

Pennsylvania Master Naturalist Training Schedule Delaware County -Tyler Arboretum – FALL 2020

	Date/ Time	Proposed Topic	2020 Dates	Hours
1	Tues 6-8:30	Introductions; PA Master Naturalist Program; Ecoregions of PA	August 18	2.5
2	Tues 6-8:30	PA Geology, Soils, Weather & Climate	August 25	2.5
FT 1	Sat 9-2:30	Introduction to Field Geology	August 29	5.5
3	Tues 6-8:30	Introduction to Ecological Concepts, Evolution, Classification/Naming	Sept 1	2.5
4	Tues 6-8:30	Water in the Landscape — Watersheds and Wetland Communities	Sept 8	2.5
5	Tues 6-8:30	Introduction to Upland Communities, Plants; Introduction to Capstone Projects	Sept 15	2.5
FT 2	Sat 9-2:30	Aquatic and Upland Communities	Sept 19	5.5
6	Tues 6-8:30	Introduction to Ornithology and Herpetology	Sept 22	2.5
7	Tues 6-8:30	Introduction to Mammalogy and Entomology	Sept 29	2.5
8	Tues 6-8:30	Interpretation and Field Instruction; Teaching to Diverse Audiences	October 6	2.5
FT 3	Sat 9-2:30	Field Ornithology, Mammalogy, Entomology and Herpetology	October 10	5.5
9	Tues 6-8:30	Ecological Restoration & Stewardship; Citizen Science (and/or Urban Ecology)	October 13	2.5
10	Tues 6-8:30	Student Presentations	October 20	2.5
FT 4	Sat 9-2:30	Restoration & Conservation Projects (and/or Urban Ecology)	October 24	5.5
11	Tues 6-8:30	Student Presentations continued; Volunteer Opportunities; Being a PA Master Naturalist; Assessment & Evaluations	October 27	2.5
*	Tues 6-8:30	<i>Extra Class, if needed</i>		
*	Sat 9-2:30	<i>Extra Field Trip, if needed</i>		