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# NEWS

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## COMMUNITY ACTION



The family hike begins on Cherry Tree Lane at Wolf Run State Park.

GMN Caldwell Head Start, NCHD Early Head Start, and Noble Learning Center had a Family Event at Wolf Run State Park. Park Ranger John Hickenbottom was the guide for the hike. Throughout the hike John talked about different types of plants that grow in the woods and the insects and animals that live there too. After the hike the families ate at the pavilion. Each family received a book about bugs and a bug catcher. We would like to thank Park Ranger John for being our guide.

GMN Head Start and Early Head Start are currently accepting applications for enrollment. If you would like to apply for enrollment or you have any questions, please call Barb M. Clark at 740-732-2388 for the Caldwell Center; and Beth DeLancey at 732-4722 for the Noble Learning Center.

The GMN Tri-County CAC is a private, non-profit, community action agency. The agency strives, in cooperating with business, labor, government, and community organizations, to improve the quality of life for low-income residents of Guernsey, Monroe, and Noble Counties. GMN CAC offers programs in Direct Employment, Head Start, Home Energy Assistance, Senior Services, Senior Companions, Weatherization, Information and Referral, and several other programs. GMN CAC is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.



Amira enjoys picking up the pine cones and tossing them.



After a long hike through the woods it is time for a good meal.



Grandma Lori and grandson Lincoln enjoying looking at their new bug book they received.



Abigail and her sister Raelynn and Trevor are looking for bugs so they can put them in the bug cage.



Ranger John rolls over a log to show the kids the different kinds of insects that live under the log. He talked about each insect, and the children had the opportunity to hold them.



Taking in the beauty of nature.



Ranger John talked about some of the plants that grow in the woods. The plant he is holding is a lily pad plant. These plants grow from a seed in box turtle's droppings.

