

What is it?

The City Nature Challenge is an annual international event to collaboratively record as many wildlife observations as possible during a four day period. Not only does this challenge help us catalog what is living around us, it encourages the community to venture out into the great outdoors.

**Participation is easy!** 

- 1 Find plants and wildlife
- Take a pic of your findings
- Upload your image to iNaturalist app

No registration required to participate. FREE and open to all ages!

Walks are being offered around the parks during the observation period. For more information contact Meredith Busic at Meredith.Busic@MetroparksToledo.com

## **Observation period:**

April 28 – May 1 Participants will go out and submit photos of species using the iNaturalist app.

Metroparks will host programs for this event, but you can participate as much or as little as you would like.

It *does not* have to be in a Metropark. You can even participate in your backyard.

Wild species are preferred, but cultivated species can be included.

## **Identification period:**

May 2 – May 7
We are looking for volunteers to help us with identification of observations.





