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Time Travel or Meet Animals in Programs at ECLP

Kids can travel back in time or become animal scientists with programs at Ellanor C. Lawrence Park this fall. And while the children have a terrific adventure with peers their own age, parents can take advantage of a little time to themselves during these drop-off programs.

With Hands-on History, youngsters age four to twelve will become time travelers and journey with a costumed interpreter to see what life was like for children in the 19th century. Activities may include games, penmanship, washing clothes and making a food item, such as butter, ice cream, cheese or applesauce. The program is being offered on November 22, 2015, and again on December 13 and runs from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. The cost is \$12 per child.

The Animal Scientists program gives six- to twelve-year-olds an hour of animal time with activities such as hiking through the forest, examining pond creatures or meeting exhibit animals. These young scientists will investigate and discover first-hand subjects such as animal biology, adaptation and habitats. This program runs from 3 to 4 p.m. on November 28 and again on December 19 and costs \$5 per child.

Ellanor C. Lawrence Park is located at 5040 Walney Road, Chantilly, VA. For more information, call 703-631-0013 or visit www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/eclawrence.

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