

JULY 24, 2020

FEATURED PARKS OF THE WEEK

WEEK 7 & 8

MILLER NATURE AREA

ADDRESS: MILLER AVE & ARBORVIEW BLVD, ANN ARBOR, MI 48104

Miller Nature Area is a 22-acre nature area located between Miller Avenue and Arborview Boulevard. Paths enter the park from Arborview and Miller, and parking is available along the road. It is not hard to get lost on the park's network of winding trails, so take care when hiking. The trails meander through old field remnants with many flowers and forested areas with some magnificent elm trees. This park is a good place for birders and butterfly enthusiasts during the spring and summer months.

Activity: Go for a walk and observe the birds around you. What kind are they? Use the chart to the right to identify them!

MUSHROOM PARK

ADDRESS: 1800 WALTHAM DR, ANN ARBOR, MI 48103

Check out this unique neighborhood park! Although small, it has rolling hills, a gigantic White Oak tree, colorful mushroom structures, and a playground.

Activity: Under the tree, spread your arms and spin in a circle 10 times. Lay down, look up to the sky at the dancing branches of the tree.

• BACKYARD BIRDS of MICHIGAN •

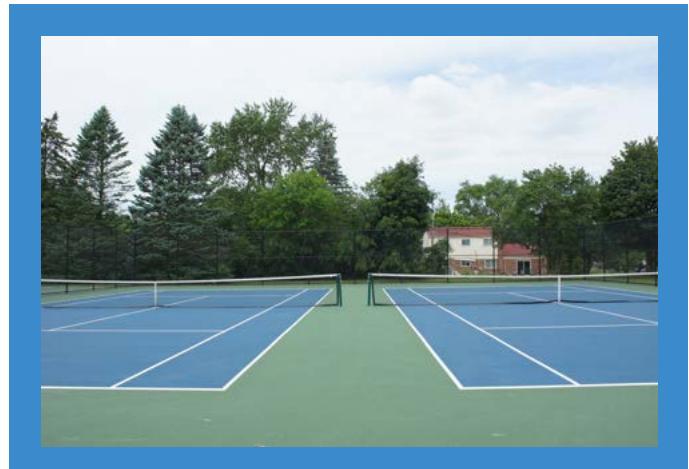


CLINTON PARK

ADDRESS: 3300 STONE SCHOOL RD, ANN ARBOR, MI 48108

Clinton Park is a 4.82-acre park located on Stone School Road south of Eisenhower. The park contains a play area within circular retaining walls, basketball courts, tennis courts, softball fields, drinking fountain, picnic table, grill, and an accessible paved path connecting the courts and play area to the small parking area located on Stone School Road.

Activity: Bring a tennis racket with you and practice your tennis dribble. Drop the ball in front of you and hit it with the racket toward the ground. The ball should move toward the ground and then bounce back up so that you can continue hitting until you get a nice consistent dribble going!



KILBURN PARK

ADDRESS: : 3100 DUNWOODIE ROAD ANN ARBOR, MI 48105

Kilburn Park is a 2 acre park located in the Arbor Hill subdivision. Access to this park is from Dunwoodie Road and Kilburn Park Circle. Parking is available along the streets. Originally set aside in order to preserve a landmark White Oak tree, this park is a pleasant spot to take a short walk through the woods. Can you locate the massive white oak?

Activity: Take a stroll by the pond North West from the playground area. Observe the wildlife and local environment. If you have a device that can take photographs, try to capture one moment of your visit to this hidden pond, or try to capture a part of the great White Oak tree when you find it!



Neighbors of Kilburn Park help with maintenance and beautification through the Adopt-a-Park volunteer program. If you'd like to join them in maintaining and beautifying this awesome park, email Melissa at adopt-a-park@a2gov.org.



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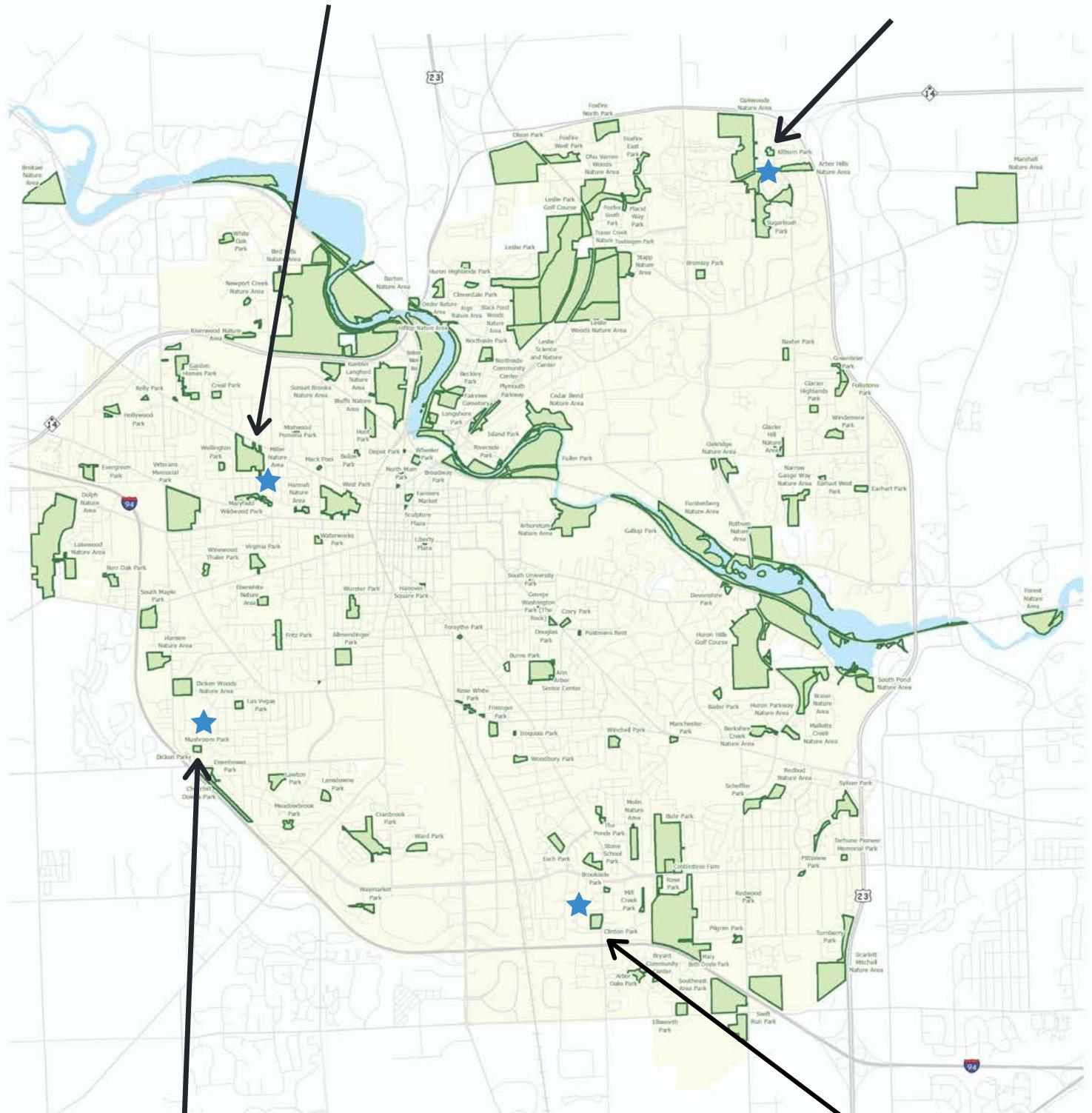


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