Starved Rock State Park
2023 Events

Scan the QR code and follow the link for further program details or visit the IDNR at www2.illinois.gov/dnr
• All programs are free
• Indicates program requires pre-registration

January-February

1/28 Eagles at the Rock!
2/4 Starved Rock Art Show
2/5 Sled Dog Demonstration
2/11 Starved Rock Saplings: Fossil Frenzy

March-April

3/4 Owl Prowl Night Hike
3/5 Life as a 17th Century Fur Trader, Living History by Kevin Stonerock
3/11 Starved Rock Saplings, Nature’s Yucky
4/2 Steamboat Coming! Mark Twain Living History by Brian “Fox” Ellis
4/15 Starved Rock Saplings: Flower Power!
4/16 Art in the Park Workshop
4/22 Starved Rock Stewardship Earth Day | Clean Up Day

May-June

5/7 Smartphone Nature Photography Class
5/13 Starved Rock Saplings: Underground
6/3 National Trails Day
6/4 Goat Yoga in the Great Outdoors
6/10 Starved Rock Saplings: Salamanders
6/17 Night Wings Hike and Moth Collection

Visit beautiful French Canyon, one of 18 canyons at Starved Rock State Park.
July-August

7/8  Starved Rock Saplings: P is for Prairie
7/9  Art in the Park Workshop
7/29 Junior Ranger Day
8/6  Dave’s Traveling Reptile Show
8/12 Starved Rock Saplings: Animal Adaptations

September-October

9/3  Navigating the Great Loop
9/9  Starved Rock Saplings: Oh Deer!
9/10 Art in the Park Workshop
9/16 Starved Rock Stewardship Saturday
9/23 Bats of Illinois and Night Hike with a Bat Biologist
10/8 Native American History of Starved Rock with Gerald Savage
10/21 Falltober Fest at the Rock
10/28 Ghosts of Starved Rocks Past

November-December

11/4 Starved Rock Stewardship Saturday
11/5 “The Men of Fort St. Louis” with Mark Walczynski
11/11 Starved Rock Saplings: Squirrely!
12/3 PaleoIndian Archaeology of the Illinois Valley with Illinois State Museum
12/9 Starved Rock Saplings: Nature’s Noel
12/9 Starved Rock Photo Show
12/10 Art in the Park Workshop

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