

# JUNE AT HOLT PARK



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31 Preschool Nature 11am—12pm	1	2 Creative Clay Flower Tiles 6:30-8:00pm	3 Nature Cabin 12—3pm Campfire 6:30—8pm
4 Rainbow Paint Night 6—8pm	5	6	7 Natural Art: Strawberries 6:30-7:30pm	8	9	10 Nature Cabin 12—3pm
11 Build a Bird Nest 1—2pm	12	13	14 Preschool Nature 11am—12pm	15	16 Creative Clay Flower Tiles (Painting) 6:30-8:00p	17 Nature Cabin 12—3pm
18 Firefly Night Hike 8:00—9:30	19	20	21 Preschool Nature 11am—12pm Natural Art: Macramé Sun 6:30-7:30pm	22	23	24 Nature Cabin 12—3pm
25	26	27	28 Preschool Nature 11am—12pm	29	30	1 Nature Cabin 12—3pm

# JULY AT HOLT PARK



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
25	26	27	28 Preschool Nature 11am—12pm	29	30	1 Nature Cabin 12—3pm	
2	3	4	5 Preschool Nature 11am—12pm	6	7	8 Nature Cabin 12—3pm	
9 Dinosaur Party 5—7pm	10	11	12 Natural Art: Lotus Book 6:30-7:30pm	13	14 Creative Clay Tree Trunks 6:30-8:00pm	15 Nature Cabin 12—3pm	
16 20 de Julio Fogata (Campfire) 7:30—9pm	17	18	19	20	21	22	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	
30	31	Little Nature Explorers Camp: Monday July 24 - Friday July 28, 9am - 3pm					
			Natural Art: Spinners 6:30-7:30pm			Creative Clay Tree Trunks 6:30-8:00pm	

**To Pre-Register For Programs**, please visit our website at: [www.overleafrc.com/programs/holtpark](http://www.overleafrc.com/programs/holtpark). Pre-registration is required. Payment is accepted in cash or check only. Should you require special accommodations (American sign language interpreter, large print, etc.) please call the Therapeutic Office at 410-887-5370. TTY users call via Maryland Relay 711.

# AUGUST AT HOLT PARK



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1	2 Natural Art: Sand Candle 6:30-7:30pm	3	4	5 Nature Cabin 12—3pm  Campfire 6:30—8pm
Nature Explorer Camp: Monday July 31 - Friday August 4, 9am - 3pm						
6	7	8	9	10	11 <b>ARTSFEST</b> 5—9pm	12 <b>ARTSFEST</b> 12—5pm
13 <b>ARTSFEST</b> 12—5pm	14	15	16	17	18	19 Nature Cabin 12—3pm
20 Hungry, Hungry Caterpillars 1—2pm	21	22	23 Natural Art: Fish Shirts 6:30-7:30pm	24	25 Moonlight Paint Night 6—8pm	26 Nature Cabin 12—3pm
27 Insect Safari 11am-12pm	28	29	30 <b>Preschool</b> Nature Hour resumes in September!	1	2	3 Nature Cabin 12—3pm

# Holt Park and Center for the Arts

**Address:** 34 Elmont Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21206

**Website:** [www.overleafrc.com/programs/holtpark](http://www.overleafrc.com/programs/holtpark)

## About the Park

Holt Park is comprised of thirteen acres of meadow, woodland, and lawn, with landmarks such as a lily pond, garden, campfire ring, outdoor amphitheater, historic cabins, and walking trail. The Holt Center offers educational nature and art programs for the public which are affordable or free.



## Holt's History

What is now a public park was originally the McCormick family farm. In the 1930s, the country was in the grips of the Great Depression and Lillian, then in her 40s, was unmarried. Her father worried for her future and from this concern grew a plan: he and others built six rustic cabins on the property, three to be rented for income and one for Lillian, which she later called "The Marchalotte House."

From the time that the McCormick family moved there, Lillian's parents Tom and Hattie ensured that the land was shared with the community. Tom led religious study in the woods and built the amphitheater for children's services. Lillian earned a degree in religious education and, in 1925, a preacher's license, which was very uncommon for a woman of her time.

Lillian married Methodist minister John E. Holt in 1945, and they enjoyed nineteen years of marriage before his death in 1964. She often painted from her porch, and it is in the memory of her love of the arts, including storytelling, that our art programs have been developed.

When Lillian McCormick Holt died in 1976, she left her land to Baltimore County with the wish that it remain "tranquil in nature." Since then, it has been host to live music and public events, used as studio and gallery space by local artists, and been a home to the continuation of Lillian's legacy of sharing arts and education with the community.



Holt Park is located near Kenwood Avenue.

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