



Natural Wonder Summit, June 1-3, 2018

Woodson Branch Nature School, Marshall, NC

FRIDAY, JUNE 1

time	activity	location
9-4 p.m.	Combined Growing Up WILD and Project Learning Tree Early Childhood Workshop	Woodson Branch Nature School
5-7 p.m.	Registration and Happy Hour Optional: Dinner in Asheville	Hot Springs Campground

SATURDAY, JUNE 2

time	Activity	location
8-9 a.m.	Registration and breakfast	<i>Barn</i>
9-9:30 a.m.	Opening Gathering	<i>Barn</i>
9:30-10:30 a.m.	Keynote: Amy Butler, Reconnecting to the Natural World: Weaving a Nature Pedagogy into Public Schools, North Branch Nature Center, VT	<i>Barn/Outdoors</i>
10:30-10:40 a.m.	Transition	
10:50-11:50 a.m.	Nature Play and Playwork Linda Kinney, North Carolina Zoo	<i>The House</i>
	Developing a Mindful Forest Program Morgen Yeakley, Woodson Branch Nature School	<i>Woods 2</i>
	Nature Activities IN Nature Woodson Branch Nature School staff	<i>Woods 1</i>
11:50-1 p.m.	Lunch with Open House Tour of WBNS First NC state chapter meeting of ERAFANS informally organizes (12:45 p.m.)	<i>The House</i>
1-2 p.m.	Learning from the Farm and Forest Asheville Farmstead School, NC	<i>Greenhouse</i>
	Where You Lead We Will Follow: Children as Protagonists of Curriculum Este's Children's Cottage, Chapel Hill, NC	<i>Woods 1</i>
	Meaningful Documentation Monica French Wild Haven Forest Preschool, Baltimore, MD	<i>The House/ Woods 2</i>

2-2:10 p.m.	Transition	
2:10-3:10 p.m.	Learning from the Farm and Forest Asheville Farmstead School	<i>Greenhouse</i>
	Wild Edibles, Medicinals & Plant ID Natalie Bogwalker, Wild Abundance, NC	<i>The Barn</i>
3:10-3:20 p.m.	Transition	
3:20-4:20 p.m.	Animals in the Wild Tori Duvall, Western North Carolina Nature Center	<i>Woods 1</i>
	Wild Edibles, Medicinals & Plant ID Natalie Bogwalker, Wild Abundance, NC	<i>The Barn</i>
4:20-5 p.m.	Closing gathering and reflection	

SUNDAY, JUNE 3

time	Activity	Details
9 – 10:30 a.m.	Field Trip to Hot Springs Community Preschool	<i>Remember your canteen! Lunch included for full day participants.</i>
11-12:30 p.m.	Field Trip to Mountain Breeze Preschool	
12:30-1:30 p.m.	Lunch and travel	<i>Half day participants depart at 12:30 p.m.</i>
1:30 – 5:30 p.m.	Whitewater rafting trip	
5:30-5:45 p.m.	Return to Woodson Branch Nature School	

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