

Outside Everyday Challenge

March Bingo Card

How to participate in MCPD Outdoor Challenge Bingo:

- 1. Download the BINGO card here: (link to downloadable BINGO card)
- 2. Each square on the bingo sheet represents a "challenge."
- 3. Complete a challenge and mark it off.
- 4. Complete as many of the "challenges" as possible to get a BINGO (5 squares vertical, horizontal or diagonal)
- 5. Or, challenge your family to get as many BINGOS as you can and fill the whole card!
- 6. Each completed BINGO row enters your family into a monthly, prize drawing! So you can earn up to 12 entries for a single, completed card!
- 7. Go to this link to see the prizes for Bingo drawing winners! https://www.miamicountyparks.com/node/1290
- 8. BINGO CARD ENTRIES will need to be uploaded/submitted no later than the LAST DAY OF EACH MONTH. The whole family must be registered, not just the child.
- 9. Submit a photo of your BINGO card and a photo of your family completing your favorite challenge (don't forget to share which one it is) by the last day of that month here: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScXqHFMTikl6gN9nM1ZpZq6wfym_w6nV_9h9TsNprRQ07bsSA/viewform

The center square challenge features a special nature-focused book complete with suggested outdoor, exploration activities. Each book can be found at your local library or you could listen to it being read on YouTube. Follow this link to the Nature Quest Book lists, activity cards, and YouTube links so you can complete the center square challenge: (insert links here)

You may substitute a Nature Quest Book card activities for any square if you would like. You must write the name of the Quest Book in any square that you substitute it (as well as the center square) for and no two squares can use the same book.

*Winners must be registered for the program and will be announced on our Facebook page and will be contacted via phone or email.

Splash in a mud puddle	With a friend or your family, go outside and see who can find the first four leaf clover - who can find the most?	Visit a new-to-you playground	Make mud pies from things you have collected in your yard	Make your name out of twigs you have found outside
Play a game of tag with your family	Take a hike on the Spring Equinox (March 19/20) and find as many signs of spring as you can	Outside find 3 worms and offer them each a name	Make a rain gauge out of a jar	Watch the sunrise while drinking a cup of hot chocolate or other toasty beverage
Go outside on March 25th and see if there are any worms out for the "Worm Full Moon"	Go for a walk with your family or friends one evening after supper	NATURE QUEST BOOK Read one of the featured March books on the website and complete the activities	Visit Garbry Big Woods Sanctuary and look for the wildflower Harbinger of Spring	Visit the falls at Charleston Falls and see how they compare to your visit in January
Paint a picture out of mud	Find some twigs in your yard and use some mud to make a bird's nest with them	Visit a pond and look for frogs - did you find any?	Go on a hike and find a tree that is as tall as you and each person that is with you	Read a book outside
Draw the clouds that you see in the sky every day for a week	Take a hike and listen to the bird songs. How many different calls can you hear?	Eat a meal outside	Use chalk to make a spring themed drawing on your driveway/sidewalk	Go on a color-finding hike and search out each color of the rainbow on various things