 363809-H (Amazing Mammals): July 26-30*

*\$80 for county residents and \$96 for non-county residents

Explorer Camp

Explore the trails of Sawnee Mountain Preserve. Camp activities will focus on a different theme each week and include hiking, tree climbing, canopy walk ropes course, games, crafts and guest speakers. This camp is for children ages 7 to 10 and will be held at the Sawnee Mountain Preserve Visitor Center from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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Activity 363220-A (Habitat Hunt): June 1-4; \$108 for county residents and \$129.60 for non-county residents

Activity 363220-B (Amazing Animals): June 21-25; \$135 for county residents and \$162 for non-county residents

Activity 363220-C (World of Flight): July 6-9; \$108 for county residents and \$129.60 for non-county residents

Eco-Adventure Camp

Spend the week tree climbing, experiencing the canopy walk ropes course and visiting local sites to kayak, hike, swim and explore. Each week will include field trips to various locations, possibly including tubing, gold and gem panning, the Big Creek Greenway in Forsyth County and the Tellus Science Museum in Bartow County. Meet at the Sawnee Mountain Preserve Visitor Center.

Activity 363520-A: June 7-11*

Activity 363520-B: June 21-25*

Activity 363520-C: July 6-9*

Activity 363520-D: July 26-30*

*\$185 for county residents and \$222 for non-county residents

Eco-Camp

Petunia Gardner (Mary Nix) and Denise Carleton of Reaping Nature Productions will present children ages 6 to 11 with activities, games and presentations aimed at connecting campers to nature and the environment. All campers will receive a T-shirt and DVD of their camp experience. Camp schedule and details are available by calling 770.490.1083 or by visiting www.reapingnature.com. This camp will be held at Sawnee Mountain Preserve Visitor Center from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Activity 3634420-A: June 14-18*

Activity 3634420-B: June 28-July 2*

Activity 3634420-C: July 19-23*

*\$185 for county residents and \$222 for non-county residents

The Bettis-Tribble Gap entrance of Sawnee Mountain Preserve is located at 2500 Bettis-Tribble Gap Road in Cumming. The Sawnee Mountain Preserve Visitor Center is located at 4075 Spot Road in Cumming. Pre-registration is required for all programs. An activity registration form can be found on the Parks and Recreation Department page at www.forsythco.com. Online registration is also available. To receive additional program information, call the Outdoor Division at 770.781.2217.

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