

The Franklin Township Trail's Advisory Committee invites you to celebrate

National Trails Day Griggstown Native Grassland Preserve

1091 Canal Road, Princeton (Franklin Township)

Saturday, JUNE 7, 2014 – 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. (light rain or shine)

A great program for adults and children!

PROGRAM ACTIVITIES:

- <u>Photography</u>: Learn some basic tips and tricks for landscape photography courtesy of David Hartz Photography. Don't forget to bring your camera!
- <u>Geocaching</u>: GPS device or GPS enabled mobile required
- <u>Hooping</u>: Learn the benefits of hula hooping by a skilled Hooper. A limited number of hoops will be available courtesy of Wikihoops. Hiking while hooping you can do it!
- <u>Hiking</u>: Hike the trails with your pet (leash required). Guided tour begins at 9:30a.m.
- <u>History</u>: Learn about the history of Griggstown Native Grassland Preserve, and why grasslands are crucial to nature & the environment.

INFORMATIONAL DISPLAY TABLE:

- <u>Photograph Display</u>: Photographs of the Franklin Township Trails (many taken by contestants of the Franklin Township Trails photography contest).
- <u>Outdoors Safety</u>: Learn how to protect yourself from the dangers of hiking (ticks, dehydration, poison ivy, etc.) so that your hike is an enjoyable experience.
- <u>Maps</u>: Free Franklin Township Trail maps.
- <u>Checklists</u>: Free bird and butterfly checklist.
- Cups of water will be available at the display table.

Bring binoculars if you have them, and sturdy footwear is recommended. We also recommend that hikers carry bottled water and a snack, and wear insect repellent.

For more details and to RSVP please contact the Township's Land Preservation & Management Consultant, Fran Varacalli at <u>franklintrails@gmail.com</u>. RSVP appreciated but not necessary.