

## 2012 Natural Resource Management Internship at Huntley Meadows Park

This internship is designed to give interested college students or recent graduates the opportunity to work with professional park staff to preserve and enhance wildlife habitats at a 1,554 acre wetland preserve. It provides practical experience in the skills and abilities needed for a career in wildlife management and environmental sciences.

**STIPEND** \$2800

**PERIOD** 11 weeks, June 4 – August 17, 2012

**LOCATION** Huntley Meadows Park  
3701 Lockheed Boulevard  
Alexandria, VA 22306

**APPLICANTS** College students or graduates, preferably with a major in wildlife biology, environmental science, or other applied sciences.

### **DUTIES**

#### Natural Resources

- Assist resource management crew with habitat management for wetlands, meadows, and forests.
- Conduct encroachment inspections along park boundary.

#### Research

- Take part in water quality assessments.
- Participate in the invasive species program.
- Coordinate with nest box monitors on the bluebird program.
- Vegetation classification.

#### Maintenance

- Work with the resource management crew on trail, grounds, and facility maintenance projects.

#### Projects

- Write an article for the Friends of Huntley Meadows newsletter describing the summer internship.
- Coordinate a natural resources project for the summer.
- Work with staff on environmental education programs and visitor services.

#### Training

- Participate in professional training as available.

### **TO APPLY**

Send resume to Dave Lawlor, Natural Resource Manager, at the above address or via email at [dave.lawlor@fairfaxcounty.gov](mailto:dave.lawlor@fairfaxcounty.gov) by March 16, 2012. Call 703-765-8285 for more information.