## **December 2024 Recreation Services Summary**

## **Attendance/Program Summary:**

Parks and Recreation Participants broken down as follows:

- 931 Zionsville Nature Center walk-ins
- 309 Zionsville Nature Center impromptu program attendance
- 165 Attended private group programs this month.
  - o December 6 Animal Adaptations @ Boone Meadow Elementary 45, 48 attended
  - December 13 VIP Christmas @ HMMPL 72 attended
- 3,121 Attended public programs, distributed as follows:
  - o 123 Attended Nature Center Programs
    - December 3, 4, 5 ZNC Ornaments @ ZNC
    - December 5 PEEPs: Birds @ Turkey Foot Cancelled due to weather
    - December 6 Toddler Trek: Sticks @ Turkey Foot Cancelled due to weather
    - December 10 Family Nature Club: Tracking Wildlife @ Starkey Park Cancelled
    - December 10, 11, 12 ZNC Ornaments@ ZNC
    - December 11 IN State Bird @ ZNC Cancelled
    - December 11 So You Want a Pet Reptile? @ ZNC 6 attended
    - December 12 Meet the Animals @ ZNC 7 attended
    - December 12 Art in Nature: Nature Ornaments @ ZNC Cancelled
    - December 17 Jr Ecologist Homeschool Club: Predator vs Prey @ ZNC 14 attended
    - December 17, 18, 19 ZNC Ornaments @ ZNC
    - December 17 Meet the Animals @ ZNC 13 attended
    - December 18 Lil Naturalist Homeschool Club: Predator vs Prey @ ZNC Cancelled
    - December 19 Winter Science @ ZNC 8 attended
    - December 20 Winter Solstice Night Hike and Campfire @ Overley-Worman 11 attended (over 30 registered)
    - December 21 Drop-in Discovery: Winter Weather @ ZNC 15 attended
    - December 26 Candy Cane Scavenger Hunt @ ZNC 34 attended
    - December 27 Discover Your Backyard: Birds @ Starkey Park cancelled weather
    - December 28 Cookies and Canvas @ ZNC 15
  - o 245 Recreation Programs
    - December 17 Luminary Walk @ Elm Street Green 245 attended
  - o 2,753 Attended Special Events and Outreach
    - December 7 Maker's Market @ Brick Main Street 2,500 attended
    - December 14 Christmas in the Park @ Elm Street Green 213 attended
    - December 31 Noon Year's Eve @ ZNC 40

## **Additional Information:**

- Nature Center closed December 7, 24 and 25
- December ZNC Scavenger Hunt had 75 participants

