

## **GN Field Trips, Neighbourhood Walks, MHIP Events and Activities in 2019**

(82 Total: 7 Field Trips; 23 Neighbourhood Walks; 39 MHIP Events; 13 Other Activities)

Listed by John Slater

January	MHIP Young Artists Inspired by Nature
Jan-April	MHIP Project Feeder Watch; Nature Centre
January 27	MHIP Family Literacy Day StoryWalk® Opening: "Froggy Gets Dressed"
Jan 27-March 5	MHIP StoryWalk® on the trails
Feb 6-March 31	MHIP Interactive Display from Parks Canada: What's the Connection?
February 15-18	MHIP The Great Backyard Bird Count
February 18	MHIP Kiwanis Family Day
February 22	Cross Country Skiing in Elkwater Spring Creek Trail
March 16	MHIP Seedy Saturday Seed Exchange PPP Nature Centre
March 18-22	World Water Week; MH Public Library & College
March 23	Earth Hour with Lights Off 8:30 - 9:30 pm
March 24	MHIP Special Story Walk "Big as the Sky, As Tall as the Trees"
March 30	Ben Velner led Annual Field Trip to Manyberries Birding Trail #4
April 4	MHIP Celebrate Volunteers
April 5	SEAWA Spring Forum - Water Management
April 8-18	MHIP Spring Walk and Chick & Bunnies (Schools and Public)
April 13	GN Spring Litter Blitz; Ranchlands Environmental Reserve
April 16	Neighbourhood Walk, East Coulee - Search for Crocus
April 19 to 22	MHIP Easter Festival: four days of programs
April 20	City Wide Cleanup: SEAWA College Pond
April 23	Neighbourhood Walk, East Coulee - Search for Crocus
April 27	Phil Horch led Annual Birding to Sauders/Murray Reservoirs Trail #2
April 30	Neighbourhood Walk, Kin Coulee Wetlands & Lower Ajax Coulee
May 4	MHIP Workshop on Invasive Species led by Ehlert & Marty Drut
May 7	Neighbourhood Walk, Upper Ajax Coulee to Seven Persons Creek
May 11	Milt Spitzer led Birding Trip to Brooks Area Birding Trail #13 & Tilley Trail #12
May 14	Neighbourhood Walk around Connaught Pond led by Brooklyn SEAWA
May 18	MHIP Full Moon Walk PPP led by Corlaine Gardner
May 18 & 19	Brooks Bird Species Count
May 21	Neighbourhood Walk NECH starting at Northland Coop to Ponds
May 26	MHIP Spring Flower and Bird Count in Med Hat area
May 28	Neighbourhood Walk Wildflowers & Palliser Airshed McCoy High School
May 30	MHIP Grand Opening Co-op Community Spaces Prairie Viewpoint
June 3	MHIP at Seniors Resource Fair
June 4	Neighbourhood Walk Teepee & Saamis Coulee Archeological Area
June 5	MHIP Walk & Wheel West Access Trail PPP evening
June 8	MHIP Painting Rocks, Rocks!; 10am at the Nature Centre
June 8	MHIP Butterflies and Bumble Bees; 2pm at the Nature Centre
June 9	Milt Spitzer led Birding to Dinosaur Provincial Park Trail #11
June 11	Neighbourhood Walk NWCH Coulee Trail along McCutcheon Dr
June 13-18	Wildflower Festival Waterton National Park
June 15	MHIP Mystery Moose Walk in PPP
June 18	MHIP Is the River Trail Finally Open? No it's not! Bike tour offered instead PPP
June 21	MHIP Grand Opening Nature Centre Renovations

June 22 MHIP Campground Program at Gas City Campground  
 June 25 Neighbourhood Walk Kiwanis River Park & Tangle  
 June 25 GN General Meeting Picnic Potluck, 6pm at Nature Centre  
 July 1 MHIP Canada Day Celebration in Kin Coulee Park  
 July 2 Neighbourhood Walk in Redcliff River Valley Park  
 July 6 Phil Horch led Annual Field Trip to Cypress Hills Birding Trail #7  
 July 7 MHIP Frogs on Logs; Strathcona Island Park 2:00pm  
 July 9 Neighbourhood Walk Police Point Park led by Milt & Elaine  
 July 14 MHIP Summer Bike Ride! at Saamis Teepee 7pm  
 July 25to28 MHIP Country in the City at MH Stampede: four days of programs  
 July 30 SEAWA Connaught Pond & Saratoga Park  
 August 3 & 4 MHIP Pollinators at Police Point Park: two drop-in events  
 August 6 Neighbourhood Walk Northwest Trail  
 August 10 MHIP Perseids Meteor Shower  
 August 13 Neighbourhood Walk Prairie Patch Family Leisure Centre  
 August 16to18 MHIP Geocache Weekend: two MHIP events at Police Point Park:  
 Friday night Welcome event and Sunday CITO event  
 August 20 Neighbourhood Walk Ranchlands Environmental Reserve  
 August 24 City Wide Cleanup: Strathcona Island Park  
 August 25 MHIP The Good, The Bad and the Berries  
 August 27 Neighbourhood College Pond  
 September 1 Milt Spitzer led Field Trip to Tilley Area Trail #12  
 September 3 Neighbourhood Walk College Coulee & Ajax Pond  
 September 6 SEAWA Connaught Pond Russian Olive removal & GN Cleanup  
 September 10 Neighbourhood Walk Connaught Pond  
 September 13 MHIP Shine on Harvest Moon led by Corlaine Gardner  
 September 17 Neighbourhood Walk Gas City Campground Coulee  
 September 22 MHIP World River Day Sunset and Marshmallows led by Corlaine Gardner  
 September 24 Neighbourhood Walk SE Hill Trail  
 September 29 MHIP Alberta Cultural Days Festival in Police Point Park  
 October 15 Neighbourhood Walk Memorial Bench then Marlborough Coulee Trail to Saratoga Park  
 October 19 Ben Velner led Fall Migration Schuler/Many Island Lake Birding Trail #8  
 October 19 MHIP Beaver in PPP led by Marty Drut  
 October 22 Neighbourhood Walk Ranchlands Reserve Tipi Rings & Invasives  
 October 29 Neighbourhood Walk Saragota Park to Kin Coulee  
 November 5 MHIP Don't Fall Behind at Library  
 December 1 MHIP Lions Club Christmas Hayride  
 December 15 MHIP MH Christmas Bird Count & Potluck Supper  
 December 28 Manyberries Christmas Bird Count