

# Autumn Camping Weekend I

## October 2 & 3, 2015

Mississinewa Lake 2015, our 28th year!

Welcome to crafts, events, games, the sweet aroma of campfire smoke, exciting sounds of music, and meeting with friends new and old. Most activities begin at the Miami S.R.A. Modern Campground Interpretive Program Shelter near the water tower. See you there!



### A Johnny Appleseed Adventure!

Hosted by the Upper Wabash Interpretive Services Staff, Volunteers,  
and Friends of the Upper Wabash Interpretive Services

#### Friday, October 2

- 5 – 9 p.m. Bring on the Baskets!** Donate a filled basket for the silent auction from your family or your company. Bid Saturday for the basket of your choice.
- 6 p.m. Shirt and Event Passes.** Enter your campsite in our decorating contest! Pre-ordered shirts can be picked up. Purchase event passes for all participants over age 4, \$3 each.
- 7 p.m. Weekend Welcome & Kettlecorn.** Welcome, meet and greet, and announcements. Kettle corn and hot apple cider served. Please bring your own cup and bowl.
- 8 p.m. Movie Night!** Don't forget a blanket as we kick off the weekend with a family-friendly movie. The movie will be played at the Interpretive Program Shelter.

#### Saturday, October 3

- 8:30-11 a.m. Pancake Breakfast.** We'll provide pancakes, sausage, syrup, and drink. Bring a free-will donation for Friends of Upper Wabash Interpretive Services.
- 10 a.m. Shirt and Event Passes.** Enter your campsite in our decorating contest! Pre-ordered shirts can be picked-up. Purchase event passes for all participants over age 4, \$3 each.



- 1-3p.m. Apple Adventure.** Come together for an apple-themed gathering with games, crafts, contests, and sweet treats! Enter the Johnny Appleseed look-alike contest, too.
- 3:30 p.m. Pet Parade.** Gather at the campground gatehouse for a photo of all the pets in costume, then head through the first loop of the campground to show them off.
- 4:30 p.m. Trick-or-Treat** Disguise yourself in your favorite costume. (Nothing gory please.) Adults and their children will travel through the campground. Roads will be closed to vehicle traffic from 4:15 - 5:45 p.m. Event ends at 5:30 p.m.
- 8 p.m. Music and Food Tasting.**
- 8 p.m. Cooking Contest Judging.** Bring your favorite apple recipe creation to the Interpretive Program Shelter to be tasted and judged by your fellow campers. Votes will be tallied and announced at 9 p.m. Just two divisions: chili, and all other. Campers bring a few bucks for extra voting tickets.
- 9 p.m. Awards for Campsite Decorating and Cooking.** We'll award one, two, and three nights of free camping for the top three decorated sites to be used in 2016. Holiday Weekends, Autumn Camping Weekends, cabins and AA sites are excluded. Must be registered to win. Winners of cooking contest win a cash prize and certificate. Interpretive Program Shelter.

Professionally screened shirts are available to order before the event. T-shirt costs begin at \$10.50 and sweatshirts begin at \$18.50. See the order sheet for more details. Orders are due September 22.

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