



PINERY ACTIVITIES

March 4th – 19th, 2023

The Visitor Centre features nature exhibits, an indoor theatre, and the Nature Store, which is operated by The Friends of Pinery Park. The Centre is always staffed by park naturalists who can help you learn how to maximize your experience at Pinery.

The Visitor Centre is open **from 10 AM – 4 PM on Saturdays, Sundays and all March Break.**

Visit often? Consider purchasing an Ontario Parks Annual Pass for day use, available online or at the Main Gate.

Please visit www.pinerypark.on.ca for more information.

Our **FREE Explore Pinery App** is now available on iTunes, Google Play and BlackBerry World.



Saturday, March 4th, 2023

1:00 PM Visitor Centre **TURTLE TALK!** – Come join a naturalist at the Visitor Centre to take a short tour of the live exhibits and discover more about these special reptilian creatures!

Saturday, March 11th, 2023

2:00 PM Cedar Trail **Guided Hike: S.O.S. Save our Species** – Pinery is home to a wide variety of at-risk species, each with their own unique threats and histories. Join a naturalist to learn more about how human impacts have affected each one of these creatures, and what we can do to help.

Sunday, March 12th, 2023

11:00 AM P9 Beach Pavilion **Chickadee Feeding: Bird in the Hand** – Bring your hats, mitts, and a lot of patience! Meet a naturalist at P9 Beach parking lot and discover why these little birds rely on each other's company to make it through the winter.

Monday, March 13th, 2023

March Break ☀️

12:00 PM Visitor Centre **TURTLE TALK!** – Come join a naturalist at the Visitor Centre to take a short tour of the live exhibits and discover more about these special reptilian creatures!

2:00 PM Cedar Trail **Guided Hike: Pinery's Past** – In its history, Pinery has undergone many drastic changes, some caused by humans, some natural. Join a park naturalist to learn about how these changes have massive impacts on the park even still today!

Tuesday, March 14th, 2023

March Break ☀️

11:00 AM Visitor Centre **Ask the Naturalist: Springing into Action** – Spring is just around the corner! Come discover with a park naturalist how Pinery's wildlife is getting ready for the warmer days ahead!

1:00 PM Cedar Trail **Guided Hike: Frigid Feathers** – Join a naturalist on a guided hike to glean the hidden wonders of winter bird survival!

Wednesday, March 15th, 2023

March Break ☀️

12:00 PM Chalet **Ask the Naturalist: Migration Navigation** – As spring approaches, many birds are coming back north every week, relying on their memory to navigate! Join a naturalist to practice your navigation skills in an orienteering course and see if you can keep up with our feathered friends! Compasses will be provided.

10:00 AM – 2:00 PM Chalet **March Break Fun with Friends of Pinery Park** – Join us at the Chalet from 10AM to 2PM for a bonfire, crafts, and treats!

3:00 PM P9 Beach Pavilion **Chickadee Feeding: Bird in the Hand** – Bring your hats, mitts, and a lot of patience! Meet a naturalist at P9 Beach parking lot and discover why these little birds rely on each other's company to make it through the winter.



Thursday, March 16th, 2023

March Break ☀️

12:00 PM Visitor Centre **Ask the Naturalist: Bird Feeder Fight Club** – Think your family is dysfunctional? Join a naturalist to learn about the fights that take place at the dinner table of birds.

Friday, March 17th, 2023

March Break ☀️

11:00 AM Visitor Centre **TURTLE TALK!** – Come join a naturalist at the Visitor Centre to take a short tour of the live exhibits and discover more about these special reptilian creatures!

2:00 PM Visitor Centre **Ask the Naturalist: My Pack so Dear** – The coyote with its long, haunting call gets a bit of a bad reputation. Join a naturalist to explore why coyotes are some of the most family-oriented mammals in all of North America!

Saturday, March 18th, 2023

1:00 PM Visitor Centre **Ask the Naturalist: Raging Ribbits** – A new band is coming to Pinery, and they're all the rage. Get ready to stage-dive into the wonderful musical world of amphibians!

Sunday, March 19th, 2023

12:00 PM Visitor Centre **Ask the Naturalist: Big, Bald, Bold Birds** – Bald Eagles are some of North America's biggest birds, with amazing adaptations to support them. Join a naturalist to explore the history of eagles, and what makes them so special.