



WEDNESDAY WONDERS

JANUARY–APRIL 2025



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10:30 a.m.

Ben Stout House
Turkey Run Park

(recommended ages 5-9)

Wee WEDNESDAY WONDERS

2:30 p.m.

PNC Achievement Center
Beckley Creek Park

(recommended ages 2-5)



FREE for
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only \$5 for
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Join us as we wonder...

JANUARY

Jan 1	<i>(No Wednesday Wonders)</i>
Jan 8	Why are bald eagles bald?
Jan 15	What is at the center of the Earth?
Jan 22	Why are trees so tall?
Jan 29	What is a whirlpool?

FEBRUARY

Feb 5	What color is fire?
Feb 12	Why do birds fly together in a flock?
Feb 19	Do all animals have blood?
Feb 26	Why do some animals' eyes glow in the dark?

MARCH

Mar 5	<i>(No Wednesday Wonders due to staff training)</i>
Mar 12	How do snails get their shells?
Mar 19	Do poisonous frogs live in Kentucky?
Mar 26	What shape is a flower?

APRIL

Apr 2	<i>(No Wednesday Wonders - Spring Break Camp)</i>
Apr 9	Can plants talk to each other?
Apr 16	Why do animals have different teeth?
Apr 23	Where does morning dew come from?
Apr 30	What animals used to live here?

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MAY–AUGUST 2025

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MAY

May 7	About wild strawberries
May 14	Do box turtles shed their shells?
May 21	Who takes care of the Cowbirds' eggs?
May 28	Why do daddy longlegs have such long legs?

JUNE

Jun 4	Why do fireflies glow?
Jun 11	How do springtails jump so high?
Jun 18	Why are butterflies so beautiful?
Jun 25	What lives in the creek?

JULY

Jul 2	<i>(No Wednesday Wonders)</i>
Jul 9	What is quicksand?
Jul 16	Why do snakes shed their skin?
Jul 23	What is metamorphosis?
Jul 30	What is a minnow?

AUGUST

Aug 6	What is a shooting star?
Aug 13	Do animals get sunburns?
Aug 20	Why do darters dart?
Aug 27	About maypops

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Sep 3	What do vultures eat?
Sep 10	What is algae?
Sep 17	About persimmons
Sep 24	Why do raccoons have a striped tail?

OCTOBER

Oct 1	<i>(No Wednesday Wonders - Fall Break Camp)</i>
Oct 8	About puffballs
Oct 15	How do spiders hunt?
Oct 22	How do seeds move around?
Oct 29	Who decomposes the decomposers?

NOVEMBER

Nov 5	What is inside a geode?
Nov 12	<i>(No Wednesday Wonders)</i>
Nov 19	How hot is the sun?
Nov 26	<i>(No Wednesday Wonders)</i>

DECEMBER

Dec 3	What kinds of homes did settlers live in?
Dec 10	Do bobcats purr?
Dec 17	Where does mistletoe grow?
Dec 24	<i>(No Wednesday Wonders)</i>
Dec 31	<i>(No Wednesday Wonders)</i>

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