

## Community Parks with Hiking Trails

### Adell Durbin Park 3300 Darrow Road

This 34-acre park, located on the border of Stow and Munroe Falls contains a large play area and playground, lavish hiking trails, a wildflower meadow and lit tennis courts.

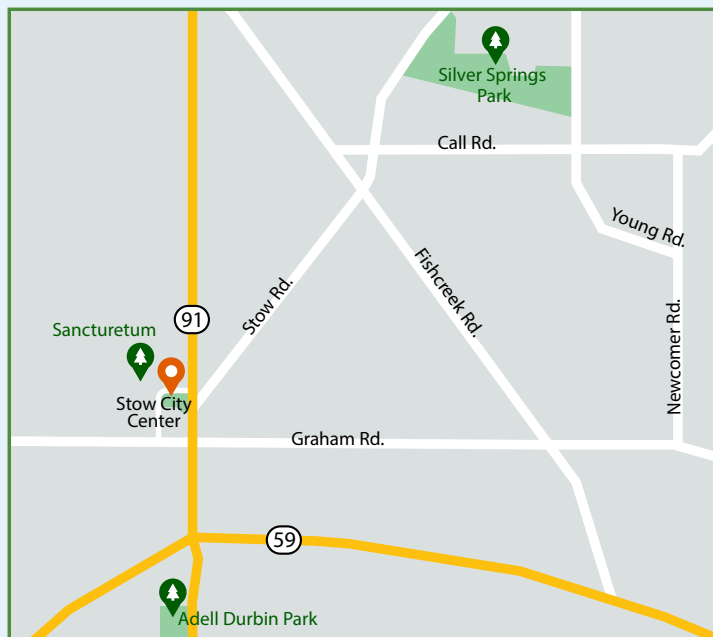
### Silver Springs Park 5027 Stow Road

This large 280-acre park houses the Leona Farris Lodge (5027 Stow Road) and Heritage Barn (5238 Young Road) which are available for event rental.

The park also includes the S.O.A.R. Boundless Playground for children of all abilities, Bow Wow Beach (the city's dog park), lit tennis and basketball courts, baseball and softball fields, outdoor shelters available for rental, and vast hiking and cross country trails. Also nestled in Silver Springs Park is Stow Silver Springs Campground, one of a few municipally-operated campgrounds in Ohio.

### Sancturetum at Stow City Center 3760 Darrow Road

This wooded area behind the Stow City Center includes the Akron General Wellness Trail and connects to local neighborhoods.



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# Connect WITH Nature

## PROGRAM GUIDE January - April 2024



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Connect with nature just outside your door. This winter, the City of Stow Parks and Recreation Department and Stow-Munroe Falls Public Library have partnered to present outdoor programs for area residents.

## Winter is for the Birds

**Mon. January 15, 2 PM**

Leona Farris Lodge at Silver Springs Park, 5027 Stow Road

**FREE program for families**

Come to this program for families to learn more about the fascinating world of birds with hands-on activities and real bird feathers, skulls, and eggs. Learn which birds to look for in the winter in your backyard or neighborhood parks to get started with the fun and fulfilling hobby of birding!

Registration for this free program is required. To register, visit the Stow-Munroe Falls Public Library's website at [events.smfpl.org](https://events.smfpl.org) or call the Children's Department at (330) 688-3295 ext. 5.



## Macro Photography by Naturalist Judy Semroc: Little Things Do Matter

**Tues., February 20, 6:30 - 7:30 PM**

Leona Farris Lodge at Silver Springs Park, 5027 Stow Road

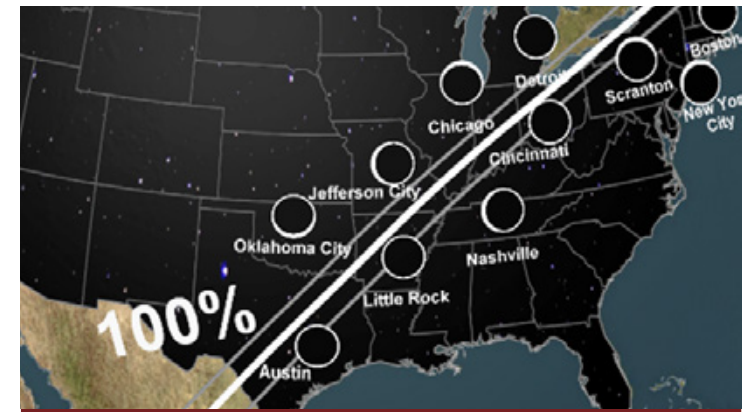
**Cost: \$5/family**

Yes, the tiny parts of our natural world are not only beautiful, but very important. This program illustrates the amazing beauty of the eyes, bodies, and the purpose of the stunning colors and patterns in the realm of our tiny creatures. Witnessing the close-up views may help to understand and appreciate their immense benefit to our existence.

The cost for this event is \$5/family, and registration is required. To register and pay the fee, visit the City of Stow Parks & Recreation Department's website at [stowohio.recdesk.com](https://stowohio.recdesk.com). Click "Programs" and search for the program title. Questions? Please call the City of Stow Parks and Recreation Department at **(330) 689-5100**.



Photo credit: Judy Semroc



## Eclipse Event at Silver Springs Park

**Mon., April 8, 2 PM**

Groundhog Hill at Silver Springs Park, 5238 Young Road

**Free event for all ages, no registration needed**

Grab your own chairs or blankets for seating and watch the eclipse together. We will have Astronomy hobbyists on hand to talk about the eclipse. Stop by and see some citizen science demonstrations, too!

## Earth Fest

**Sat., April 27, 10 AM - 12 PM**

Adell Durbin Park, 3300 Darrow Road

**FREE event for all ages, no registration needed**

Celebrate Earth Day and Arbor Day with us at Adell Durbin park! There will be fun for the whole family including activities for children. There will be guided hikes at 10:30 and 11:30 AM to explore signs of spring and marvel at the beauty of nature. Pick up a passport from the City of Stow Urban Forestry division and get it stamped at various booths to earn a free tree! We will have representatives on hand from Summit County Master Gardeners, Summit Soil and Water Conservation District, City of Stow Urban Forestry and many more ready to share information and giveaways.

