

# Colors of Hungry Mother Fall Festival October 9-11, 2015

Enjoy the stunning Fall foliage during a weekend full of activities and entertainment.

## Friday, October 9

**4:00 p.m. - Clyburn Trail Hike.** Experience the beautiful Fall foliage and colored mountains as an interpreter leads you on one of the park's many trails. The hike will cover a short section of the Clyburn Ridge Loop trail to see the Lake Vista. After some time for pictures, we will head back down the Clyburn Hollow Trail. Wear comfortable hiking shoes and bring water. Meet at the Discovery Center. FREE

## Saturday, October 10

**9:00 a.m. - Fall Migrant Bird Walk.** Enjoy an early morning walk with Master Naturalist, Randy Smith as he points out many of the birds passing through before they head south for the winter. Meet at the Discovery Center. FREE

**11:00 a.m. - Nature Photo Walk.** Have the opportunity to capture the breathtaking Fall foliage on a leisurely walk along the Lake Trail. This walk will be led by Master Naturalist, Katie Cordle. Bring your own camera, does not matter what kind. Meet at the Gazebo. FREE

**2:00 p.m. - Fall Color Tree Walk.** Have you ever wondered what causes the leaves to change those vibrant shades of yellow, orange, and red? Find out the science behind it with Arborist, Kevin Sigmon. This walk will meet at the Gazebo. FREE

**1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. - Fall Festivities.** Bring your family and friends out for an afternoon of fun. There will be fall crafts, games, a Fall photo backdrop, pumpkin painting, and much more. There is a little something for everyone! Meet behind the Restaurant. FREE

**3:00 p.m. - Foliage Canoe Paddle.** Enjoy a leisurely paddle around the lake and enjoy the vibrant fall colors from a different perspective. Pre-registration is required. \$5 or \$4/person for groups of 4 or more. Meet at the Dock N' Shop.

**5:30 p.m. - Harvest Hayride.** Join us for a relaxing hayride throughout the park - getting the true essence of Fall. Hayrides will be leaving at 5:30, 5:45, 6:00, 6:15, 6:30. Afterwards, a hayride will head up to the Lake Trail where we'll take a short hike to the Old Amphitheater to enjoy stories from Gale Buck around the campfire. Meet at Parking Lot 6. FREE

**7:00 p.m. - Campfire Stories.** End the day with a campfire at the Old Amphitheater, listening to storyteller, Gale Buck. Meet at Parking Lot 6 where we'll have a hayride up to the trailhead. From there, we'll take a short hike to the Old Amphitheater. The trail will be illuminated by luminary bags but feel free to bring a flashlight of your own. FREE

## Sunday, October 11

**11:00 a.m. - Fall Foliage Paddle.** Enjoy a leisurely paddle around the lake and enjoy the vibrant fall colors from a different perspective. Pre-registration is required. \$5 or \$4/person for groups of 4 or more. Meet at the Dock N' Shop.

**2:00 p.m. - The Plants of Fall.** Join Carrie Sparks as she points out the variety of plants and trees giving off their last burst of beauty before their deep winter sleep. Meet at the Boat Ramp off Mitchell Valley Road. FREE

**4:00 p.m. - Nature Photo Walk.** Have the opportunity to capture the breathtaking Fall foliage on a leisurely walk along the Lake Trail. This walk will be led by Master Naturalist, Katie Cordle. Bring your own camera, does not matter what kind. Meet at the Gazebo. FREE