

SPRINGTIME SCAVENGER HUNT

Here's a great activity for you to take with you when you hit the Lorain County Metro Parks trails. Take time to look around and check these off your list! Where is the closest park to you? Find park information here - www.loraincountymetroparks.com



This activity sheet encourages you to discover nature by using your senses. But NOT your taste or touch! We also ask for your safety that you please stay on our trails!!

LOOK afar and up-close. Examine how plants grow, look for shapes the clouds make, watch how animals move.

- Spring Beauties
- Skunk Cabbage
- Dandelions
- Fuzzy buds
- Forsythia blooms
- Other spring wildflowers _____
- Tree leaf buds
- Tree flowers
- Green grass
- Clouds
- Animals - look for chipmunks, squirrels, snakes, _____

LISTEN by taking a moment to **STOP**, close your eyes, and focus on what you are hearing. You will be amazed at some things you have been missing!

- Wind
- Rain
- Leaves rustling
- Bees
- Cardinal
- Woodpecker
- Robin
- Other birds _____
- Amphibians - spring peepers, bullfrog, toads

SMELL- really, stop and **SMELL** the roses! Once again stop and take a deep breath to appreciate Mother Nature waking up!

- Freshly cut grass
- Rain
- Flowers
- Earth waking up

From time to time sit quietly on a bench, watch and appreciate nature around you!!!