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### Watershed Volunteer Program Link Up

Tuesday, March 7 @ 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Do you want to be linked up with the Watershed Volunteer Program? Come out and learn about this unique program designed to train individuals to be watershed stewards through a variety of learning, restoration, and monitoring programs. If you are looking to join the program or have recently been accepted, we invite you to come get the baseline information to make your volunteer experience flow.

### Kent State Green Infrastructure Research Update

Wednesday, March 15  
6 - 7:30 p.m.

In the pursuit of innovative ways to better manage stormwater, green infrastructure is increasingly being adopted. Green infrastructure utilizes natural processes to treat runoff and manage flooding. Join us for a presentation from Kent State University professors on research of the green infrastructure installed around the Watershed Stewardship Center. We'll hear more about how well these installations are functioning and discuss the significance of the results.

### WSC Wetland Restoration

Wednesday, March 29  
10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Help Cleveland Metroparks expand the working wetland at the Watershed Stewardship Center. Come prepared to get muddy with a water bottle and waders. We will learn about the value of the wetlands and install more plants. Limited to 15 volunteers.

**Location:** These March programs will be held at Watershed Stewardship Center at West Creek Reservation.

**To register:** visit [www.clevelandmetroparks.com/Main/Watershed-Volunteer-Program.aspx](http://www.clevelandmetroparks.com/Main/Watershed-Volunteer-Program.aspx)

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### Monday MeetUp: What's Up with Local Watershed Groups

Join us for Monday MeetUps, a monthly gathering with a different Northeast Ohio watershed organization. Learn what's new in their watershed, the work they are doing, and how you can get involved in watershed stewardship. This is will also be a great opportunity to network with fellow NEO watershed stewards and travel to different watersheds. Each month includes a networking and learning session, while some months will include a service project. Light refreshments provided.

#### Big Creek Connects

Monday, March 20 @ 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Cleveland Metroparks Zoo

#### Doan Brook Watershed Partnership

Monday, April 3 @ 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Doan Brook Watershed Partnership Office

#### Friends of Yellow Creek

Monday, May 15 @ 6 - 8 p.m.

University of Akron Field Station at Bath Preserve

#### Mill Creek Watershed Partnership

Monday, June 5 @ 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Garfield Heights Library

#### Friends of Euclid Creek

Monday, August 7 @ 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Wildwood Park, Euclid Creek Reservation

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