



INTERPRETIVE Programs

Clifty Falls State Park
January 2025

Wednesday, January 1

10am First Day Hike - Meet at **Clifty Shelter** for a 1 ½ hour moderately rugged hike along Trails 7 & 6. These trails meander along the east side of Clifty Creek and provide scenic views of Big Clifty Falls, Little Clifty Falls, Cake Rock, Lookout Point, and Clifty Canyon. Refreshments will be provided after the hike.

Friday, January 3 – Sunday, January 5

Winter Weekend Getaway - Join us at the Clifty Inn for our Winter Weekend Getaway! Enjoy a Live Birds of Prey Show, taste teas made from native plants, stargaze, discover aquatic mammals and more! Registration is REQUIRED for this event by calling the Nature Center at 812-273-0609. The event is \$25/person. To pay your registration fee, please write a check payable to *The Friends of Clifty Falls State Park* and mail it to: Attn: Kayla Wilson 1501 Green Rd. Madison, IN 47250.

Saturday, January 11

10am Women's Hiking Group Meet-Up - Ladies! Join us for our monthly group hike where you can get outdoors and meet like-minded women. This 1-hour hike is moderate. Meet at the **Nature Center**.

2pm Winter Tree ID Walk - Meet at **Clifty Shelter** to go on a 45-minute easy, ADA accessible walk to discover how to identify trees by looking at their bark patterns and buds.

Sunday, January 12

10am-3pm Winter Photo Scavenger Hunt - Stop by the **Nature Center** to pick up your list and then head out onto the trails to see if you can get a picture of everything. Return to the Nature Center and show us your photos to win a prize!

Saturday, January 18

10am Backyard Birds - Meet the birds that visit the feeders at the **Nature Center**. Discover how to identify them and where they live while observing their behavior during this 45-minute program.

2pm How Much Do You Snow? - Test your knowledge about snowflakes during a trivia game and then make your own colorful snowflake to take home during this 30-minute program at the **Nature Center**.

Sunday, January 19

2pm Crafting with Critters - Meet our eastern box turtle and learn more about their life and habits while you make your own turtle creation during this 30-minute program at the **Nature Center**.

Saturday, January 25

10am Weave A Winter Scarf - Weave your very own scarf to wear this winter! Register by calling 812-273-0609. This 1 ½ hour workshop will be held in the **Family Room** at the **Inn** and space is limited to **20** participants. **\$10 cash workshop fee** to be paid to the naturalist during the program to cover the cost of supplies. For Ages 13 and older.

2pm Scent-sational Skunks - Come to the **Nature Center** to make a craft and discover more about these striped mammals that cause quite a stink during this 30-minute program.

Sunday, January 26

10am Woodpeckers of Indiana - Come to the **Nature Center** to discover the seven woodpecker species that call Clifty Falls home and explore their habits. Then we'll observe the bird feeders to see if any woodpeckers come to visit during this 45-minute program.

Nature Center Hours: 10am-3pm Wednesday – Sunday

Nature Center Closed Mondays & Tuesdays

For Questions, Contact our Naturalists:

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