



## UNION COUNTY PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT CANE CREEK PARK

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### News Release

## Parks and Recreation Offers Nature Program

**February 25, 2013, Monroe, NC** — Union County Parks and Recreation has announced a new Nature Program at Cane Creek Park which offers school classes, church groups and other organizations in the community the opportunity to get “back to nature.”

The versatile program can be customized to a specific time, age group, and can even be subject specific. The following opportunities are offered:

- Ranger-led nature walk on the park’s new Educational Trail
- Educational exhibit and activity
- Animal tracks scavenger hunt
- Introduction to fishing class

The program is most effective serving groups of 20 participants or less. Larger groups would be better served breaking into smaller groups. At least one chaperone is required for every 10 children for middle school and younger participants. Wednesdays and Thursdays are the days when the most Parks and Recreation staff members are available, but accommodations may be made for other days of the week. A two-week advanced notice is required.

For more information and to obtain a Nature Program request form, call David Paschal at 704-843-3919, ext. 24. The cost is free with a paid entrance fee of \$4 per car or \$20 per bus.

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