

<b>Pennsylvania Master Naturalist Training Course</b> Fall Schedule 2026 – Draft Westmoreland County Cohort, Hosted by the Westmoreland Land Trust				
Optional Meet and Greet, St. Xavier Nature Preserve, Date and Time TBD Class Schedule: Tuesdays 6:30-8:30 at St. Xavier Nature Preserve, Latrobe, PA Field Trips: Select Saturdays 9:00-2:00				
Class & Day	Date	Proposed Topic	Location	Time
Class 1	8/11	PAMN Program Introduction, Ecoregions of PA	St Xavier	6:00-8:30 PM
Class 2	8/18	PA Geology, Soils, Weather and Climate	St Xavier	6:00-8:30 PM
Field Trip 1	8/22	Field Geology	TBD	9:00 AM-2:00 PM
Class 3	8/25	Ecology and Biodiversity	St Xavier	6:00-8:30 PM
Class 4	9/1	Water in the Landscape	St Xavier	6:00-8:30 PM
Class 5	9/8	Upland Communities	St Xavier	6:00-8:30 PM
Field Trip 2	9/12	Aquatic and Upland Communities	TBD	9:00 AM-2:00 PM
Class 6	9/15	Intro to Entomology and Ornithology	St Xavier	6:00-8:30 PM
Class 7	9/22	Intro to Mammalogy and Herpetology	St Xavier	6:00-8:30 PM
Field Trip 3	9/26	Field Ornithology, Mammalogy, Herpetology and Entomology	TBD	9:00 AM-2:00 PM
Class 8	10/29	Conservation Organizations and Volunteer Opportunities	St Xavier	6:00-8:30 PM
Class 9	10/6	Suburban & Urban Ecology	St Xavier	6:00-8:30 PM
Class 10	10/13	Interpretation / Teaching to Diverse Audiences	St Xavier	6:00-8:30 PM
Field Trip 4	10/17	Restoration and Conservation Projects	TBD	9:00 AM-2:00 PM
Class 11	10/20	PAMN Trainee Presentation	St Xavier	6:00-8:30 PM
Class 12	10/27	Being a PA Master Naturalist, Post-assessment	St Xavier	6:00-8:30 PM

St. Xavier Nature Preserve is located at 106 St. Xavier’s Road, Latrobe PA. 15650