

December 2020



Future Walks

Sign up for our upcoming weekly Friday walks! This is your chance to step out of your house, stretch your legs, get a breathe of much needed fresh air, and meet wonderful people! But don't worry, we follow safe covid precautions. You can enjoy nature's beauty at ease!

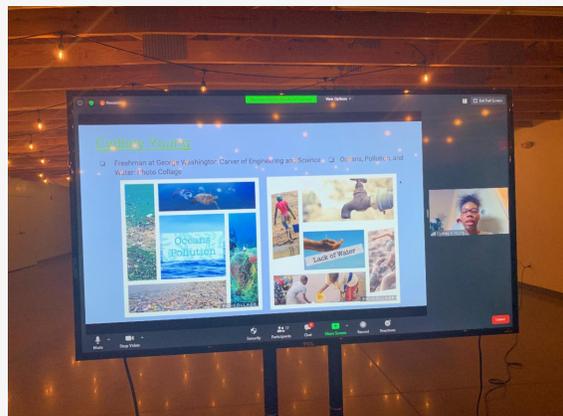
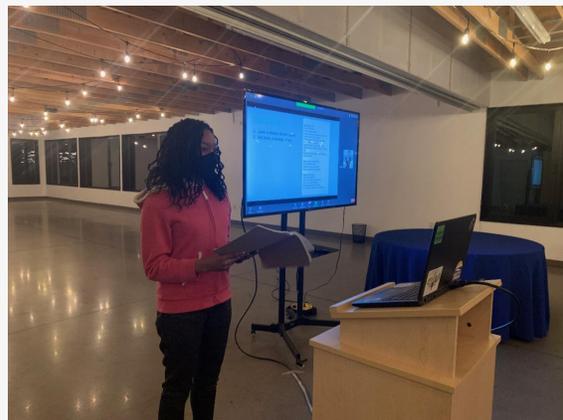
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Old Waterfront Hike

Enjoy this hike through Old City and Society Hill where you will be revealed traces of the old Delaware waterfront. You will uncover the remaining of Dock Creek, learn how Front Street was given its name, and discover the last stairs that lead to the city's original waterfront. The tour will end at Society Hill Towers.

□ PWS GRADUATION □

Stewards wrapped up their PWS 2020 experience by presenting their graduation projects yesterday, December 22nd. This was a chance for the Stewards to reflect on their time at PWS. As part of their graduation requirements and final stipend distributions, they showcased their knowledge in a creative format including - but not limited to - poetry, pictures, videos, paintings, and drawings. This allowed them to draw upon topics we have covered that they are most passionate about.



Date: 01/08/2020

Location: Foot of Race St. Pier

Time: 3:00-4:30 PM

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Varied Terrains of the Wissahickon Valley

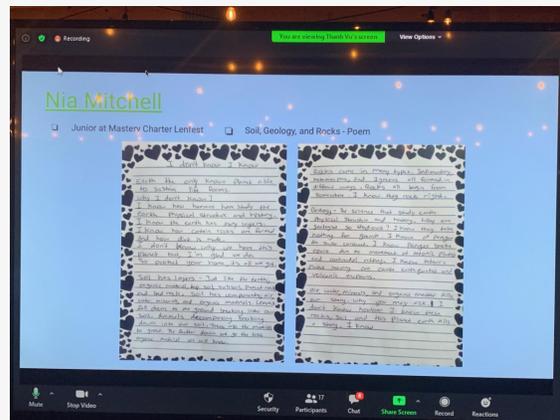
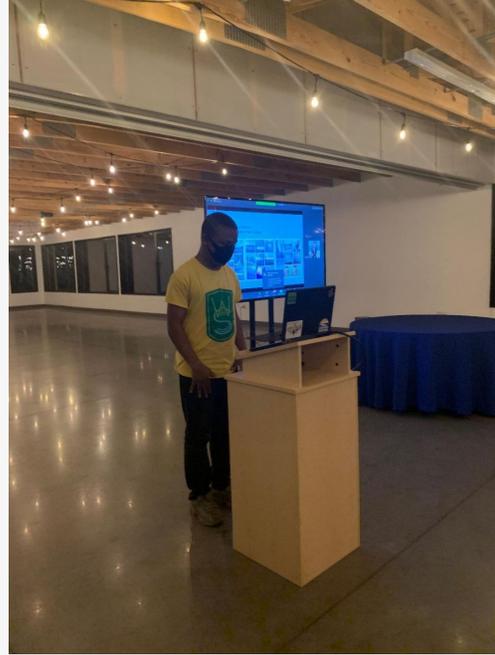
Starting from our meeting spot, at the base of the valley, we'll head up the forested gorge to the open natural area known as Houston Meadow. Discover where a suspension bridge from Roxborough across the gorge to Chestnut Hill was planned but never built. Head down along Cathedral Run, across the Wissahickon, up the other side of the gorge, and to the schist barren.

Date: 01/15/2021

Location: Meet at Forbidden Drive and Bells
Mill Road

Time: 3:00-5:00 PM

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Forest Restoration in Fairmount Park

On November 21st, right before Thanksgiving, our Stewards volunteered with Audubon and Philadelphia Parks & Recreation to restore efforts along a stretch of the Boxers' Trail in East Fairmount Park near The Discovery Center. Our volunteers focused on removing invasive vines and trees while following safety covid protocols. Keep an eye out for the next event where you can volunteer to help preserve forests with us!

Take a look!

Pennsylvania Audubon invited LandHealth and Philadelphia Watershed Stewards to join the Whitby Avenue Meadow - Love Your Park community event which featured a guided bird walk, a cleanup of Cobbs Creek, and DIY Pumpkin Bird Feeders. Among the many birds seen on the walk include the Canada Goose, Red-tailed Hawk, Turkey Vulture, Hairy Woodpecker, Belted Kingfisher, and many more. **Check out the full list of birds spotted [HERE!](#)**



LandHealth Institute Podcast

Don't miss our weekly podcast series where we discuss the condition of our environment and how we can play our part in saving it! Tune in every Thursday from 6:30-7:30 to discuss issues in our environment and urban ecology!

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