

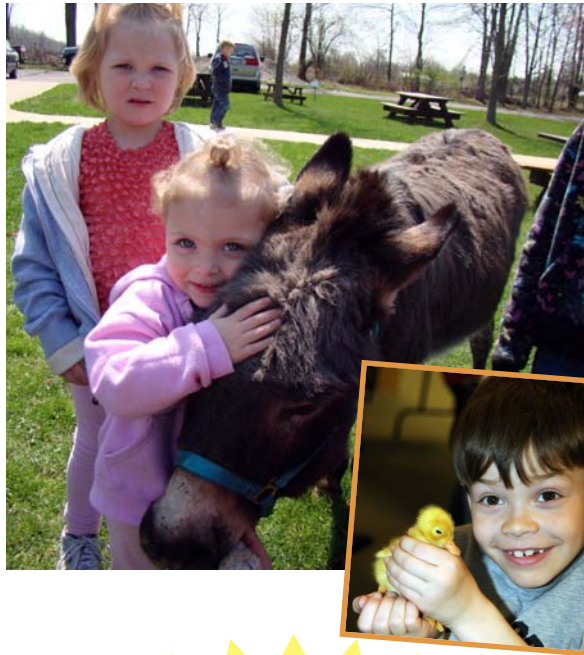
Become a Friend of Nature and help us continue sharing the natural beauty of our 'backyards' with others.



This window was designed by artist Barb Dolch of Bucyrus. Steve Rosenthal & Bill Bloom of Route 30 Stained Glass constructed and supervised the installation of it. There is also one of trees done by Dolch. Both are nearly 6 feet in diameter and are a beautiful part of the Lowe-Volk Park Nature Center.

Learn more about our parks, programs, activities and new developments online at

www.crawfordparkdistrict.org



The Friends of the Crawford Park District is dedicated to helping the Crawford Park District achieve its goals of nature conservation and nature education.

Thanks for taking time and concern to help us achieve our goals!!

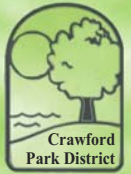
Crawford Park District

Lowe-Volk Park Nature Center
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In support of the parks, this brochure was designed by Pamela Dawson of p.m. Imaging in Bucyrus, OH

The **FRIENDS** of the 
Crawford Park District

Nature Awareness and Preservation



Our World. Our Responsibility.

**Lend a Helping Hand.
Become a Friend of Nature.**

The Friends of the Crawford Park District is dedicated to helping the Crawford Park District achieve its goals of continuing nature conservation and education.

- Friends members have helped to
- build the Love-Volk Park Nature Center
 - preserve over 300 acres of parks
 - support community nature programs

A few various age appropriate programs presented by the Park District include:

- stream and pond study
- reptiles and amphibians
- project learning tree and forest ecology
- habitats and web of life
- water cycle / Project WET
- incredible insects
- skins, skulls and skeletons

Community groups we are proud to serve include scouts, day care, nursing homes, assisted living, public & private schools, 4-H, church groups, latchkey, MRDD, adult clubs and private parties.



Naturalist, Josh Dyer, leads a summer camp nature hike on the Lowe-Volk Park boardwalk.



Lowe-Volk Park Nature Center

The Lowe-Volk Park Nature Center opened in December of 2002. Inside, are interpretive exhibits, live wildlife displays, murals and a Window on Wildlife.

The Crawford Park District oversees the care and continued development of:

Lowe-Volk Park - nature center, hiking trails catch and release fishing pond, educational programs and handicapped accessible trails

Unger Park - hiking trails and restored prairie

Sears Woods State Nature Preserve - old growth forest, hiking trails and steep hills

Heckert Nature Preserve - mature upland and riparian forest, hiking trails and vernal pools

Sandusky Wildlife Area - hunting by permit



YES!!

I Am Interested in Becoming a Friend of the Crawford Park District



(All contributions are tax deductible as allowed by law.)

- \$10.00 Kinglet (student/senior)
- \$20.00 Cardinal (individual)
- \$30.00 Flock (family)
- \$50.00 Bur Oak Circle (supporting)
- \$100.00 Bald Eagle Club (sustaining)
- \$250.00 Tallgrass Prairie Club (sponsoring)
- \$500.00 Sycamore Club (promoting)
- \$1,000.00 Natural Resource Partner (corporate)

All members receive a Trails Newsletter and 10% discount at the Lowe-Volk Nature Center Gift Shop

Name _____

Address _____

E-mail (optional) _____

Phone (optional) _____

Date _____

In Memory of _____

Enclosed is my membership donation for \$ _____

Please make all checks payable to:
Friends of the Crawford Park District

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