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## News Release

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### For Immediate Release

## Piney Run Nature Center plans November programs

**November 10, 2009** – There is still time to register for several Piney Run Nature Center programs for this month. To register for any of the following programs or to see other programs being offered, visit our website at [www.ccgovernment.carr.org/recreation](http://www.ccgovernment.carr.org/recreation) or call Carroll County Recreation and Parks at 410-386-2103.

**Breakfast with the Birds! Thursday, Nov. 12, 7:30- 10 a.m.** Program # 09PR167

Join naturalist and birding expert Dave Harvey for a relaxing breakfast and birding hike. Now is a great time to see various migrating waterfowl that visit the lake on their way south. Bring binoculars to watch for hawks, waterfowl and countless other bird species that rest at Piney Run. The morning will start with a hot breakfast before the hike. Dress for the weather and wear sturdy walking shoes. Fee: \$8/person. Ages: 10-adult

**“Mighty Mouse” Preschool Program, Monday, Nov. 16, 10-11 a.m.** Program # 09PR166

Calling all mouse lovers! These little rodents sometimes get a bad rap. We’ll learn about these furry friends and discuss their role in our food web. We’ll head out on a hike to look for mouse evidence, and then come inside for a mouse craft. Fee: \$5/person. Ages: preschool (accompanied by an adult)

**Native American Campfire, Monday Nov. 23, 5-6 p.m.** Program # 09PR170

Bring the family for an evening campfire at Piney Run and learn about Native American life many years ago through stories, games and songs. We’ll cook up a quick Native American snack over the fire. It’s a perfect way to get into the Thanksgiving spirit. Fee: \$6/person. Ages: Family

**Gourd Piggy Bank Workshop, Monday Nov. 23, noon-4 p.m.** Program # 09PR169

Using a bottleneck gourd, we’ll create a cute, yet one-of-a-kind piggybank. Let your imagination run wild personalizing your pig. Fee: \$20/person/gourd. Ages: 14-adult (younger children should be accompanied by an adult).

**“Turkey Time” Story Time and Craft, Tuesday, Nov. 24, 10-11 a.m.** Program # 09PR171

Preschoolers will gather for a turkey story time. Learn about these fascinating animals and make a turkey craft. Fee: \$6/person. Ages: preschool.

The Board of County Commissioners sponsors these and other activities at Piney Run Park and Nature Center through the Department of Recreation And Parks. Piney Run Park is located at 30 Martz Road, Sykesville, Maryland.

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