












September 2010

Brookside Nature Center

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Thinking about volunteering? Try working with the staff at Brookside Nature Center. We work with families, teens and adults. Just ask us about it!</p>			<p>1</p> <p>Learn 1 fact about yellow jackets.</p> 	<p>2</p> <p>Go on a picnic.</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Listen for screech owls calling in the evening.</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Look for an acorn.</p> 
<p>5</p> <p>Make a school book cover by stamping a brown paper bag with an apple half.</p> <p>Grandparents' Day</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Look for a monarch butterfly.</p> <p>Labor Day</p> 	<p>7</p> <p>Make up your own constellation in honor of a grandparent.</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Make acorn "soup" for your favorite stuffed animal.</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Listen to the buzzing noise of migrating nighthawks at dusk.</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Eat an apple.</p> 	<p>11</p> <p>Read Eric Carle's <i>The Very Busy Spider</i>.</p>
<p>12</p> <p>Come visit our meadow to see goldenrods in bloom.</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Look for a squirrel burying nuts.</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Blow bubbles.</p> 	<p>15</p> <p>Eat a slice of mushroom pizza.</p>	<p>16</p> <p>String apple slices to dry.</p>	<p>17</p> <p>Look for the Big Dipper in the west.</p> 	<p>18</p> <p>Look for a baby spider.</p>
<p>19</p> <p>Make a shaker with pebbles and an empty salt container.</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Look for a fall flower.</p> 	<p>21</p> <p>Come visit BNC and touch a jewelweed seedpod to see it explode.</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Take a walk and look for signs of autumn.</p>	<p>23</p> <p>What is your favorite outdoor activity in autumn?</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Make a colorful leaf collage.</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Call like a screech owl.</p> 
<p>26</p> <p>What does autumn smell like?</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Play follow-the-leader outdoors.</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Rake leaves.</p> 	<p>29</p> <p>Sing "Eensy Weensy Spider."</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Make a leaf rubbing.</p>	