



# Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation

## National Moth Week Events

Clay Pit Ponds State Park – Time Tuesdays, June 21 @ 10am  
Learn about moths by making crafts, playing games, and socializing with other toddlers!  
Parent or care giver is required to stay. Ages 1-3 (flexible). Please call (718) 605-3970 ext 201 for more information.

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### Moth Night

Saturday, July 23, 2016, 7:00 PM

Taconic State Park - Copake Falls Area (Taconic)

Join Friends of Taconic State Park and A Way To Garden for our third annual Moth Night, part of National Moth Week. Two visiting UConn-Storrs entomologists lead our citizen-science event, appropriate for all ages, starting with a "Moth 101" talk at 7:00 PM at the Copake Iron Works, 33 Valley View Road, Copake Falls, NY, then heading into the woods along a trail where we set up special black light stations to view the night's visitors. This event is FREE but you must register as space is limited; see Events at [www.FriendsofTSP.org](http://www.FriendsofTSP.org) for details. Email [president@FriendsofTSP.org](mailto:president@FriendsofTSP.org) or call 917-885-0691 for more information and to register. Registration is required.

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### Moth Night

Saturday July 23, 2016, starting at 9:30pm

Fairhaven Beach State Park.

Meet near the Pond Shore restroom. Led by Jason J. Dombroskie, Ph.D., Collection Manager, Cornell University Insect Collection & Coordinator of the Insect Diagnostic Lab Location. Bring a lawn chair, head lamp or flashlight, warm clothes, and a camera.

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### The Magic of Moths

Friday, July 29th- 8pm

Grafton Lakes State Parks

Elegant, enchanting, mysterious ... moths, like the darkness they live in, are often misunderstood. Though not all are as colorful as their daytime cousins, moths may still captivate you when you meet them up close, "eye to antennae," during this program. Join us in learning a bit more about the lives they lead, and the adaptations that make a moth so special. Program meets at the park office. There are no parking fees after 5pm but program fee is \$2/person or \$5/family. Please register by calling 518-279-1155.