

**PIPESTEM STATE PARK**  
**Weekly Activities - July 26 thru Aug 1, 2010**

**Nature Center Hours**  
**Wednesday thru Sunday**  
**12:30 - 4:30 p.m.**

**Tuesday, July 27**

- 9:00 am**      **Vacation Bible School** - Meet at Shelter A (near amphitheater). This event is sponsored by First Baptist Church, Stuart, Florida.
- 9:00 am**      **Lake Shore Walk** - Meet in the lobby of McKeever Lodge for a walk to Long Branch Lake. We will return on Cottage Trail and the park road with views into the Bluestone Gorge. (1 ½ hours) **YPP**
- 11:30 am**      **Hummingbirds in our Backyard** - Come to the Nature Center for this video exploration of the world of 13 species of U.S. and Canadian hummingbirds. Then enjoy some time watching the birds at the feeders in the yard. (½ to ¾ hour) **YPP**

**Wednesday, July 28**

- 9:00 am**      **Vacation Bible School** - Meet at Shelter A (near amphitheater). This event is sponsored by First Baptist Church, Stuart, Florida.
- 9:00 am**      **Bird Walk** - Meet the park naturalist in the lobby of McKeever Lodge. We have some binoculars we can loan for the walk (1 - 1 ½ hour) **YPP**
- 11:00 am**      **Mountain Memories** - Join volunteer storyteller, Susan Robinson, in the Nature Center as she relates the story of a young girl growing up in Pipestem before the park was here. Hands on activities for the kids after the program (1 hour) **YPP**
- 7:30 pm**      **God Bless the USA** - Southern Gospel Choir of First Baptist Church (Stuart, Florida) presents this patriotic musical and video presentation. Will be held at the outdoor amphitheater. Everyone invited and FREE to attend.

**Thursday, July 29**

- 9:00 am**      **Vacation Bible School** - Meet at Shelter A (near amphitheater). This event is sponsored by First Baptist Church, Stuart, Florida.

- 9:00 am**                    **River Trek** - Meet on the Canyon Rim Center Patio for a 3 ½ mile hike into the Bluestone Gorge. Bring your water shoes for the wade across the river. We will return by way of the aerial tram. Cost of the tram ride is \$2.00 (2 ½ - 3 hours) **YPP**
- 9:30 am**                    **Fishing on the Bluestone** - Meet a park ranger at Mt Creek Lodge to go fishing on the Bluestone. You must have your own equipment and license. Children can participate only with their parents under close supervision. Not recommended for children under 12. May want to wear old shoes for wading. There will be a \$2.00 charge for the tram ride. (2 hours)
- 3:00 pm**                    **Archery Lessons** - Meet at the Campground office. There will be a fee of \$1.50 for this activity. Only a limited number of people may participate. Please reserve a spot by stopping by the Campground office or calling ext. 473. (1 hour)
- 7:30 pm**                    **Movie at the Amphitheater** - First Baptist Church from Stuart , Florida will be having a family movie night for your enjoyment at the Amphitheater. FREE to attend everyone is welcome.
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**Friday, July 30**
- 9:00 am**                    **Tree Walk** - Meet at the Nature Center for a hike that will help you learn to identify several trees located on the park grounds, also learn many uses of these trees (1 hour) **YPP**
- 10:30 am**                    **Garden Insects** - Come to the Nature Center to see a colorful and informative video of insects you may find in your own backyard. (1 hour) **YPP**
- 2:00 pm**                    **Frisbee Golf** - Come to the Nature Center and test your skill at hitting the bucket with a flying disc. (1 hour)
- 5:00 pm**                    **Fishing Rodeo** - Meet in the parking lot for Long Branch Lake, across from the McKeever Lodge. We have a limited number of poles so bring your own if you have them. This program is for those who are 14 years of age and younger. There will be a fee of 50 cents per participant. (1- 1 ½ hours)
- 9:00 pm**                    **Movie Night** - Bring your lawn chair or blanket to the field behind the campground office to watch the movie the Pacifier featuring vinDiesel. This movie is rated PG. There will be popcorn and drinks available to purchase. The movie will be cancelled if weather does not permit. (1 ½ - 2 hours)

**Saturday, July 31**

**10:00 am**

**Bluestone River Walk** - Meet a National Park Ranger at the Mr. Creek Lodge for an interpretive hike along the Bluestone River. Please allow 15 minutes for the aerial tram ride. Cost of the tram ride is \$2.00. ( 1 ½ hour) **YPP**

**8:00 pm**

**Amphitheater Show.**

**The Kingsmen** - Join us at the outdoor Amphitheater and enjoy an evening of gospel music. Admission is \$10.00 for adults/\$5.00 children ages 6-12. (2 hours)

YPP represents the "Young People for Parks Program". Kids 6 - 16 can earn a patch and a certificate for participating in three of the designated activities. Stop by the Nature Center for details.

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