



## AT LAKE ST. CLAIR METROPARK

### FIREWORKS!

A modified version of our Night Watch cruise, you'll be impressed with our discussion of navigation, nighttime fish behavior, and star-gazing. View our summer fireworks display from the water.  
**Fee: \$25/adult; \$15/child**  
 June 30 • Friday • 9 p.m.

### TOURNAMENT FISHING

Whether you consider yourself a pro or beginner angler, anyone with an interest in sport fishing will love these two new cruises. Come cruise with us early to experience the take-off of professionals in the Bassmaster Elite Series Tournament on Lake St. Clair. Or catch the boats returning for weigh-in during our afternoon cruise. Both offer a close up look at the tournament in action while learning the ins and outs of tournament fishing from a guest speaker.  
**Fee: \$30/adult; \$20/child**  
 August 27 • Sunday • 6 a.m.  
 August 27 • Sunday • 12:30 p.m.

### RESEARCH AND RESTORATION

Join us on this cruise to observe Lake St. Clair marsh restoration, learn about the HEART lab (Huron to Erie Alliance for Research and Training) and its activities, and travel out to Old South Channel Range Lights to see how restoration of the lighthouses has created an ideal nesting island for the threatened Common Tern.  
**Fee: \$25/adult; \$15/child**  
 June 28 • Wednesday • 4 p.m.  
 July 12 • Saturday • 2 p.m.

### SHIPWRECKS!

See how the latest technology in shipwreck identification is used to discover wrecks as we investigate the remains of a sunken mystery ship in the St. Clair delta.  
**Fee: \$25/adult; \$15/child**  
 July 6 • Thursday • 10 a.m.  
 July 6 • Thursday • 2 p.m.  
 July 14 • Friday • 10 a.m.  
 July 14 • Friday • 2 p.m.

### LIGHTHOUSES

Explore the history of the two lighthouses that helped guide boats through the treacherous St. Clair Flats. Discover current preservation efforts.  
**Fee: \$25/adult; \$15/child**  
 June 29 • Thursday • 6 p.m.  
 July 2 • Sunday • 10 a.m.  
 July 6 • Thursday • 6 p.m.  
 July 8 • Saturday • 10 a.m.  
 July 12 • Saturday • 6 p.m.  
 July 16 • Sunday • 10 a.m.

### HISTORY OF LAKE ST. CLAIR

We'll cruise to the St. Clair Flats in search of its past, and tell the human stories that shaped the history of this unique area.  
**Fee: \$25/adult; \$15/child**  
 June 30 • Friday • 4 p.m.  
 July 2 • Sunday • 2 p.m.  
 July 9 • Sunday • 4 p.m.  
 July 14 • Friday • 6 p.m.



### REGISTRATION REQUIRED FOR ALL CRUISES

Payment required at time of registration. Child Price is for ages 17 and younger. Register on-line with credit card (Visa or MasterCard) at [www.discoverycruises.org](http://www.discoverycruises.org), in person at the Lake St. Clair Metropark Nature Center (cash, check or charge) or by calling 586-463-4332. For more information, please call 586-463-4332. Vehicle Entry Fee Required: \$35 Annual, \$21 Seniors, \$10 Daily



### **NATURE OF LAKE ST. CLAIR**

Take an educational tour of Lake St. Clair to discover the rich variety of aquatic life that makes the lake so special.

Fee: \$25/adult; \$15/child

July 1 • Saturday • 10 a.m.

July 7 • Friday • 2 p.m.

July 15 • Saturday • 10 a.m.

### **SHIPPING OUT**

Enter the world of Great Lakes shipping with former sailor and ancient mariner/author Patrick Livingston. Learn about lakers and salties, legendary sailors and Lake St. Clair shipwrecks.

Fee: \$25/adult; \$15/child

July 1 • Saturday • 6 p.m.

July 7 • Friday • 6 p.m.

### **NIGHT WATCH**

Join the crew of the E/V Clinton on a late evening cruise and learn about navigating under the stars using charts, lights and the heavens themselves. As darkness descends, we will set sail for lighthouses and search the heavens for constellations and the North Star to help guide us to our home port.

Fee: \$25/adult; \$15/child

July 1 • Saturday • 9 p.m.

July 7 • Friday • 9 p.m.

### **BIRDS, BOATS AND BOOZE**

This four-hour cruise goes into the South Channel as we explore the natural and cultural features that brought people to the St. Clair Flats.

Fee: \$30/adult; \$20/child

July 8 • Saturday • 2 p.m.

July 16 • Sunday • 2 p.m.

### **FISHERIES**

Learn about and examine Lake St. Clair fish. We may rendezvous with the Michigan DNR Fisheries Division research vessel and observe fish tagging and measuring.

Fee: \$25/adult; \$15/child

July 7 • Friday • 10 a.m.

July 12 • Wednesday • 10 a.m.

### **GREAT LAKES SCIENCE FOR KIDS**

Learn about the ecology of Lake St. Clair using the tools of a Great Lakes scientist. Study the lake's plants and animals to determine water quality.

Fee: \$25/adult; \$15/child

June 29 • Thursday • 2 p.m.

July 1 • Saturday • 2 p.m.

July 5 • Wednesday • 4 p.m.

July 13 • Thursday • 4 p.m.

### **CHANNELS, ISLANDS, BAYS AND REEFS**

Join us as we travel up into the Middle Channel of the delta to learn about the incredible natural resources and cultural history of this fascinating area.

Fee: \$30/adult; \$20/child

July 9 • Sunday • 10 a.m.

July 15 • Saturday • 2 p.m.

### **WILDLIFE & WETLANDS**

This extended four-hour tour sails further into the flats to discover the variety of plants, animals and habitats that make this freshwater delta so unique and valuable.

Fee: \$30/adult; \$20/child

June 28 • Wednesday • 10 a.m.

July 5 • Wednesday • 10 a.m.

### **GREAT LAKES SCIENCE FOR TEACHERS**

This cruise focuses on the Great Lakes from a science education perspective. Learn how to relate biology, chemistry, geology and physics to your lessons on the lakes.

SPECIAL PRICING: \$10

(adult active educators only)

July 13 • Thursday • 10 a.m.

### **JOURNEY THROUGH THE STRAITS - DOWNBOUND**

Board the E/V Clinton for a fantastic five-hour voyage. As the Clinton travels in the wake of both the early Great Lakes voyageurs and present day sailors, we'll explore the Straits of Detroit.

Fee: \$35/adult; \$25/child

July 22 • Saturday • 10 a.m.

September 16 • Saturday • 10 a.m.

### **WIND WAVES AND WEATHER**

The Great Lakes influence our weather, and the weather can have a great influence on the Great Lakes. Join NOAA National Weather Service meteorologists on a cruise that explores the "why?" behind the wind, waves and weather around us.

Fee: \$25/adult; \$15/child

June 29 • Thursday • 10 a.m.



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TRESPASSING