

WKS VOLUNTEERS IN MOTION - GATEHOUSE MODIFICATIONS

During the months of June and July, W. Kerr Scott Volunteers Butch and Trish Tatu modified the gatehouses at Bandit's Roost, Ft. Hamby, and Warrior Creek Campgrounds and the gatehouse at Boomer Park. They installed 2-way speakers and transaction drawers in each campground gatehouse and a 2-way speaker at Boomer Park gatehouse. The installation of these items will allow attendants to safely communicate with visitors and perform transactions without close contact due to COVID19 concerns. W. Kerr Scott Volunteer Cathy Wall painted the modified sections of each gatehouse.

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Photo of Butch and Trish Tatu taken by Ranger Johnny Jones.



Photos of Ft. Hamby Gatehouse (before and after) taken by Volunteer Cathy Wall.

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FT. HAMBY NATURE TRAIL DISC GOLF COURSE

On 8 July 2020, W. Kerr Scott Volunteers Eric Wall, Cathy Wall, and Mackenzie Berk performed maintenance on the Fort Hamby Nature Trail Disc Golf Course. They cleared the trail of fallen trees, cleaned the interpretive panels at tee pads, and installed posts that were out of the ground. The trail is designated as a Kids in Parks Track Trail. It is an 18-hole frisbee course with each pad having an educational interpretive panel so players can learn about the natural resources found in and around Fort Hamby while enjoying a moderate hike and playing disc golf.



Photo of Mackenzie Berk cleaning interpretive panel taken by Volunteer Cathy Wall.

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Photos of educational tee-signs taken by Volunteer Cathy Wall.



Volunteer Shoreline Clean-Up At Falls Lake

18 July 2020



On the morning of Saturday July 18th 2020, 23 volunteers from the surrounding Wakefield neighborhoods around the Falls Lake Dam came together to help pick up trash and debris around the trails and shoreline of Falls Lake. With the help of Falls Lake Outreach Ranger David Schwartz, the volunteer group “Wakefield for Good” was able to pick up 12 bags of trash and debris along the heavily utilized Falls Lake Dam trails and adjacent shoreline. This was the first time this group was able to volunteer at Falls Lake and as a result of their success and overall enjoyment, they plan to come back and volunteer again in the fall. Great job, Wakefield for Good and the Wakefield families!



Ranger Schwartz gives the volunteers a pep talk before the group gets started.

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