

The Mad Hatter's Tree Party

The *Mad Hatter's Tree Party* is a fun way for people to learn about the trees of their community and the critical role trees play in a healthy environment... a chance for families and people of all ages to share a whimsical adventure in a community forest.

The *Mad Hatter Tree Party* is an opportunity:

- For a walk in the woods with family and friends
- For an event that brings people of all ages together
- For an educational experience *with* and *about* trees
- To celebrate trees through language
- To experience nature through live music of local musicians
- To assemble community volunteers around a simple, fun celebration
- To engage the community in locally accessible natural areas
- To enjoy light refreshments and stories with the Mad Hatter



Time in nature can be therapeutic and restorative. Over one hundred studies report that spending time in nature reduces stress... that green outdoor spaces foster creative play and imagination while reducing symptoms of attention-deficit disorder. In contrast, indoor activities or activities on paved, non-green areas increased those symptoms. Spending time in areas with trees and greenery was the most beneficial.

Sunday, October 22, 2017

1-4 PM, Wenonah, NJ

A 45-minute walk... with music... light refreshments... stories... and the Mad Hatter. Great for families. Free. Rain or shine. Walk begins at the Eldridge Trail: intersection of E. Pine St and S. Princeton Ave, Wenonah, NJ. No pre-registration necessary. Sponsored by Gloucester County Nature Club and the Wenonah Environmental Commission