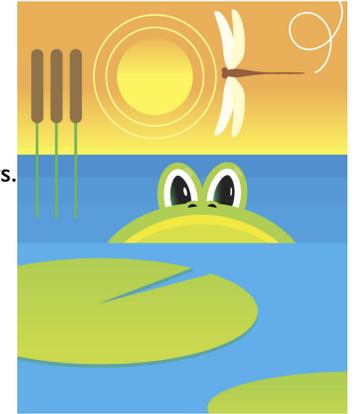


# GREATER CLEVELAND WETLAND TOURS 2009

One hour tours with representatives of five different types of urban wetland projects, one potential restoration area and one high quality rural wetland.

Free and open to the public. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Signing of waivers may be required on some tours.  
Tours will be held rain or shine; please dress for inclement weather.

All tours begin at 6:30 PM



**Thursday, August 27**

## Nine Mile Creek Stormwater Retrofit Project

*Mayor Georgine Welo, Councilwoman Jane Goodman; City of South Euclid*

*Ivette Bolender, Biohabitats, Inc.*

*Andrew K. Blackley, P.E., Stephen Hovancsek & Associates*

Parking lot at 1980 South Green Road, 2 blocks north of Cedar Road in South Euclid, across from Notre Dame College soccer field.

**Thursday, September 3**

## Valley Forge High School Courtyard Wetland

*John Komar, Valley Forge High School*

*Jim Wohl, Project Coordinator*

9999 Independence Blvd. off York Road in Parma Heights. Meet at front doors.

**Thursday, September 10**

## Brooklyn "Oxbow" Area, potential wetland restoration sites

*Regis Barrett, City of Brooklyn Zoning Board of Appeals*

*John Katko, Friends of Wetlands*

Parking behind new Brooklyn Fire Station, 8400 Memphis Avenue.

**Monday, September 14**

## Tinkers Creek Headwaters, high quality wetland & vernal pools

*Mike McNutt, Cuyahoga County Board of Health*

*Neal Hess, Trust for Public Land*

Hudson Aurora Road, 1 mile east of Stow Road, next to Summit-Portage County line in Hudson.

**Tuesday, September 22**

## Cleveland Metroparks Vernal Pool

### Enhancement Project, Brookside Reservation

*Terry Robison, Cleveland Metroparks, Division of Natural Resources*

Meadow-Ridge parking lot – Fulton Road and Park Drive, north of Memphis Avenue., Cleveland.

**Monday, September 28**

## Puritas Wetlands Project, wildlife enhancement in a stormwater retention basin

*Melissa Miller, Bellaire-Puritas Development Corporation*

*Renee Boronka, Garrett Ormiston, Trish Mackeigan;*

*Cleveland Museum of Natural History*

Parking on Coe Avenue and West 145<sup>th</sup> Street, one block south of Puritas Avenue, Cleveland.

**Monday, October 5**

## West Creek Reservation Created Wetland

*David Lincheck, Colby Sattler; West Creek Preservation Committee*

Entrance off Ridgewood Drive between Broadview and State Roads in Parma.

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For questions or to learn more about the September 2008 Urban Wetlands Symposium where the urban wetland projects were featured visit: [www.friendsofbigcreek.org](http://www.friendsofbigcreek.org) or call Bob Gardin at 216-269-6472

### Friends of Wetlands Fall Picnic and Fundraiser!

Saturday, September 26, Noon until late in the evening.

Activities begin at 3:00 pm. Live music by Tim Wallace, Opossum, and the Attention Deficit Glee Club.

Potluck food & beverages at 6:00 pm. Suggested donation \$15 person / \$20 per family.

Historic Homer Page Farm on the Huron River north of Milan, Ohio. For more info go to [www.fowl.org](http://www.fowl.org).