***Caleb Smith State Park Preserve Fall Festival and 40th Anniversary Celebration***

Sponsored by The Friends of Caleb Smith Preserve (www.friendsofcalebsmith.org)

\*Visit our informational table to receive your free pumpkin while supplies last –

Children 12 years old and younger are eligible.

*Also* at our table – pick up a frame to build and submit a ***Scarecrow*** for our upcoming exhibit, and, ***please leave your name and email so that we can invite you to future events.***

The **Museum will be open all day.**

See our interactive exhibits in the *River* room, *Forest* room, *Pond* room and *Wetlands* room, as well as the main museum *History* room.

**Programs**

10:15 AM “Take a Hike!” Join **Jane Fasullo of the Long Island Sierra Club** for a

 guided interpretive walk. Meet on the road at the south side of the

 barn.

11:15 AM “Here a bird; there a bird…” Join **Susan Krause of the Four Harbors**

 **Audubon Society** for a guided birding walk. Meet on the paved road

 near Willow Pond.

12:00 Noon **Tjay** ([www.Tjaymusic.com](http://www.Tjaymusic.com)) will perform on the stage at the rear of

 the main house.

1:30 PM “**Jan Porinchak** at Willow Pond” – Join nature illustrator, artist and

 Outdoor enthusiast Jan Porinchak for a freshwater ecology program.

2:30 PM **Amber Ferrari** ([www.amberferrari.com](http://www.amberferrari.com)) will perform on the stage at the

 rear of the main house.

***… Ongoing activities to be held throughout the day …please listen for announcements:***

* Face-painting for children
* Fly fishing instruction
* Rod & Reel fishing for children
* Falconry demonstration
* Hike with members of the Long Island Greenbelt Trail Conference
* Colonial and Native American games for youngsters
* Fish-face photo-op
* Eagle scouts will present projects they have completed in the park

***…also:***

Check out the **Northern Bobwhite Quail** restoration project exhibit presented by Eric Powers of “Your Connection to Nature;” (<http://yc2n.weebly.com/>) and visit the “Quality Parks” (<http://www.qualityparks.org/>) table to learn about ***invasive, exotic and naturalized species.***

See our members to purchase ***50/50 Raffle Tickets***, with additional prizes to be awarded. **$2 per ticket or 6 tickets for $10.**

**Need to leave early? No worries:** just print your name and phone number on the ticket before depositing it.

***All raffle tickets must be placed in the raffle box located at the “Friends of Caleb Smith Preserve” welcome table. Raffle will be held at 2 PM and the 50/50 ”Grand Prize” will be the last prize awarded!***

**PLEASE NOTE: AS A STATE PARK *PRESERVE,* ORDINARILY, FOOD IS NOT PERMITTED IN THE PARK. PLEASE RESPECT THE EXCEPTION THAT HAS BEEN MADE TODAY AND KEEP FOOD ITEMS IN THE PICNIC AREA ONLY! …AND PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT TRASH AND RECYCLABLES ARE PLACED IN THE PROPER RECEPTACLES.**