

2018 GARLIC MUSTARD PULL ADDRESSES

Please use the **GREEN CODE (P...)** to learn how to get to each event. Events appear under the name of the organizers.

WHAT YOU NEED: we recommend wearing long sleeves, long pants and closed-toe shoes. Pulling plants effectively requires pulling the root out, so garden gloves may be appropriate. Don't forget your water! The organizers provide trash bags.

OTHER – Some of these pulls include other activities worth considering! See below

PCB – Cleveland Museum of Natural History

Ashtabula County Harpersfield Covered Bridge Metropark. After exiting from I-90 onto Ohio Route 534, travel south a very short distance to Old Harpersfield Road, along the right side of Rt. 534. In less than a mile, after turning onto Old Harpersfield Road, there will be a stop sign at Ohio Route 307. Carefully cross the intersection and travel down the valley slope to the north entrance to Ashtabula County Harpersfield Dam Metropark, on the east side of the road, just north of the covered bridge.

CMNH has been pulling garlic mustard there since 2006. When CMNH started pulling, it took more than three hours to pull all garlic mustard plants. It now takes less than one hour if four or more “pullers” show up.

After we finish pulling on the north side of the river, Jim will take any survivors to a museum forest preserve five miles south of the park.

PCM – City of Mentor

1- Mentor Lagoons Nature Preserve, **8365 Harbor Dr.**, Mentor, OH 44060

2 -Wildwood Cultural Center, **7645 Little Mountain Rd, Mentor**, OH 44060. *This event is a contest, 21 & over welcome to bring a beverage of their choice and enjoy responsibly: Come to learn about garlic mustard, identify it, taste it and pull it! Fantastic prize for the heaviest bag of garlic mustard is the winner! Swap stories at our campfire after the contest! Participants are welcome to responsibly bring their beverage of choice. Pre-registration required. Free with a canned food donation.*

To register to any of the events just call Mentor City Hall at (440) 974-5720.

PDB – Doan Brook Watershed Partnership and associates

1- Meet at the Rockefeller Park Lagoon Gazebo in University Circle near Martin Luther King Jr. Drive and East 105th Street. Parking is available near the tennis courts.

2- Meet at the corner of East 127th Street and Fairhill Road.

These combine garlic mustard pulls and stream sweeps, you may select one or both. For more information or to register contact Andrew at 216-325-7781 or klooster@doanbrookpartnership.org. Online registration is available on our homepage at doanbrookpartnership.org. Advance registration is encouraged, especially for large groups.

PGE – Geauga Park District

The West Woods -- **9465 Kinsman Rd, Rt 87, Novelty, OH 44072**

Geauga Park District is having a garlic mustard pull competition (with 1,2, & 3rd place gift basket prizes) as part of our "Earth Day Extravaganza" (Sunday, April 22: 11:00am-3:00pm) at The West Woods Nature Center. The Earth Day Celebration will also include: Expert talks on local wildlife like coyotes (Jon Cepak, CMP), stream stewardship (Geauga Soil & Water & CRWP), a fantastic live "Birds of Prey Show" (Harvey Webster, CMNH), live amphibians & reptiles and Geauga's special plants/animals (Paul Pira, GPD), bird banding and walks (Tami Gingrich & Linda Gilbert, GPD), an organic lawn care talk, kids crafts, food, etc.

<https://www.geaugaparkdistrict.org/activity/special-events-art-shows/>

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Garlic Mustard Pull and Pizza!

Bring a pair of gloves (feed bags provided) and join OHC members to help keep the Geauga Park District Bridle Trails free of the alien garlic mustard weed. Meet in the horse trailer parking lot at The West Woods any time after 5:00pm. Geauga Ohio Horseman's Council will provide pizza for dinner in the shelter at approximately 7:00-7:30 pm once our mission is complete. Please bring a snack or dessert to share.

Questions? Call Dottie Drockton at 440-665-0716

<http://www.oipc.info/uploads/5/8/6/5/58652481/3factsheetgarlicmustard.pdf>

PGS – Girl Scouts of Northeast Ohio

Camp Timberlane -- 13408 Green Rd, Wakeman, Oh 44889. Please contact Nidia Arguedas (nan@clevelandmetroparks.com), David Kriska (DKriska@cmnh.org) or Garrett Ormiston (GOrmiston@cmnh.org) for details.

PHH – Cleveland Metroparks Hinckley Reservation

Hinckley Hills Trailhead -- No street number. Hinckley Hills(Rt. 606), trail entrance is about one mile south of Bellus Rd. Coordinates: 41.222017, -81.730917

Registration is not required, but RSVP is appreciated. Contact Watershed Volunteer Program through its website

<https://sites.google.com/view/watershedvolunteerprogram/events?authuser=0>

PME – Medina County Parks

Buckeye Woods Park -- **6335 Wedgewood Road, Medina, OH 44256**

Hubbard Valley Park -- **8600 Hubbard Valley Road, Seville, OH 44273**

River Styx Park -- **8200 River Styx Road, Wadsworth, OH 44281**

Hidden Hollow Camp -- **8672 Richman Road, Lodi, OH 44254**

Allardale Park -- **401 Remsen Road, Medina, OH 44256**

Registration is not required, but RSVP is appreciated. Individuals interested in helping out should email Jim Spetz at jspetz@medinaco.org and indicate which date(s) and location(s) they are interested in attending. Pulling would be for a couple of hours at each site, but volunteers may stay as long as they like.

PST - Stark Parks

Sippo Lake Park, Exploration Gateway. 5712 12th St. NW, Canton 44708.

Fry Family Park, please park at the Westbrook Parking lot, corner of Westbrook St. and Rt. 800 (Cleveland Ave.).

These are both pesto making/eating events.

<https://reservations.starkparks.com/programs?keyword=garlic&age=1%2C100&startDate=04-20-2018&endDate=&par>

PTC – Tinkers Creek Watershed Partners

1- Herrick Fen Preserve – **8260 Seasons Rd (Township Road 157), Streetsboro 44241.**

Head South on Seasons Rd. from RT. 43 in Streetsboro. After a few hills and a sharp turn there will be a small sign for the preserve showing the entrance a few feet after crossing the railroad. Please sign up with Kate Chapel (kchapel@tinkerscreekwatershed.org or 330-963-6243) prior to the event. *A tour of the preserve is included!*

2- Center Valley Park -- **2036 Glenwood Dr., Twinsburg, OH 44087**

3- Hemlock Creek, Bedford Reservation, **14800 Button Road, Walton Hills.** Meet at Picnic Area parking. May register at the Watershed Volunteer Program website

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